

This roadmap is a recommended semester-by-semester plan of study for this major. However, courses and milestones designed as critical (!) must be completed in the semester listed to ensure a timely graduation.

Critical	Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Upper Div.	Min. Grade	Major GPA	Type	Term Taken
<b>Semester One [13 Credits]</b>							
!	<b>JUS 12000 Introduction to Justice Studies</b>	3			■		
	US 10097 Destination Kent State: First Year Experience <sup>1</sup>	1					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
<b>Semester Two [15 Credits]</b>							
	SOC 12050 Introduction to Sociology	3			■	DD/KSS	
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
<b>Semester Three [16 Credits]</b>							
	JUS 22300 Police Role <i>or</i> JUS 26701 Corrections	3			■		
	JUS 26704 Issues in Law and Society	3			■	KSS	
	Foreign Language <sup>2</sup>	4 - 5					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	General Electives <sup>3</sup>	3					
<b>Semester Four [16 Credits]</b>							
	General Concentration requirements <sup>4</sup>	3			■		
	Foreign Language <sup>2</sup>	4 - 5					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	Kent Core Requirement	3					
	College General Requirement <sup>5</sup>	3					
<b>Semester Five [15 Credits]</b>							
	JUS 37311 Minorities in Crime and Justice <i>or</i> JUS 37411 Women in Crime and Justice	3	■		■	DD	
	SOC 32210 Researching Society	3	■	C	■	WIC	
	Foreign Language <sup>2</sup>	3 - 5					
	College General Requirement <sup>5</sup>	3					
	General Electives <sup>3</sup>	3					
<b>Semester Six [16 Credits]</b>							
	SOC 32220 Data Analysis	3	■		■		
	SOC 32221 Data Analysis Laboratory	1	■		■		
	General Concentration requirements <sup>4</sup>	6	■		■		
	Foreign Language <sup>2</sup>	3 - 5					
	General Electives <sup>3</sup>	3	■				
<b>Semester Summer III [0-6 Credits]</b>							
	JUS 46792 Internship <sup>4</sup>	0 - 6	■		■		
<b>Semester Seven [15 Credits]</b>							
	JUS 36702 Criminology	3	■		■		
	JUS 47211 Court Functions	3	■		■		
	General Electives <sup>3</sup>	9	■				
<b>Semester Eight [14 Credits]</b>							
	General Concentration requirements <sup>4</sup>	3	■		■		
	General Electives (at least 5 credit hours must be upper division) <sup>3</sup>	11					

**Graduation Requirements Summary**

Minimum Total Hours	Minimum Upper-Division Hours	Minimum Kent Core Hours	Minimum	
			Major GPA	Overall GPA
120	42	36	2.000	2.000

1. US 10097 is not required of transfer students with 25 credits or students age 21+ at time of admission.

2. Fulfills College General Requirement. Foreign Language Note: Students pursuing a Bachelor of Arts degree in the College of Arts and Sciences must have the equivalent of Elementary I and II in any language, plus one of the following options:

1. Intermediate I and II of the same language
2. Elementary I and II of a second language
3. Any combination of two courses from the following list:
  - a. Intermediate I of the same language
  - b. MCLS 10001 Introduction to Structural Concepts for Language Students
  - c. MCLS 20000 Global Literacy and Cultural Awareness
  - d. MCLS 20091 Seminar: Global Literacy Case Studies

All students with prior foreign language experience should take the foreign language placement test to determine the appropriate level at which to start. Some students may begin their university foreign language experience beyond the Elementary I level and will complete the requirement with fewer credit hours and fewer courses. This may be accomplished by: (1) passing a course beyond Elementary I through Intermediate II level or (2) receiving credit through Credit by Exam (CBE), the College Level Examination Program (CLEP), the Advanced Placement (AP) exam or credit through the International Baccalaureate (IB) program; or (3) being designated a "native speaker" of a non-English language (consult with the College of Arts and Sciences Advising Office for additional information). When students complete the requirement with fewer than 14 credit hours and four courses, they will complete remaining hours with general electives.

3. 17 credit hours must be upper division. Credits required depends on meeting minimum 120 credit hours and minimum 42 upper-division credit hours

4. General Concentration requirements (12 credit hours; at least 9 credit hours must be upper division:

**Choose from the following: (minimum 6 hours of JUS and/or PLST courses)\***

JUS courses **	PHIL 31035 Philosophy and Justice (3)
PLST courses ***	POL 30130 Courts (3)
POL 30301 Introduction to Public Administration (3)	POL 40183 Constitutional Law: Civil Rights and Liberties (3)
PSYC 30111 Forensic Psychology (3)	PSYC 40111 Abnormal Psychology (3)
PSYC 40383 Introduction to Clinical Psychology (3)	SOC 32570 Inequality in Societies (3) <sup>DD</sup>
SOC 32762 Deviant Behavior (3)	SOC 42577 Sociology of Family Violence (3)

\* Some courses have prerequisites; consult individual course descriptions.

\*\* A maximum 6 credit hours of the following courses may be used to fulfill the concentration electives: JUS 45093 Variable Title Workshop, JUS 45096 Individual Investigation, JUS 46792 Internship [recommended but not required; fulfills ELR] and/or JUS 46798 Research in Justice Studies [fulfills ELR].

\*\*\* PLST 36792 Internship in Paralegal may not be used as a concentration elective.

5.
  - One additional course taken from the Kent Core Basic Science courses in the following Arts and Sciences disciplines: Anthropology (ANTH), Biological Sciences (BSCI), Chemistry (CHEM), Geography (GEOG), Geology (GEOL) or Physics (PHY). Students may take the courses listed in the "introductory" sequences with the restrictions noted above in the Kent Core Basic Science section. The course may not be from the student's major.
  - One additional course taken from the Kent Core Social Sciences courses in the following Arts and Sciences disciplines: Anthropology (ANTH), Applied Conflict Management (CACM), Geography (GEOG), Justice Studies (JUS), Political Science (POL), Psychology (PSYC) or Sociology (SOC). The course may not be from the student's major.
6. A minimum C (2.000) grade must be earned in SOC 32210 to fulfill the writing-intensive requirement.

**University Requirements Summary**

Type	Categories	Course(s) Satisfying Category	Remaining Requirements
KCM	<b>Kent Core I. Composition</b> Enrollment based on placement test	visit <a href="http://www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core">www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core</a>	6
KMC	<b>Kent Core II. Mathematics and Critical Reasoning</b> Enrollment based on placement test	visit <a href="http://www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core">www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core</a>	3
KHU	<b>Kent Core III. Humanities</b> Minimum one course from humanities in Arts and Sciences; may fulfill diversity requirement	visit <a href="http://www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core">www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core</a>	3
KFA	<b>Kent Core IV. Fine Arts</b> Minimum one course from the fine arts; may fulfill diversity requirement	visit <a href="http://www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core">www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core</a>	3
KFH	<b>Kent Core V. Humanities or Fine Arts</b> One additional course from either the humanities or fine arts category, may fulfill diversity requirement.	visit <a href="http://www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core">www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core</a>	3
KSS	<b>Kent Core VI. Social Sciences</b> Must be selected from two curricular areas; may fulfill diversity requirement	SOC 12050, JUS 26704	fulfilled
KBS	<b>Kent Core VII. Basic Sciences</b> Must include one laboratory	visit <a href="http://www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core">www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core</a>	6
KAD	<b>Kent Core VIII. Additional</b> May fulfill diversity requirement	visit <a href="http://www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core">www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core</a>	6
DD	<b>Domestic Diversity Course Requirement</b> Either domestic or global diversity must be from Kent Core	SOC 12050 or JUS 37311 or JUS 37411	fulfilled
DG	<b>Global Diversity Course Requirement</b> Either domestic or global diversity must be from Kent Core	visit <a href="http://www.kent.edu/catalog/diversity">www.kent.edu/catalog/diversity</a>	one course
ELR	<b>Experiential Learning Requirement</b> Either course or non-course experience approved by the appropriate faculty member	visit <a href="http://www.kent.edu/catalog/elr">www.kent.edu/catalog/elr</a>	one course or activity
WIC	<b>Writing-Intensive Course Requirement</b> Minimum C (2.000) grade	SOC 32210	fulfilled