

**NORTHAMPTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE (NCC) & LA SALLE UNIVERSITY**  
**Transfer Guide for Criminal Justice (A.A.S.) at NCC to**  
**Criminal Justice (B.A.) at La Salle University**

<b>NCC Courses</b>	<b>cr.</b>	<b>La Salle University Courses Satisfied</b>	<b>cr.</b>
COLS 101 College Success	1	Does not transfer	0
CJST 101 Intro to Criminal Justice	3	CRJ 161 Intro to Criminal Justice	3
ENGL 101 English I	3	ENG 110 English Composition I	3
CMTN 102 Speech Communication	3	COM 150 Presentation Skills	3
PSYC 103 Intro to Psychology	3	PSY 155 Intro to Psychology	3
SOC 103G Principles of Sociology	3	SOC 150 Principles of Sociology	3
CISC 101 Intro to Computers	3	CSC 151 Intro to Computing using Packages	3
CJST 111 American Legal System	3	CRJ 325 Criminal Courts	3
CJST 131 Juvenile Justice	3	CRJ 320 Delinquency and Juvenile Justice	3
ENGL 151R English II (Report Writing)	3	ENG 210 College Writing II: Research	3
PSYC 255 Abnormal Psychology	3	PSY 220 Psychopathology	3
SOC 150 Deviance	3	SOC 385 Theories of Deviance	3
CJST 115 Criminal Law	3	CRJ 280 Criminal Law	3
CJST 121G Criminology	3	CRJ 261 Criminology	3
CJST 245 Criminal Justice Ethics	3	Does not transfer	0
SOC 204 Social Problems	3	CRJ 201 Social Problems and Social Justice	3
Math or Science Elective	3-4	Credit given depends on course taken	3
CJST 225 Corrections and Rehabilitation	3	CRJ 326 Institutional and Community Corrections	3
POLS 105G American Constitutional Law	3	POL 302 American Constitutional Law I	3
CJST 250 Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice	3	CRJ 940 Elective	3
AH Elective	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Elective	3-4	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Minimum Credits needed to graduate	64		

**Please NOTE:** Students may complete the requirements for the bachelor's degree program within two years, although certain majors may require more than 20 courses, which could result in extended time at La Salle.

**NCC-La Salle Dual Admission Students:** Please refer to the Dual Admission application for eligibility requirements. Students interested in applying to La Salle through the Dual Admission Agreement must complete the online dual admission application before completing 45 college-level credits. The Dual Admission Agreement includes a **Core-to-Core component**. Under the Dual Admission agreement, La Salle University's Core will essentially be fulfilled by the Core at Northampton Community College. In order to meet the requirements of La Salle's Core, students must take one CORE "qualifier" at La Salle, REL 100: Religion Matters. This course must be taken at La Salle because there is no equivalent course offered at the community college.

**Non-Dual Admission students** who transfer to La Salle University will be required to complete the entire La Salle Core, which includes courses in a number of disciplines. Coursework can be taken at La Salle or prior to transfer. Seek advisement for course options and visit the La Salle website, [www.lasalle.edu](http://www.lasalle.edu), to view the current course catalog.

*\* When equivalent courses are worth different credit amounts, the course will be satisfied and the amount of credit earned will transfer.*

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**Notes for Dual Admission Applicants:**

- 1) The Dual Admission Intent to Enroll form must be submitted before 45 college credits are earned.
- 2) When the student is within one year of completing the associate's degree, the Dual Admission application must be submitted on La Salle University's website, [www.lasalle.edu](http://www.lasalle.edu). Applications are free.
- 3) Additional courses beyond the associate degree can be taken at NCC to meet program requirements at La Salle.
- 4) NCC transcript must be sent one semester prior to graduating to the Office of Transfer Admission, La Salle University, 1900 W Olney Ave, Philadelphia, PA 19141.
- 5) Final official transcripts must be sent by the student as soon as the final semester is completed and associate's degree conferred.
- 6) Students must uphold a grade point average of 2.5 or higher to qualify for Dual Admission.
- 7) All Dual Admission applicants for full-time day programs will be eligible for the Dual Admission Achievement Scholarship.

**Additional Notes for all applicants (Dual Admission and regular transfer):**

- 1) The maximum amount of transfer credits awarded cannot exceed 90.
- 2) At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle.
- 3) For admission review, official transcripts must be sent from all previous colleges attended.
- 4) All full-time day applicants will be eligible for the merit-based Founder's Scholarship. The award amount will depend on grade point average and quality of curriculum.
- 5) The Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship is offered to all full-time day transfer applicants who are members of PTK with a 3.5 cumulative GPA or above. Proof of membership is required to qualify for this scholarship.
- 6) Non-Dual Admission students should seek advisement on General Education Elective courses that will satisfy the La Salle Core.
- 7) Students are strongly advised to use this guide with the assistance of transfer services at NCC. The information in this transfer guide is subject to change. Therefore, students are advised to check periodically with transfer services for up-to-date information and to contact the Assistant Dean at La Salle, listed below, for advisement on major requirements that can be taken at NCC. Following this guide does not guarantee the transfer of credit or admission to La Salle University.

**Contact Information**

**La Salle University**

School of Arts & Sciences, Mary Carmel Etienne, Assistant Dean, [etienne@lasalle.edu](mailto:etienne@lasalle.edu) 215- 951- 1481

Transfer Admission, Office of Undergraduate Admission [admiss@lasalle.edu](mailto:admiss@lasalle.edu) 215- 951 -1500

**Northampton Community College**

Transfer Advising, [advinfo@northampton.edu](mailto:advinfo@northampton.edu) Bethlehem Campus 610 861 5346; Monroe Campus 570 369 1871

### Requirements for Completion of B.A., Criminal Justice major, at La Salle University

Number of major courses required for graduation: 12  
 Total number of courses required for graduation: 38  
 Number of major credits required for graduation: 36  
 Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

Per the Dual Admission Agreement, the CORE is satisfied by the associate's degree earned, except for the following CORE Qualifier(s) that must be completed:

Course(s) at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
REL 100 Religion Matters	Not applicable	Must be taken at La Salle

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle. Therefore, for this major no more than 6 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
CRJ 161 Intro to Criminal Justice	CJST 101 Intro to Criminal Justice	Required for A.A.S.
CRJ 261 Criminology	CJST 121G Criminology	Required for A.A.S.
CRJ 480 Research Methods		
CRJ 495 Ethics/Senior Seminar		
SOC 262 Dynamics of Race and Ethnicity		
SOC 301 Stat I		
SOC 302 Stat II		
Choose 1 of the following: CRJ 324, 325, 326	CJST 111=CRJ 325;	Required for A.A.S.
Choose 4 of the following, 3 of which must be CRJ: CRJ 201, 280, 320, 324, 325, 326, 340, 350, 370, 387, 483; SOC 265; ENG 308; CRJ 481-482	CJST 131=CRJ 320 CJST 115=CRJ 280 CJST 225=CRJ 326	Required for A.A.S. Required for A.A.S. Required for A.A.S.

#### Free Electives

In addition to the requirements listed above, students must take enough courses to fulfill graduation credit requirements for their School and major.

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