

NOTE: OUTCOMES and STUDENT PERFORMANCE STANDARDS are currently under revision to achieve compliance with November 2006 Florida Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission requirements.

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Florida Department of Education
CURRICULUM FRAMEWORK

Program Title: CORRECTIONAL OFFICER
Program Type: Job Preparatory
Occupational Area: Public Service Occupations
Components: One Program with One Occupational Completion Point

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Program Number: P430102
CIP Number: 0743.010200
Grade Level: 30, 31
Standard Length: 532 hours
Certification: CORR OFF @7 G
PUB SERV @7 G
LAW ENF @7 G
Facility Code: 264
Co-op Method: Yes
Apprenticeship: No
CSO: N/A
Basic Skills:
Math n/a
Language n/a
Reading n/a

- I. **MAJOR CONCEPTS/CONTENT:** This program is established for the purpose of providing job-related training to students for full-time or part-time correctional officers and jailers (SOC 33-3012) that require entry level certification in accordance with Chapter 943, Florida Statutes (F.S.) and Chapter 11B-35, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.).

The content includes, but is not limited to, knowledge of codes of ethics; history and evolution of laws; introduction to the criminal justice system; statutory authority of the FDLE Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission (CJSTC); corrections rules, rights, and responsibilities; basic law and legal procedures; correctional operations; investigation knowledge and skills; use of force; defensive tactics; physical fitness; chemical agents, weapons, and firearms skills; controlling, restraining, and arrest techniques; medical first responder techniques; sexually transmitted diseases; emergency preparedness techniques; communications skills; and interpersonal skills.

Reinforcement of basic skills in English, mathematics, and science appropriate for the job preparatory programs is provided through career and technical classroom instruction and applied laboratory procedures or practice. This program focuses on broad, transferable skills and stresses understanding and

demonstration of the following elements of the public service industry; planning, management, finance, technical and production skills, underlying principles of technology, labor issues, community issues and health, safety and environmental issues.