

Program Information & Planning Sheet BAA Justice and Public Safety 2024-2025

Frequently Asked Questions

What courses do I need to complete to graduate?

The BAA degree consists of 15.0 credits (30 courses). Students admitted into this program will receive transfer credits based on their educational and professional experience.

Students who were admitted into this program with previous training with the OPC, the Military Depot, the RCMP depot or similar government training institution will receive 9.0 transfer credits (18 courses) and must complete 12 courses within this program.

Students who **have not** received training at the OPC, the Military Depot, the RCMP depot or a similar credited government training institution will receive between 7.0 to 8.5 transfer credits (14 to 17 courses). They will need to complete between **13 to 16** courses depending on the number of transfer credits that is received.

How do I register for my courses?

Course registration takes place a few months prior to the start of each new academic semester. A step-by-step guide to course registration (including video tutorials) can be found in the New Student Guide: www.guelphhumber.ca/newstudents. Remember always to use this Program Plan and the Course Schedule to determine which sections of courses you are allowed to register for.

How are classes delivered?

Classes delivered in an online format on Course Link. No physical classroom attendance is required.

May I take some of my courses at another institution for credit?

Potentially. See your Academic Advisor for more information and assistance planning and sequencing your courses.

Am I required to complete a field placement?

No. BAA Justice and Public Safety students are granted transfer credit for all field placement courses in the program.

What is the role of an Academic Advisor?

Academic Advisors are the primary source of advising for students and should be your first contact to discuss any issues, questions, or concerns about your academic program. Each student has direct access to an Academic Advisor, who focuses on program-related issues and advice, and can assist you with degree program requirements and expectations. Your Academic Advisor can assist you in course sequencing, interpreting university policies and procedures, facilitating resolution of academic problems, conflicts and concerns, and referring you to additional resources on campus.

How will my Academic Advisor communicate with me?

Important updates will be sent throughout the year via your university email address. This is the primary means of communication for students and you should ensure to use this email account when communicating with any staff or instructors at the university. You should get in the habit of checking this email account frequently. It is suggested that you change your password to something that you will easily remember.

Where can I go for more information?

Visit your Academic Advisor in GH108. Call 416.798.1331 x6288 to book an appointment or email your questions to advisors@guelphhumber.ca. More information can be found on our website outlining Academic Advising FAQ's. For more support, visit the Learning Support Peers (LSPs) in the Learning Commons or email them at lsp@guelphhumber.ca.

<u>NOTE:</u> This program plan has been designed to assist you with course selection and program planning. In the case of any discrepancies between this document and the approved Schedule of Studies, the Schedule of Studies (as found in the Academic Calendar at www.guelphhumber.ca/calendar) will serve as the official record.

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SEMESTER	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	DELIVERY	CREDIT
Fall (Online)	AHSS 1210	English 1: Reading and Writing Effectively	Distance (6 weeks)	0.5
	AHSS 1030	Introduction to Organizational Behaviour	Distance (6 weeks)	0.5
Winter (Online)	AHSS 3050	Canadian Social Problems	Distance (6 weeks)	0.5
	JUST 3010	Conflict Resolution	Distance (6 weeks)	0.5
Summer (Online)	JUST 2100 OR AHSS 3060	Introduction to Justice and Public Safety Accounting OR Criminological Theory II*	Distance (6 weeks)	0.5
	JUST 2090 OR JUST 3040	Justice and Public Safety Human Resources Management OR Police and Society*	Distance (6 weeks)	0.5
Fall (Online)	SCMA 2040	Research Methods for Social Sciences	Distance (6 weeks)	0.5
	SCMA 3040	Quantitative Methods for Social Sciences	Distance (6 weeks)	0.5
Winter (Online)	AHSS 4090	Ethics and the Justice System	Distance (6 weeks)	0.5
	AHSS 4100	Public Policy: Challenges and Prospects	Distance (6 weeks)	0.5
Summer (Online)	AHSS 3230	Trends in Gender Issues	Distance (6 weeks)	0.5
	AHSS 4070	Issues in Ethnicity and Class	Distance (6 weeks)	0.5
Note: All applicants who have not received training at the OPC, the Military Depot, the RCMP depot, or a similar credited government training institution as determined by the university will need to complete the following additional courses listed below *				
Fall (Online)	JUST 1050	Introduction to Industrial Relations	Distance (6 weeks)	0.5
	AHSS 2310	Leadership & Motivation	Distance (6 weeks)	0.5
Winter (Online)	AHSS 9110	General Elective (Concurrent with below)	Distance (12 weeks)	0.5
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