

**Pre-2026 (1384)**

# BACHELOR OF CRIMINOLOGY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

## Transition arrangements for students

Griffith University has introduced a new program into OUA which replaces the current **Bachelor of Criminology and Criminal Justice** (BCCJ) program (1384). The pre-2026 program is being taught out over the next three years to allow current students to complete their degree by the end of Study Session 3, 2028.

All continuing students will be able to enrol in courses through to Study Session 3, 2028. However, transitional support will only be offered to students who are enrolled in the **BCCJ program prior to the introduction of the new asynchronous program (early 2026)**. These students should have been notified via email from Griffith University during the last quarter of 2025.

The table on the next page shows the pre-2026 program structure including which subjects are offered in each Study Session. You should use this in conjunction with your existing study plan to work out your path to graduation.

## Changes to subjects on offer

All BCCJ subjects in the pre-2026 program have been transitioned from Study Periods (1-4) to Study Sessions (1-3) from Study Session 1, 2026.

Two subjects have been discontinued as of 2026. These are **CCJ200 Psychological Explanations of Criminal Behaviour** and **CCJ207 Sociology of Crime**. These two subjects have been replaced by **CCJ221 Advanced Criminological Theories**. Information about enrolling in these subjects can be found at the bottom of the below table.

Two subjects have been added to the majors list. These are **CCJ336 Neurocriminology** and **CCJ337 Wrongfully Convicted**.

## Communication and support

Students who have completed 120CP or fewer in the Pre-2026 BCCJ program over the past 10 years will be contacted. They will receive information about the new program, credit transfer options, the shift to 3 Study Sessions, and the opportunity to complete the current program before its conclusion in Study Session 3, 2028.

The Program Director will provide tailored advice to students wishing to transition, including how existing 10CP courses map to the new 30CP block structure.



For more information please refer to the [Griffith University Programs and Courses website](https://www.griffith.edu.au/programs-and-courses) (or scan QR code to access site)



## Contact us

For more information about your enrolment options, please email:

[ccjconnect@griffith.edu.au](mailto:ccjconnect@griffith.edu.au)

*Ensure you include your Griffith student number to help us respond more quickly.*

## Bachelor of Criminology and Criminal Justice program

### Pre-2026 structure for teach out

CORE			
Study session	Subject code	Subject title	Credit points
<b>First year</b>			
SS 1,3	CCJ102	Developing Professionally 1	10
SS 1,3	CCJ103	Law, Crime and Justice	10
SS 1,3	CCJ108	Social Problems - (In)equality and (In)justice	10
SS 1,3	CCJ113	Introduction to Criminology and Criminal Justice	10
SS 2,3	CCJ110	Mental Health, Psychology and the Criminal Justice System	10
SS 2,3	CCJ112	Police, Courts and Criminal Law	10
SS 2,3	CCJ114	Homicide	10
SS 2,3	CCJ115	Victims and Justice	10
<b>Second &amp; third year</b>			
SS 1,3	CCJ221	Advanced Criminological Theories    ** SEE NOTE **	10
SS 1,3	CCJ312	Criminology and Criminal Justice Research Methods	10
SS 2,3	CCJ209	Quantitative Methods for Social Research	10
SS 1,2	CCJ329	CCJ Clinic	10
MAJORS			
SS 1,3	CCJ201	Developing Professionally 2	10
SS 1	CCJ202	Introduction to Policing	10
SS 1	CCJ203	Introduction to Corrections	10
SS 1,3	CCJ206	Qualitative Methods for Social Research	10
SS 1	CCJ301	Environmental Criminology	10
SS 1,3	CCJ332	Evidence-Based Policing, Policy and Practice	10
SS 1,3	CCJ334	Understanding Domestic and Family Violence	10
SS 1	CCJ336	Neurocriminology	10
SS 2,3	CCJ220	Counter-Terrorism Law	10
SS 2,3	CCJ215	Gender, Crime and Justice	10
SS 2,3	CCJ205	Crime Prevention	10
SS 2	CCJ303	Rehabilitating Offenders	10
SS 2,3	CCJ326	Fraud and Cybercrime	10
SS 2,3	CCJ331	First Nations and Justice	10
SS 2,3	CCJ337	Wrongfully Convicted	10

\*\* If students have not completed CCJ207 AND have also not completed CCJ200, they will be required to complete CCJ221 plus any second or third year 10CP CCJ major subject.

If students have completed both CCJ207 **AND** CCJ200, they are not required to take CCJ221.

If students have completed either CCJ207 **OR** CCJ200, but not both they are required to take CCJ221.