Course Title: Introduction to Administration of Justice
Course Code: AJ 101
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Format: Online
Course Length: 16 week

Introduction
Welcome to Administration of Justice 101, Introduction to Administration of Justice
I am glad that you have chosen to enroll in this first ever online course in Administration of Justice here at College of the Canyons. The distance learning portion of our department will be expanding over the next couple semesters to include AJ 110 Principles and Procedures and AJ 125 Criminal Law. We are excited to expand our department and make our program more accessible. This is a 100% online class and will have no in person/on campus meetings

Course Description
Introduces the U.S. Criminal Justice System, including law enforcement and judiciary and correction systems. UC credit limitation: ADMJUS-101 and 110 combined, maximum credit one course.

Course Information
Upon completion of course, the successful student will be able to:
1. Compare and contrast the first three articles of the US Constitution with the Bill of Rights.
2. Compare and contrast the origins of modern policing developed under Sir Robert Peel with today's methods of policing.
3. Compare and contrast Free Will with the Biological & Environmental Theories of Crime.
5. Differentiate between felony, misdemeanor and infraction.
6. Compare and contrast the operational guidelines between a sheriff's department and a municipal police department.
7. Identify principles of the Constitution, statutory law and case law and how they apply to specified situations.
8. Compare and contrast the structure of the Federal Courts with the State of California court system.
9. Evaluate the structure of a typical prison and how the influence of prison gangs have on the prison environment.
10. Compare and contrast how early methods of dealing with juvenile delinquency compare with today's methods.
11. Identify various types of drugs and how they impact crime in the US.
12. Evaluate the methods, theories and concepts associated with sources of crime data, emerging patterns or crime, and the costs of crime.
Student Learning Outcome
At the end of this course, it is expected that students who have regularly attended and completed all assignments will be able to: Analyze the impact of societal forces on the evolution of the criminal justice system.

Textbook information
Hess, Orthmann Introduction to Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice, 12th Ed

Other relevant course information
In order to take this class, you must have access to a computer, internet services and e-mail. All communications will be completed through e-mail, chat rooms or the discussion board.
You will be expected to log on to Canvas regularly (recommended every other day). I will be posting announcements, assignments, discussion items, and homework activities that you will be expected to participate in each week.
Keep in mind that all assignments and discussions must be completed by the posted due dates. No late work will be accepted.
All course work will be completed and submitted online using Canvas. You will not be able to sign into Canvas class prior to the start date of the class. You must log into the course by 11:50 PM of the second day of the course or you will be dropped from the course.

Additional Resources
Canvas
The course can be accessed via Canvas at cv.canyons.edu on the first day of the course. Follow the login instructions at the bottom of the screen to log in. Here, you can also access Canvas user guides with helpful tips for navigating and using Canvas. For any Canvas related issues please call the Canvas Student Support line at (661)362-3344 during college business hours, or (877)889-9052 for 24/7 support.

Distance Learning
Check out the Distance Learning website for more information on a variety of topics that can help you be a successful online student such as: exam proctoring, learning styles, computer skills, and tips for student success. If this is your first online course, feel free to take our online learning readiness assessment to assess your skills.
The Learning Center (TLC)
The TLC provides FREE tutoring resource to COC students including:
- Face-to-face & ONLINE tutoring
- Testing Center: offers test proctoring services for courses that have required proctored exams
- Study Jam Review Sessions
- Computers with over 300 software programs
For more information visit the TLC Website.

Disabled Students Program & Services (DSPS)
College of the Canyons DSPS provides educational services and access for eligible students with documented disabilities who intend to pursue coursework at COC. A variety of programs and services are available which afford eligible students with disabilities the opportunity to participate fully in all aspects of the college programs and activities through appropriate and reasonable accommodations. For more information on their services visit the Disabled Students Program & Services website.

Online Counseling
The Counseling Department offers appointments online. You can schedule an appointment by visiting the Online Counseling website. Counselors can help you map out a plan to reach your educational goals as well as advise you on course selection and registration.