

School of Business and Law

CL55 Bachelor of Science (Criminology and Psychology)

Part Time Course Planner – Term 1 2019 onwards

Year	Unit Code	Unit Name	CP	Requisites	Ad. Stand	Comp Term /Status
Year 1	CRIM11001	Foundations of Criminology and Criminal Justice	6			T1 2019
	CRIM11002	Criminal Justice Procedure and Analysis	6			T1 2019
	PSYC11009	Social Foundations of Psychology	6			T2 2019
	SOCL11060	Being Bad	6			T2 2019
Year 2	PSYC11008**	Biological Foundations of Psychology	6			T1 2020
	LAWS11057**	Introduction to Law	6			T1 2020
	PSYC12047	Introduction to Data Analysis	6			T2 2020
	CRIM12003	Criminology Theory	6	Pre-req CRIM11011 and CRIM11002		T2 2020
Year 3	CRIM12002	Case Management Practice	6	Pre-req CRIM11011 and CRIM11002		T1 2021
	PSYC12048**	Research Methods	6	Pre-req Completion of 24cp		T1 2021
	CRIM12001	Digital Criminology	6	Pre-req CRIM11011 and CRIM11002		T2 2021
	SCIE11018**	Introduction to Forensic Science	6			T2 2021
Year 4	PSYC11012**	Foundations of Psychological Research	6			T1 2022
	PSYC13017**	Abnormal Psychology	6	Pre-req Completion of 24cp		T1 2022
		<i>Level 2 PSYC Unit (See Notes on Page 4)</i>	6			T2 2022
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Year 5	CRIM13001	Criminal Behaviour Analysis	6	Pre-req CRIM11001, CRIM11002, CRIM12001, CRIM12002 and CRIM12003		T1 2023
	CRIM13002	Contemporary Criminology	6	Pre-req CRIM11001, CRIM11002, CRIM12001, CRIM12002 and CRIM12003		T1 2023
	PSYC13020	Individual Differences and Assessment	6	Pre-req PSYC12048 & (PSYC12010 or PSYC12012 or PSYC12013 or PSYC12014 or PSYC12047)		T2 2023
	PSYC13015	Advanced Methods in Psychology	6	Pre-req PSYC12047 and PSYC12048		T2 2023
Year 6		<i>Level 3 PSYC Unit (See Notes on Page 4)</i>	6			T1 2024
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	PSYC13021	Forensic Psychology	6	Pre-req PSYC12048 & (PSYC12010 or PSYC12012 or PSYC12013 or PSYC12014 or PSYC12047)		T2 2024
		<i>Criminology Capstone Unit (See Notes on Page 3)</i>	6			T2 2024
Total Units: 24			144			

** Available over Term 3

✓ Completed

CP = Credit Points

For information on the terminology used in the above Course Planner, please refer to the Glossary on the last page of this document.

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MORE DETAILS:

To satisfy the requirements for the award of CL55 Bachelor of Science (Criminology and Psychology), students must complete 24 units (144 credit points).

Recommended Study Schedule

Students should complete units in an order that is as close as possible to the recommended structure set out in this Course Planner. Students should concentrate on completing all first year units before moving on to second year units, and all second year units before moving on to third year units.

Course Structure Requirements

In the CL55 Bachelor of Science (Criminology and Psychology), students are required to complete the following course structure:

- 20 Core Units
- 4 Psychology Elective Units
 - a minimum of 12 psychology credit points (2 units) at Level Two
 - a minimum of 12 psychology credit points (2 units) at Level Three

Course Duration Requirements

Full Time Duration 3 years full time

Part Time Duration 6 years part time

Please also note that if you fail units or take a Leave of Absence, your course duration and completion timeframe may be extended.

Interim Awards Interim Awards do not exist for this course

Exit Awards Exit Awards do not exist for this course

Professional Accreditation

Students and Graduates may be eligible for Student membership or Affiliate membership of the Australian Psychological Society. Successful completion of CL55 Bachelor of Science (Criminology and Psychology) course will mean that you are eligible to apply for an APAC accredited 4th year honours course in Psychology.

Deferment/Leave of Absence

Domestic students in the Bachelor of Science (Criminology and Psychology) degree are permitted to defer the initial offer of their degree for a maximum of 12 months before their offer is withdrawn. Furthermore, domestic students may also take an approved Leave of Absence (LOA) once they have commenced their course of study however only a maximum of 12 months can be granted without requesting further approval from the Head of Course.

You can apply for a deferment or LOA [here](#).

International students are not permitted to defer their initial offer or take a Leave of Absence unless otherwise discussed with their Home Campus.

Credit Transfer

If you have undertaken study in the last ten years, or have relevant in-formal or non-formal learning, you may be eligible for credit towards your course. Please note that some courses have reduced timeframes within which prior study remains eligible for credit. Please refer to the [CQUni Handbook](#) for specific credit time limits relating to your course.

To submit an application for credit, please refer to the [Credit Calculator](#) or contact the Academic Pathways Team via their email credit@cqu.edu.au. Further information about the credit process can also be found on the [Credit for Prior Learning](#) webpage.

Credit applications should be submitted at least four (4) weeks before the relevant term commences. Applications must be complete with all supporting documentation to be assessed by CQUniversity. CQUniversity cannot obtain documents from other institutions, organisations or individuals.

Residential Schools

Students studying via Online studies may be required to attend compulsory on-campus residential schools and have been marked with an asterisk (*) in the above Course Planner.

The units that require a compulsory residential school must be enrolled in as "Mixed Mode" under the unit availabilities in MyCentre.

For more information on the various units containing residential schools, please refer to the following link in the CQUni Handbook: <https://handbook.cqu.edu.au/resschools/index> or contact the Unit Coordinator directly.

Unit Coordinator contact information can be found via the Unit Profiles in the following link: <https://my-courses.cqu.edu.au/pub/profiles/search>

Capstone Criminology unit

Students must select 1 x Capstone Criminology unit from the following list:

- CRIM13003 Criminology Research Capstone (*Availability TBA*)
- CRIM13004 Criminology Work Placement Capstone (*Availability TBA*)

Level Two Psychology Unit Options

Students must complete a minimum of 4 Psychology units at Level 2. PSYC12047 and PSYC12048 are considered Level Two units and are included in the Core units.

In addition to these two units, a minimum of two Psychology units must be chosen from the following list:

- PSYC12010 Introduction to Human Development (*Available Term 1 & 3*)
- PSYC12013 Personality (*Available Term 1 & 3*)
- PSYC12012 Physiological Psychology (*Available Term 2 ONLY*)
- PSYC12014 Social Psychology (*Available Term 2 & 3*)

Specified Psychology Elective Units list continues over page...

Level Three Psychology Unit Options

Students must complete a minimum of 4 Psychology units at Level Three. PSYC13015, PSYC13017, PSYC13020 & PSYC13021 are considered Level Three units and are included in the Core units.

In addition to these three units, a minimum of two Psychology unit must be chosen from the following list:

- PSYC13016 Cognitive Psychology (*Available Term 1 & 3*)
- PSYC13023 Educational Psychology (*Available Term 1 ONLY*)
- PSYC13022 Learning (*Available Term 2 ONLY*)
- PSYC13024 Qualitative Research Methodology (*Available Term 1 ONLY*)*
- PSYC13025 Applied Sports Psychology (*Available Term 1 ONLY*)

* Compulsory Residential School

NOTE: To meet the course's psychology study requirements of a total of 60 units of credit (10 units) at Level two and three as detailed above, students must undertake 2 additional units from the Level 2 or Level 3 unit options as listed above.

Practicum/Work Integrated Learning (WIL) Requirements

CRIM13004 Criminology Work Placement Capstone

This capstone unit enables students to apply the theories, content knowledge and skills they have learned to a workplace environment. Student work should involve finding solutions to a problem in a regulatory agency, criminal justice agency, government or other organisation involved in the prevention or regulation of criminal activity.

On successful completion of this unit students will be able to: 1. Apply skills and knowledge developed in the program to criminology practice in in a regulatory agency, criminal justice agency, government or other organisation involved in the prevention or regulation of criminal activity. 2. Evaluate and report work placement experiences and assess personal and professional growth, strengths and weaknesses in: (a) intellectual development (integration, problem identification, critical thinking, problem solving and decision making), (b) social development (social skills, initiative and independence), and (c) professional development (technical skills, time management and verbal and written communication). 3. Reflect upon and describe the careers, roles, relationships, responsibilities and activities of people engaged in the practice of engineering in the workplace. 4. Reflect upon, evaluate and report enhanced knowledge of criminology gained as a result of participation in work placement and the nature of the environment that supported such learning.

If you have any questions about your course, please contact the Course Advice Team: spc@cqu.edu.au or by visiting <http://handbook.cqu.edu.au/eforms/index> and filling out the 'Ask a Course Advisor' e-form.

PLEASE CHECK THE CQUNI HANDBOOK FOR ALL TERM AVAILABILITIES AND PRE-REQUISITES AS THEY MAY CHANGE FROM YEAR TO YEAR <http://handbook.cqu.edu.au>

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GLOSSARY

- **Course**: A course is the combination of units that contribute towards either a CQUniversity award qualification or non-award study.
- **Course Code**: A course code identifies the specific course a student may be studying at CQUniversity.
- **Unit**: A unit is the individual subject students must complete in order to graduate from their course.
- **Unit Code**: A unit code identifies a specific unit that a student is enrolled in under their course.
- **Pre-Requisite (Pre-Req) Unit**: A pre-req unit is a unit which students must pass before being allowed to enrol in the subsequent unit.
- **Co-Requisite (Co-Req) Unit**: A co-req unit is a unit that must be studied at the same time as another unit.
- **Anti-Requisite (Anti-Req) Unit**: An anti-req unit is an old unit that has been replaced by a new unit and students are not permitted to study the old unit.
- **Credit Points (CP)**: Credit Points are the numerical value of a unit which contributes to the total Credit Points for a course.
- **Core Unit**: A core unit is a compulsory unit that a student must study to meet the requirements of their course.
- **Elective Unit**: An elective unit is a unit within a course that is not compulsory and students may have a choice in what unit they study, provided it meets the elective requirements of their course.
- **Major**: A major is a specific area within a course where a student specialises in and is normally made up of 8 units for undergraduate courses, and 4 units for postgraduate courses. Not all courses have majors.
- **Double Major**: A double major is where students specialise in 2 areas of study and is normally made up of 16 units. Double majors are normally only available in undergraduate courses.
- **Minor**: Like a major, a minor is a specific area within a course where a student specialises and is normally made up of 4 units.
- **Term**: A specified period of time for higher education units in which teaching, learning and assessment occurs. CQUniversity offers 3 Academic Terms per year: Term 1, Term 2 and Term 3.