

## Associate of Science (AS) Degrees

Students seeking an Associate of Science (AS) degree from Normandale Community College must successfully complete the degree requirements determined by the specific program, which include 30 credits from at least six MnTC Goals.

### Other Graduation Requirements:

Complete the specific major requirements.

- Earn a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.00 or higher for college-level coursework completed at Normandale.
- Earn a minimum of 20 college level classes at Normandale.

## Law Enforcement (AS)

This program is designed to prepare graduates for police work. Coursework in academic and practical skills is offered at the Center for Criminal Justice and Law Enforcement (CCJLE), which is located in Energy Park in St. Paul. For more information on CCJLE, call 651-999-7600.

*Required prerequisite courses for admission to CCJLE: Coursework must be completed with a minimum grade of C in each course and with a minimum combined GPA of 2.50 in all courses.*

### General Education Requirements: (28-29 cr)

ENGC 1101	Composition (4)
ENGC 1102	Technical Writing (3)
-OR	second freshman composition course (3)
PSYC 1100	The Psychology of Adjustment (3)
-OR PSYC 1110	General Psychology (4)
OR SOC 2108	Social Psychology (3)
SOC 1104	Intro to Sociology (3)
SOC 2110	American Minority Relations (3)
SOC 2114	Families in Crisis (3)
SOC 2130	Intro to Criminal Justice (3)
SOC 2131	Juvenile Justice (3)
SOC 2132	Police and Community (3)

### Additional courses required for the Associate of Science degree and/or eligibility to take the POST examination: (14 cr)

COMM 1111	Interpersonal Communication (3)
EXSC 1129	Fitness for Life (2)
HLTH 2209	First Responder (3)
-OR	EMT Certification
Complete at least 3 cr from MnTC Goal 3 or 4	
Complete at least 3 cr from MnTC Goal 6	
-OR	PHIL 1103 Ethics (3)

### "Professional Licensing Core" courses: (21 cr taken over the course of two semesters at CCJLE)

#### Semester 1

LAWE 2225	Criminal Investigation (3)
LAWE 2230	Legal Issues-Law Enforcement (3)
LAWE 2231	Criminal and Traffic Codes (3)
LAWE 2240	Patrol Operations (3)

#### Semester 2

LAWE 2299	Law Enf Integrated Practicum (9)
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Prior to taking the Peace officer licensing exam, the student must have either a state of Minnesota First Responder or EMT Certificate. HLTH 2209 meets this requirement.

