

**Bachelor of Science, College of Social Sciences
Forensic Science, CSI Concentration (120 units) MAJOR FORM**

FILL OUT THIS FORM AND BRING IT WITH YOU TO MAJOR ADVISING APPOINTMENTS

Name	ID#	Sem/Year of Entry
Email	Phone	Sem/Year of Grad

Forensic Science Majors need a 'C or better' in all Lower and Upper Division Required Core Courses.

Lower Division Required Core Courses (30 Units). * Indicates courses designated as preparation for the major.

Course#	Term	Units	Grade	CC Equivalent / Comments	Course#	Term	Units	Grade	CC Equivalent / Comments
+FS 11		3			+PHYS 002B		4		
+FS 12		3			+STAT 95 or JS 15		3		
+MATH 030 or 30P		3			+PHOT 40		3		
+BIOL 030		4			FS 57		3		
+PHYS 002A		4							

Lower Division GE Coursework (32 Units). NOTE: FS majors do not need to take GE courses in Area B.

Area/Course #	Term	Units	Grade	CC Equivalent / Comments	Area/Course #	Term	Units	Grade	CC Equivalent / Comments
A1:		3			D1:		3		
A2: ENGL 1A		3			D2:		3		
A3:		3			E:		3		
C1:		3			F:		3		
C2:		3			PE:		1		
C1/C2:		3			PE:		1		

Recommended Lower Division GE Courses:

A1: COMM 020

A3: PHIL 57

C1/C2: PHIL 61

C1/D1: AMS 01A

C2/D2: AMS 01B

Upper Division Major Coursework (24 Units)

Course#	Term	Units	Grade	Comments	Course#	Term	Units	Grade	Comments
FS 101		3			FS 163		3		
FS 106		3			FS 164		3		
FS 161		3			FS 169 or JS 189		3		
FS 162		3			FS 173		3		

CSI Specialty (9 units): Complete any three courses (9 units) from the following: FS 130, FS 160, FS 166, FS 171, FS 175, FS 176

Course#	Term	Units	Grade	Comments
		3		
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		3		

SJSU Studies (12 units)

Area/Course#	Term	Units	Grade	Comments	Area/Course#	Term	Units	Grade	Comments
R*:		3			V: JS 171		3		
S: PHIL 186		3			Z+: FS/JS 100W		3		

*Recommended Area R Course: PHIL 160. +Completion of the WST and Upper Division standing is required to register for 100W.

Practical Requirement (3 Units)

Course#	Term	Units	Grade	Title of Research Project or Location of Internship
JS 181*		3		

*JS 180 *Individual Studies* OR JS 182 *Themis* OR JS 184 *Directed Reading* can be substituted for JS 181, with advisor approval.

Contact your major advisor and the internship coordinator for information on internships. Contact professors in the FS program to inquire about participating in research projects.

University Electives (10 units): *Recommended University Electives:* ANY FS course not listed above; CHEM 55/L, ANTH 157, PHIL 133, PHIL 160, PSYC 153, any upper division photography course.

Course#	Term	Units	Grade	Comments

This form is a contract. If you make any changes, you will need to submit a [Course Substitution Form](#) to your major advisor.

Major Advisor's Signature

Date

Department Chair's Signature

Date

4-year plan for incoming freshmen

IMPORTANT

- IF YOU WANT TO GRADUATE IN 4 YEARS, FOLLOW THE ROADMAP BELOW.
- YOU DO NOT NEED TO TAKE GE COURSES IN AREA B.
- TAKING SCIENCE COURSES IN SUMMER/WINTER IS RECOMMENDED TO REDUCE SCIENCE COURSE LOAD DURING FALL/SPRING
- SOME LOWER DIVISION COURSES MAY BE TAKEN AT COMMUNITY COLLEGES.
- FS 57 is ONLY OFFERED IN SPRING.
- SEE GE ADVISOR IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE CHOOSING OTHER GE COURSES.
- SEE YOUR FS ADVISOR AT LEAST ONCE A YEAR TO DISCUSS YOUR PROGRESS.

YEAR	FALL	SPRING
1	GE Area E (3 units) Stat 95 or JS 15 (3 units) FS 11 (3 units) FS 12 (3 units) PHOT 40 (3 units) <i>Take Calculus Placement Exam or Math 19</i> 15 units	GE Area A1 (3 units). Rec: COMM 020 GE Area A2: ENGL 1A (3 units) Math 30 or 30x (3 units) Biol 030 (4 units) 16 units
2	GE Area C1+ D (6 units). Rec: AMS 1A GE Area C1/C2 (3 units). Rec: PHIL 61 PHYS 2A (4 units) FS 57 (3 units) <i>Pass Writing Skills Test</i> 16 units	GE Area A3 (3 units). Rec: PHIL 57 GE Area C2/D (6 units). Rec: AMS 1B PHYS 2B (4 units) FS 106 (3 units) 16 units
3	GE Area Z: FS 100W (3 units) FS 162 (3 units) FS 164 (3 units) CSI Specialty electives (3 units) University Electives (3 units) PE (1 unit) 16 units	GE Area R (3 units). Rec: PHIL 160 FS 161 (3 units) FS 163 (3 units) CSI Specialty electives (3 units) PE (1 unit) <i>Apply to Graduate</i> 13 units
4	GE Area F (3 units) SJSU Studies Area S: PHIL 186 (3 units) FS 101 (3 units) FS 173 (3 units) University Electives (4 units) 16 units	SJSU Studies Area V: JS 171 (3 units) FS 169 (3 units) or JS 189 (3 units) CSI Specialty electives (3 units) Practical Requirement: JS 181 or JS 180 or JS 182 or JS 184 (3 units) 12 units

2-year plan for transfer students

IMPORTANT

- IF YOU WANT TO GRADUATE IN 2 YEARS, FOLLOW THE ROADMAP BELOW.
- YOU DO NOT NEED TO TAKE GE COURSES IN AREA B.
- TAKING SCIENCE COURSES IN SUMMER/WINTER IS RECOMMENDED TO REDUCE SCIENCE COURSE LOAD DURING FALL/SPRING
- UPPER DIVISION GE REQUIREMENTS SATISFIED BY MAJOR: PHIL 186 (AREA S), JS 171 (AREA V), AND FS 100W (AREA Z)
- SEE YOUR FS ADVISOR AT LEAST ONCE A YEAR TO DISCUSS YOUR PROGRESS.

YEAR	FALL	SPRING
1	FS 11 (3 units) FS 12 (3 units) BIOL 30 (4 units) SJSU Studies Area Z - FS 100W (3 units) FS 106 (3 units) 16 units	FS 57 (3 units) FS 161 (3 units) FS 163 (3 units) FS 164 (3 units) CSI Specialty Elective (3 units) <i>Apply to Graduate</i> 15 units
2	FS 162 (3 units) FS 173 (3 units) SJSU Studies Area R (3 units) Rec: PHIL 160 FS 101 (3 units) CSI Specialty Elective (3 units) 15 units	FS 169 (3 units) Practical Requirement: JS 181 or JS 180 or JS 184 or JS 182 (3 units) CSI Specialty Elective (3 units) SJSU Studies Area S (3 units). Req: PHIL 186 SJSU Studies Area V (3 units). Req: JS 171 15 units