Criminal Justice  
(Hampton & Newport News Campuses) Course #8702/8703  
Verified credit w/ NOCTI Exam

About the program:  
Students in this one-year program are preparing for many of the exciting, challenging, and rewarding careers in the criminal justice field. These opportunities require people who want to operate in both high energy and high-tech fluid environments filled with constant challenges and service commitments. Students will study the history of and types of law enforcement requirements as they gain an understanding of local, state, and federal law enforcement departments and jurisdictions. Students will learn about and use some of the newest technology in the criminal justice field as they undertake and engage in crime scene investigations. Some of the finest local state, federal, and private sector industry professionals provide classroom presentations and hands-on training opportunities. Students will also learn about the court system and corrections.

Career Opportunities:  
- DEA  
- Police & Sheriff Departments  
- Private Security  
- Criminal Law  
- Private Law Practice  
- Secret Service  
- Corrections  
- NCIS  
- Homeland Security  
- State Police Agencies  
- Forensic Investigations  
- FBI  
- Juvenile Services

Do You Like?  
- A Crime Scene Investigation  
- Accident Investigation  
- Life on the Beat  
- Criminal Law & Courtroom Drama  
- Criminal Investigations  
- Emergency Response  
- Search & Seizure  
- Arrest Procedures  
- Patrol Operations  
- Court Procedures  
- Juvenile Justice  
- Criminal Law  
- AED/CPR & First Aid  
- Corrections

Important to Note: Students enrolling in this program must possess a minimum GPA of 2.0 and have successfully completed English 10 with a grade of “C” or above. This course meets the sequential elective requirement.

Certifications:  
- NOCTI – Criminal Justice