

# B1345 - Bachelor of Criminology – Legal Studies Major (MJ-LEGS) - FOR STUDENTS WHO COMMENCED IN 2024 OR EARLIER

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Start Date: **2024 or earlier**

This sample enrolment plan is based on the 2025 course structure and offerings. It is the responsibility of students to ensure the correct availability of units in each semester of each academic year.

See Handbook - <https://handbook.murdoch.edu.au/>

This plan is for students enrolled full-time over the course of their degree. The expected workload for each 3-point units is 10 hours per week per unit. Students should consider all their commitments and factor the study workload level in when planning their course structure.

	Semester 1	Semester 2
Year 1	<a href="#">CRM101</a> Criminology in Context** or <a href="#">MSP100</a> ** 3pts	<a href="#">BSL165</a> Foundations of Business Law# 3pts
	<a href="#">CRM100</a> Introduction to Criminology# 3pts	<a href="#">CRM120</a> Criminological Research Methods# 3pts
	Option 3pts	Option 3pts
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	12pts	12pts
Year 2	<a href="#">CRM201</a> Policing and Crime Prevention# 3pts	<a href="#">CRM203</a> Criminal Behaviour# 3pts
	Criminology Specified Elective^^ 3pts	<a href="#">CRM219</a> International and Transnational Crimes# 3pts
	Option 3pts	Criminology Specified Elective^^ 3pts
	Option 3pts	Spine Specified Elective** 3pts
	12pts	12pts
Year 3	<a href="#">CRM307</a> Culture, Diversity and Crime 3pts	<a href="#">CRM303</a> Technology, Crime and Justice 3pts
	Spine Specified Elective** 3pts	<a href="#">LEG323</a> Social and Welfare Law# (see notes) 3pts
	Option 3pts	<a href="#">BSL391</a> Alternative Dispute Resolution# (see notes) 3pts
	Option 3pts	Option 3pts
	12pts	12pts

## \*\*Murdoch Spine

Students must complete 9 points in spine units. Historically, MSP100 was required to be completed. However, there are a range of units that can be used to fulfil that requirement. Refer to the University Handbook and timetable published in the academic year you intend to complete them. 2025 – CRM101, MSP100, MSP200, MSP201, MSP202, CRM310, CRM311, ART208, SIK102, GRD204, COM203, COM208

## Criminology Units – 36 points

**Criminology Course Core Required Units (9 points)** – must take CRM303 and CRM307.

**Legal Studies major (pre 2025)#** - Students must complete 24 points:

BSL165, CRM100, CRM120, CRM201, CRM203, CRM219, LEG323, BSL391. All units specified must be completed.

**Criminology Specified Electives** – Students must take **6 points** of Specified Electives (see list in handbook under course code B1345).

**NOTE: As of 2025, LEG323 and BSL391 have been discontinued. If you have not completed yet completed those two units, please take units from the list to replace each unit you are missing:**

- CRM207 (Investigation and Evidence) or
- CRM230 (White Collar Crime) or
- BRD205 (Crime through the Ages) or
- CRM330 (Case Studies in Corporate Crime – Semester 1 unit only) or
- LEG203 (Indigenous Peoples, Law and Society – Semester 1 unit only).

## Notes:

- Do not exceed 10 units at level 100 (first year).
- The remaining 27 points can be comprised of a second major, co-major, minors or general electives – refer to handbook.
- Check the university timetable each year to confirm the teaching period units run as they are subject to change.

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**Disclaimer:**

This course plan is a sample only and must be read in conjunction with the full course structure, unit prerequisites and enrolment options as per the online Handbook. Students should note that due to unit prerequisites, commencing study in semester 2 may extend the duration of the course. Correct as at 12/12/2024. Check the university timetable each year to confirm the teaching period units run as they are subject to change.