

B1366 - Bachelor of Criminology / Bachelor of Global Security – Crime Science Major (MJ-CRIS) – students commencing 2025 onwards (mid-year start)

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Start Date: **Semester 2 2025**

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		Spine unit: CRM101 or MSP100** 3pts CRM100 Introduction to Criminology# 3pts Global Security major unit* 3pts General Elective 3pts 12pts
Year 2	CRM120 Criminological Research Methods# 3pts CHE103 Introduction to Forensic Science# 3pts Global Security Elective^ 3pts Global Security major unit* 3pts 12pts	Spine specified elective** (see handbook) 3pts CRM203 Criminal Behaviour# 3pts Global Security Elective^ 3pts Global Security major unit* 3pts 12pts
Year 3	CRM201 Policing and Crime Prevention 3pts General Elective 3pts Global Security major unit* 3pts Global Security Elective^ 3pts 12pts	CRM207 Investigation and Evidence# 3pts Global Security Elective^ 3pts Global Security major unit* 3pts Global Security major unit* 3pts 12pts
Year 4	Spine specified elective** (see handbook) 3pts BMS213 Forensic Anatomy and Anthropology# 3pts General Elective 3pts Global Security Elective^ 3pts 12pts	CRM303 Technology, Crime and Justice 3pts Global Security major unit* 3pts Global Security major unit* 3pts Spring CRM301 Crime Science# 3pts 12pts
Year 5	CRM307 Culture, Diversity and Crime 3pts Criminology Specified Elective (see list) 3pts Global Security Elective^ 3pts Winter BIO388 Forensic Science and Miscarriages of Justice# 3pts 12pts	

**Murdoch Spine Specified Electives: Career learning Units

Students must complete CRM101 (OR MSP100), and two additional career spine units. There are a range of units that can be used to fulfil that requirement. You do not need to take the career spine units in the order suggested. Refer to the University Handbook published in the academic year you intend to complete them. 2025 – MSP200, MSP201, MSP202, CRM310, CRM311, ART200, ART208, ART300, ART303, ART304 (6 points), ART325, SIK102, GRD204, POL304.

Criminology Units:

Crime Science Major# CRM100, CRM120, CRM203, CRM207, CRM301, CHE103, BMS213, BIO388. All units specified must be completed.

Criminology Required Units – Must take 9 points – CRM201, CRM303 and CRM307.

Criminology Specified Electives – Students must take 3 points of Specified Electives.

Global Security Units:

Students should contact the Global Security Academic Chair for advice mapping out their Global Security units; this plan may need to be rearranged.

Global Security Major* consists of 24 points in total (see handbook)

Global Security Electives^ – must complete 18 points of GS electives (see handbook)

General Electives:

Students must take 9 points of general electives – Do not take more than 30 points at level 100 units (first year).

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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 7/1/2025. Check the university timetable each year to confirm the teaching period units run as they are subject to change.