

Criminal Justice Program

MARIAN UNIVERSITY

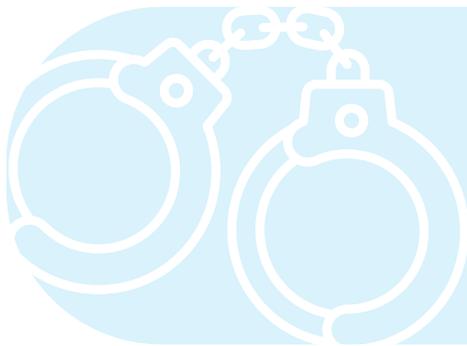
The criminal justice program

prepares students to not only enforce the law, but to effect change that keeps communities safe. We provide the base of learning and practical preparation needed for graduates to serve in law enforcement, probation and parole, corrections, and an assortment of human services.

- **Intro to Criminal Justice:** Immerse yourself in the three core segments that comprise the American criminal justice system — law enforcement, correctional institutions and social and juvenile justice.
- **Field Experience:** An upper-level practicum for students where practical work experience in law enforcement, probation and parole, or corrections is obtained with a federal, state, or local criminal justice agency.
- **Internship:** Students in the program participate in educationally driven internships that provide an opportunity to bridge classroom knowledge with practical field experience .

Interesting Facts:

- Marian offers opportunities for **off-site tours and trips** related to criminal justice.
- Student receive extensive **hands-on learning** and **educational opportunities** such as field experience, research projects, and internships.
- All classes taught by current and retired **practitioners in the field.**
- Marian regularly offers **special topic classes**, including Netflix's "Making a Murderer".
- Students can easily **double major** in criminal justice and psychology and complete their degree within four years.
- Students can complete a minor in **forensic science** or **psychology** for broader learning.



17%

The need for crime scene investigators is expected to grow by 17% through 2026.
— U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

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Ranked the No. 4 Best Criminal Justice Program in Wisconsin by CorrectionalOfficer.org

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Marian is ranked third on Zippia's list of Best Colleges for Criminal Justice Majors in Wisconsin

Learning Outcomes

STUDENTS WILL:

- Develop and promote an appreciation for diversity.
- Use different levels of critical thinking and research-based practices in decision making.
- Evaluate situations for appropriate application of criminal justice related policies, procedures, and law.
- Establish best practices in key aspects of crime prevention, problem-oriented community policing, and systems of correction and rehabilitation.

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