



Criminal Justice– Forensic and Fingerprint Technology
Certificate of Proficiency
40 Credits

Green River College is one of the few institutions that offer training to become a Fingerprint Technician. This short-term certificate can be completed in two or three quarters and includes training in the new Automatic Fingerprint Identification System (AFIS), classification, evidence presentation, court testimony preparation and basic job skill preparation. Students who earn the certificate are introduced to the field of Criminalistics and Fingerprint Technology.

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Dept./No.	Course Title	Credits
CJ& 101	Introduction to Criminal Justice	5
CJ& 110	Criminal Law	5
CJ 115	Fingerprint Science	5
CJ 200	Individual Rights in Criminal Justice	5
CJ 205	Criminal Evidence	5
CJ& 240	Introduction to Forensic Science	5
ENGL& 101	English Composition I	5
PHOTO 111	Beginning Digital Photography	5

To enhance the student’s preparation for future employment, the following are recommended:

BTAC 100	Fundamentals of	
Computers	5	
BTAC 140	Records	
Management	5	
CJ 177-179 and and 1-5	Criminal Justice Work Experience 1-3	
COOP 171	Work Experience	
Seminar	1	

Note: Students must attain a grade of 2.0 or above in all classes.