

**Bachelor of Science, College of Social Sciences  
Forensic Science, CSI Concentration (120 units) MAJOR FORM**

**FILL OUT THIS FORM AND BRING IT WITH YOU TO MAJOR ADVISING APPOINTMENTS**

Name	ID#	Sem/Year of Entry
Email	Phone	Sem/Year of Grad

Forensic Science Majors need a 'C or better' in all Lower and Upper Division Required Core Courses.

**Lower Division Required Core Courses (30 Units).** \* Indicates courses designated as preparation for the major.

Course#	Term	Units	Grade	CC Equivalent / Comments	Course#	Term	Units	Grade	CC Equivalent / Comments
+FS 11		3			+PHYS 002A		4		
+FS 12		3			+PHYS 002B		4		
+MATH 030 or 30P		3			+STAT 95 or JS 15		3		
+BIOL 030		4			+PHOT 40		3		
Chem 30 A		3			FS 57		3		
Chem 30 B		3							

**Lower Division GE Coursework (32 Units).** NOTE: FS majors do not need to take GE courses in Area B.

Area/Course #	Term	Units	Grade	CC Equivalent / Comments	Area/Course #	Term	Units	Grade	CC Equivalent / Comments
A1:		3			D1:		3		
A2: ENGL 1A		3			D2:		3		
A3:		3			E:		3		
C1:		3			F:		3		
C2:		3			PE:		1		
C1/C2:		3			PE:		1		

**Recommended Lower Division GE Courses:**

A1: COMM 020

A3: PHIL 57

C1/C2: PHIL 61

C1/D1: AMS 01A

C2/D2: AMS 01B

**Upper Division Major Coursework (24 Units)**

Course#	Term	Units	Grade	Comments	Course#	Term	Units	Grade	Comments
FS 101		3			FS 163		3		
FS 174 or FS 106		3			FS 164		3		
FS 161		3			FS 169 or JS 189		3		
FS 162		3			FS 173		3		

**CSI Specialty (9 units):** Complete any three courses (9 units) from the following: FS 130, FS 160, FS 166, FS 171, FS 175, FS 176

Course#	Term	Units	Grade	Comments
		3		
		3		
		3		

**SJSU Studies (12 units)**

Area/Course#	Term	Units	Grade	Comments	Area/Course#	Term	Units	Grade	Comments
R*:		3			V: JS 171		3		
S: PHIL 186		3			Z+: FS/JS 100W		3		

\*Recommended Area R Course: PHIL 160. +Completion of the WST and Upper Division standing is required to register for 100W.

**Practical Requirement (3 Units)**

Course#	Term	Units	Grade	Title of Research Project or Location of Internship
JS 181*		3		

\*JS 180 *Individual Studies* OR JS 182 *Themis* OR JS 184 *Directed Reading* can be substituted for JS 181, with advisor approval.

Contact your major advisor and the internship coordinator for information on internships. Contact professors in the FS program to inquire about participating in research projects.

**University Electives (4 units):** Recommended University Electives: ANY FS course not listed above; CHEM 55/L, ANTH 157, PHIL 133, PHIL 160, PSYC 153, any upper division photography course.

Course#	Term	Units	Grade	Comments

This form is a contract. If you make any changes, you will need to submit a [Course Substitution Form](#) to your major advisor.

Major Advisor's Signature

Date

Department Chair's Signature

Date

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## 4-year plan for incoming freshmen

### IMPORTANT

- IF YOU WANT TO GRADUATE IN 4 YEARS, FOLLOW THE ROADMAP BELOW.
- You Do Not Need to Take GE Courses in Area B.
- Taking Science Courses in Summer/Winter is Recommended to Reduce the Science Course Load During Fall/Spring
- Some Lower Division Courses May Be Taken at Community Colleges.
- See GE Advisor if You Need Assistance Choosing Other GE Courses.
- See Your FS Advisor At Least Once a Year to Discuss Your Progress.
- Consider Taking a Minor to Expand Your Skillset. Discuss this with Your Assigned Major Advisor.

YEAR	FALL	SPRING
1	GE Area E (3 units) Stat 95 or JS 15 (3 units) FS 11 (3 units) FS 12 (3 units) PHOT 40 (3 units) <i>Take Calculus Placement Exam or Math 19</i>  <b>15 units</b>	GE Area A1 (3 units). Rec: COMM 020 GE Area A2: ENGL 1A (3 units) Math 30 or 30x (3 units) Biol 030 (4 units) GE Area Z: FS 100W (3 units)  <b>16 units</b>
2	GE Area C1+ D (6 units). Rec: AMS 1A GE Area C1/C2 (3 units). Rec: PHIL 61 PHYS 2A (4 units) Chem 30A (3 units) <i>Pass Writing Skills Test</i>  <b>16 units</b>	GE Area A3 (3 units). Rec: PHIL 57 GE Area C2/D (6 units). Rec: AMS 1B PHYS 2B (4 units) Chem 30B (3 units)  <b>16 units</b>
3	FS 57 (3 units) FS 162 (3 units) FS 164 (3 units) CSI Specialty electives (3 units) University Electives (3 units) PE (1 unit)  <b>16 units</b>	GE Area R (3 units). Rec: PHIL 160 FS 174 or FS 106 (3 units) FS 161 (3 units) FS 163 (3 units) PE (1 unit) <i>Apply to Graduate</i>  <b>13 units</b>
4	GE Area F (3 units) SJSU Studies Area S: PHIL 186 (3 units) FS 101 (3 units) FS 173 (3 units) CSI Specialty elective (3 units)  <b>15 units</b>	SJSU Studies Area V: JS 171 (3 units) FS 169 (3 units) or JS 189 (3 units) CSI Specialty elective (3 units) Practical Requirement: JS 181 or JS 180 or JS 182 or JS 184 (3 units) University Elective (1 unit)  <b>13 units</b>

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### IMPORTANT

- **IF YOU WANT TO GRADUATE IN 2 YEARS, FOLLOW THE ROADMAP BELOW.**
- **You Do Not Need to Take GE Courses in Area B.**
- **Upper Division Ge Requirements Satisfied by: Phil 186 (Area S), JS 171 (Area V), And FS 100W (Area Z)**
- **Taking Science Courses in Summer/Winter is Recommended to Reduce the Science Course Load During Fall/Spring**
- **See GE Advisor if You Need Assistance Choosing GE Courses.**
- **See Your FS Advisor At Least Once a Year to Discuss Your Progress.**
- **Consider Taking a Minor to Expand Your Skillset. Discuss this with Your Assigned Major Advisor.**

YEAR	FALL	SPRING
1	FS 11 (3 units) BIOL 30 (4 units) SJSU Studies Area Z - FS 100W (3 units) FS 174 or 106 (3 units) Chem 30A (3 units)  <b>16 units</b>	FS 12 (3 units) FS 57 (3 units) FS 162 (3 units) FS 163 (3 units) Chem 30B (3 units) <i>Apply to Graduate</i>  <b>15 units</b>
2	FS 161 (3 units) FS 164 (3 units) FS 173 (3 units) SJSU Studies Area R (3 units) Rec: PHIL 160 FS 101 (3 units)  <b>15 units</b>	FS 169 (3 units) Practical Requirement: JS 181 or JS 180 or JS 184 or JS 182 (3 units) CSI Specialty Elective (3 units) SJSU Studies Area S (3 units). Req: PHIL 186 SJSU Studies Area V (3 units). Req: JS 171  <b>15 units</b>