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DIPLOMA IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE	79466	LEVEL 6	374

**DESCRIPTION**

Criminal justice is a demanding career requiring exceptional skills and knowledge. This programme is directed at public policing as well as the private security industry. Security and risk management, although there are many generic issues, distinguishes itself from related fields of study such as social control, the criminal justice system and community safety.

Security and risk control practice is fast becoming a specialised field of study in safety and security in South Africa. Law enforcement investigators, analysts and response officers should be able to manage the primary and secondary functions within the sphere of policing in the public and private policing environment. Learners will be required to integrate core knowledge into society and effectively execute their functions. There is a definitive escalating demand for professionally trained, practically orientated and knowledgeable law enforcement officers in the public and private sector.


This programme is career directed. Law enforcement practitioners are capacitated to establish a private enterprise in the field of security. Apart from following a career as a private law enforcement officer, successful candidates will also be able to articulate to related fields of study such as criminology, policing, traffic and metropolitan police services. Learners studying towards this programme will find that the acquisition of the numerous competencies in the programme will add value to their understanding of any of these sectors and functioning in the work place.

**CAREER FIELDS**

Learners could pursue a career in:

- *South African Police Service*
- *Private Security Companies*
- *Municipalities (Security)*
- *Risk Management Companies*
- *Criminology*

1 <sup>st</sup> YEAR SUBJECTS	NQF LEVEL	CREDITS
General Management for Law Enforcement	5	20
Criminal Law 1	5	20
Law of Procedure and Evidence	5	20
Concepts of Policing 1	5	20
Security Practice 1	5	20
Electives: (select one)		
• Criminology and Victimology	5	20
• Crime Scene Management	5	20
2 <sup>nd</sup> YEAR SUBJECTS	NQF LEVEL	CREDITS
Business Communication	5	20
Criminal Law 2	5	20
Security Practice 2	6	25
Policing 2	6	25
Business Law	5	20
Electives: (select 1)		
• Criminology 2	6	20
• Risk Management for Law Enforcement	6	20
3 <sup>rd</sup> YEAR SUBJECTS	NQF LEVEL	CREDITS
Security Practice 3	7	28

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Crowd Management	7	28
Policing 3	7	28
Business Ethics	7	20
Electives: (select one)		
• Crime Prevention	6	20
• Community Policing	6	20
• Project Management for Law Enforcement	5	20
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>		<b>374</b>

### ARTICULATION



### TYPE OF PROGRAMME

- Part Time
- This is a higher education programme accredited by the Council on Higher Education (CHE) and registered with the Department of Higher Education and Training (DHET).

### DURATION

Minimum – 3 years of study (part-time)

Maximum – 6 years of study (part-time)

### ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The minimum entry requirement is a National Senior Certificate OR equivalent.

### CREDIT ACCUMULATION TRANSFER (CAT)

Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) processes and Credit Accumulation and Transfer (CAT) and/or articulation are all closely related to assessment practices, and together these three provide the mechanisms for giving effect to the desired movement of individuals within and between non-completed qualifications on the HEQSF as envisaged in the NQF Act 67 of 2008.


Enquire at your nearest Lyceum Sales Office for more information regarding the awarding of subject credits (Credit Accumulation and Transfer - CAT) towards Lyceum Qualifications.

### LEARNER MATERIAL

Study material are supplied in a choice of formats (digital only or a combination of printed and digital format.) Prescribed textbooks are excluded and must be procured by the student. (Terms and Conditions apply)

### PRICING

Enquire at your nearest Lyceum Sales Office for a current programme pricelist.

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#### ADDITIONAL COSTS (Examinations)

- You have two **examination opportunities** within your contract period.
- No examination fees** are applicable for the **first time** you write any subject within your contract period.
- Examination fees are payable if you write any subject **for the second time**, i.e. if you have failed your first attempt within the contract period.
- Students who enrol for any study year have two examination opportunities. Students can select to write any number of subjects during the first or second examination opportunity. **If you elect to write the exam during the first opportunity** and fail, you may re-write (as a supplementary) at the second opportunity upon payment of the prescribed supplementary examination fee. **If you elect to write the examination at the second opportunity** but fail, you may write the examination during the first chance of the next cycle **ONLY**, upon payment of the supplementary examination fee. If you again fail, having exhausted the above opportunities, you **MUST** re-register for the subject before a further examination may be attempted.

#### ASSESSMENT

Assessments consist of **one assignment (formative assessment) and a final examination (summative assessment) for each subject**. If you fail to submit the compulsory assignment in time you can request permission to submit a penalty assignment at a fee. If you did not submit an assignment you cannot register for examinations. Make sure you submit the compulsory assignment within the prescribed time because it does not cost you anything.

Your final mark for each subject will be calculated as follows:-

- Assignment contributes 20% towards the final mark
- Examination contributes 80% towards the final mark

A student who submitted an assignment for a specific subject, and fails that subject, does not have to re-submit a further assignment prior to writing the "supplementary" examination. The assignment mark is automatically carried over. However, if the assignment mark is low, and the student wishes to re-do the assignment, he/ she may apply to the examinations section for a copy of the new assignment (at the prescribed fee) and may then re-submit the assignment on or before the new due date.

#### CERTIFICATION

Upon successful completion of your programme, you will receive an academic record and your qualification will be posted to you or issued at the annual graduation ceremony, provided that your account is in order.

#### FURTHER STUDIES

Please enquire at the nearest Lyceum Sales Office for the prospectus containing post-certificate studies.

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Please refer to your student calendar for more information.

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Name of learner: I....., hereby acknowledge that I understand the information stated in this document and fully comprehend the specifics explained above pertaining to this qualification.

Signature of learner:.....

Name of legal guardian:..... Signature: .....

*(if applicable)*  
\* Please note the original signed copy should be kept on the learner record file.

Name of sales consultant: ..... Signature: .....

Date: .....