

San José State University
Justice Studies Department
JS 10, Introduction to Justice Studies, Summer 2020

Course and Contact Information

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Zoom: [//](#) [// 4](#) (will be recorded and posted).
Otherwise, class meets asynchronously on Canvas
Prerequisites: None

Course Description

A critical thinking exploration of historical and contemporary issues in criminal justice. This includes the study and analysis of the core principles underlying the criminal justice system, components of the American criminal justice system (police, courts, and corrections), criminal behavior theory, crime categories, policing models, and career opportunities.

Course Learning Objectives (SLOs):

Other Readings

Links to additional course readings will be posted on Canvas.

Library Liaison

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Course Requirements and Assignments

1. Chapter Quizzes (15%). Each week we will read 3-4 chapters in the text. There will be one quiz for every chapter, taken on Canvas. You may take the quizzes at any point during the module, but they will close when the module ends. Format will be multiple choice, matching, true/false, fill-in and short answer. *The three lowest scores will be dropped.*
2. Exams (30%): There will be one midterm exam, covering Parts I and II in the text. The

for recording of class, etc. and available student services (e.g. learning assistance, counseling, and other resources) are listed on [Syllabus Information web page](http://www.sjsu.edu/gup/syllabusinfo) (<http://www.sjsu.edu/gup/syllabusinfo>), which is hosted by the Office of Undergraduate Education. Make sure to visit this page to review and be aware of these

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Course Schedule (may be revised with notice)

Dates