

New Horizons Regional Education Centers (C&T) Pacing Guide

Program: Introduction to Criminal Justice

Teacher: Karen Bell

1 st /Marking Period Topic/Unit	Virginia State Competencies	Standardized Test Areas for NOCTI/NCCT/Lic./Cert.	Supporting Equipment/Technology
Course Introduction/ Introduction to New Horizons	None	None	None
Safety and Safe Practices	TDI8702-04.001; TDI8702-04.002; TDI8702-04.003	None	None
Introducing the Criminal Justice System	TDI8702-04.004	Describe the elements of the criminal justice system	Textbook, chapter 1
Introducing the Criminal Justice System	TDI8702-04.005	Place the criminal justice system within the structure of the federal, state, and local governments	Textbook, chapter 1; PowerPoint
Introducing the Criminal Justice System	TDI8702-04.006	Describe the historical bases of the American criminal justice system	Textbook, chapter 5
Investigating Criminal Justice Careers	TDI8702-04.007	Describe occupations related to criminal justice	Textbook, chapter 1
Investigating Criminal Justice Careers	TDI8702-04.008	Identify employment requirements for various occupations in the criminal justice field	Textbook, chapter 1; PowerPoint

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Investigating Criminal Justice Careers	TDI8702-04.009	Identify both the personal and professional ethics associated with criminal justice professions	PowerPoint; film “Cop Gone Bad”
Investigating Criminal Justice Careers	TDI8702-04.010	Explain constitutional limits and guarantees upon the performance of duties by criminal justice personnel	Textbook, chapter 4; PowerPoint
Investigating Criminal Justice Careers	TDI8702-04.011	Explain how criminal justice/corrections personnel can protect themselves from civil liability	None
Investigating Criminal Justice Careers	TDI8702-04.012	Participate in course activities sponsored by the student organization (e.g., meetings, programs, and other projects)	None
Investigating Criminal Justice Careers	TDI8702-04.013	Map certification and educational opportunities	None
Investigating Criminal Justice Careers	TDI8702-04.014	Research and read criminal justice trade literature	Computer lab

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Understanding the Rule of Law	TDI8702-04.015	Differentiate among criminal, civil, and case law	Textbook, chapter 4
Understanding the Rule of Law	TDI8702-04.016	Define "crime"	Textbook, chapter 2
Understanding the Rule of Law	TDI8702-04.017	Identify felonies and misdemeanors, including traffic violations	Textbook, chapter 2
Understanding the Rule of Law	TDI8702-04.018	Identify crimes associated with narcotics and controlled substances	Textbook, chapter 4
Understanding the Rule of Law	TDI8702-04.019	Identify crimes against children as defined by Virginia law, including child pornography	Code of Virginia, 18.2-63
Understanding the Rule of Law	TDI8702-04.020	Identify traffic codes and criminal violations, using the Code of Virginia	Code of Virginia, 18.2
Understanding the Rule of Law	TDI8702-04.021	Identify crimes against persons and crimes against property	Textbook, Chapter 2
Understanding the Rule of Law	TDI8702-04.022	Define "probable cause," and explain how it might be established	Textbook, Chapter 4, PowerPoint
Understanding the Rule of Law	TDI8702-04.023	Demonstrate procedures for obtaining and executing a search warrant	Textbook, Chapter 4 PowerPoint
Understanding the Rule of Law	TDI8702-04.024	Explain conditions under which searches and seizures may be conducted	Textbook, Chapter 4 PowerPoint

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Understanding the Rule of Law	TDI8702-04.025	Define "rules of evidence," and explain their importance	Textbook, Chapter 4
Understanding the Rule of Law	TDI8702-04.026	Define "probable cause to arrest"	Textbook, Chapter 4
Understanding the Rule of Law	TDI8702-04.027	Describe the conditions that distinguish arrest from other police-citizen encounters	Textbook, Chapter 4
Understanding the Rule of Law	TDI8702-04.028	Identify the constitutional rights of persons placed under arrest	Textbook, Chapter 4
Understanding the Rule of Law	TDI8702-04.029	Explain the proper procedure for searches during the course of an arrest	Textbook, Chapter 4 PowerPoint
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.030	Define the elements of force continuum	Handout
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.031	Describe factors an officer must consider when faced with the use of deadly force	Handout
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.032	Describe standards required for the handling and use of deadly weapons	Handout
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.033	Identify the basic principles of unarmed confrontation, including handcuffing, defenses against physical attack, and verbal defenses.	Handout
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.034	Identify the initial responsibilities of officers responding to emergencies	None
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.035	Perform basic first aid	Booklet, videotape
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.036	Demonstrate CPR techniques	Booklet, videotape

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2nd Marking Period Topic/Unit	Virginia State Competencies	Standardized Test Areas for NOCT/NCCT/Lic./Cert.	Supporting Equipment/Technology
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.037	Describe procedures for operating an emergency vehicle	Guest lecturer
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.038	Describe the purposes and objectives of traffic regulations	Code of Virginia, guest lecturer
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.039	Describe the officer's roles in the enforcement of traffic laws and the investigation of traffic violations	Guest lecturer
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.040	Explain procedures for DUI/DUID investigation and arrest	Code of Virginia
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.041	Demonstrate standard techniques for traffic direction	Guest lecturer
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.042	Demonstrate procedures for investigating a traffic accident	Guest lecturer
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.043	Identify patrol methods	Textbook, Chapter 6
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.044	Describe techniques for vehicle stops	Videotape/domestic violence
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.045	Discuss effective handling of domestic disputes	Videotape/domestic violence
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.046	Identify high-risk situations an officer may face	Videotape/In the Line of Duty

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2nd/3rd Marking Period Topic/Unit	Virginia State Competencies	Standardized Test Areas for NOCT/NCCT/Lic./Cert.	Supporting Equipment/Technology
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.047	Identify the investigating officer's tasks when working on criminal cases	Textbook, Chapter 5
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.048	Define "crime prevention"	Textbook, chapter 6
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.049	Discuss methods for protecting persons	Textbook, chapter 6
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.050	Discuss methods for protecting assets	Textbook, chapter 6
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.051	Identify local programs aimed at reducing crime in the streets, in schools, or in neighborhoods	None
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.052	Explore the responsibility of the student when hearing of potential danger and/or threats to other students or the school Discuss community policing	None
Exploring Policing	TDI8702-04.053		Textbook, chapter 6
Exploring the Courts	TDI8702-04.054	Identify organizational structure and responsibilities of federal, state, and local courts	Textbook, chapter 7 PowerPoint
Exploring the Courts	TDI8702-04.055	Identify bail, arraignment, preliminary hearing, indictment, and trial in a criminal case	Textbook, chapter 7 PowerPoint
Exploring the Courts	TDI8702-04.056	Describe the roles of the judge, bailiff, prosecuting attorney, defense attorney, and jury	Textbook, chapter 7 PowerPoint

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Exploring the Courts	TDI8702-04.057	Discuss professional demeanor in court	Textbook, chapter 8
Exploring the Courts	TDI8702-04.058	Describe the sentencing process	Textbook, chapter 8
Exploring Corrections	TDI8702-04.059	Describe procedures for safe transport of prisoners	None
Exploring Corrections	TDI8702-04.060	Demonstrate the use of temporary restraints	None
Exploring Corrections	TDI8702-04.061	Review procedures for booking a prisoner into the jail or lockup	Textbook, chapter 7
Exploring Corrections	TDI8702-04.062	Explain the concept of prisoner rights and their effect on the treatment of inmates	Textbook, chapter 7 PowerPoint
Exploring Corrections	TDI8702-04.063	Identify minimum standards for local jails and lockups	None
Applying Criminal Justice Communications Skills	TDI8702-04.064	Describe the importance of good communication skills to the success of a criminal justice officer	The Day Everything Went Wrong/Video
Applying Criminal Justice Communications Skills	TDI8702-04.065	Identify observation and surveillance techniques	None

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Applying Criminal Justice Communications Skills	TDI8702-04.066	Give clear and concise descriptions of persons, places, and incidents	None
Applying Criminal Justice Communications Skills	TDI8702-04.067	Respond to oral and written requests	None
Applying Criminal Justice Communications Skills	TDI8702-04.068	Write a report based on notes	None
Applying Criminal Justice Communications Skills	TDI8702-04.069	Demonstrate effective telephone and radio techniques	None
Applying Criminal Justice Communications Skills	TDI8702-04.070	Explain the vital role of computers in the officer's job	Handouts
Applying Criminal Justice Communications Skills	TDI8702-04.071	Identify types of information available through state and national crime information/communication systems	Handout
Applying Criminal Justice Communications Skills	TDI8702-04.072	Identify community resources/agencies to which citizens can be referred	Handouts

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Understanding Juvenile Justice	TDI8702-04.073	Describe the scope of authority of the Juvenile Court of Virginia	Code of Virginia
Understanding Juvenile Justice	TDI8702-04.074	Identify constitutional guarantees affecting juveniles taken into custody	Textbook, Chapter 12
Understanding Juvenile Justice	TDI8702-04.075	Outline the stages of a typical juvenile case from arrest through adjudication	Textbook, chapter 12
Understanding Juvenile Justice	TDI8702-04.076	Describe dispositions available through Juvenile Court	Textbook, chapter 12
Understanding Juvenile Justice	TDI8702-04.077	Explain procedures for handling juveniles' records	Textbook, chapter 12 Code of Virginia
Examining all aspects of industry	None	Planning	None
Examining all aspects of industry	None	Management	None
Examining all aspects of industry	None	Finance	None

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4th Marking Period Topic/Unit	Virginia State Competencies	Standardized Test Areas for NOCTI/NCCT/Lic./Cert.	Supporting Equipment/Technology
Examining all aspects of industry	None	Technical and Production Skills	None
Examining all aspects of industry	None	Underlying Principles of Technology	None
Examining all aspects of industry	None	Labor Issues	None
Examining all aspects of industry	None	Community Issues	None
Examining all aspects of industry	None	Health, Safety, and Environmental Issues	None