



Course Name: CJS-115 Introduction to Security

Date Updated: 2/2022

Credit Hours/week: 3 hrs./wk. – 3 cr.

BEGINNING: SPRING 2022

Catalog Description: The historical, philosophical and legal basis of security. The role of security and the security individual in modern society; the concept of professionalism; and the survey of the administrative, personnel and physical aspects of the security field.

Prerequisite: None

Text: Dempsey, Introduction to Private Security, Wadsworth/Cengage

Supplementary Material: Supplemental Pertinent handouts from current periodicals, newspapers, videos, and guest speakers Materials:

Specialized equipment, supplies, facilities, for classes limited by enrollment or restricted by accreditation and/or equipment limitations:

Syllabus:

Topics
Introduction
History of Security
Business & Careers of Security
Foundations of Security and Loss Prevention
Law
Internal Theft and Countermeasures
External Theft and Countermeasures
Investigations
Fires and Other Disasters
Safety
Retail Loss Prevention
Loss Prevention of Select Facilities
Loss Prevention of Select Institutions
Topics of Concern

Format for Offering this Course: Traditional

Students are expected to adhere to the policies of the County College of Morris. These can be accessed at: (insert link here)

Statement of Expected Course LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Demonstrate an understanding about the historical, philosophical and legal basis of security
- Discuss and analyze the role of security and the security individual in society
- Formulate and employ techniques to determine the security of an area/facility
- Analyze and evaluate the administrative, personnel and physical aspects of the security field

Statement of Relation to Curriculum(s):

An elective course in the Criminal Justice curriculum.