

**JAMESTOWN COMMUNITY COLLEGE**  
**State University of New York**

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**MASTER COURSE SYLLABUS**

**Course Title:** Inmate Classification

**Course Abbreviation and Number:** CRI 1430

**Credit Hours:** 1 credit hour.

**Course Type:** Lecture

**Course Description:** This course provides a base of knowledge of the Inmate Classification program mandated by the New York State Commission of Correction (minimum standard 7013). This course will prepare students to apply this knowledge in the workplace.

**Prerequisite:** student must be a sworn correction officer working in either a county jail or correctional facility.

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**Student Learning Outcomes:**

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

1. Identify the seven requirements for classification under Correction Law 500-b
  2. Identify the basic elements of an objective classification system
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**Topics Covered:**

- Define Classification
  - History of Classification in the U.S.
  - Correction Law 500-b
  - Objective Classification Systems
  - Classifying Inmates – Practical Exercises
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**Information for Students**

- Expectations of Students
  - Civility Statement (<http://www.sunyjcc.edu/current-students/classroom-civility>)
  - Student Responsibility Statement (<http://www.sunyjcc.edu/academics/student-responsibility>)
  - Academic Integrity (<http://www.sunyjcc.edu/faculty-staff/academic-integrity>)
- Disability/Special Services
  - Any student who requires accommodations to complete the requirements and expectations of this course because of a disability should make their needs known to the Coordinator of Accessibility Services, 716.338.1251.
- Emergency Closing Procedures (<http://www.sunyjcc.edu/student-life/campus-safety/jcc-alert>)
- Course grade is determined by the instructor based on a combination of factors, including but not limited to, homework, quizzes, exams, projects, and participation. Final course grade can be translated into a grade point value according to the following:

A=4.0	B+=3.5	B=3	C+=2.5	C=2	D+=1.5	D=1	F=0
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- Veterans and active duty military personnel with special circumstances (e.g., upcoming deployments, drill requirements, VA appointments) are welcome and encouraged to communicate these to the instructor.
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**Effective Date:** Fall 2019