

L3 Criminology Summer Project



The purpose of this Summer project is to introduce you to studying this subject at Level 3 standard.

You will need to complete 10 hours of study on each subject every week, 4½ in class with your teacher and the rest as independent learning. Therefore, it is important that you enjoy this subject and that you start to practice your study skills as early as possible. Some subjects have significant maths content (for example business, psychology, economics); others require strong essay writing skills (for example history, English). Think about the study skills and underpinning knowledge you will require in this subject – not just the title.

If after completing this project you think this may not be your ideal choice, you can ask to transfer to another subject at the start of term, as long as you have the entry requirements and it fits alongside your other choices on the Matrix (timetable). If you do decide to change subject, you will be required to complete the transition project for your new choice too.

This is also your first taste of Flipped Learning and elements will be used within your first week of lessons.

Please ensure your name, student number and subject are clearly noted on each page and bring it with you to hand in at Induction.

Have a good summer and we look forward to seeing you in September.

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HOW TO SUBMIT:

Please print your completed project and bring a copy with you to Induction.

If you don't have access to a printer, electronic copies can be emailed as an attachment to l3_criminology@chichester.ac.uk with the email clearly labelled 'Criminology Summer Project' prior to Induction.

Criminology Transition Project

Task 1: Crime or Deviant?

1. Explain what is meant by crime and what is meant by deviance
2. For each action, allocate whether it is a crime or whether it is seen as deviant
3. Choose at least two crimes and research the punishments that your chosen crime carries. Do you agree with the punishments and why?
4. Choose at least two deviant acts and describe what sanctions can occur for deviant acts

Organised Crime

Spitting in Public

Death by
Dangerous
Driving

Drinking Alcohol
on Public
Transport

Cannabis Use

Supply of Class A
Drugs

Murder

Peaceful Protest

Choice of
Clothing

Swearing

Fraud

Body Odour

Task 2: Why do people not report crime?

Read this article: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-51408921>

This article highlights that not all crimes are reported to the police by victims. There are a variety of reasons why people may not report crimes to the police. Using this article and your own research, complete the following:

1. Describe why victims may not report crimes they have suffered from suggesting at least five reasons why they may not.
2. Suggest what possible consequences could occur from victims not reporting crime. Consider wider consequences than those which impact on the victim themselves.

Task 3: A career in Criminology?

Social worker in the criminal justice sector

Probation officer

Forensic investigator

Police

Research these careers and write about the role of at least one of these career paths including the responsibilities they have and how they link to criminal behaviour

Community development worker

Youth justice worker

Outreach support

Ensure to have the
work done in time for
when you start
college.

See you in September!