# SAULT COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS AND TECHNOLOGY SAULT STE. MARIE, ONTARIO



# **COURSE OUTLINE**

COURSE TITLE:

INTRODUCTION TO CORRECTIONS

CODE NO: CJS 221

SEMESTER: II

PROGRAM: CORRECTIONAL WORKER - DIPLOMA

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Note:

DO NOT DISCARD THIS OUTLINE. IT WILL BE REQUIRED BY OTHER INSTITUTIONS IF YOU ARE ATTEMPTING TO OBTAIN CREDIT FOR THE COURSE.

## 3.0 CORRECTIONAL OPERATIONS

Upon successful completion of this unit, the student will be able to:

- 3.1 distinguish between security levels of institutions.
- 3.2 describe the effects of imprisonment on staff and inmates
- 3.3 calculate remission
- 3.4 outline and discuss inmate treatment programs
- 3.5 outline and discuss the external and internal influences on Correctional policy.
- 3.6 outline and discuss the role of correctional workers
- 3.7 outline and discuss Inmate Rights
- 3.8 outline and discuss custodial control
- 3.9 outline the organizational structure of institutions

#### 4.0 CORRECTIONAL TREATMENT PROGRAMS

Upon successful completion of this unit, the student will be able to:

- 4.1 outline and discuss inmate classification processes
- 4.2 outline the unit management system
- 4.3 outline and discuss treatment modalities
- 4.4 discuss the factors that affect the delivery of treatment

## 5.0 COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS

Upon successful completion of this unit, the student will be able to:

- 5.1 outline and discuss the concept Corrections in Canada
- 5.2 discuss the controversy concerning community corrections
- 5.3 outline and discuss the programs available to inmates
- 5.4 outline the process of probation and parole

# 6.0 THE FUTURE OF CORRECTIONS

Upon successful completion of this unit, the student will be able to:

- 6.1 discuss the effects of correctional reform
- 6.2 outline and discuss the indicators of Correctional change
- 6.3 discuss the influence of social, and fiscal restraint

#### 7.0 CORRECTIONAL LAW

Upon successful completion of this unit, the student will be able to:

- 7.1 List and explain the purpose of each of the Correctional law Statutes
- 7.2 List the level of law making and applicability of the law to Correctional jurisdiction
- 7.3 List and explain the major points from each Act

## V. METHOD OF EVALUATION

A final grade will be derived from the results of:

Test	20%
Mid-term exam	25%
Research paper and presentation	30%
Final exam	25%

#### COLLEGE GRADING POLICY

90-100% = A+

80-89% = A

70-79% = B

60-69% = C

0-59% = R

# VI. REQUIRED STUDENT RESOURCES

Corrections in Canada, Policy and Procedure, John Ekstedt and **Curt T. Griffiths, Second Edition** 

Federal Correctional Law Statutes, Queens Printer, Government of Canada

Ministry of Correctional Services Act and Regulations, Government of Ontario

# VII. ADDITIONAL RESOURCE MATERIAL

Provided by the instructor

## VIII. SPECIAL NOTES

Tours of Correctional agencies will be arranged by the instructor. Students with special needs (e.g. physical limitations, visual impairment, hearing impairments, learning disabilities) are encouraged to discuss required accommodations confidentially with the instructor.

Your instructor reserves the right to modify the course as he/she deems necessary to meet the needs of the students.