

Criminology

Course description

WJEC Level 3 Criminology is the study of the law enforcement and criminal justice system.

Course content

- Unit 1—Changing awareness in crime (coursework)
- Unit 2—Criminological theories (exam)
- Unit 3— Crime scene to courtroom (coursework)
- Unit 4— Crime and punishment

Assessment

50% coursework

- Controlled assessments that are done in 8 hours.

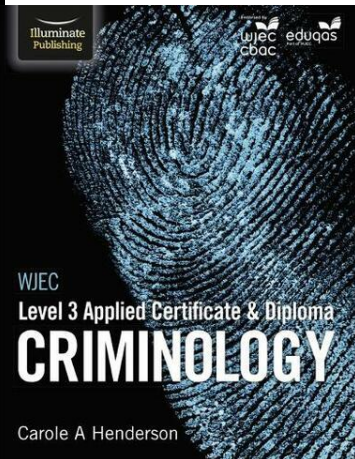
50% examination .

90-minute
examination,

- Total of 75 marks
- Three questions on each paper
- short and extended answer questions, based on stimulus material and applied contexts
- Each question will have an applied problem-solving scenario

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Recommended textbook / revision guide



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Future pathways

The qualification allows learners to gain the required understanding and skills to be able to consider employment within some aspects of the criminal justice system, e.g. the National Probation Service, the Courts and Tribunals Service or the National Offender Management Service.

Higher education courses

BSc Criminology

- **BA Criminology**
- **BA Criminology and Criminal Justice**
- **BSc (Hons) Criminology and Psychology**
- **LLB (Hons) Law with Criminology**
- **BA (Hons) Criminology and Sociology**
- **BA (Hons) Criminology**
- **BSc (Hons) Psychology and Sociology**
- **BSc Criminology with Law**