NIU Bachelor of Science in Applied Management with an Emphasis on Public Safety for the Oakton Fire Science A.A.S.

Oakton General Education courses for A.A.S.

General Education Requirements:		Credit Hours
Area A — Communication	EGL 101, SPE 103	6
Area C — Science	*Any of* BIO 101, 106, 121; EAS 100, 101, 102, 121, 125; PHY 115, 131, 221	3-5
Area D — Social Science	PSY 101	3
Area E — Humanities/Fine Arts	*Any of* ART 111, 112, 113; EGL 113, 115, 117, 129, 221, 222, 231, 232; HUM 120, 121, 122, 123, 125, 127, 131, 160; MUS 236; PHL 105, 106, 230, 231, 240, 245	3
Area E & F — Humanities/Fine Arts	ART 114 or PHL 205	3
Total General Education Credits for Oakton A.A.S.		**18**

Additional courses to meet NIU requirements
(may be taken at Oakton)

General Education Courses:		Credit Hours
English	EGL 102	3
Mathematics	MAT 131	3
Humanities/ Fine Arts	*Any of* ART 111, 112, 113; EGL 113, 115, 117 129, 221, 222, 231, 232; HUM 120, 121, 122, 123, 125, 127, 131, 160; MUS 236; PHL 105, 106, 205, 230, 231, 240, 245	3
Math/Science	CHM 101	4
Social Sciences	SOC 101 and PSC 101	6
Interdisciplinary	HUM 140 or PSY 120*	3-6

**Only one Interdisciplinary course is required if taking 8 credit hours of Science.*
***Courses certified by the Illinois State Fire Marshal.*
****A maximum of 6 credit hours may be applied from the following electives: FIR 102, FIR 220, FIR 221, FIR 222, FIR 223, FIR 224, and FIR 290*

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Major Requirements:	Credit Hours
CHM 101 Introduction to General College Chemistry	4
FIR 101 Introduction to Fire Science or FIR 111 or LAE 111 Introduction to Public Safety Careers II	3
FIR 121 Fire Fighting Tactics I**	3
FIR 131 Hazardous Materials - First Responder	3
FIR 201 Fire Prevention Principles I**	3
FIR 205 Building Construction	3
FIR 209 Fire Hydraulics	3
FIR 211 Fire Prevention Principles II	3
FIR 217 Fire Department Administration I**	3
Select courses to total a minimum of 14 credits from any Any FIR course or FME 107***	14-15
Total Major Requirements:	**42**
Total Credits for Oakton A.A.S. Degree:	**60**

NIU upper division courses
Students will need to complete all of these courses

Core Requirements (21 credits):	Credit Hours
ACCY 288 Fundamentals of Accountancy	3
FINA 320 Principles of Finance	3
MGMT 333 Principles of Management	3
MGMT 346 Business Communication	3
MGMT 412 Business Law	3
MKTG 310 Principles of Marketing	3
OMIS 338 Principles of Operations Management	3
Public Safety (27 credits):	
POLS 331 Introduction to Public Administration	3
SOCI 381 Criminology	3
SOCI 383 The Criminal Justice System	3
ILAS 390, POLS 490, or SOCI 390 Internship	3
Two of the following:	
POLS 303 Local government and politics	3
POLS 395 Topics: Public Sector Ethics	3
POLS 395 Topics: Public Sector Budgeting	3
POLS 395 Topics: Civic Engagement	3
SOCI 375 Sociology of Organizations	3
Three of the following:	
POLS 386 Global Terrorism	3
POLS 415 Criminal Law	3
SOCI 380 Deviance in Society	3
SOCI 384 Police in a Democratic Society	3
SOCI 388 Punishment and Corrections	3
UNIV 310 Foundations in Homeland Security and Disaster Preparedness	3
Total NIU Upper Division Credits:	**48**
Total NIU General Education Credits:	**40**
Total Oakton Technical Core Credits:	**32**
Total Credits for NIU Degree:	**120**