Northwest Arkansas Community College

(Social & Behavioral Sciences Division)

Discipline Code

CMJS

Course Number

2233

Course Title

Gangs: An individual and Group Prospective

Catalog Description

The course is designed to provide the student with an overview of street gangs. An introduction to the history of gangs, gang dynamics, criminal activities, identification of differences between gangs, narcotic involvement, and gang philosophy.

Prerequisites

N/A

Credit Hours

3 credit hours

Contact hours

45 contact hours

Load hours

3 load hours

Semesters Offered

On Demand

ACTS Equivalent

N/A

Grade Mode

A-F

Learning Outcomes

Upon completing this course students will be able to:

- Explain the history of gang development in the U.S. and their growth in corrections.
- Differentiate between the various types of gangs and understand the differences.
- Explain the relevance of gangs to criminal activity in Arkansas and the United States.

General Education Outcomes Supported

N/A

Standard Practices

Topics list

N/A

Learning activities

N/A

Assessments

N/A

Grading guidelines

N/A