

**Western Dakota Technical Institute  
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**Master Syllabus**

**Course Number:** CJUS 200  
**Course Name:** Community Corrections  
**Credits:** 3  
**Contact Hours:** 3 lecture

**Course Description:** This course will focus on alternative methodologies of corrections as opposed to traditional correctional institutions such as prisons and jails. The student will learn the philosophies and structures of alternative correctional programs in the criminal justice system and how they impact victims, offenders, and society.

**Prerequisites:** None

**Textbooks:** <http://bookstore.wdt.edu/>

**Materials:** None

**Student Learning Outcomes:**

- Understand the historical, social, and legal foundations of parole and probation.
- Understand fundamental major legal cases that affect probation, parole, and community services and their impact on the correctional process.
- Understand principle differences between sanctions imposed by traditional corrections practices and the objectives of community-based corrections.

**Assessment:** Analytical skills, life skills, communication skills, employability, and social values will be assessed throughout this course.

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