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CJ 151 Criminal Justice Systems
Summer 2003 Evening
Chaminade University

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Class Date and Times: July 7 – August 9th, Monday and Wednesday 5:30 – 9:40

Required Textbook:

James A. Fagin, Criminal Justice

Course Objectives:

The objective of this course is to introduce the student to the American Criminal Justice System. At the conclusion of this course it is expected that the student will be able to:

1. Clearly and logically describe the CJ system
2. Discuss the CJ system using technical vocabulary
3. Describe the responsibilities of the various components of the CJ system
4. To be familiar with landmark legal cases and their impact on the CJ system

Course Description:

CJ 151 is an overview of the criminal justice systems, processes and personnel. This class will also include roles and relationships of various law enforcement agencies, court and corrections system.

Course Requirement:

Each student is required to read all assigned chapters and be prepared to discuss during class participation. All assigned quizzes, chapter projects and exams are due on due dates. Each student will select a chapter from the text and do an oral and written presentation class. This presentation will be at the beginning of each class. Student may add articles that relate to their topic.

Attendance:

Attendance comprises one-third of the final class grade. The student is awarded five (5) points each class that is attended. Upon three (3) absences, a deficiency notice will be sent to the registrar with the recommendation that the student withdraws