



Textbook Recommendation to the Board of Education

Subject/Course: Intro to Criminology

Grade Level: 11th-12th

First Presentation BOE Meeting Date: 8/20/2025 (SAC)

Second Presentation BOE Meeting Date: 9/10/2025

Describe need for the textbook/materials: Intro to Criminology is a new concurrent enrollment course, created in partnership with Southern Connecticut State University. This textbook is recommended by the University for all sections of this course.

Listed below are textbooks/materials evaluated by the Textbook Selection Committee:

Subject/ Course	Title of Book	Author(s)	Edi- tion	Copyright Date	Publisher	Rubric Score Total	Readability
Intro to Criminology	Criminology Today: An Integrative Introduction [PEARSON CHANNEL]	Frank Schmalleger	10th	2021	Pearson	N/A	

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Intro to Criminology	Criminology Today: An Integrative Introduction [PEARSON CHANNEL]	Frank Schmalleger	9780136707592	10	2021	Pearson	Hoboken, NJ	Pearson.com

Reasons for recommendation (include information on match to curriculum concepts and skills):

The textbook committee is following the recommendation of our faculty advisor at SCSU, who strongly recommended this textbook as a foundational resource for the course.

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Student Materials Needed				
Quantity	Item Name	Cost Per Item	Total Cost	Distribution: #Texts per School
84	Criminology Today: An Integrative Introduction [PEARSON CHANNEL]	164.99	13859.16	40@BC 44@BE

Teacher Materials Needed				
Quantity	Item Name	Cost Per Item	Total Cost	Distribution: # per School

TOTAL COST	
Total Cost for Student Texts/Materials	13859.16
Total Cost for Teacher Materials	0
Total Cost for Shipping	1095.53
GRAND TOTAL	14954.69

Textbook Selection Committee		
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