Students will learn the basics of what happens from arrest to trial of cases in the criminal justice system. Two classes will be held outside of the classroom, one at the Henderson County Sheriff’s Department and the other at the Henderson County Courthouse. Minimum age is 17 years old.
FALL 2022 What Happens from Arrest to Trial Classes
(Special Topics in Corrections/Correctional Administration)

CJCR 1091 1AT01
9/12/2022-10/3/2022   Athens/TECH 308   Monday 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm   $50.00

CJCR 1091 1AT02
11/17/2022-11/28/2022  Athens/TECH 308   Monday 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm   $50.00

Topics to be covered:
Week 1 – What happens when a person gets arrested?
  • Arrest with or without a warrant
  • Probable cause

Week 2 -- Visit the jail

Week 3 -- Prosecutor’s office
  • Grand Jury
  • Trial
  • Voir dire
  • Jury charge
  • Appeal

Week 4 -- Visit court room (judge | prosecutor | etc.)

Meet the Instructor
Donna Bennett

I have been teaching at TVCC since 2009. I teach government, criminal justice, and legal assistant classes. I graduated from Southwestern University in Georgetown and St. Mary’s University, School of Law in San Antonio. For most of my career, I was a prosecutor. I am married to Don Bennett, and we have three (fur) children, Mabel, Crowbar, and Susie Elizabeth.