

Unit 2 Assignment 2: The Evolution of Probation and Parole

Discuss the evolution of probation and parole in the United States from inception to current day correctional practice. How has the concept of these types of supervision changed throughout history? What factors have brought about these changes? Make sure to include relevant milestones and related shifts in the approach to these sanctions. Discuss the impact of this history to how probation and parole function today.

- Your completed paper should be 3-5 pages in length and formatted according to APA guidelines.
- Include a title and reference page.
- Cite a minimum of three sources (including the course text) within the body of your paper using in-text citations where appropriate.

Directions

In addition to fulfilling the specifics of the Assignment, a successful paper must also meet the following criteria:

- Include a cover page and references page in 10–12 point font (Arial, Courier, and Times New Roman are acceptable)
- Viewpoint and purpose should be clearly established and sustained
- Assignment should follow the conventions of Standard American English (correct grammar, punctuation, etc.)
- Writing should be well ordered, logical, and unified, as well as original and insightful
- Your work should display superior content, organization, style, and mechanics
- Appropriate citation style should be followed

You should also make sure to:

- Include a title page with full name, class name, section number, and date
- Include an introductory and concluding paragraph and demonstrate college-level communication through the composition of original materials in Standard American English
- Use examples to support your discussion
- Cite all sources on a separate reference page at the end of your paper and cited within the body of your paper using APA format

Compose your paper in Word and save your document in the following format: Last name First name Assignment. (Example: SmithJohn Unit 2 Assignment 2). Submit your Assignment by selecting the Unit 2: Assignment 2 Dropbox by the end of Unit 2.

Checklist for the Unit 2 Assignment 2

Criteria: Ask yourself the following questions.	Not Yet	Yes
Content		
Did you identify relevant milestones in the history of probation and parole including at least three contemporary issues?		
Did you apply knowledge of the history of probation and parole to contemporary issues by discussing relevant milestones, their historical significance, and their relevance to three or more contemporary issues?		
Did you analyze knowledge of the history of probation and parole to contemporary issues by discussing relevant milestones, their historical significance, and their relevance to three or more contemporary issues?		
Research		
Is your research current ?		
Did you discuss all the required areas in a substantive manner?		
Did you use appropriate reference material to support major statements?		
Quality		
Is your content complete enough to address the topic and questions?		
Is there a logical flow to your ideas?		
Did you present the material in a clear and concise manner to provide easy readability?		
Format		
Did you prepare your project as a Microsoft Word document?		
Did you label your file correctly?		
Did you use APA format to cite your sources?		
Did you check your document for grammar and spelling ?		
Does your Assignment fulfill the length requirements?		