You want to get a degree in criminology and the encounters you’ve had with the law fascinate you. You’ve got an essay due in three days and no idea where to begin. Trust your own instincts. What matters to you regarding criminology?

Aberration in human interaction and abnormal behaviors might be of particular interest to you. Look into the different subsets or schools of thought concerning deviant behavior.

This is a particular school of thought that stressed social integration as the attachment to groups and behaviors. Social regulation is the adherence to norms and values in society. Search for subsets of what affects this.

Durkheim affirmed that deviance was normal and necessary to society. Is this close to something you would be interested in? Explore the philosophy and connect it to what want to take a stance on.

Once you’ve established your stance, use your research to support your claims with criminology as the base of a metaphoric pyramid, with your claim being at the top.