

# Paralegal

*Associate in Applied Science*

**Program/CIP Code:** PRLG.AAS/22.0302

**Credits Required:** 66

**Division:** Social and Behavioral Sciences and Public Services

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Emphasis in the Paralegal curriculum is to integrate practice with theory. Students are educated in the various skills required to perform detailed legal work as defined by general legal procedures and the legal expertise of the faculty. In this way, they are exposed to many legal practice techniques in the form of practical experience that enhance their placement possibilities upon graduation. Any deviation from the program must be approved by the Dean of Social and Behavioral Sciences and Public Services.

## Requirements for Admission to the program:

- No requirements for admission to the program.
- Contact program for program-specific advising.

## College Requirement

	Course	Credit Hours
BLUE 0101	Freshman Seminar	1

## General Education Requirements

	Course	Credit Hours
ENGL 0101	Composition I*	3
ENGL 0102 <b>OR</b> ENG L0206	Composition II* <b>OR</b> Technical Writing*	3
SPCH 0151 <b>OR</b> SPCH 0201	Public Speaking <b>OR</b> Interpersonal Communication	3
MATH 0104	Intermediate Algebra** or higher	3-5
	Humanities Elective	3
PSYC 0101	Psychology*	3
	Natural and Physical Science Elective	3
<b>Total Hours for General Education Requirements</b>		<b>21-23</b>

\*See course syllabus for prerequisite.

\*\*Math sequence is contingent upon previous high school mathematics background and transfer institution. Students should confer with an advisor to determine correct placement.

**Paralegal Requirements\***

<b>Course</b>		<b>Credit Hours</b>
CIST 0111	Microcomputer Business Software	3
BUSN 1151 <b>OR</b> BUSN 1153	Basic Keyboarding <b>OR</b> Speedbuilding I	1
PRLG 0121	Introduction to Law	3
PRLG 0131	Legal Research I	3
PRLG 0132	Litigation I	3
PRLG 0152	Real Estate Law	3
PRLG 0162	Family Law	3
PRLG 0205	Legal Writing	3
PRLG 0207	Criminal Law for the Paralegal	3
PRLG 0212	Business Organizations	3
PRLG 0231	Legal Research II	3
PRLG 0232	Litigation II	3
PRLG 0241	Wills, Trusts, and Probate	3
PRLG 0270	Insurance Law	3
PRLG 0271	Seminar: Legal Interviewing & Investigation	2
PRLG 0275	Paralegal Internship I	1
PRLG 0276	Paralegal Internship II	1
<b>Total Hours for Paralegal Requirements</b>		<b>44</b>

  

<b>Total Hours for an Associate in Applied Science in Paralegal Degree</b>	<b>66-68</b>
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