

Program Degree Type and Name: **Bachelor of Science: Legal Studies-Specialization in Paralegal Studies**  
 Program Level: Undergraduate Academic Ter Academic Term Type: Semester

Catalog Year **2023-2024**  
 \*\*Gateway: POLS 101, LAWS 130

* Denote core course with an asterisk and (cc) next to the course number							
Year and Term: Year 1 Fall Term							
Course Number & Title	CR	GE	Maj	OE	SM	Co / Prerequisite(s)	
ENGL 111	3	x					
Math 115 or Math 116 or MATH 117	3	x					
CIHQ 101 Critical Inquiry	3	x					
SOCL 101 Int. Soc. or PSYN 101 Int. Psych.	3	x					
Gen Ed or ENGL 110	3	x					
<b>Term Credit Total:</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>					
Year and Term: Year 2 Fall Term							
Course Number & Title	CR	GE	Maj	OE	SM	Co / Prerequisite(s)	
LAWS 255 Managing Human Conflict I (or substitute of LAWS 210 with PD approval)	3		x			SOCL 101 or PSYN 101	
Gen Ed	3	x					
PSYC 120	3	x					
Gen Ed	3	x					
Open Elective (Recommendation: PARA 302)	3			x			
<b>Term Credit Total:</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>			
Year and Term: Year 3 Fall Term							
Course Number & Title	CR	GE	Maj	OE	SM	Co / Prerequisite(s)	
PARA 206 Subst.Law and Doc. Drafting	3		x			LAWS 130	
PARA 302 Litigation	3		x		B- or better	LAWS 130; ENGL111	
JRSM 101 Junior Seminar	3	x					
Gen Ed	3	x					
Open Elective (Recommendation: LAWS 203)	3			x			
<b>Term credit total:</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>			
Year and Term: Year 4 Fall Term							
Course Number & Title	CR	GE	Maj	OE	SM	Co / Prerequisite(s)	
Major Elective (Recommendation: PARA 303)	3		x				
Open Elective	3			x			
PARA 260 Legal Research and Writing I	3		x		C+ or better	LAWS 130	
Gen Ed	3	x					
Open Elective	3			x			
<b>Term Credit Total:</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>			
<b>Program Totals</b>	<b>Credits: 120</b>	<b>General Education: 60</b>					

  

Year and Term: Year 1 Spring Term						
Course Number & Title	CR	GE	Maj	OE	SM	Co / Prerequisite(s)
ENGL 112 Written Engl. and Lit.Studies II	3	x				ENGL 111
Gen Ed (Recommendation: POLS 101)	3	x				
COMM 110 Oral Communication	3	x				Placement at ENGL 111
Open Elective	3			x		
**LAWS 130 Introduction to Legal Studies	3		x			C or better
<b>Term Credit Total:</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>		
Year and Term: Year 2 Spring Term						
Course Number & Title	CR	GE	Maj	OE	SM	Co / Prerequisite(s)
*LAWS 361 (cc) Const. Law and Policy	3		x			
Gen Ed	3	x				
Gen Ed	3	x				
Gen Ed	3	x				
Open Elective	3			x		
<b>Term Credit Total:</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>		
Year and Term: Year 3 Spring Term						
Course Number & Title	CR	GE	Maj	OE	SM	Co / Prerequisite(s)
Major Elective (Recommendation: LAWS 201)	3		x			
Major Elective (Recommendation: LAWS 235)	3		x			
Gen Ed	3	x				
Gen Ed	3	x				
Open Elective	3			x		
<b>Term Credit Total:</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>		
Year and Term: Year 4 Spring Term						
Course Number & Title	CR	GE	Maj	OE	SM	Co / Prerequisite(s)
Major Elective (Recommendation: PARA 380)	3		x			
PARA 300 Legal Research and Writing II	3		x		B- or better	PARA 260; ENGL 111
Gen Ed	3	x				
Open Elective	3			x		
PARA 410 Adv. Seminar in Paralegal Studies	3		x		B or better	LAWS 130; PARA 260-300-206-302-ENGL 111
<b>Term Credit Total:</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>		
<b>Major &amp; Major Elective: 36</b>						<b>Open Elective: 24</b>

Legend: CR: Credits GE: General Education Maj: Major / Major Elective OE: Open Elective SM: Success Marker Co/Prerequisite(s): List of co/ prerequisites for noted course \*\*Gateway

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