



BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PARALEGAL STUDIES – Requirements

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Students should follow and complete the degree requirements as displayed.

		Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
Freshmen Year	ENGL	1110	College Composition I	3	ENGL	1130	College Composition II	3	
	LGL	1010	Introduction to Law	3	LGL	1160	Legal Research, Wrtg & Case Analysis	3	
	LGL	1720	Law Practice Management	3	LGL	1150	Tort Law	3	
	MATH	1180	Math for Liberal Arts <u>or</u>		CMPT	1100	Computer Info. Applications <u>or</u>		
	MATH	1320	College Algebra	3	BUAD	1020	Micro. Applications in Business	3	
	LGL	2120	Real Estate Law	3	SOC		Social Science Elective	3	
Total 15 hours					Total 15 hours				
Sophomore Year	LGL	2020	Civil Procedure	3	LGL	2110	Estate and Probate Administration	3	
	LGL	2130	Family Law	3	LGL	2210	Prac. & Prod. in Administrative Law	3	
	LGL	2700	Advocacy: Mock Trial	3	HUM		Humanities Elective	3	
	ACTG	1040	Prin. of Financial Acct. <u>or</u>		PHIL	1020	Critical Thinking-counts as 2 nd Humanities Elective	3	
	BUAD	2040	Financial Acct. Info.	3				3	
	SOC		Social Science Elective	3					
Total 15 hours					Total 15 hours				
Junior Year	LGL	3030	Adv. Legal Research &Wrtg.	3	LGL	3010	Law of Business Associations	3	
	LGL	3050	Bankruptcy Pract & Con Appl	3	LGL	3330	Litigation	3	
	PHIL		Elective at 3000/4000 level	3	LGL	4130	Clinic Experience	3	
			Legal Specialty Option	3			Legal Specialty Option	3	
	NS		Natural Science Elective	3	MUL		Multi-Cultural/Diversity Elective	3	
	NS		Natural Science Elective Lab	1	NS		Natural Science Elective	3	
Total 16 hours					Total 18 hours				
Senior Year	LGL	4030	Contract Law	3	LGL	4940	Advanced Paralegal Internship	3	
	LGL	3350	Alternative Dispute Resolution	3			Legal Specialty Option	3	
	PHIL		Elective at 3000/4000 level	3	MUL		Multicultural Elective	3	
			Legal Specialty Option	3			Elective	3	
			Elective	3			Elective	3	
Total 15 hours					Total 15 hours				

The Paralegal Studies Program is offered for paralegal education and provides course work and practical experiences designed to develop the knowledge and communication skills necessary for contribution to the legal profession. Paralegals may not provide legal services directly to the public except as permitted by law.

The Bachelor of Science in Paralegal Studies program serves as an excellent “pre-law” track for students wishing to go to law school. In fact, students who successfully obtain a Bachelor of Science in Paralegal Studies degree with a GPA of 3.5 or better and score within the top 50% on the LSAT are guaranteed admission to the University of Toledo's College of Law.