

Pathways

NEW YORK CITY COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY
CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK

Law & Paralegal Studies Department
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE

Statement of Requirements

REQUIRED COURSES IN THE MAJOR (see catalog for details)		
COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	CREDITS
Modules	Three 1 Credit Modules (Set 5 wks spent on each 1-Credit Module for a total of 15 weeks spent to complete entire Module Set)	3
LAW4704	Legal Technology	3
LS Electives: Choose FOUR courses from among those listed	LAW 3601 Taxation LAW 3602 Trial Preparation LAW 3604 Employment and Labor Law LAW 4701 Law Office Management LAW 4702 Bankruptcy LAW 4703 Immigration LAW 4705 Administrative Law LAW 4802 Trademark, Copyright, Patent LAW 4805 Forensic	12
Law 4704	Legal Technology	3
LAW 4800	Advanced Legal Research--prior departmental permission required Prerequisite completion of 90 credits	3
Or		
LAW4801	OR Internship & Seminar Co-requisiteLAW 4900	
LAW4900	Senior Legal Seminar must be in FINAL SEMESTER Co-requisite - LAW4800 OR Co or Prerequisite LAW4801	3
OTHER REQUIRED COURSES		
ENG 3401	Law Through Literature	3
ENG 1161	Language and Thinking or any Literature Course	3
PSY Elective	Any upper level Psychology	3
MAT Elective	MAT 1272 or MAT1372	3
PHIL 3211	Philosophy of Law	3
COM 1340	Oral Interpretation of Literature or COM OR COM 2402 Intercultural Communications	3
GEN ED		
FLEXIBLE CORE	World Cultures and Global Issues, US Experience in its Diversity, Creative Expression, Scientific World (Any Approved Course in these categories) For Interdisciplinary (ID) Course Requirement choose any of the ID courses offered in the semester you are applying. The Department suggested Law related ID courses includes: Theatre of Law THE/LAW 3000ID also is WI	18 (1 class/3 credits of the 6 classes/18 credit require must be ID)
Sub Total Other Required Courses 36		
AAS CREDITS 60 + BS CREDITS 60 TOTAL CREDITS 120		

To use this form, indicate the semester you successfully completed the course.

General pre-requisites for ALL baccalaureate level courses
1. Completion of ALL associate level degree requirements. Or
2. Have received departmental approval in advance.

➤ Since all courses are not offered, or not offered day and evening, in every semester, students should take requirements and desired electives when they are offered.
➤ Courses substitutions / waivers require Law & Paralegal Studies Departmental approval, in advance.
➤ A minimum grade of "C" is required in each course with the prefix LAW/LS.

Modules are offered in sets of three.

Students **MUST** take all three that are offered the same day(s) and time. A set consist of a combination of three of the following:

Current offerings include:

- LAW 3530 Alternate Dispute Resolution
- LAW 3531 Elder Law
- LAW 3532 Securities
- LAW 3533 Adoptions
- LAW 3534 Investigative Techniques
- LAW 3535 Workers' Compensation
- LAW 3536 Pensions & Employee Benefits
- LAW 3537 Environmental Law
- LAW 3538 Commercial Transactions
- LAW 3539 International Law
- LAW 3541 Evidence
- LAW 3542 Collections
- LAW 3543 Sports & Entertainment Law
- LAW 3545 Housing Law

+ An additional set of modules to substitute for one of the FOUR required LS Electives

*****One interdisciplinary "ID" Liberal Arts**

➤ **Writing Intensive Requirement**
Students at New York City College of Technology must complete two courses designated WI for the associate level, one from GenEd and one from the major; and two additional courses designated WI for the baccalaureate level, one from GenEd and one from the major.

"Double-Duty" courses: degree requirements that also meet CUNY Pathways general education requirements in that category may be used to satisfy both major and GenEd requirements. NOTE: That the total degree credits are still needed for degree e.g 60 credits for AAS and 120 for BS Degrees.

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STUDENTS ENTERING**SPRING 2023**

NEW YORK CITY COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY Law & Paralegal Studies Department
 CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE
 (OR LOWER TWO YEARS OF LSB PROGRAM)

Statement of Requirements

REQUIRED COURSES IN THE MAJOR

COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	CREDITS	COMPLETED	PREREQUISITES	PRE OR CO-REQUISITES
LAW 1101	Introduction to Paralegalism	3		Certification in Reading and Writing	ENG1101
LAW 1103	Civil Law and Procedure	3			LAW1101
LAW 1200	Legal Writing & Research	4			LAW 1103
LAW 1202	Real Estate	3		LAW 1101 & 1103	LAW 1200
LAW 2301	Estates, Trusts & Wills	3		LAW 1201 Or 1200	
LAW 2303	Family Law	3		LAW 1201 Or 1200	
LAW 2403	Legal Document Preparation	3		LAW 1201 or 1200	
LS Electives Choose One	LAW2302 Business Organization LAW2405 Torts & Insurance Law LAW2406 Criminal Law	3		LAW 1201 or 1200	
LAW 2410	Legal Ethics and Professional Responsibility	1		LAW1101	
LAW2409	Legal Internship I and Seminar I	4		LAW 1200 & 2403	
Sub Total Legal Studies Credits		30			

A good way to use this form is to indicate the semester as you successfully complete each course. The student is responsible for seeing to it that all requirements are met.

OTHER REQUIRED COURSES

ENG 1101	English Composition I	3		
ENG 1121	English Composition II	3		
PHIL 2101	Introduction to Philosophy	3		
PSY 1101	Introduction to Psychology	3		
MATH	MAT1190 Quantitative Reasoning or Higher level MATH	3		
COM 1330	Effective Speaking	3		
ACC 1162	Elements of Accounting	3		
SCIENCE	Life and Physical Sciences Science with Lab	3 to 4		
FLEXIBLE CORE	**World Cultures and Global Issues, US Experience in its Diversity, Creative Expression, Scientific World (Choose two (2) approved courses in the above stated categories for Flexible Core)	6		

NOTES:

1. Any substitutions **MUST** be approved, in advance, by the Law and Paralegal Studies Dept.
2. If in doubt, ask an academic counselor from the Law & Paralegal Studies Department.
3. Since all courses are not offered every semester, you should take requirements and desired electives when they are offered.
4. A minimum grade of "C" is required in each course with the LAW/LS prefix.
5. For Liberal Arts / General Education pre, co- requisites, see college catalog.
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AAS Degree Total

60

Effective 01/01/2023