

STUDENT NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**Paralegal Studies A.A.S. at Montgomery College to  
B.S. IN LEGAL STUDIES AT UMUC**

This worksheet is designed to help you plan and track your progress toward your degrees. For full course descriptions, please refer to the current undergraduate *Catalog*.

**Courses taken at Montgomery College**
*Changes in recommended courses may affect other elements of the degree plan. Lower level equivalents of UMUC upper level courses fulfill content requirements but not upper-level minimum credit requirements*

 UMUC  
Equivalent  
Course

UMUC GER Requirement	GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (GER) (25 credits)	
English Writing GER	EN 101 Techniques of Reading and Writing I (3)	
First social and behavioral sciences GER	PS 101 American Government (3)	GVPT 170
Speech/writing GER	SP 108, SP 112, or SP 212 (3) <i>Speech foundation course</i>	
WRTG 101 Writing GER	EN 102 Techniques of Reading and Writing II (3) <i>Recommended English foundation course</i>	WRTG 101
Second social and behavioral sciences GER	Behavioral and social sciences distribution (3) <i>Must be from a second discipline</i>	
Mathematics GER	MA 110 Survey of College Math <i>or more advanced math (3) Math foundation course.</i>	MATH 106
Biological and physical science with lab GER	Natural sciences lab distribution (4)	
First arts and humanities GER	AR 107, AR 108 or any HS (3) <i>Recommended arts or humanities distribution course</i>	
<b>INTERDISCIPLINARY AND EMERGING ISSUES (1 credit)</b>		
	HE 100 Principles of Healthier Living (1)	
<b>PARALEGAL RELATED COURSES (36 credits)</b>		
	BA 101 Introduction to Business (3)	
	◆ LA 101 Introduction to the Legal System (3) <i>Required for major, prerequisite to later LGST courses</i>	◆ LGST 101
	CA 120 Introduction to Computer Applications (3) <i>Second computing GER at UMUC</i>	CMST 103
	◆ LA 102 Legal Research (3) <i>Required for major, prerequisite to later LGST courses</i>	◆ LGST 200
	LA elective (3)	
	◆ LA 103 Legal Writing (3) <i>Required for major</i>	◆ LGST 201
	◆ LA 118 Civil Litigation (3) <i>General practice procedure and skills course</i>	◆ LGST 325
	LA elective (3)	
	LA 104 Interpersonal Communications, Legal Interviewing, and Investigating Techniques (3)	LGST 223
	LA 116 Real Property (3)	LGST 343
	LA 120 Drafting Wills and Probating Estates in Maryland (3)	LGST 316
	LA elective or CJ 221 (3)	
<b>Credits transferred: 62 credits</b>		

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<b>ADDITIONAL REQUIRED GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES FOR DEGREE (6 credits)</b>		
Biological and physical sciences GER	NSCI 100 or ASTR 100 (3) <i>Or other 3-credit biological/physical science GER course</i>	
Second arts and humanities GER	HUMN 311 (3) <i>Or other arts and humanities course from a second discipline</i>	UL
<b>EMERGING ISSUES (4 credits)</b> If requirement is completed in degree at community college, these credits may be used for electives		
LIBS 150 (1) <i>Required GER course</i>		
IFSM 201 or CMST 303 (3) <i>Required computing GER course</i>		
<b>ADDITIONAL REQUIRED COURSES FOR MAJOR AND DEGREE (21 credits)</b>		
◆ LGST 204 (3) <i>Required for major</i>		
WRTG 394 or WRTG 394X (3) <i>Or other upper-level intensive writing GER course</i>		UL
◆ LGST 312 (3) <i>Or other general practice substantive law course (LGST 315, 316, 340, 442)</i>		UL
◆ LGST 320 (3) <i>Or other procedure and skills course (LGST 322, 327, 330, 360, 363A, 370, 400, 401, 425, 486A, 486B)</i>		UL
◆ LGST 315 (3) <i>Or other substantive law course (LGST 335, 340, 411, 415, 420, 432, 434, 442, 445, 450)</i>		UL
◆ LGST 322 (3) <i>Or other procedure and skills course</i>		UL
◆ LGST 340 (3) <i>Or other substantive law course</i>		UL
<b>Legal Studies Internship or Supplemental Course (3 credits)</b>		
◆ LGST 486A or LGST 486B (internship through Cooperative Education) (3) <i>Or other supplemental course for major (any LGST; CCJS 432, 453; COMM 400; FSCN 412; GVPT 399B, 402, 434). Note prerequisites</i>		UL
<b>MINOR OR ELECTIVES (15 credits, at least 9 credits upper level for minor)</b>		
See requirements of individual minor.		UL
Please note that all courses must be upper-level to fulfill upper-level requirements.		UL
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<b>ADDITIONAL ELECTIVES (9 credits)</b>		
Choose any courses to meet 120 credits for degree. Note minimum requirements for upper-level coursework.		UL
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<b>TOTAL: 120 CREDITS</b>		
<b>CHECKLIST FOR FULFILLMENT OF DEGREE REQUIREMENTS See catalog for overview of all requirements.</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> 30 credits at UMUC, including at least half of the major and minor and 15 upper level credits. <input type="checkbox"/> 45 upper-level credits, including half the credit for the major and the minor. <input type="checkbox"/> All required courses <u>and</u> minimum number of credits for major and minor. <input type="checkbox"/> Prerequisites for major and minor courses, if needed.	<input type="checkbox"/> All General Education Requirements. <input type="checkbox"/> Grade of C or better in all courses for the major and minor. <input type="checkbox"/> Overall GPA of at least 2.0. <input type="checkbox"/> At least half the credit for the major earned through graded coursework. <input type="checkbox"/> Total 120 credits.	
<b>NOTES:</b>		