



A Major Academic Plan (MAP) is one way to complete a degree in a set number of semesters. The *example* below is only one strategy. Actual plans for individual students will vary based on advisor recommendations and academic needs. Official Program Requirements including Major, General Education, Electives, and university requirements (see pg.2) are based on Catalog Year.

Course Subject and Title	Cr.	Min. Grade	*GE, UU or UM	**Sem. Offered	Prerequisite	Co-Requisite
Semester One						
GE Objective 1: ENGL 1101 Writing and Rhetoric I	3	C	GE	F, S, Su	Appropriate placement score	
GE Objective 2: COMM 1101 Fundamentals of Oral Comm	3	C	GE	F, S		
PARA 1110: Introduction to Paralegal Studies	3	C		F	Minimum score of 14 on ALEKS or equivalent	
PARA 1111: Ethics and Professionalism	3	C		F		
BT 1170: Computer Literacy and Business Software	3	C		F, S		
Total	15					
Semester Two						
GE Objective 1: ENGL 1102 Writing and Rhetoric II	3	C	GE	F, S, Su	ENGL 1101/P or test score	
GE Objective 3: Mathematical Ways of Knowing	3	C	GE			
PARA 1113: Contract Law	3	C		S		
PARA 1116: Tort Law	3	C		S		
PARA 1121: Law Office Management	2	C		S		
PARA 1122: Legal Research Analysis and Writing I	3	C		S	BT 1170 or INFO 1101, EN110/P, and PARA 1110	
Total	17					
Semester Three						
GE Objective 6: Social and Behavioral Ways of Knowing	3	C	GE			
PARA 1117: Criminal Law and Procedure	3	C		F		
PARA 1119: Law Office Technology	2	C		F		
PARA 2222: Legal Research Analysis and Writing II	3	C		S	BT 1170 or INFO 1101, ENGL 1101/P, PARA 1110, and PARA 1122	
PARA 2232: Civil Litigation and Procedure	3	C		F	PARA 1116, 1122	
*PARA Elective: Pick from listed courses	3	C		F, S		
Total	17					
Semester Four						
GE Objective: Any objective not previously applied	3	C	GE			
PARA 2230: Paralegal Internship	4	C		S		
*PARA Elective: Pick from listed courses	3	C		F, S		
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*PARA Elective: Pick from listed courses	3	C		F, S		
Total	16					

*GE=General Education Objective, UU=Upper Division University, UM= Upper Division Major

**See Course Schedule section of Course Policies page in the e-catalog (or input F, S, Su, etc.)

2024-2025 Major Requirements		CR	GENERAL EDUCATION OBJECTIVES Satisfy Objectives 1,2,3,4,5,6 (7 or 8) and 9	15 cr. min
AAS, Paralegal - MAJOR REQUIREMENTS	Total	47	1. Written English (6 cr. min) ENGL 1101	3
BT 1170: Computer Literacy and Business Software		3	ENGL 1102	3
PARA 1110: Introduction to Paralegal Studies		3	2. Spoken English (3 cr. min) COMM 1101	3
PARA 1111: Ethics and Professionalism		3	3. Mathematics (3 cr. min) Any	3
PARA 1113: Contract Law		3	4. Humanities, Fine Arts, Foreign Lang.	
PARA 1116: Tort Law		3		
PARA 1117: Criminal Law and Procedure		3		
PARA 1119: Law Office Technology		2	5. Natural Sciences	
PARA 1121: Law Office Management		2		
PARA 1122: Legal Research Analysis and Writing I		3		
PARA 2222: Legal Research Analysis and Writing II		3		
PARA 2230: Paralegal Internship		4	6. Behavioral and Social Science	
PARA 2232: Civil Litigation and Procedure		3	Any	3
‡PARA Elective: Select 4 of the following for a total of 12 credits			One Course from EITHER Objective 7 OR 8	
PARA 1112: Estates Wills and Trusts		3	7. Critical Thinking	
PARA 1114: Family Law		3	8. Information Literacy	
PARA 1115: Property Law		3	9. Cultural Diversity	
PARA 1118: Business Organizations		3		
PARA 2215: Debtor and Creditor Rights and Bankruptcy Law		3	General Education Elective to reach 36 cr. min. (if necessary)	
PARA 2223: Legal Research Analysis and Writing III		3	Any	3
PARA 2296: Independent Study		1-8	Total GE	18
			Undergraduate Catalog and GE Objectives by Catalog Year http://coursecat.isu.edu/undergraduate/programs/	
ENGL 1101: Writing and Rhetoric I (counted in GE Obj. 1)				
ENGL 1102: Writing and Rhetoric II (counted in GE Obj. 1)				
COMM 1101: Fundamentals of Oral Communication (counted in GE Obj. 2)				
			MAP Credit Summary	CR
			Major	47
			General Education	18
			Upper Division Free Electives to reach 36 credits	0
			Free Electives to reach 120 credits	0
			TOTAL	65
			Graduation Requirement Minimum Credit Checklist	Confirmed
			Minimum 36 cr. General Education Objectives (15 cr. AAS)	X
			Minimum 15 cr. Upper Division in Major (0 cr. Associate)	
			Minimum 36 cr. Upper Division Overall (0 cr. Associate)	
			Minimum of 120 cr. Total (60 cr. Associate)	X
Advising Notes		MAP Completion Status (for internal use only)		
			Date	
		CAA or COT:	JS 07/15/2024	
		Complete College American Momentum Year		
		Math and English course in first year-Specific GE MATH course identified		
		9 credits in the Major area in first year		
		15 credits each semester (or 30 in academic year)		
		Milestone courses		