

**General Education Requirements Unique to Paralegal Studies (2017-2018)** – Complete a minimum of 21 semester units of general education including at least one course in each of the following areas. A given course meets the requirements in only one area. **However, courses with asterisks (\*) may be used to meet a General Education requirement listed in A-E below as well as the COC Diversity Requirement.**

**PLEASE ALSO NOTE THAT STUDENTS MAY ELECT TO COMPLETE THE IGETC OR THE CSU GENERAL EDUCATION PATTERNS IN LIEU OF A-E BELOW.**

**In addition, students need to complete the COC Diversity, PE/Wellness, and Reading, Written Expression and Mathematics Competency requirements, earn 60 units, a C grade in each Paralegal major course requirements, an overall degree applicable GPA of 2.0 plus be in “good standing” at College of the Canyons in order to earn the Associate Degree.**

**A. Natural Sciences – minimum 3 semester units required**

Anthropology 101, 101H, 101L, Astronomy 100, 101, 101L, 102  
Biological Science 100, 100H, 106, 107, 107H, 115, 116, 119,  
130, 132, 140, 170, 180, 201, 202, 204, 205, 215, 216, 218,  
219, 221, 230, 231, 240, 250  
Chemistry 110, 151, 151H, 201, 202, 201H, 255, 256  
Environment 103,104

Geography 101, 101H, 101L,103  
Geology 100,101,102, 103, 104, 105,106, 107,  
109, 109L, 218  
Physical Science 101  
Physics 101, 110, 111, 220, 221, 222  
Psychology 102

**B. Social and Behavioral Sciences - minimum 3 semester units required**

Anthropology 103\*, 103H\*, 105, 210, 220  
Biological Sciences 120\*  
Business 103, 126\*  
Communication Studies 110, 120, 223, 235, 246, 256\*, 260\*  
Economics 150, 170, 170H, 201, 201H, 202, 202H, 230  
Environment 101  
Geography 102\*, 104  
Gerontology 101  
History 101, 101H, 102, 111, 111H, 112, 112H, 115,120\*,120H\*  
130\*, 161\*,165, 170, 170H, 191,192\*,210\*,212 ,240, 241, 242\*, 243\*

Political Science 150, 150H,200,210,230,250,170,290\*  
Psychology 100,101,101H,105,109,126,150,172,172H  
175,180,225,230\*,235\*,240\*,272\*  
Sociology101\*,101H\*,102,103\*,103H\*, 104\*,105\*  
106\*, 107\*, 108, 110\*, 130\*, 150,151\*,200\*, 200H\*,  
205, 207\*, 208\*, 210\*, 230\*, 250

**C. Humanities and Fine Arts - minimum 3 semester units required**

Anthropology 210\*, 220  
Art 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115  
Business 160  
Chinese 101, 102  
Cinema 120, 121, 122, 123\*  
Communication Studies 100, 100H, 105, 105H, 150, 225, 246, 250  
250H, 256\*, 260\* Dance 100  
English 105, 106, 108, 109, 110, 111, 122, 135, 225, 250, 251,  
240, 260, 261, 262\*, 263, 264, 265, 270\*, 271\*, 272, 273\*, 274\*,  
275, 280\*, 281, 285\*  
French 101, 102, 150, 201, 202  
German 101, 102 History 101, 101H, 102, 161\*, 165, 191\*,  
192\*, 193\*, 240, 241, 242\*, 243\*

Humanities 100, 101, 105, 106, 115, 116, 150  
Italian 101, 102, 150  
Music 100, 105, 106, 107, 108\* 112, 113, 120A  
Philosophy 101, 101H, 102\*, 110, 111, 112, 120, 130,  
210, 215, 220\*, 225, 240, 250  
Photo 140  
Sign Language 101, 102, 103, 104, 110\*  
Sociology 200\*  
Spanish 101, 101H, 102, 150, 201, 202, 211, 212  
Theatre 100, 110, 110H, 220, 221

**D. Language and Rationality - 6 semester units - minimum grade of “C” required (completion of both 1 & 2 are required)**

**1. English Composition:**

Select one course from the following:

English 101, 101H, 103, 103H, 112, 112H

**2. Communication and Analytical Thinking:**

Select one course from the following:

Communication Studies 105, 105H, 120, 205, 223, 225, 227

Computer Science 256

English 112, 112H

Journalism 105

Math 070, 075, 083, 102, 103, 104, 111, 120, 140, 140H, 211,

212, 213, 214, 215

Philosophy 106, 230

Psychology 103

Sociology 102, 108

**E. American Institutions - 6 semester units required**

United States History – 3 units

U.S. Constitution, State and Local Government – 3 units (**complete one course from #1 and one course from #2**)

1. Economics 170, 170H, History 111, 111H, 112, 112H, 120\*, 120H\*,130\*, 170, or 170 H

2. Political Science 150 or 150H; OR complete both History 111 or 111H and 112 or 112H