

PARALEGAL CURRICULUM TRANSFER GUIDELINE

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General Information: This guide outlines an agreement between CCP and Peirce. Students who earn an AAS in Paralegal from CCP transfer to the Paralegal major at Peirce with junior standing. Only courses with grades of ‘C’ or higher transfer. Students are also eligible for a dual admissions agreement. The dual admissions agreement guarantees Peirce scholarship money to holders of the associate degree who have earned at least a 2.5 cumulative GPA. Dual admissions students work with personnel from CCP and Peirce to create an individualized educational plan. They are also allowed access to Peirce facilities such as the library and computer labs and are invited to Peirce special events. Students must sign a Letter of Intent form no later than the completion of 30 credits. For more information, visit the dual admissions page on the CCP web site and/or contact the Educational Support Services Division of CCP in room W1-1, 215-751-8025. Students do not have to be in the dual admissions program to take advantage of the program-to-program agreement.

COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF PHILADELPHIA - Paralegal Curriculum	PEIRCE REQUIREMENTS
PLS 101	PLG 100 Intro to Paralegalism
PLS 111-112 (Both 111 and 112 must be completed to receive credit for Peirce 102 and 113)	PLG 102 and 13 Legal Research and Legal Writing
PLS 121	PLG 211 Civil Litigation
Recommended Paralegal Electives: Take all three of JUS 241, PLS 241 and PLS 251	PLG 207 Criminal Law, PLG 206 Tort Law and PLG 205 Real Estate Law
Complete three additional Paralegal electives as recommended in CCP catalog	Paralegal Electives
ENGL 101-102	ENG 101-102 English Composition and Literature for Composition
MATH 118 or higher	Math Elective
Humanities Elective	Humanities Core
Lab Science Elective	Math/Science Core
Complete two social science electives	Social Science Electives
CIS 103	BIS 101 Microcomputer Applications
Select two courses from CCP paralegal “recommended electives” list. POLS 111 and ENGL 115 or 116 recommended.	PSC 101 American Government and ENG/Communication Core
	Upon transfer to Peirce, the following courses are needed to complete the bachelor degree:
	PSC 104 Law in America 3 MAT Mathematics Core 6 BIS 204 Business Software Applications 3 PLG 213 Advanced Legal Writing 3 PLG 215 Professional Responsibilities 3 PLG 219 Legal Technology 3 GEN ED General Education Core 6 PLG 220 Associate’s Capstone or Or CWE 116 Cooperative Work Education 3 (PLG 295-Legal Internship may be taken at CCP to

	<p>satisfy this requirement.</p> <p>PLG 214 Advanced Legal Research 3</p> <p>PLG 204 Family Law 3</p> <p>PLG 209 Corporate Law 3</p> <p>HUM/HIS Humanities/History Core 6</p> <p>PLG 208 Estate Law 3</p> <p>PLG 417 Contracts 3</p> <p>TECH Technology Core 3</p> <p>PLG 420 Capstone Project 6</p> <p>Or CWE 316</p> <p>Total 60</p> <p>Peirce requires 120 credits to complete the degree requirements for this program.</p>
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