KENT STATE UNIVERSITY

This roadmap is a recommended semester-by-semester plan of study for this major. However, courses and milestones designed as critical (!) must be completed in the semester listed to ensure a timely graduation.

Critical	Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Min. Grade	Major GPA	Attribute	Notes
Semester One [16 Credits]						
!	**PLST 18000 Introduction to Paralegal Studies and Professional Ethics**	**3**		■		
	COMM 15000 Introduction to Human Communication	3			KAD	
	COMT 11000 Introduction to Computer Systems	3				
	US 10097 Destination Kent State: First Year Experience [1]	1				
	Kent Core Requirement	3				
	Kent Core Requirement	3				
Semester Two [16 Credits]						
!	**PLST 28001 Legal Research and Writing**	**3**		■		
	ACTT 11000 Accounting I - Financial	4				
	BMRT 11000 Introduction to Business	3				
	Technical Electives [2]	3		■		
	Kent Core Requirement	3				
Semester Three [18 Credits]						
!	**PLST 28004 Principles and Practice of Litigation**	**3**		■		
!	**PLST 38006 Applied Legal Research and Litigation**	**3**		■	**WIC**	
	PSYC 11762 General Psychology or SOC 12050 Introduction to Sociology	3			DD/KSS	
	Technical Electives [2]	3		■		
	Kent Core Requirement	3				
	Kent Core Requirement	3				
Semester Four [15 Credits]						
!	**PLST 28003 Family Law and Procedure**	**3**		■		
!	**PLST 28007 Estate and Probate Administration**	**3**		■		
!	**PLST 36792 Internship in Paralegal**	**3**		■	**ELR**	
	Technical Electives [2]	6		■		

Graduation Requirements Summary

Minimum Total Hours	Minimum	
	Major GPA	**Overall GPA**
65	2.000	2.000

1. US 10097 is not required of transfer students with 25 credits (excluding College Credit Plus and dual-enrollment) or students age 21+ at time of admission.
2. Technical Electives (12 credit hours)

Choose from the following:	
ACTT 21003 Fundamentals of Tax Preparation (3)	BMRT 11009 Introduction to Management Technology (3)
BMRT 21000 Business Law and Ethics I (3)	ENG 20002 Introduction to Technical Writing (3)
CRIM 12000 Introduction to Criminology and Justice Studies (3) (KSS)	CRIM 22100 Basic Interviewing (3)
CRIM 22301 The Investigative Process (3)	CRIM 26704 Issues in Law and Society (3) (KSS)
CRIM 33200 Criminal Law (3)	CRIM 34200 Criminal Procedures and Evidence (3)
CRIM 47211 Court Functions (3)	PLST 38005 Tort Law (3)
PLST 48002 Contract Law (3)	PLST 48300 Law of Corporations and Other Associations (3)

University Requirements: Applied and technical associate degree-seeking students must fulfill selected Kent Core (general education requirements). For more information about this requirement, please read the following section in the University Catalog: Kent Core – www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core.

Attribute Legend: **DD** Diversity–Domestic; **DG** Diversity–Global; **ELR** Experiential Learning; **KAD** Kent Core Additional; **KBS** Kent Core Basic Sciences; **KCM** Kent Core Composition; **KFA** Kent Core Fine Arts: **KHU** Kent Core Humanities; **KMC** Kent Core Mathematics and Critical Reasoning; **KSS** Kent Core Social Sciences; **WIC** Writing Intensive