



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

| Course Subject and Title   | Credit Hours | Min. Grade | Major GPA | Important Notes                                     |
|--|--------------|------------|-----------|---|
| <b>Semester One: [15 Credit Hours]</b>   |              |            |           |   |
| <b>PLST 18000 Introduction to Paralegal Studies</b>                            | <b>3</b>     |            | ■         |   |
| COMM 15000 Introduction to Human Communication                                 | 3            |            |           | Fulfills Kent Core Additional for bachelor's degree |
| COMT 11000 Introduction to Computer Systems                                    | 3            |            |           |   |
| US 10097 Destination Kent State: First Year Experience                         | 1            |            |           | Not required of transfer students with 25 credits   |
| Kent Core Requirement  | 3            |            |           | See Kent Core Summary                               |
| Kent Core Requirement  | 3            |            |           |   |
| <b>Semester Two: [16 Credit Hours]</b>   |              |            |           |   |
| <b>PLST 28001 Legal Research and Writing</b>                                   | <b>3</b>     |            | ■         |   |
| ACTT 11000 Accounting I-Financial  | 4            |            |           |   |
| BMRT 11000 Introduction to Business  | 3            |            |           |   |
| Technical Elective   | 3            |            | ■         | See note 1 on page 2                                |
| Kent Core Requirement  | 3            |            |           | See Kent Core Summary                               |
| <b>Semester Three: [18 Credit Hours]</b>                                       |              |            |           |   |
| <b>PLST 28004 Principles and Practices of Litigation</b>                       | <b>3</b>     |            | ■         |   |
| <b>PLST 38006 Advanced Legal Research and Writing</b>                          | <b>3</b>     |            | ■         |   |
| PSYC 11762 General Psychology<br><i>or</i> SOC 12050 Introduction to Sociology | 3            |            |           | Fulfills Kent Core Social Sciences                  |
| Technical Elective   | 3            |            | ■         | See note 1 on page 2                                |
| Kent Core Requirement  | 3            |            |           | See Kent Core Summary                               |
| Kent Core Requirement  | 3            |            |           |   |
| <b>Semester Four: [18 Credit Hours]</b>  |              |            |           |   |
| <b>PLST 28003 Family Law and Procedures</b>                                    | <b>3</b>     |            | ■         |   |
| <b>PLST 28007 Estate and Probate Administration</b>                            | <b>3</b>     |            | ■         |   |
| <b>PLST 36792 Internship in Paralegal</b>                                      | <b>3</b>     |            | ■         |   |
| Technical Electives  | 6            |            | ■         | See note 1 on page 2                                |

**Graduation Requirements Summary**

| Minimum Total Hours | Minimum   |             |
|---------------------|-----------|-------------|
|                     | Major GPA | Overall GPA |
| 65                  | 2.000     | 2.000       |

**Kent Core Summary (visit [www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core](http://www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core) for course list)**

| Kent Core Categories   | Important Notes   | Remaining Credit Hours |
|--|---|------------------------|
| <b>Composition (3 credit hours)</b><br><i>ENG 11002, 11011, 21011; HONR 10197, 10297</i> | Enrollment based on placement test (this program requires 6 credit hours) | 6                      |
| <b>Mathematics and Critical Reasoning (3-5 credit hours)</b>                             | Enrollment based on placement test  | 3-5                    |
| <b>Humanities and Fine Arts (3 credit hours)</b>   |   | 3                      |
| <b>Social Sciences (3 credit hours)</b>  | Fulfilled in this major with PSYC 11762 or SOC 12050                      | 0                      |
| <b>Basic Sciences (3 credit hours)</b>   |   | 3                      |



**Note 1: Technical electives (12 credit hours), choose from the following:**

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|--|---|---|---|
| ACTT 21003 Fundamentals of Tax Preparation       | 3 | JUS 33200 Criminal Law                                  | 3 |
| BMRT 11009 Introduction to Management Technology | 3 | JUS 34200 Criminal Procedures and Evidence              | 3 |
| BMRT 21000 Business Law and Ethics I             | 3 | JUS 47211 Court Functions                               | 3 |
| ENG 20002 Introduction to Technical Writing      | 3 | PLST 38002 Contract Law                                 | 3 |
| JUS 12000 Introduction to Justice Studies        | 3 | PLST 38004 Legal Ethics and Professional Responsibility | 3 |
| JUS 22100 Basic Interviewing                     | 3 | PLST 38005 Tort Law                                     | 3 |
| JUS 22301 The Investigative Process              | 3 | PLST 48300 Law of Corporations and Other Association    | 3 |
| JUS 26704 Issues in Law and Society              | 3 |   |   |

