

**LEGAL ASSISTANCE/PARALEGAL
ASSOCIATE of APPLIED SCIENCE
University of Arkansas – Fort Smith**

2003/2004 Catalog
Program Plan

Assessment scores (ACT or COMPASS), required of all first-time entering students without previous college work, are used to determine skill readiness to be successful in college-level work. College Preparatory courses may not transfer or apply to graduation requirements. All college preparatory work should be completed within the first 30 hours.

READ 0503 0513	ENGL 0153 0163	MATH 0093 0233 1203 or equivalents
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IDS 1203 is required for first-time full-time students.

AAS REQUIREMENTS

	Course	Pre or Co Requisites	Hrs	
	ENGL 1203 Freshman English I	Pre placement or ENGL 0163	3	
	BUGE 1403 Integrated PC Apps		3	
	POLS 2753 Am National Government		3	
	LEGL 1043 Introduction to Law	Pre ENGL 1203 or consent	3	
	LEGL 1104 Legal Research		4	
	SPCH 1203 Intro to Speech Comm		3	
	MATH 1403 College Algebra	Pre placement or MATH 1203	3	
	ENGL 1223 Technical Composition	Pre ENGL 1203	3	
	LEGL 2723 Criminal Law	Pre LEGL 2133 or consent	3	
	LEGL 2133 Torts	Pre or Co LEGL 1043 and 1104 or consent	3	
	PSYC 1163 General Psychology		3	
	LEGL 2081 Computer Support	Pre LEGL 1043	1	
I	LEGL 2143 Legal Writing	Pre LEGL 1043 & 1104 and ENGL 1223 or consent	3	
	LEGL 2323 Civil Litigation	Pre or Co LEGL 2133, 1104 and 1043 or consent	3	
	LEGL 2382 Legal Ethics	Pre LEGL 2133 & 2143 or consent	2	
	LEGL 2553 Real Estate Law	Pre LEGL 2133 or consent	3	
	Legal or Computer Elective Select from Group A on reverse	Consult catalog	2/ 3	
	LEGL 2252 Family Law	Pre LEGL 2133 or consent	2	
	LEGL 2643 Commercial Law	Pre LEGL 2323 or consent	3	
	LEGL 2753 Wills, Trusts and Probate	Pre LEGL 2323 or consent	3	
	LEGL 2772 Business Organizations	Pre LEGL 2133 and 2323 or consent	2	
	LEGL 2822 Trial Practice	Pre or Co LEGL 2323 or consent	2	
	General Elective Select from Group B on reverse	Consult catalog	3	

Total Hours 63/64

Student must have a C or better in all LEGL courses in order to graduate.

GROUP A Legal or Computer Electives minimum of 2 hours required

BUGE 2913 Business Success & Ethics

LEGL 1901 Work Based Learning

HLTH 1473 Medical Terminology

LEGL 2162 Employment Law

OFAD 1511 Word Perfect for Windows

LEGL 2712 Bankruptcy

OFAD 2371 Microsoft Word for Windows

GROUP B General Electives minimum of 3 hours required

Humanities, English, art or music appreciation, natural science, political science, history, sociology, physical science, foreign language, mathematics or economics.

The technical courses are not intended to transfer to a 4-year institution, although some of the individual courses may be transferable.