

# LAW

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## Courses

### **LAW 101 Business Law**

**3 Credits. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hour.**

A course on the legal environment in which businesses operate.

Prerequisites: AFL 080 or appropriate placement test score

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### **LAW 110 Employment Law**

**3 Credits. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hour.**

A course on major federal laws regarding employment rights, and responsibilities of the employer and employee. Topics include: public policy and processes related to hiring, work environment, and resignation and termination; and recent trends in employment law.

Prerequisites: AFL 080 or appropriate placement test score

### **LAW 120 Legal Research and Writing**

**3 Credits. 2 Lecture Hours. 2 Lab Hours.**

A course on concepts and techniques for conducting legal research and composing legal documents. Topics include: research purposes and uses; citation procedure and format; computer research tools including LEXIS; and writing materials such as briefs, pleadings, memorandums, motions, and discovery documents. Students must attend field trips and work with a law clinic offering services to clients.

Prerequisites: LAW 101, and ENG 101 or appropriate placement test score

### **LAW 130 Estate Planning, Family and Probate Law**

**3 Credits. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hour.**

A course on concepts and processes of family and probate law and estate planning. Topics include: marriage, dissolution, divorce, and prenuptial agreements; child custody, visitation, and support; adoption and guardianship; juvenile law; and trusts and estate administration.

Prerequisites: AFL 085 or appropriate placement test score, and LAW 101

### **LAW 140 Copyright and Trademark Law in Entertainment Industries**

**3 Credits. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hour.**

A course on concepts and processes used to protect intellectual property in entertainment industries. Topics include: representing creative talent; business and personality interests; licensing; copyright; and legal concerns in music publishing, sound recording, literary publishing, and film and television.

Prerequisites: LAW 101

### **LAW 150 Bankruptcy, Debt Collection and Secured Transactions**

**3 Credits. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hour.**

A course on the bankruptcy code and the bankruptcy process from debtor and creditor perspectives. Topics include: filing Chapter 7, 13, and 11 bankruptcies; individual and business liquidation and reorganization plans; and secured transactions including mortgages and other liens.

Prerequisites: LAW 101

### **LAW 160 Administrative Law Practices and Procedures**

**2 Credits. 1 Lecture Hour. 2 Lab Hours.**

A course on forms, procedures, and case management methods used in administrative agencies. Topics include: intake, claim filing, processing, and handling appeals to Social Security, Unemployment, Worker's Compensation and other State and Federal agencies.

Students must attend field trips and work with a law clinic offering services to clients.

Prerequisites: LAW 101

### **LAW 191 Part-Time Cooperative Education 1: Legal Assistant**

**1 Credit. 1 Lecture Hour. 20 Lab Hours.**

Students seeking an associate's degree participate in their first part-time field learning experience related to their degree. Students are expected to register for academic courses during the same semester. Students must follow cooperative education policies and procedures to earn credit. Grades issued are Satisfactory or Unsatisfactory.

Prerequisites: BUS 190 (minimum grade C)

### **LAW 192 Part-Time Cooperative Education 2: Legal Assistant**

**1 Credit. 1 Lecture Hour. 20 Lab Hours.**

Students seeking an associate's degree participate in their second part-time field learning experience related to their degree. Students are expected to register for academic courses during the same semester. Students must follow cooperative education policies and procedures to earn credit. Grades issued are Satisfactory or Unsatisfactory.

Prerequisites: LAW 191

### **LAW 193 Part-Time Cooperative Education 3: Legal Assistant**

**1 Credit. 1 Lecture Hour. 20 Lab Hours.**

Students seeking an associate's degree participate in their third part-time field learning experience related to their degree. Students are expected to register for academic courses during the same semester. Students must follow cooperative education policies and procedures to earn credit. Grades issued are Satisfactory or Unsatisfactory.

Prerequisites: LAW 192

### **LAW 194 Part-Time Cooperative Education 4: Legal Assistant**

**1 Credit. 1 Lecture Hour. 20 Lab Hours.**

Students seeking an associate's degree participate in their fourth part-time field learning experience related to their degree. Students are expected to register for academic courses during the same semester. Students must follow cooperative education policies and procedures to earn credit. Grades issued are Satisfactory or Unsatisfactory.

Prerequisites: LAW 193

### **LAW 195 Part-Time Cooperative Education 5: Legal Assistant**

**1 Credit. 1 Lecture Hour. 20 Lab Hours.**

Students seeking an associate's degree participate in their fifth part-time field learning experience related to their degree. Students are expected to register for academic courses during the same semester. Students must follow cooperative education policies and procedures to earn credit. Grades issued are Satisfactory or Unsatisfactory.

Prerequisites: LAW 194

### **LAW 196 Part-Time Cooperative Education 6: Legal Assistant**

**1 Credit. 1 Lecture Hour. 20 Lab Hours.**

Students seeking an associate's degree participate in their sixth part-time field learning experience related to their degree. Students are expected to register for academic courses during the same semester. Students must follow cooperative education policies and procedures to earn credit. Grades issued are Satisfactory or Unsatisfactory.

Prerequisites: LAW 195

**LAW 198 First Year Special Topics in Law****1-9 Credits. 0 Lecture Hour. 0 Lab Hour.**

A course on selected topics related to Law, which gives students opportunities to study information not currently covered in other courses. Grades issued are A, B, C, D, or F.

Prerequisites: Vary by section

**LAW 199 First Year Independent Project in Law****1-9 Credits. 0 Lecture Hour. 0 Lab Hour.**

A project related to Law that is completed by one or more students to meet specific educational goals. Projects must have prior approval and supervision by Law faculty. Grades issued are Satisfactory or Unsatisfactory.

Prerequisites: Vary by section

**LAW 210 Litigation****3 Credits. 2 Lecture Hours. 2 Lab Hours.**

A course on concepts and processes of criminal and civil litigation. Topics include: parties to lawsuits, pleadings, motion practice, Federal Rules of Civil and Criminal Procedure, Federal Rules of Evidence, discovery, trial judgments, and alternative dispute resolution. Students must attend field trips and work with a law clinic offering services to clients.

Prerequisites: LAW 101 and ENG 101

**LAW 290 Paralegal Capstone****3 Credits. 3 Lecture Hours. 0 Lab Hour.**

Students use knowledge and skills gained in previous courses to complete a project related to the duties of the paralegal.

Prerequisites: IM 225 and LAW 120 (minimum grade C for both)

**LAW 291 Full-Time Cooperative Education 1: Legal Assistant****2 Credits. 1 Lecture Hour. 40 Lab Hours.**

Students seeking an associate's degree participate in their first full-time field learning experience related to their degree. Students must follow cooperative education policies and procedures to earn credit. Grades issued are Satisfactory or Unsatisfactory.

Prerequisites: BUS 190 (minimum grade C)

**LAW 292 Full-Time Cooperative Education 2: Legal Assistant****2 Credits. 1 Lecture Hour. 40 Lab Hours.**

Students seeking an associate's degree participate in their second full-time field learning experience related to their degree. Students must follow cooperative education policies and procedures to earn credit. Grades issued are Satisfactory or Unsatisfactory.

Prerequisites: LAW 291

**LAW 293 Full-Time Cooperative Education 3: Legal Assistant****2 Credits. 1 Lecture Hour. 40 Lab Hours.**

Students seeking an associate's degree participate in their third full-time field learning experience related to their degree. Students must follow cooperative education policies and procedures to earn credit. Grades issued are Satisfactory or Unsatisfactory.

Prerequisites: LAW 292

**LAW 298 Second Year Special Topics in Law****1-9 Credits. 0 Lecture Hour. 0 Lab Hour.**

A course on selected topics related to Law, which gives students opportunities to study information not currently covered in other courses. Grades issued are A, B, C, D, or F.

Prerequisites: Vary by section

**LAW 299 Second Year Independent Project in Law****1-9 Credits. 0 Lecture Hour. 0 Lab Hour.**

A project related to Law that is completed by one or more students to meet specific educational goals. Projects must have prior approval and supervision by Law faculty. Grades issued are Satisfactory or Unsatisfactory.

Prerequisites: Vary by section