

**Associate in Applied Science in Paralegal Studies –  
McHenry County College to  
Bachelor of Arts in Legal Studies – Dominican University  
Transfer Guide  
(2018/2019 Catalog Year)**

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- A minimum of 120 hours must be completed to earn the degree. Students can transfer in up to 90 hours, including a maximum of 68 hours from a community college.
- An individual course may not be used to satisfy multiple requirements.

**Students take at McHenry Community College:**

**Students take at Dominican University:**

<b>General Education:</b>	<b>General Education &amp; Proficiency:</b>
ENG 151 English Composition I (3)	Equiv. EN 101 Composition I
ENG 152 English Composition II (3)	Equiv. EN 102 Composition II
SPE 151 Intro to Speech (3)	Counts as a general elective credit
PHI 251 Intro to Ethics (3)	Counts toward Humanities requirement
Mathematics, Physical or Life Science (3) -MAT 120 General Education Statistics, MAT 150 Elements of Math or higher -MAT 106, 107 or 140 -Any 100-level or higher BIO, CHM, EAS; or GEOG 107, 123, 220; or HRT 103 or 105	-Satisfies Mathematics requirement  -General elective credit - Counts toward Natural Science requirement
PLT 151 United States Government and PLT 155 State & Local Government (6)	Counts toward Social Science requirement
	-Statistics or MT 150 Contemporary Math (3) or higher course if not already satisfied
	-SPCS 302 Topics in the Natural Science or other Natural Science courses (6) if not already satisfied
	-SPCS 303 Topics in the Humanities or other Humanities course (3) if not already satisfied
	-SPCS 306 Adult Spiritual Life & Growth or other Theology course (3)
TOTAL: 21	12-15
<b>Required Paralegal Studies Courses:</b>	<b>Major requirements:</b>
CDM 110 Computer Literacy (3)	General elective credit
CJS 115 Criminal Law (3)	Equiv. LS 351 Criminal Law & Procedure
PAR 101 Intro to Paralegal Studies (3)	Equiv. LS 306 Basic Legal Training
PAR 102 Legal Research and Writing (3)	Equiv. LS 301 Legal Research & Writing
PAR 103 Civil Litigation and Discovery (3)	Equiv. LS 352 Civil Litigation
PAR 110 Law Office Technology (3)	Equiv. LS 303 Law Office Technology
PAR 120 Torts and Insurance Law (3)	Counts as Legal Studies elective
PAR 121 Contract Law (3)	Equiv. LS 325 Contracts
PAR 122 Real Property Law (3)	Equiv. LS 355 Real Estate Law
PAR 123 Family Law (3)	Equiv. LS 353 Family Law
PAR 124 Intellectual Property Law (3) or BUS241 Legal Env of Business (3)	Counts as Legal Studies elective
PAR 125 Estate Planning and Probate Law (3)	Equiv. LS 354 Estate Planning
PAR 255 Internship (3-6)	Equiv. LS 499 Legal Studies Internship by portfolio
	-SPCS 200 Adult Learning Seminar (3)
	-LS 300 The American Legal System (3)
	-LS 320 Religion & the Law (3)
	-LS 321 Law & Economics (3)
	-LS 322 Philosophical Basis of the Law (3)
	-LS 400 Legal Ethics (3)
TOTAL: 39-42	TOTAL: 18

	<b>Legal Studies electives:</b>
	Completely satisfied by required courses in AAS
	<b>General electives:</b>
Dominican will accept up to 68 credits from McHenry, allowing for an additional 5-8 credits beyond those required for the AAS.	Any additional course numbered 100 or higher (30)
	TOTAL: 24-30

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**60-63 TOTAL:**

**57-60**

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** Transfer guides are produced as a service to students. Every effort is made to maintain up-to-date and accurate information; however, this information is subject to change. Such changes take precedence over the information on this guide. Students should work with both a Dominican and a MCC advisor. Responsibility for complying with all applicable requirements for both institutions ultimately rests with the student.