

# PARALEGAL STUDIES, CERTIFICATE OF PROFICIENCY (CPLG)

## Full-Time Academic Plan

The College will award a certificate of proficiency to students who complete 30 credits of an approved career program. These credits will not normally include physical education, developmental, basic and/or continuing education courses and will usually consist of 24 credits in the career specialty and six credits in general education. At least 15 of the credits must be earned at Delaware County Community College. The student must have a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher.

First Semester		Hours
LGL 100	Introduction to Legal and Paralegal Studies	3
LGL 110	Legal Research and Writing I	3
LGL 130	Technology in the Law	3
LGL 240	Criminal Law and Procedure	3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>12</b>
Second Semester		Hours
LGL 120	Legal Research and Writing II	3
LGL 140	Contract Law	3
LGL 220	Real Estate Law	3
LGL Elective		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>12</b>
Third Semester		Hours
LGL 210	Civil Litigation and Tort Principles	3
LGL 199 or LGL 197	Legal Experience and Ethics or Legal Practicum and Ethics	3-4
<b>Hours</b>		<b>6-7</b>
Fourth Semester		Hours
LGL 211	Civil Litigation and Tort Applications	3
ACC 100	Applied Accounting	3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>36-37</b>

## Notes

### LGL Elective:

Code	Title	Hours
Select six (6) credits from:		
LGL 200	Family Law	3
LGL 230	Will, Trusts, and Estates	3
LGL 241	Administrative Law	3
LGL 242	Business Organizations	3
LGL 243	Bankruptcy Law	3
LGL 244	Labor and Employment Law	3
LGL 246	Elder Law	3

A maximum of twelve (12) PLG (legal specialty) credits may be transferred in from an ABA accredited college or university.

No more than nine (9) specialty credits may be awarded for Credit for Prior Learning assessment by portfolio or exam.

Students must take at least nine (9) semester credits or the equivalent of legal specialty courses through synchronous instruction.