

**Transfer
Plan**

Community College of Baltimore County

A.A.S in Legal Studies to American Public University Bachelor of Science in Legal Studies

1. Students in and graduates of the Associate of Applied Science degree in Legal Studies at Institution that apply to APUS and satisfy all APUS admission requirements may be admitted to APUS (“APUS Students”). APUS Students will receive transfer credit for those specific Institution courses (each a “Course”) as set forth in the Course Equivalency table below.
2. The number of credits transferred may not exceed 90 credit hours, which contribute to the fulfillment of credit hours required for Bachelor of Science degree in Legal Studies completion at APUS.
3. An Institution student must earn a grade of “C” (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) or better in each Institution course for which the student desires transfer credits from APUS.
4. The maximum number of credits that will be accepted by APUS toward degree requirements from non-direct classroom instruction (including CLEP, AP, and other nationally recognized standardized examination scores) is based on annually published national scores with recommended credits. Credit awarded for prior learning assessments (“PLA”) is not recognized by APUS without verification through the APUS PLA process.
5. In the event of a conflict, the following documents shall control (in descending order of priority): the Education Partnership Agreement (EPA), followed by the Articulation Agreement (ART), and lastly this Appendix A.

Course by Course Equivalency (APUS Catalog, 2020-2021; CCBC Catalog, 2020-2021)

CCBC Course	Credits	APUS Equivalent	Credits	Notes
General Education Requirements *Students must complete all courses with a C or better.				
CMNS 101-Fundamentals of Communication	3	No direct equivalent	3	Elective Requirement COMM 120- Information and Digital Literacy waived by completion of CMNS 101
CSIT 101-Technology and Information Systems	3	ITCC 200-Application Software Integration	3	Elective Requirement
ENGL 101-College Composition I	3	ENGL 110-Making Writing Relevant	3	Communication: Writing, Oral, and Multimedia General Education Requirement
General Education Electives *Choose courses from the list of approved <u>General Education Courses</u> . One				

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course must be a Diversity course.				
Arts and Humanities	3	Arts and Humanities General Education course	3	General Education Requirement Will complete an additional 3 credits in Arts and Humanities General Education upon transferring
Biological and Physical Sciences- choose any non-lab General Education Biological and Physical Sciences course	3	Natural Science General Education course	3	Natural Science General Education Requirement
Mathematics	3	Math and Applied Reasoning General Education course	3	Math and Applied Reasoning General Education Requirement
Social and Behavioral Sciences CRJU 101-Introduction to (Criminal Justice Recommended by department)	3	Civics, Political and Social Sciences General Education course	3	Civics, Political and Social Sciences General Education Requirement Will complete an additional 3 credits in Civics, Political and Social Sciences General Education upon transferring
Program Requirements				
ENGL 102-College Composition II	3	ENGL 102-Effectiveness in Writing	3	Communication: Writing, Oral, and Multimedia General Education Requirement
LGST 101-Introduction to Law	3	LSTD 204-Introduction to the Courts	3	Elective Requirement
LGST 103-Legal Research & Writing I	3	LSTD 205-Legal Research and Writing	3	Elective Requirement
LGST 104-Law Office Practices/Legal Ethics	3	LSTD 210-Legal Ethics	3	Major Requirement
LGST 201-Civil Litigation-Practice and Procedure	3	LSTD 201-Litigation	3	Elective Requirement
LGST 202-Criminal Law and Procedure	3	LSTD 203-Criminal Law and Procedure for the Paralegal	3	Elective Requirement

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CCBC Course	Credits	APUS Equivalent	Credits	Notes
LGST 207-Torts	3	No direct equivalent	3	Elective Requirement
LGST 217-Business Organization and Contracts	3	No direct equivalent	3	Elective Requirement
LGST 230-Legal Research and Writing II	3	LSTD 205-Legal Research and Writing	3	Elective Requirement
LGST 273-Internship-Legal Studies	3	No direct equivalent	3	Elective Requirement
Program Electives The following courses are highly recommended by APUS:				
LGST 128/CJRU 128-Civil Rights and Civil Liberties	3	LSTD 301-Constitutional Law	3	Major Requirement
LGST 205-Administrative Law	3	LSTD 300-Administrative Law and Policy	3	Major Requirement
LGST 206-Family Law	3	LSTD 303-Family Law	3	Major Requirement
Total	60		60	

Remaining Courses

Listed below are the APUS courses that a student must complete to meet their graduation requirements. Students who transfer before completing the **Associate of Applied Science in Legal Studies** may have additional program and graduation requirements to take and fewer free electives.

Major Requirements

All transfer students will be required to take a minimum of 30 credits of coursework at APUS. To complete the degree, a student must complete a minimum of 120 credits in total. Completion of the **Bachelor of Science in Legal Studies** requires students to successfully complete the following course work:

APUS Course	Credits	Explanation
APUS General Education Arts & Humanities Course	3	General Education Requirement
APUS General Education History Course	3	General Education Requirement
APUS General Education Civics, Political & Social Sciences Course	3	General Education Requirement

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Electives	21	Choose any additional courses to meet degree requirements
LSTD 207-Civil Practice and Procedure	3	Major Requirement
LSTD 302-Criminal Law	3	Major Requirement
General Concentration Requirements	21	See catalog for course options
LSTD 497-Senior Seminar in Legal Studies	3	Final Program Requirement Must be taken as final course
Total credits to be taken at University	60	120 Credits Needed for Graduation

Additional Provisions

Credit variances in academic placement and credit award can occur based on student course selections and APUS' program requirements.

Any transferable course not used to fulfill General Education or Major/Concentration requirements may be taken. Please note remedial/developmental and vocational credit is not transferrable.