

# PARALEGAL STUDIES

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The Paralegal Studies curriculum prepares students for entry-level employment as paralegals in a variety of professional settings, including law firms, corporations, courts, financial institutions, and government agencies. This Associate in Applied Science program combines specialized coursework in legal studies with a strong foundation in general education. Students gain practical knowledge of legal concepts, procedures, and research skills needed to support attorneys and other legal professionals. Graduates of the program are prepared to pursue careers as paralegals by applying and analyzing legal concepts and drafting legal documents across diverse areas of the law.

## Degrees

- Paralegal Studies - AAS (<https://catalog.kctcs.edu/programs-of-study/aas/paralegal-studies/paralegal-studies-aas/>)

## Certificates

- Civil Litigation - Certificate (<https://catalog.kctcs.edu/programs-of-study/aas/paralegal-studies/civil-litigation-certificate/>)
- Family Law - Certificate (<https://catalog.kctcs.edu/programs-of-study/aas/paralegal-studies/family-law-certificate/>)
- Legal Nurse Consultant - Certificate (<https://catalog.kctcs.edu/programs-of-study/aas/paralegal-studies/legal-nurse-consultant-certificate/>)
- Paralegal - Certificate (<https://catalog.kctcs.edu/programs-of-study/aas/paralegal-studies/paralegal-certificate/>)