

## Butte College 2024-2025

This list includes only the requirements that are commonly seen in transfer and is not a comprehensive list of all the course requirements within the BA Legal Studies program. For a complete list of program requirements, please refer to the University of Massachusetts Global catalog.

Further information regarding the courses below can be found in the University of Massachusetts Global [Course Articulation Database \(CAD\)](#).

### General Education Requirements

Foundation Courses		
LEST 300	Foundations of Law	AJ 4 (Approved Substitution)
LEST 403	Legal Research and Writing	No Comparable Course(s)
LEST 304	Constitutional Governance	No Comparable Course(s)
LEST 306	Business Organizations	No Comparable Course(s)
LEST 462	Ethics in a Legal Environment	No Comparable Course(s)

Degree Requirements & Concentrations/Electives
<p>BA Legal Studies consists of 33 credits in core courses and 12 credits of electives or in courses in a selected area of emphasis to fulfill the 45 credit requirement for the program.</p> <p>Students may choose from the following emphases:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Paralegal Profession</li> <li>2. Business Law</li> </ol> <p>It is possible for transfer courses to meet course requirements within the emphasis area.</p>

**\*Minimum of 30 credits completed in residence at University of Massachusetts Global; 18 of which must be upper-division credits, 12 of which must be in the student's major.**