

Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Advisor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Catalog: 2024-2025 Undergraduate Catalog  
 Program: Pre-Law

**Pre-Law**

The undergraduate curriculum of Peru State provides a sound foundation for pre-law study and offers students an opportunity to challenge and expand their capacities to the fullest. Students planning a legal career should inform their academic advisor of this fact early in their undergraduate years in order to make important decisions regarding the selection of courses. During the junior or senior year, the student will need to register for the Law School Admissions Test (LSAT). Acceptance into law school will depend upon many factors, including scores on the LSAT and grade point average. Other factors generally considered by law schools include campus and community involvement, work experience, and letters of recommendation. The Peru State undergraduate experience provides an excellent opportunity to demonstrate strength in these areas.

**Suggested Pre-law Courses**

Course Name	Credit Hours	Term Taken	Grade	Gen Ed
ANTH 225 - Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	3 Credit Hours			
BUS 251 - Legal Environment & Contract Law	3 Credit Hours			
BUS 252 - Commercial Law	3 Credit Hours			
BUS 468 - Public Administration *	3 Credit Hours			
ACCT 231 - Principles of Financial Accounting	3 Credit Hours			
CJUS 110 - Survey of Criminal Justice	3 Credit Hours			
CJUS 340 - Criminal Procedures & the Courts	3 Credit Hours			
ECON 222 - Principles of Macroeconomics	3 Credit Hours			
ENG 309 - Creative Writing	3 Credit Hours			
ENG 301 - Traditional Grammar	3 Credit Hours			
HIST 113 - American History Before 1865	3 Credit Hours			
HIST 114 - American History After 1865	3 Credit Hours			
HIST 201 - World Civilization Before 1500	3 Credit Hours			
HIST 202 - World Civilization After 1500	3 Credit Hours			
HIST 426 - American Constitutional Law	3 Credit Hours			
PHIL 201 - Introduction to Philosophy	3 Credit Hours			
PSCI 201 - American National Government	3 Credit Hours			
PSCI 202 - State & Local Government	3 Credit Hours			
PSCI 426 - American Constitutional Law *	3 Credit Hours			
PSCI 468 - Public Administration *	3 Credit Hours			
SOC 201 - Principles of Sociology	3 Credit Hours			
• SPCH 254 - Public Speaking <b>3 Credit Hours</b>				
SPCH 357 - Interpretive Reading	3 Credit Hours			
STAT 210 - Statistics	3 Credit Hours			

**Pre-Law Total: 69**

- Students are advised to secure a catalog from the professional school they plan to attend as individual schools may vary in requirements.
- Grades lower than "C-" will not normally be accepted in transfer by other institutions.

Suggested Major Fields of Study: English, History, Business, Social Science, Sociology

\* Denotes cross-listed courses

**Notes:**