



Law

Engage

Endeavour

Excel



Entry Requirements: Ideally Grade 6 or more in English Language and/or History

Pass Rate: 100%

Exam Board: OCR

Trips & Events:

- Bar Mock Trial
- Visits by Legal Personnel
- Revision Lectures at University
- Trip to Supreme Court in London

Student Voice: *"This is an excellent insight into the legal system, even if you don't want to do it at University."*

Student Voice: *"I thought I knew my Rights, until I did Law at A-Level."*

Student Voice: *"I know now why Brexit is so important."*



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A Level Law

OCR Specification

Year 12

To be able to understand and know about the English Legal System; How Law is made in the UK and the Criminal Justice System.

Content:

Component 1: The Legal System and Criminal Law

■ Section A: The Legal System

This section focuses on the civil and criminal courts, the legal professions and access to justice. It will develop knowledge and understanding of the processes and people involved in the law and the changing nature of the legal system.

■ Section B: Criminal Law

This section focuses on the rules and general elements of criminal law and provides an introduction to criminal liability through the study of offences against the person and offences against property, including analysing and evaluating scenario-based situations.

Year 13

To be able to understand and know about the Laws of Tort; how Human Rights are protected and the impact morals have had on the Law.

Content:

Component 2: Law Making and the Law of Tort

■ Section A: Law Making

This section focuses on law making in England and Wales as well as the European Union. It involves the study of law-making methods and their underpinning concepts. It will develop an understanding of legal method and reasoning as used by lawyers and the judiciary.

■ Section B: The Law of Tort

This section focuses on the rules of tort, liability in negligence, occupiers' liability and remedies. It provides an introduction to civil liability, including analysing and evaluating scenario-based situations.

Component 3: Further Law

■ Section A: The Nature of Law

This section focuses on law making in England and Wales as well as the European Union. It involves the study of law-making methods and their underpinning concepts. It will develop an understanding of legal method and reasoning as used by lawyers and the judiciary.

■ Section B: Option 1: Human Rights Law

This option focuses on human rights, including their nature, protection and constitutional position under UK law. Specific rights are explored in detail as are the restrictions upon them and the process of enforcement through the courts, including analysing and evaluating scenario-based situations.

A-Level Assessment

The 3 x 2-hour examinations are at the end of the two-year course, and each is worth 33% of your overall A-Level.

Beyond A-Levels: Future career Aspirations

The A-Level in Law is a useful insight to studying the subject at University. The range of skills and knowledge that is developed opens up many career opportunities such as the legal profession (Solicitor or Barrister), Journalist, the Police, Banking and any aspect of government work.

