

Curriculum Map Year 12 BTEC Law

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Topic Name	Term	Skills developed with link to NC Subject content	Reflection on previous link in the curriculum	Progress to future link in the curriculum
Intro to law	Autumn HT1	Why do we need laws? Brief history of laws Differences between civil and criminal law		
Unit 1 – Part A Intro into civil law	Autumn HT1	Intro into civil law – aim and purpose Courts, judges ADR Legal skills – researching, referencing, appropriate communication	Links with intro on differences between civil and criminal law	Content for Unit 1 exam
Unit 2 – Part A How are laws made and interpreted	Autumn HT1	Legal skills - researching, referencing, appropriate communication Influences on Parliament when making law Process of a law through Parliament <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Types of bill • Advantages and disadvantages of PLM Statutory interpretation		
Unit 1 – Part B Advice and funding	Autumn HT2	Sources of advice Sources of funding Cost of legal action		Content for Unit 1 exam
Unit 2 – Part B Laws made outside of Parliament Complete coursework 1	Autumn HT2	Delegated legislation European legislation		Complete coursework 1
Unit 1 – Part D negligence	Spring HT3	Element needed to prove a claim in negligence Res ipsa loquitur Damages	Links with the earlier unit 1 sections. Given a scenario, what court would it go to? Why? Could they use a method of ADR?	Content for Unit 1 exam Needed for y13 where they build on the basic concept of negligence for psychiatric injury and also claims for economic loss.
Unit 2 – Part D Non-fatal offences against the person	Spring HT3	Actus reus and mens rea Non-fatal offences against the person Sentencing		Links with Unit 3 next year which is on fatal offences against the person
Unit 1 – Part C Judicial precedent	Spring HT4	How precedent works		Relevant to criminal law as well as civil law Content for Unit 1 exam

Unit 2 – Part C Complete coursework 2	<i>Spring HT4</i>	Legal personnel and lay people Financing advice		Complete coursework 2
Revision for Unit 1 Exam	<i>Summer HT5</i>			Prep for Unit 1 exam
Exams	<i>Summer HT6</i>			

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Unit 3 – Part A (and Part of E) Murder and voluntary manslaughter and associated defences	<i>Autumn HT1</i>		Builds on offences against the person from y12.	Content for Unit 3 exam
Unit 7 – Part A and B Psychiatric injury and economic loss Complete coursework 1	<i>Autumn HT1</i>	Element needed to prove a claim in psychiatric injury. In a claim for negligence, you can only claim for consequential economic loss and not 'pure' economic loss. The exception to this is negligent misstatement.	Builds on negligence from y12.	Complete coursework 1
Unit 3 – Part B (and Part of E) Involuntary manslaughter and associated defences	<i>Autumn HT2</i>		Builds on offences against the person from y12.	Content for Unit 3 exam
Unit 7 – Part C OLA and Vicarious liability	<i>Autumn HT2</i>	Element needed to prove a claim in occupier's liability 1) For lawful visitors 2) For non lawful visitors Element needed to prove an employer is vicariously liable.	Builds on negligence from y12.	
Unit 3 – Part C (and Part of E) Property offences and associated defences	<i>Spring HT3</i>			Content for Unit 3 exam
Unit 7 – Part D Private nuisance and RvF nuisance Complete coursework 2	<i>Spring HT3</i>	Elements needed to prove a claim in private nuisance. Elements needed to prove a claim under Rylands v Fletcher		Complete coursework 2
Unit 3 – Part D Police powers	<i>Spring HT4</i>			Content for Unit 3 exam
Assessment of Unit 3	<i>Spring HT4</i>	Scenario practice		Revision for Unit 3
Revision for Unit 3 exam	<i>Summer HT5</i>	Exam preparation		Prep for Unit 3 exam
Exams	<i>Summer HT6</i>			

