

Curriculum Map Year 12 Criminology

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
Unit 1 - Changing Awareness of Crime	<i>Autumn</i> <i>HT1/2/3</i>	Learners will demonstrate understanding of different types of crime, influences on perceptions of crime and why some crimes are unreported. Analysis and evaluative skills gained. Application of knowledge to scenarios.	N/A	Some elements of unit 1 assists learning in unit 2 and 4. Skills used for completing the controlled assessment are also used in unit 3.
Unit 2 - Criminological Theories	<i>Spring</i> <i>HT3/4/5</i>	Learners will gain an understanding of why people commit crime, drawing on what they have learned in Unit 1. Analysis and evaluative skills gained. Application of knowledge to scenarios.	Previous learning in unit 1 is repeated in unit 2 in terms of key terms and concepts.	Some elements of unit 2 assists learning in unit 4.
Unit 3 - Crime Scene to Courtroom	<i>Summer</i> <i>HT6</i>	Learners will develop the understanding and skills needed to examine information in order to review the justice of verdicts in criminal cases. Analysis and evaluative skills gained. Application of knowledge to scenarios.	Skills gained in unit 1 are used for the unit 3 controlled assessment.	Some elements of unit 3 assists learning in unit 4.