

Introduction to Law

Module Code:	SAC3015-B
Academic Year:	2018-19
Credit Rating:	20
School:	School of Social Sciences
Subject Area:	Sociology and Criminology
FHEQ Level:	FHEQ Level 3

Pre-requisites:

Co-requisites:

Contact Hours

Type	Hours
Lectures	24
Directed Study	176

Availability Periods

Occurrence	Location/Period
BDA	University of Bradford / Semester 2 (Feb - May)

Module Aims

This module introduces you to the law and legal system in operation in England and Wales.

Outline Syllabus

What is Law?

Introduction to Law in England and Wales.

Sources of law.

Introduction to various fields of Law, including Civil Law and Criminal law.

Impact of EU law.

Module Learning Outcomes

On successful completion of this module, students will be able to...

- 1 Describe different approaches to law and the legal system; recognise differences between the civil and criminal law; explain broadly the institutions involved in making and administering the law.
- 2 carry out legal research using online resources; and use legal terminology appropriately
- 3 present your work to the acceptable academic standard in written form.

Learning, Teaching and Assessment Strategy

Your learning will be directed, supported and reinforced through a combination of lectures, staff-led tutorials and guided private study. You will be directed to appropriate primary and secondary sources and you will be required to perform research and presentation exercises. You will also be set tasks to monitor your progress in addition to formal assessment. All teaching will be supported by information supplied on VLE, the virtual learning environment.

Mode of Assessment

Type	Method	Description	Length	Weighting	Final Assess'
Formative	Examination - open book or seen paper	Mock examination	1 hour	%	No
Summative	Examination - open book or seen paper	Seen examination	3 hours	100%	Yes

Legacy Code (if applicable)

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Reading List

To view Reading List, please go to [rebus:list](#).