

Module Details	
Module Title	Introduction to Law
Module Code	SAC3015-B
Academic Year	2020/1
Credits	20
School	School of Social Sciences
Subject Area	Sociology and Criminology
FHEQ Level	RQF Level 3
Pre-requisites	N/A
Co-requisites	N/A

Contact Hours	
Type	Hours
Online Lecture (Synchronous)	24
Directed Study	176

Availability	
Occurrence	Location / Period
BDA	University of Bradford / Semester 2
BDA	University of Bradford / Semester 3

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.

Learning Outcomes	
Outcome Number	Description
01	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.
02	carry out legal research using online resources; and use legal terminology appropriately
03	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 the virtual learning environment (VLE). Seen exam, the questions will be released one week before the examination date, 100% weighting, choose any three questions from the list provided. Each answer is up to 1000 words. There is no need to provide a bibliography or reference list.

Mode of Assessment				
Type	Method	Description	Length	Weighting
Summative	Examination - Seen Paper	Seen exam	N/A	100%
Formative	Examination - Seen Paper	Mock examination	1 hour	N/A

Reading List
To access the reading list for this module, please visit https://bradford.rl.talis.com/index.html

Please note:

This module descriptor has been published in advance of the academic year to which it applies. Every effort has been made to ensure that the information is accurate at the time of publication, but minor changes may occur given the interval between publishing and commencement of teaching. Upon commencement of the module, students will receive a handbook with further detail about the module and any changes will be discussed and/or communicated at this point.