#### Course teachers

- Year 12: Mrs V Gray & Mrs Douglas
- Year 13: Mrs V Gray & Mrs Douglas

**Exam board:** Pearson <a href="https://www.pearson.com/uk/">https://www.pearson.com/uk/</a>

#### **Assessment Scheme**

#### In year 12 you will study two units:

- 1. Dispute solving in civil law (externally assessed)
- 2. Investigating criminal law and the legal system.

#### In year 13 you will study a further two units:

- 1. Applying the law (externally assessed)
- 2. Aspects of family law

#### **Course expectations**

- Complete a minimum of 5 hours independent study per week (see middle pages).
- Attend the timetabled after school study sessions - compulsory if you are below your target grade.
- Be resilient. Don't give up. Make the effort that is required to be successful.
- Ask for help when needed

Follow our advice...we know what it takes for you to succeed

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## Sixth Form

### **Start of Course Information**

# BTEC Applied Law Level 3

BTEC Applied Law is a challenging subject. It is a combination of internally and externally assessed assignments. You must be prepared to work hard from the start of the course, be organised in your approach to your studies and meet all deadlines if you want to be successful on this course.

But as a result, Law is also interesting. You get to look at Laws governing negligence, fatal and non-fatal offences (to name but a few) how our legal system works and will better understand the workings of our society.

When you achieve a good grade in BTEC Applied Law, you will open up a world of opportunities.

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## Review the week's class notes for the examination units

- Read through your notes for the exam units
- Rewrite notes from memory and then check
- Learn definitions of key terms and their spelling.
- Summarise notes into revision sheets/posters/mind maps
- Re-do practice questions from lessons to improve them following targets given

Repeat this in short bursts **every** day!

#### Keep on top of coursework!

- Focus in the lessons.
- Ensure that any coursework that you are behind on is caught up with immediately, including if lessons are missed due to absence.
- If you are struggling ask VG or LED for help and arrange a catch up slot.
- If you are working towards a distinction, then you will need to complete additional research and analysis.

## Student description:

You must complete a minimum of 5 hours of independent study per week!

## Read the text book/revision guide/webpages

- Review knowledge following the lessons.
- Complete practice questions from the book chapters covering recent topics for the examination units
- Summarise book notes into revision sheets/posters/mind maps
- Read ahead of the classwork
- Borrow additional books H13

## Complete past paper questions for the examination units

- List the topics which are tested most regularly in the exam units
- Make notes on styles of questions asked on each topic (describe, explain, apply, analyse evaluate etc.)
- Complete questions on recent class topics
- Practise essay questions on key topics studied in class

Complete quizzes to test knowledge on <a href="http://www.e-lawrevision.org.uk/">http://www.e-lawrevision.org.uk/</a>

## Read around the subject to reach Merit and Distinction

- Use alternative text books to read around the subject which can be signed out from VG.
- Review recent classwork topics and complete independent research on cases within these topic areas
- Read ahead on future topics
- Use appropriate websites:

http://e-lawresources.co.uk/Home.php http://www.e-lawrevision.org.uk/

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