



AceTute Y11/12 NSW HSC Legal Studies Syllabus

2014 Revision

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AceTute's Year 11 and 12 Legal Studies courses prepares students not only for the topics conducted under the NSW Department of Education and Training HSC and Preliminary Syllabus, but also for the format and layout of the final and University style exams. Our courses aim to accelerate the topics normally covered by high schools and work at a pace which is comfortable for the student and their parents/caregivers

Legal Studies Year 11 NSW

Term 1: The Legal System

1. Basic legal concepts
2. Sources of contemporary Australian law common law
3. Classification of law
4. Law reform
5. Legal Essay Revision
 - a. Revision of basic essay structure
 - b. Incorporating case law and legislation into essays
 - c. Importance of modern issue discussion in legal studies essays
 - d. Incorporating modern issues examples into essays
 - e. Importance of discussing different viewpoints in essays

Term 2: Law Reform In Action

1. Law reform in action Case 1
2. Law reform in action Case 2
3. Termly Revision

Term 3: The Individual and The Law

1. Your rights and responsibilities
2. Resolving disputes
3. The individual and technology
4. Termly Revision

Term 4: Law in Practice

1. Issue 1
2. Issue 2
3. Final exam Revision

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Legal Studies Year 12 NSW

Term 1: Crime

1. The nature of crime
2. The criminal investigation process
3. Criminal trial process
4. Sentencing and punishment
5. Young offenders
6. International crime
7. Legal Essay Revision
 - a. Revision of basic essay structure
 - b. Incorporating case law and legislation into essays
 - c. Importance of modern issue discussion in legal studies essays
 - d. Incorporating modern issues examples into essays
 - e. Importance of discussing different viewpoints in essays
8. Termly Revision

Term 2: Human Rights

1. The nature and development of human rights
2. Promoting and enforcing human rights
3. Contemporary issue regarding human rights
4. Termly Revision

Term 3: Option 1

1. Option 1
2. Trial Revision

Term 4: Option 2

1. Option 2
2. Final exam Revision

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