

ASSESSMENT GRID: YEAR 12 LEGAL STUDIES 2025

Assessment Task	AT 1	AT 2	AT 3	AT 4	
	Term 4 Week 8B Monday, 2 December 2024 In Class	Term 1 Week 10B Monday, 31 March 2025 In Class	Term 2 Week 7A Thursday, 12 June 2025 In Class / Hand In	Term 3 Year 12 Examination - Week 3/4 As per examination timetable Examination	
Outline / Description	Topic Test – Human Rights Students are to respond to a range of multiple choice and short answer questions under timed conditions. This task will relate to the Human Rights topic.	Essay – Crime Students are to respond to an unseen essay question with explicit reference to a range of legislation, cases, media, international law and documents. The task will relate to the Crime topic.	Research Task – Workplace Students are to research contemporary workplace issues and write responses to unseen questions under timed conditions. The task will relate to the Workplace topic.	Trial HSC Examination Students are to respond to a range of questions in the form of a HSC style examination. This task relates to all topics in the HSC Legal Studies course.	
Outcomes	H2, H3	H1, H4, H5	H8, H9	H6, H7, H10	
Component					Weightings
Knowledge and understanding of course content	15%	10%		15%	40%
Analysis and evaluation		10%	5%	5%	20%
Inquiry and research			15%	5%	20%
Communication of legal information, ideas and issues in appropriate forms	5%	5%	5%	5%	20%
Marks	20%	25%	25%	30%	100%

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Course Outcomes	
H1	Identifies and applies legal concepts and terminology
H2	Describes and explains key features of and the relationship between Australian and international law
H3	Analyses the operation of domestic and international legal systems
H4	Evaluates the effectiveness of the legal system in addressing issues
H5	Explains the role of law in encouraging cooperation and resolving conflict, as well as initiating and responding to change
H6	Assesses the nature of the interrelationship between the legal system and society
H7	Evaluates the effectiveness of the law in achieving justice
H8	Locates, selects, organises, synthesises and analyses legal information from a variety of sources including legislation, cases, media, international instruments and documents
H9	Communicates legal information using well-structured and logical arguments
H10	Analyses differing perspectives and interpretations of legal information and issues