

# Law

## Course overview

Law affects many aspects of our daily lives, yet many people have little knowledge of how the legal system operates and how laws come to be made. This course enables students to gain an understanding of the role of Law in today's society while raising awareness of the rights and responsibilities of individuals. Students will also learn about legal rules and principles and how to apply these to real life situations. At the same time, students will develop their analytical and problem solving skills. In short students will begin to think like legal professionals.

## Exam / Coursework

At HP6 we follow the OCR syllabus. The course is offered over two years. Students will then take three 2 hour papers each worth a third of the overall marks for the full A-Level. There are no coursework components.

## Qualification gained

A-Level in Law

**OCR** - [www.ocr.org.uk](http://www.ocr.org.uk)

## Entry requirements

5 GCSE subjects at a grade 4 or above, which should include a GCSE in English Language or Literature at grade 4 or above.

## Career opportunities

Studying Law is useful for a broad range of degree subjects including, but not limited to, law, media, education, journalism, business management, criminology, social work and politics.

