



LEGAL STUDIES 10, 30



OVERVIEW

What are an individual's rights? Law is relevant to everyday life as we all live within a legal framework. Through the use of realistic scenarios and case studies, students will gain a better understanding of the legal system. This exciting introductory look at the Canadian justice system will include examining how laws directly affect students. This course will also look at various elements of criminal and civil law, and specifically at the Youth Criminal Justice Act.

Additionally, through the use of case studies and mock trials students will have the opportunity to examine a broad range of legal issues relating to personal relationships, contracts of employment, unions and collective bargaining, employment insurance, and workers' compensation in the workplace. Students will also have the opportunity to learn about legal issues that may arise when individuals travel domestically and internationally.

The Legal Studies 30 course will examine controversial issues in Canadian society including landmark judicial decisions, and how those decisions influenced the political, social, and economic environment in Canada.

LEGAL STUDIES 10 (5 CREDITS):

- Private Law
- Public Law
- Relationship/Family Law
- Employment Law
- Criminal Law
- Law and the Traveller

LEGAL STUDIES 30 (5 CREDITS):

- Property Law
- Dispute Resolution
- Negligence
- Small Business Law
- Controversy and Change
- Landmark Decisions