

## Additional Requirements

- English Literature: Grade 5
- English Language: Grade 5

# Law

## Course Leader

Jess Downing

## Examination Board

OCR

## Assessment

There will be 3 written examinations at the end of year 13 which each account for a third of the overall grade achieved.

## What you will study?

Students will begin by studying the English Legal system in order to understand the nature of law in England and Wales.

They will then build on this foundation with the introduction of criminal law. They will learn to analyse and apply this information to a range of questions, focusing particularly on scenario-based questions, in order to form detailed legal arguments.

In year 13 the students will continue to develop their legal knowledge while studying tort law and one additional topic (Contract Law or Human Rights Law).

They will also develop their critical awareness of the law.

**‘True freedom requires the rule of law and justice, and a judicial system in which the rights of some are not secured by the denial of rights to others’.**

- **Jonathan Sacks**

## Future Pathways

Law can open the door to many different university courses and career options, particularly those which require the ability to form a coherent and detailed argument.

Students who study A-Level Law and progress to university do not always choose a law degree; they may study courses such as business, politics or criminology.

Law can also lead to opportunities for apprenticeships in a variety of fields.

## Extra Curricular Opportunities

- Talks from external speakers
- Online summer courses
- Trips to the courts