



# HSIE and your 2022 HSC

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EXPLORE THE LEGAL  
SYSTEM AND HOW IT  
OPERATES



LEARN CRIMINAL AND CIVIL  
LAW



EVALUATE THE  
EFFECTIVENESS OF THE  
LEGAL SYSTEM



EVALUATE LAW REFORM  
AND HOW IT CAN IMPROVE  
THE OPERATION OF LAW

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- ▶ Our society is regulated by a complex set of rules and regulations which both guide and protect individual and community rights. Being well informed about legal issues, including the rights and responsibilities integral to our society, is part of being an active and informed citizen. Students of Legal Studies Stage 6 will develop an understanding of legal concepts and the way the law functions in our society.
- ▶ The syllabus focuses on the way in which law is generated, how it is structured and how it operates in Australian and international contexts. Learning about our legal system will allow students to investigate the way our society operates and the influences that shape it.
- ▶ Students will develop an understanding of the implications that legal decisions can have for Australian society and the ways in which the legal system can affect the lives of Australian citizens. A critical understanding of the processes of reform and change will help students to contribute to making our society more equitable for all.

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- ▶ Police Officer
- ▶ Paralegal
- ▶ Legal Secretary
- ▶ Law Clerk
- ▶ International Relations
- ▶ Solicitor
- ▶ Government and Public Service
- ▶ Journalism and Media
- ▶ Administration and Management
- ▶ Mediation

