

HUMANITIES

Making and Breaking the Law

10MBL

SUBJECT DESCRIPTION:

How does the law affect young people? What rights do they have? How can they influence change to the law? This subject is ideal for students who are interested in these questions. It looks at the key features of the Australian legal system by examining the rights of young people when dealing with criminal and civil law. The importance of the idea of 'justice' is studied by exploring Australian case studies and comparing Australia's approach to the law with that in other countries. A study is made of how laws are made and most importantly, how young people can have a say in the issues they care about and the laws that affect their lives every day.

VCE SUBJECT LINKS

Legal Studies

Australian and Global Politics

THIS SUBJECT ENHANCES LEARNING IN:

Many ways, developing skills in research, analysis, reasoning, critical thinking and writing, that are important for most subjects; as well as encouraging the development of engaged and active citizens.

ASSESSMENT:

Is based a range of tasks that may include:

- Research tasks
- Group presentations
- Coursework
- Tests and the examination

Taking Care of Business

10TCB

SUBJECT DESCRIPTION:

Do you have a nose for business? Can you predict future trends in markets? Do you have what it takes to run your own business? This subject is ideal for those students who want to make their mark in the business world. It looks at the key features of the Australian and Global economy, the enterprising skills and behaviours required by entrepreneurs, and how innovative businesses can find a competitive advantage.

In this unit, students will:

- Identify business opportunities
- Develop skills to market and manage a successful business
- Develop financial literacy and analysis skills
- Understand Australia's role in a global economy
- Develop an understanding of how to best utilize scarce resources

VCE SUBJECT LINKS

Business Management

Economics

Accounting

THIS SUBJECT ENHANCES LEARNING IN:

Developing entrepreneurial and financial literacy skills in research, analysis, reasoning, critical thinking and writing.

ASSESSMENT:

- Case studies
- Research tasks
- Business/marketing plan
- Topic tests
- End of semester exam