

## Street Law

Scope and Sequence 2024-2025

Course Description: This elective course will give students a deeper understanding of the impact of law upon their daily lives. Court structure, criminal procedure, civil rights, and other legal issues will be examined. Criminal law would be the primary focus one semester and civil law the other semester. This course is available to juniors and seniors only.

| Instructional Units             | Days** |            |
|---------------------------------|--------|------------|
|                                 |        | End Date   |
| First Semester                  | 81     |            |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Grading Period  | 43     | 10/18/2024 |
| Supportive Learning Environment | 3      | 08/21/2024 |
| Introduction to Law             | 15     | 09/12/2024 |
| Careers in the Law              | 3      | 09/17/2024 |
| Criminal Law                    | 14     | 10/07/2024 |
| The Criminal Justice Process    | 8      | 10/18/2024 |
| *2 <sup>nd</sup> Grading Period | 38     | 12/20/2024 |
| Juvenile Justice System         | 4      | 10/24/2024 |
| Criminal Offenses               | 14     | 11/15/2024 |
| Torts                           | 6      | 12/02/2024 |
| Consumer Law                    | 5      | 12/09/2024 |
| Family Law*                     | 9      | 12/20/2024 |
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| Second Semester   | 92 | End Date   |
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| 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grading Period                                | 42 | 03/07/2025 |
| Supportive Learning Environment                               | 1  | 01/07/2025 |
| Review of Court Systems                                       | 3  | 01/10/2025 |
| Introduction to Constitutional Law                            | 3  | 01/15/2025 |
| First Amendment: Freedom of Speech                            | 13 | 02/04/2025 |
| First Amendment: Freedom of the Press, Assembly, and Petition | 10 | 02/20/2025 |
| First Amendment: Freedom of Religion                          | 11 | 03/07/2025 |
| *4 <sup>th</sup> Grading Period                               | 51 | 05/29/2025 |
| First Amendment: Freedom of Religion                          | 2  | 03/18/2025 |
| Due Process   | 10 | 04/02/2025 |
| The Right to Privacy  | 9  | 04/15/2025 |
| Discrimination and the Law                                    | 15 | 05/08/2025 |
| Rights and Responsibilities in the Workplace*                 | 14 | 05/29/2025 |
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\* Includes time for Final Exams.

\*\*The length of each unit is a specific number of days, but it is understood that there is a range of +/- a day. The purpose of the flexibility is meant to allow teachers the opportunity to plan for the needs of their students and to accommodate re-teaching or review when necessary. If pre-assessment indicates student mastery could be obtained in a fewer number of days, the additional time could be used for extension or carried into the next unit.

### Instructional Material(s):

McGraw-Hill, Street Law