



Curriculum Document for Business Education

Course Title: **Business Law**

Grade: **11-12**

Learner Objective #1: Student will understand the evolution of the legal system and it's relationship to business and personal situations.

- Explain the stages in the evolution of law
- Common law versus
- Types of laws
- Constitutional, statutory, case and administrative
- Criminal and civil, substantive and procedural law
- Ethics
- Elements present in all crimes – Criminal law
- Criminal Procedure
- Offenses against individuals
- Common intentional torts
- Civil procedure

Learner Objective #2: Student will understand the fundamentals of contracts.

- Offer and Acceptance
- Genuine agreement
- Mutual consideration
- Law of capacity
- Legality of contracts
- Written contracts
- Contractual duties
- Court enforcement of contracts

Learner Objective #3: Student will understand the relationships of contracts to sales and other contractual situations.

- Sales contracts
- Ownership and risk of loss in sales transactions

Learner Objective #4: Student will understand the relationship of law to property.

- Renting Realty
- Insurance
- Wills, Estates and Trusts

Learner Objective #5: Student will understand the relationship of law to employment.

- **Employment Contracts**
- **Unions**
- **Employment Discrimination**
- **Employee Injuries**

Learner Objective #6: Student will understand the relationship of borrowing money and paying bills.

- **Commercial Paper**
- **Negotiability and Negotiation of Commercial Paper**
- **Secured and Unsecured Credit Obligations**
- **Debtors, Creditors, and Bankruptcy**