



LAW: BRIDGING ACTIVITY

Activity One

Undertake some research into how new laws are created in the United Kingdom.

Compile an information sheet of no more than two sides of paper in which you explain this. You must write in your own words that you understand, so no copying directly from elsewhere! Include diagrams if you wish to; these can be copied from elsewhere as long as you understand and explain them.

Activity Two

There are many different areas of law in the United Kingdom. Most of these are listed below. Choose five of these and prepare an information sheet of no more than two sides of paper in which you explain this. You must write in your own words that you understand, so no copying directly from elsewhere!

You must include these points, as well as anything else that you wish to:

1. What this area of law includes.
2. Details of one or two high-profile cases in this area of law.
3. How this area of law can relate to setting up a business.
4. How this area of law can relate to the life of an 'average' adult.

Choose five of these areas of law:

- Constitutional / Administrative Law
- Public Law
- Land Law
- EU Law
- Criminal Law
- Contract Law
- Energy Law
- White Collar Crime
- Financial Markets
- Travel Law

- Sports & Media Law
- Property Law
- Personal Injury Law
- Intellectual Property Law
- Insurance Law
- Human Rights Law
- Family Law
- Environmental Law
- Employment Law
- Corporate Law
- Construction Law
- Commercial Law
- Banking & Finance Law

Activity Three

Create a glossary in which you explain what these terms mean:

- A. Magistrate
- B. Magistrate's Court
- C. Crown Court
- D. High Court
- E. Supreme Court
- F. Legislate
- G. Ratify
- H. House of Commons
- I. House of Lords
- J. Judge
- K. Lawyer
- L. Solicitor
- M. Barrister
- N. Defence
- O. Prosecution
- P. Testimony
- Q. Injunction
- R. Due cause
- S. Fair trial
- T. Appeal

You must use your own words!