

# Introduction to Law

## 1 year course

### (age guide 14 – 16)

<b>Autumn:</b>
Why do we have laws? Laws v rules, where do laws come from (sources of law) civil v criminal law, inside the courtroom looking at solicitors, barristers, judges and juries. Introduction to crime, actus reus and mens rea.

<b>Spring:</b>
Actus reus ,mens rea, transferred malice, causation and non-fatal offences.

<b>Summer:</b>
Sentencing, fatal offences and defences. Theft, Robbery and tort law.