



Course Syllabus

Course #: LEN 1210 Course Name: Criminal Code

Division: Business and Public Service

Class Days: Class Time:
Location: Classroom: Laboratory:
Credit Hours: 3 Contact Hours: 3 Lab Hours: Lecture Hours: 3

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Course Description: A study of the Ohio Criminal Code with emphasis on elements of crimes, frequently used terms and interpretation of criminal statutes.

Prerequisite(s): None

Co-requisite(s): None

Entry Level Skills and Knowledge: It is recommended that the student complete basic courses for college level reading and writing.

Required Texts, Supplies and Equipment:

Ohio Revised Code handbook, latest edition, Anderson Publishing Company (required), note taking materials, notebook (required), Blacks Law Dictionary (optional)

Grading:

- A 100-93%
B 92-86%
C 85-79%
D 78-70%
F 69% or below

Class Participation: This course is designed so that regular attendance is necessary to fully understand the course material. Students are expected to attend all sessions and participate in class discussions. Class participation will account for 10% of your grade.

Exams: There will be 4 exams covering the prior weeks reading and lectures. Exams will be worth 30 points each. The lowest test score will be dropped and the remainder totaled to determine your score.

Learning Outcomes:

General Education: To develop effective oral and written communication skills, and to work effectively in a team setting using problem solving, communication and leadership skills.

Technical: The student will receive instruction in legal definitions, classifications of crimes, penalties and elements of crimes committed in the State of Ohio.

Assessment of Student Learning:

This course may include a project that is one of several that will be used by faculty to assess student academic performance in the program. A panel of faculty will review all (projects or whatever assessment activity you are doing), then assess and summarize the academic performance of students at this point in the program. The results of this assessment will be shared among the department faculty, used to identify needed changes or improvements, and submitted to the Student Academic Assessment Committee as part of the college's overall student academic assessment effort.

Assessment Project and Measurement in course (if any):

Plan of Work:

Session	Date	Activities
Week 1		Definitions. Homicide, Assault, Menacing
Week 2		Kidnapping, Extortion
Week 3		Sexual Assault
Week 4		Prostitution, Obscenity; EXAM
Week 5		Arson and Related Offenses
Week 6		Robbery, Burglary, Trespass and Related Offenses
Week 7		Theft, Fraud and related Offenses
Week 8		Gambling and related offenses; EXAM
Week 9		Liquor Control
Week 10		Drug Offenses
Week 11		Offenses against Public Peace
Week 12		Offenses against the family; EXAM
Week 13		Conspiracy, Attempt, Complicity
Week 14		Offenses against justice and public administration
Week 15		Weapons Offenses
Week 16		FINAL EXAM

Course Requirements:

Complete all assignments as required.

Policies

Course Withdrawing: If for any reason you need to withdraw from this course, be certain that you do so according to College procedure. It is your responsibility to know and follow this procedure. If you simply stop coming to class, without officially withdrawing from the course, your grade is an automatic "F." Please follow official College procedure for withdrawing from this or any course.

College Academic Policies are located in the College Catalog. A copy of the current catalog may be picked up in any of the divisional offices or admissions. The list of college policies is also available online at <https://www.terra.edu/register/Collegecat/policies.asp>.

Support Services: The College offers a number of support services to assist in your success in this course and all courses. Among these services are the Writing & Math Center in B105, the Office of Learning Support Services, which coordinates the campus disability services and tutoring programs, the computer labs, and the computers in the atriums.

Any student who feels he/she may need an accommodation based on the documentation of a disability should the Office of Learning Support Services privately to discuss his/her specific issues. Please contact the OLSS at (419) 334-8400 X 208 or visit 100 Roy Klay Hall (Building A) to coordinate reasonable accommodations.

If you have a documented disability and are receiving academic accommodations through the Office of Learning Support Services, please schedule a meeting with me in a timely manner so that we may discuss how these services will be arranged.

Tutoring services are available to students beginning the second week of every semester. Students requesting tutoring services should obtain a tutor request form from the OLSS in 100 Roy Klay Hall (Building A) or online at the Terra website. Please note that instructor verification and acceptance of the Student Learner Agreement is necessary for all tutoring requests. All requests should be submitted to 100 Roy Klay Hall (Building A).

Cellular phones will be turned off or silenced during the class. Calls may be made during the breaks, or if the call is an emergency, the student will excuse themselves from the classroom and take the call in the hallway.