

Law Summer Homework

Produce a document giving the answers to the following tasks.

Task 1 - Glossary of key words

Find out the legal meaning of the following words:

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| 1. Defendant | 2. Prosecution |
| 3. Trial | 4. Charged |
| 5. Convicted | 6. Sentence |
| 7. Advocacy | 8. Statute |
| 9. Common Law | 10. Mitigation |

Task 2 - Investigate the job roles directly involved in Criminal Law

There are a wide range of jobs directly involved in the criminal law process. As part of the A level, you will learn about:

1. Judges
2. Barristers
3. Solicitors
4. Legal Executives
5. Magistrates

For each of the jobs above explain what they do, with at least 3 examples of their role, what qualifications they need, and do they have a governing body?

Task 3 – Write a paragraph on **one of the following issues, that includes a discussion of both sides of the argument, and then conclude.**

1. A person convicted of murder should never be released from prison.
2. A person who kills an intruder whilst defending their family at home should never be guilty
3. The introduction of a new law allowing 'assisted dying' in certain circumstances is morally good.