

St George's UFC Law courses - 2018/19

Course name	University Foundation Course in Law
University ratifying the course	
Suitable for	<p>This course has been designed to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • raise your academic qualifications to UK university entrance level • raise your English to university level • give you a sound understanding of the nature of law and its role in society • teach you about criminal and civil process • help you understand the sources of national and international law • teach you how to study efficiently prepare you for study methods at a UK university • prepare you for life as a student at a UK university • enable you to mature as you develop crucial personal life skills
Min qualifications required to take the course	Completion of 11-12 years of schooling with documented proof of very good results. English IELTS 5.5 or equivalent (with 5.0 for reading and writing)
Grading	<p>The UFC Diploma is equivalent to one A level.</p> <p>The Final Grade is given as a % : - 90% + = A*; 80%+ = A; 70%+ = B; 60%+ = C Grades below 60% do not normally achieve university entry.</p>
Qualification Level	NQF3
Class Attendance	Students must be present at 95% of classes indicated on their timetables and school registration times

Person corresponding with at the University	
Contact details	
Proposed course start date	

IELTS	✓	Overseas student appropriate	✓
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Course content

Week	Date	Topic	Assessment % per unit
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CHRISTMAS TERM

1	September 12	The Government of the UK The nature and sources of the British Constitution	5%
2	September 19	The structure and role of Parliament The Prime Minister and Cabinet	
3	September 26	The politics of the UK Democracy Elections and referendums Political Parties Pressure groups	5%
4	October 03	The European Union Aims and key treaties Single European Act	5%
5	October 10	Institutions of the EU The impact of EU policies Debate on EU membership	
6	October 17	Mid term assessment and trips week	5%
7	October 24	Half term	
8	October 31	The nature of law Law and society Law and morality Law and justice The rule of law	5%
9	November 07	Law making Parliamentary law making Delegated legislation Statutory interpretation	5%
10	November 14	Judicial precedent Law reform The European Union	
11	November 21	The legal system The civil courts and other forms of dispute resolution The criminal courts and lay people	5%
12	November 28	Legal personnel and the judiciary Access and funding	
13	December 05	Trips week	
14	December 12	Exams	5%

EASTER TERM

1	January 09	Criminal Law Theory in criminal law	5%
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		Theory in criminal law Elements of Liability	
2	January 16	General elements of Liability Non-fatal offences against the person Property offences Preliminary offence Defences	
3	January 23	Rules of contract law Theory of contract Essential requirements	5%
4	January 30	Contract terms General Specific terms implied by statute law in relation to consumer contracts Exclusion clauses Vitiating factors	5%
5	February 06	Discharge of a contract Remedies	
6	February 13	Half Term	
7	February 20	The rules of tort law Theory of tort law Liability in negligence	5%
8	February 27	Physical injury to people and damage to property Economic loss and psychiatric injury	
9	March 06	Occupiers' liability Nuisance and the escape of dangerous things	
10	March 13	Vicarious liability	
11	March 20	Defences Remedies	
12	March 27	Assessment	5%

SUMMER TERM

1	April 24	Rules in Human Rights law Theory in Human Rights	5%
2	May 01	Human Rights in international law Human Rights in the United Kingdom prior to the Human Rights Act 1998	
3	May 08	Human Rights in the United Kingdom after the enactment of the Human Rights Act 1998 The European Convention on Human Rights 1953	
4	May 15	Article 2 Article 5 Article 8 Article 10 Article 11	
5	May 22	Restrictions Enforcement Human Rights	

6	May 29	Half Term	
7	June 5	Final Examination – Two hours	30%
8	June 12	Certification	
9	June 19	END OF TERM	
10	June 26		