SOC 041 Introduction to Legal English for Erasmus Students

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- 1. Introduction, syllabus, requirements, aims, literature, etc. What is law?
- 2. The legal system: bodies of law, sources of law common law, equity
- 3. The legal system: sources of law -types of laws
- 4. Explaining what a law says and classification of law
- 5. Types of courts: civil courts, persons in court and documents in court
- 6. Types of courts: criminal courts and persons in court
- 7. Legalese and legal Latin
- 8. A career in the law, lawyers at work, legal education
- 9. A lawyer's CV, law firm structure and its description
- 10. Practice areas and law firm culture
- 11. presentations
- 12. presentations