

**Canadian and International Law
CLN4U1**

Knowledge	Skills
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Major legal scholars and their legacy to our modern justice system • Significant understanding of key documents related to human rights and civic responsibility i.e. : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms – Bill of Rights – International Declaration of Human Rights – Provincial Human Rights Code – Student code of Conduct • Understand all aspects of Canadian criminal law and court system with a focus on case studies and an emphasis on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - presumed innocence - right not to be identified - punishment - crime rates and statistical analysis • Understanding of the similarities and differences between the Canadian and American legal systems i.e. : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - British heritage - death penalty - gun control - freedom of press • A familiarity with key international organizations dealing with law and the individuals who have influenced the activities of these organizations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Critical thinking analysis of textual and audio visual sources • Essay writing, with proper citations (1000 – 1500 words) • Seminar skills / oral presentation • Exam preparation for extensive 3 hour exam • Analysis of political cartoons • Statistical analysis, including municipal, regional and national • Use of primary source documents including case transcripts, philosopher's writing, etc.

i.e. : The United Nations, NGOs, NAFTA, the G8, the WTO, the IMF and NATO and Canadian figures such as John Humphrey and Lester Pearson

- Labour law, including employment standards and their implications
- International labour law regarding issues like child labour and women in the workplace.