



Wayne County Community College District

COURSE SYLLABUS

BL 201 Business Law I

CREDIT HOURS: 4.00

CONTACT HOURS: 60.00

COURSE DESCRIPTION: A survey of the American legal system design to develop an understanding of the fundamentals of business law. Classes are conducted by using text and actual case studies for the purpose of observing the development and application of legal principles in a business activity. Topics covered include the nature of law, courts and courts procedures, crimes and torts, contracts, sales and negotiable instruments.

EXPECTED COMPETENCIES:

Upon completion of this course the student will:

1. Demonstrate competency of the legal framework within which business organizations should operate.

ASSESSMENT METHODS:

Student performance may be assessed by examination, quizzes, case studies, oral conversation, group discussion, oral presentations. The instructor reserves the option to employ one or more of these assessment methods during the course.

GRADING SCALE:

90%-100% = A
80%-89.9% = B
70%-79.9% = C
60%-69.9% = D
<60% = E