

LAW PATHWAY

ESSENTIAL CORE SUBJECTS

✓ Law



CAREER TIPS



FURTHER RECOMMENDED SUBJECTS

We recommend that you choose a further subject from the following list to complement your studies:

- ✓ Criminology
- ✓ English Literature
- ✓ English Language and literature
- ✓ French/Spanish
- ✓ Sociology
- ✓ Psychology
- ✓ Government and Politics
- ✓ History
- ✓ Business Studies
- ✓ Mathematics

These subjects are recommended however other options are available. (Subject choice may differ at Campus locations, please see Coleg Gwent prospectus for details.)

WELSH BACCALAUREATE



During the course of your studies you will have the opportunity to complete an Individual Project which gives you the freedom to focus on a study topic of your choosing. We would encourage you to think about an area of focus that complements your pathway studies and supports your progression to university. The Welsh Baccalaureate will count towards UCAS points.

ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES

These are an example of activities and they may differ on each of our Campus locations.

- ✓ The Seren programme
- ✓ Visit local and national universities for masterclasses in a range of current and challenging topics.
- ✓ Opportunities for work experience, shadowing and placements are offered with a range of university and industry partners for example the Social Mobility Foundation and the Sutton Trust University shadowing programme.
- ✓ Opportunities to attend Law mock trials, visits to Cardiff and Swansea Crown Courts, debates at the Senedd, Welsh Parliament.



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LEGAL

- ✓ Barrister
- ✓ Legal Executive
- ✓ Paralegal
- ✓ Legal Secretary



SOCIAL

- ✓ Probation Officer
- ✓ Police Officer
- ✓ Prison Officer
- ✓ Youth Worker



POPULAR UNIVERSITIES FOR THESE PATHWAYS



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