



GCE AS/A level

1251/01

LAW – LA1

**UNIT 1: Understanding Legal Values, Structures
and Processes**

P.M. TUESDAY, 17 May 2016

1 hour 30 minutes plus your additional time allowance

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

In addition to this examination paper, you will need a 12 page answer book.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Use black ink, black ball-point pen or your usual method.

Answer TWO questions.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

Each question carries 25 marks.

The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question or part-question.

You are reminded that assessment will take into account the quality of written communication used in your answers.

Answer TWO questions.

1(a) Explain the role of bail in the Criminal Justice System. [14]

(b) Discuss the effect of the law relating to bail. [11]

2(a) Explain the impact on trial by jury by the Criminal Justice Act 2003. [14]

(b) Discuss the alternatives to jury trial. [11]

3(a) Explain how conditional fee agreements and damages-based agreements work. [14]

(b) Discuss whether there is equality of access to justice in England and Wales. [11]

- 4(a) Explain the role of the Court of Justice of the EU. [14]
- (b) Discuss the role of Equity in English and Welsh Law. [11]
- 5(a) Explain the Rule of Law doctrine. [14]
- (b) Discuss the extent to which the law promotes morality. [11]
- 6(a) Explain the emphasis on Alternative Dispute Resolution in the Civil Justice System of England and Wales. [14]
- (b) Discuss the role of Tribunals in the English and Welsh Legal System. [11]

END OF PAPER