

**WILMINGTON UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE OF SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES
COURSE OUTLINE**

FACULTY MEMBER:

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legal positions, and answer questions about the readings.

B. Homework & Mastering the Bluebook (15% of grade)

You will have homework of some sort due almost every week. In some weeks, it will be exercises from the textbook. Other weeks, it may be something else. You also need to complete the required Mastering the Bluebook units as listed in the syllabus.

[**Note:** I am aware that life happens and that can interfere with completing assignments in a timely manner. I will set due dates for assignments; however, I will not deduct points for *anything* submitted up to 1 week late. After that, I will deduct 10% per week for each week that it is late including the first week.]

C. Discussion Board (15% of grade)

You will be doing discussion board assignments throughout the semester. Your post should be well-written and include citations where necessary. You should submit your initial post by 11:59 p.m. on

D. Office Memorandum (10% of grade)

You will prepare a well-reasoned office memorandum on one of the assigned problems. You must use proper Bluebook format for all citations.

E. Core Grammar (10% of grade)

Core Grammar grades lessons as complete/incomplete. You must _____ section in the Core Grammar software. If you _____ - _____ re-test, you must launch the lesson, _____ section. There

	Core Grammar:	Set up account & link to class Pre-Test
	Mastering the Bluebook:	Set up account & link to class Section 1, Exercise Set 1
	Discussion Board:	See Canvas
	Test:	Quiz on Chapters 14 & 15
Week 2	Textbook:	Read Chapter 1: Introduction to Legal Principles and Authorities Read Chapter 2: Introduction to Legal Research & Analysis
	Other:	None
	Bluebook:	None
	Homework:	Chapter 1: Assignments 3 & 5 Chapter 2: Assignments 1 & 3
	Core Grammar:	Lessons A.1 & A.2
	Mastering the Bluebook:	Section 1, Exercise Set 2
	Discussion Board:	See Canvas
	Test:	Quiz on Chapters 1 & 2
Week 3	Textbook:	Read Chapter 3: Constitutions, Statutes, Administrative Law, and Court Rules Research & Analysis Read Chapter 9: Legal Analysis - Key Facts
	Other:	None
	Bluebook:	None
	Homework:	Chapter 3: Assignments 12, 13, & 14 Chapter 9: Assignments 1, 2, 7, 9, & 10

Bluebook: None
Homework: Brief these cases found in Canvas:
State v. Hitchens
Richmond v. Knowles
Core Grammar: Lessons B.1 & B.2
Mastering the Bluebook: Section 1, Exercise Set 6
Discussion Board: See Canvas
Test: Quiz on Chapter 4

Week 5
Textbook: Read Chapter 10: Legal Analysis: Issue Identification
Spotting the Issue
Read Chapter 11: Legal Analysis: Stating the Issue
Other: None
Bluebook: None
Homework: Brief these cases found in Canvas:
Gallick v. Barto
Morgan v. Kroupa
Chapter 10: Assignments 1, 2, 5, 6, & 7
Chapter 11: Assignments 1, 2, 7, 8, 9, & 10
Core Grammar: Lessons B3. & B.4
Mastering the Bluebook:

