



## **Bar Practice Course**

**Full-Time / Part-Time Study from September 2023**

## **Course Demands**

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## Introduction

This document is produced by The University of Law (the University) to provide information about the demands of the course for prospective students.

The information included is an indicative guide for the full-time and part-time courses commencing in September 2023 and January 2024. Students who enrol on the course will be subject to the course regulations in force at that time.

Details of the course/s including subject coverage and the learning environment, can be found on the University website.

## Preliminary Knowledge

The Bar Standards Board expects students starting the Bar Practice Course (BPC) to have a basic knowledge of crime, contract, tort, property, equity and trusts, the structure of the court system, remedies, offences, causes of action and defences, property interests and EU law and constitutional law. It is also assumed that students should be able to:

Listen effectively

Engage in oral discussion in a clear and concise fashion

Record or summarise a discussion



## Campus Attendance

Learning format	Hours Full Time (Indicative)	Hours Part
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## Assessment and learning adjustments

If you have any queries regarding support or adjustments whilst studying at the University of Law please contact the Disability and Inclusion Service on [disabilitysupportservice@law.ac.uk](mailto:disabilitysupportservice@law.ac.uk) or 01483 216657.

## Summary of Assessment Demands

This course typically contains the following types of assessment:

### Coursework

Type of Coursework	Detail (eg Word limit, coursework format)	Timing of the coursework
Opinion Writing and Legal Research. Written assignment.	4000 word limit for the Opinion Writing. No word limit for the linked (but separately assessed) Legal Research trail.	7 days. Takes place towards the end of the FT course and in Year 2 of the PT course.

### Oral Assessments

Type of Oral Assessment	Detail of Assessment – including expected preparation time, assessment duration	Timing of the oral assessment
Civil Advocacy, Criminal Advocacy Examination in Chief and Cross Examination, Conference skills	Papers are released in advance of the assessment (minimum release of 7 days in	

## Formal examinations

<b>Examination</b>	<b>Number of exams, type of exam and standard duration</b>	<b>Timing – when during the course do these exams take place</b>
Litigation Criminal and Civil		

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