



OTHM LEVEL 5 EXTENDED DIPLOMA IN LAW

Qualification Number: 610/1961/6

Course Overview

The objective of the OTHM Level 5 Extended Diploma in Law qualification is to give learners the opportunities to develop knowledge and understanding of core legal principles and help build foundational professional and research skills. Learners will study level 4 and 5 units, worth 120 credits per academic year with a total credit value of 240 credits (equivalent to the first 2 years of an honours degree). These qualifications are designed to provide opportunities for learners to acquire a broad range of knowledge and understanding and to develop a range of skills essential for a successful career in law, The qualification also provides the underpinning knowledge of the law contributing to preparation for the Solicitors Qualifying Examination.

Course Mandatory units

- An Introduction to the English Legal System
- Academic Writing and Research Skills for Law
- Contract Law
- Business Law
- Public Law
- Criminal Law
- Company Law and Corporate Governance
- Employment Law
- International Business Law
- Land Law
- Tort Law
- Legal Research Methods and Professional Skills



Entry Requirements

These qualifications are designed for learners who are typically aged 18 and above.

The entry profile for learners is likely to include at least one of the following:

- Relevant Level 3 Diploma
- GCE Advanced level in 2 subjects or equivalent qualification
- Mature learners (over 21) with relevant management experience
(learners must check with the delivery centre regarding this experience prior to registering for the programme)



Assessment and Verification

All units within this qualification are internally assessed by the centre and externally verified by OTHM. The qualifications are criterion referenced, based on the achievement of all the specified learning outcomes. To achieve a 'pass' for a unit, learners must provide evidence to demonstrate that they have fulfilled all the learning outcomes and meet the standards specified by all assessment criteria. Judgement that the learners have successfully fulfilled the assessment criteria is made by the assessor. The assessor should provide an audit trail showing how the judgement of the learners' overall achievement has been arrived at. Specific assessment guidance and relevant marking criteria for each unit are made available in the Assignment Brief document.

Course Material

Course material, including presentations; handouts, assignment briefs and e-books are made available to enrolled learners. In addition to this, the learners also get the course handbook and tutorial via emails to support the learning.

Online Learning

The learner sets the pace for learning and the courses are offered across an academic year basis. Although our tutors encourage the learners to make progress monthly, but this approach is flexible.

Progressions

Successful completion of the OTHM Level 5 Extended Diploma in Law provides learners the opportunity for a wide range of academic progressions including the OTHM Level 7 in International Business Law. As this qualification is approved and regulated by Ofqual (Office of the Qualifications and Examinations Regulation), learners are eligible to gain direct entry into Year 3 of a three-year UK Bachelor's degree programme. For more information visit University Progressions page.

Fees £1500 + VAT for online learning

£3250 (6 months) Classroom-based learning

The fee includes registration, assessment, teaching, and certification. There is no other hidden cost.

Key Facts

Awarding Body: OTHM Qualifications

Course Duration: 6-9 months

Method of study: Full Time

Qualification Level: 5

Disclaimer

We do everything we can to ensure that information on our website is correct. However, details may change and we cannot accept responsibility for errors or omissions. For more detailed information about the course visit <https://othm.org.uk/othm-level-5-extended-diploma-in-law.html>



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