Pacing Guide

Content Area: Social Studies
Course(s): Sample Course
Time Period: September
Length: 180 Days
Status: Published

Unit Pacing Guide



Belleville Public Schools Unit Pacing Guide

Content Area: Social Studies

Course(s): Introduction to Legal Studies

Time Period: Full-Year

Division of Units / Topics:

| Unit Plan 1 Legal Reasoning | |
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| Critical Thinking Problem Solving Mini-Mock Trial | 35 |
| Unit Plan 2 | |
| The Rule of Law | 35 |
| • The origins of the rule of law | |
| • The application of the rule of law | |

| • Sources of law | |
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| Unit Plan 3 How Laws are Created | |
| now Laws are Created | 40 |
| The Structure of the U.S. Government | |
| The power of each branches of government | |
| The Legislative Process | |
| Unit Plan 4 | |
| Your Legal Rights and Responsibilities | 35 |
| Young drivers and the law | |
| Resolving legal disputes | |
| Social media legal issues | |
| Unit Plan 5 | |
| Advocacy and Public Speaking | |
| | 35 |
| Analyze various case law | |
| Legal research and writing | |
| Gathering, organizing, and presenting information | |
| Mock Trials | |
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