

Year 11  
Legal Studies  
Term 3  
Holiday Homework  
2017

Tasks:

Watch the Movie Erin Brockovich – it stars Julia Roberts.

While watching take note of all the legal terminology, pretrial procedures and dispute resolution methods used to settle the dispute. Also take note of the how precedent was used.

Prepare for your SAC first week back by completing all chapter work and all the case studies we have been working on in class.

For your SAC:

- The following Key Knowledge will be assessed:
  - the role of the court hierarchy in civil disputes
  - the civil jurisdiction of courts in the Victorian court hierarchy
  - methods of civil dispute resolution, including mediation, conciliation, arbitration and judicial determination
  - purpose and operation of civil pre-trial procedures
  - an overview of the adversarial nature of a civil trial
  - civil remedies and their purpose
  - difficulties faced by parties when attempting to resolve civil disputes.
  - The role of the judge
  
- The following key skills will be assessed:
  - define key legal terminology and use it appropriately
  - apply legal principles to relevant civil cases and issues
  - evaluate methods of dispute resolution relevant to civil cases
  - explain and evaluate the procedures used by courts when resolving civil disputes
  - analyse the effectiveness of civil remedies
  - consider and explain difficulties faced by parties in dispute resolution.

Use Edmodo and email if you have any questions. Have a good holiday.