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CRIMINOLOGY, DEAKIN UNIVERSITY



Senior School Subjects

- Year 11 – English, Mathematical Methods, Hospitality Units 3 + 4 Early Advancement, Business Management Units 3 + 4 Early Advancement, Legal Studies.
- Year 12 – English Language, Further Mathematics, Legal Studies, Accounting, Health and Human Development.

What resources did you use to choose subjects? I spoke to the College Career Adviser and she was able to give suggestions as well as getting advice off friends and other students in my Learning Mentor. Looking at university courses that I was interested in also helped to give an indication of the subjects that were required.

What is your course like? The course is very interesting. It gives a general overview of all forms of crime such as cyber crime, terrorism and crimes that individuals and businesses commit. The course also has a lot of flexibility with the subjects you can study as it doesn't have a heap of core subjects that you are required to complete. So if you are interested, it could be worth considering doing a double degree in Criminology/ Psychology or Criminology/Forensic Science.

What are some of the best parts of the course? I love that the course focuses on all aspects of crime and that it's not limited on the areas it covers. I also love that within the subjects you are given the choice of what you will write your essay on. By allowing this, you are able to focus on areas that you are interested in!

How have the subjects at school prepared you for your course? Studying Legal Studies helped to give me an overview of crime and law. Criminology incorporates both of these areas and having studied Legal Studies it gave me an understanding of law and how people can be charged, so when aspects of this were being discussed, I understood what was being said.

Course information: Bachelor of Criminology, Deakin University, <http://bit.ly/1F5wpx8>