



HSIE ASSESSMENT TASK NOTIFICATION

HSC LEGAL STUDIES

2014

TOPIC: Human Rights

TASK NO: 2

TASK VALUE: 25%

TASK: Hand-in research assessment

DUE DATE: Monday 10th March 2014 before 8.55am in PAC

TASK REQUIREMENTS:

- Using **credible** legal research sources, complete a 1000 word essay addressing the following question

With reference to human trafficking and slavery, **evaluate** the role of law reform in the protection of human rights.

- Sources must be acknowledged **within** the essay & in the bibliography.
- It is expected that **research includes contemporary domestic and international law reform.**

OUTCOMES ASSESSED:

H1: identifies and applies legal concepts and terminology

H2: describes and explains key features of and the relationship between Australian and international law

H3: analyses the operation of domestic and international legal systems

H4: evaluates the effectiveness of the legal system in addressing issues

H8: locates, selects, organises, synthesises and analyses legal information from a variety of sources including legislation, cases, media, international instruments and documents

H9: communicates legal information using well-structured and logical arguments

H10: analyses differing perspectives and interpretations of legal information and issues.

Marking Criteria

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comprehensively evaluates the role of law reform in the protection of human rights using explicit criteria • Clear and synthesised reference to human trafficking and slavery • Comprehensive and accurate use of domestic legislation, cases, media and international instruments/documents • Sustained, logical arguments presented with clear and accurate use of legal terminology and concepts 	21-25
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attempts to evaluate the role of law reform in the protection of human rights by applying criteria • Adequate reference to human trafficking and slavery • Clear use of domestic legislation, cases, media and international instruments/documents • Mostly logical arguments presented with accurate use of legal terminology and concepts 	16-20
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discusses the role of law reform in the protection of human rights • Some reference to human trafficking and slavery • Some use of domestic legislation, cases, media and/or international instruments/documents • Mostly accurate use of legal terminology and concepts 	11-15
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outlines the role of law reform in the protection of human rights • Minimal reference to human trafficking and slavery • Minimal use of domestic legislation, cases, media and/or international instruments/documents • Some use of legal terminology and concepts 	6-10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifies human trafficking and slavery with limited reference to the role of law reform • No use of domestic legislation, cases, media and/or international instruments/documents • Limited/no use of legal terminology and concepts 	0-5

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