

SYLLABUS
Faculty of Law

Course Unit Code	Course Title	Credits		ECTS Value
LAW-155	Introduction to Law	(2-0-2) 2		7
Prerequisite Courses:	-			
Language of Instruction:	Turkish	Lesson Teaching Style:	Face to face	
Course Type and Level:	Compulsory / Undergraduate			
Title, Name and Surname of the Instructor of the Course		Course Hours	Office Hours	Communication
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Course Coordinator:	Prof. Dr. M. Tevfik ODMAN			
Objectives of the Course				
Course Learning Outcomes	Upon successful completion of this course, the student will be able to:		Relations	
			Program Outcomes	Net Contribution
	1	Explain the basic concepts and universal principles of law.	1	5
	2	Compare legal rules with other rules of social order and define and contrast sanction concepts.	2	5
	3	Have an idea about the general development of law and can explain general information about both public law and private law branches.	4	5
	4	Explain rule-making methods.	3	5
Course Description:	The rules and sources of social order and their sanctions, the sources of law, basic concepts, the concepts of right, law, equity, justice and the distinctions of law will be discussed.			
Course Contents: (Weekly Lesson Plan)				
Week	Topic	Preparation		Teaching Methods and Techniques
1	Social Life-Social Order-Law - Obligation to Live Collectively - Types of Social Order Rules * Religious Rules * Code of Ethics * Etiquette and Etiquette Rules * Comparison of Social Order Rule Types Analysis of the Rule of Law Limitation of Freedom by the Rule of Law Objectives of Law	N. Bilge, INTRODUCTION-SOCIAL LIFE-SOCIAL ORDER-LAW Textbook, Page. 1-22		Lecture and Discussion (Discussion and Demonstration / Cooperative learning / Out-of-class Learning / Authentic Learning – In the last lesson, groups of students are formed. Each group is given research topics on the difference between the rules of law and other rules of social order. In the last lesson of the following weeks, the work/presentation of the selected groups is listened to and discussed interactively.
2	Sanction in Law	N. Bilge,		Lecture and Discussion

	- Sanction Concept-Types of Sanction - Historical Development of Sanctions - Various Meanings of the Word Law - Positive Positive Law - Natural (Ideal Law) - Law Objectives - Jurisprudence - Sources of Positive Law - Customary Law - Occurrence and Conditions - Types of Traditions and Their Importance - Benefits and Drawbacks of Customary Law - Written Law - The Concept of Written Law	INTRODUCTION-SOCIAL LIFE-SOCIAL ORDER-LAW Textbook, Page. 23,29- CHAPTER ONE-Pages 30-45	(Discussion and Demonstration / Cooperative learning / Out-of-class Learning / Authentic Learning – In the last lesson, the work/presentation of the selected work groups formed in the previous week is listened to and discussed interactively.
3	Laws as the Source of Law Types of Laws According to Their Degree of Validity Judicial Review of the Constitutionality of Laws In general Situation in Turkish Law Statutes and Regulations Written Legal Rules in Terms of Application General Concept Types of Legal Rules	N. Bilge, Course Book, CHAPTER ONE- Pages 47-72	Lecture and Discussion (Discussion and Demonstration / Cooperative learning / Out-of-class Learning / Authentic Learning – In the last lesson, the work/presentation of the selected work groups formed in the previous week is listened to and discussed interactively.
4	Legislative Movements The Concept of Enactment and Its Reasons Political-National-Economic and Scientific Factors Methods of Enactment Diverse Legal Systems Roman Law-Germanic Legal System Islamic Legal System Socialist Legal System Common Law (Anglo Saxon Law) System Major Legislative Movements Corpus Juris Civilis Prussian general Homeland Law Legalization in France Legalization in Austria Enactment in Germany Legalization in Russia The English Legal System Legalization Period in Turkey Law in Pre-Tanzimat Ottoman Society The Period from the Tanzimat to the Republic	N. Bilge, Course Book, CHAPTER ONE- Pages 75-97	Lecture and Discussion (Discussion and Demonstration / Cooperative learning / Out-of-class Learning / Authentic Learning – In the last lesson, the work/presentation of the selected work groups formed in the previous week is listened to and discussed interactively.
5	The Period Starting with the Republic Case Law The Concept of Jurisprudence in General Judicial Precedents Scientific Case Law	N. Bilge, Course Book, CHAPTER ONE Pages 98-106, CHAPTER TWO- Pages 106-119	Lecture and Discussion (Discussion and Demonstration / Cooperative learning / Out-of-class Learning / Authentic Learning – In the last lesson, the work/presentation of the

			selected work groups formed in the previous week is listened to and discussed interactively.
6	The Division of Law into Branches Two Main Branches of Positive Law Private Law-Public Law Civil Law Commercial and Intellectual Law Private International Law Parts of Public Law Constitutional (Main Organization) Law Historical Development of Turkish Constitutional Law Basic Principles of the Turkish Constitution	N. Bilge, Course Book, CHAPTER TWO Pages 119-136, SECOND SECTION Page 149	Lecture and Discussion (Discussion and Demonstration / Cooperative learning / Out-of-class Learning / Authentic Learning – In the last lesson, the work/presentation of the selected work groups formed in the previous week is listened to and discussed interactively.
7	State Organs According to the Constitution	N. Bilge, Course Book, CHAPTER TWO Pages 119-136, CHAPTER TWO SECTION TWO Pages 138-148	(Discussion and Demonstration / Cooperative learning / Out-of-class Learning / Authentic Learning – In the last lesson, the work/presentation of the selected work groups formed in the previous week is listened to and discussed interactively.
8	Midterm Exam		
9	Midterm Exam		
10	Administrative Law Administrative Organization Administrative Staff Legal Actions of the Administration Supervision of the Administration Criminal Law Criminal Law Departments Disciplinary Criminal Law Criminal Capacity	N. Bilge, Course Book, CHAPTER TWO CHAPTER TWO Pages 149-160	(Discussion and Demonstration / Cooperative Learning / Out-of-Class Learning / Authentic Learning - Student groups are formed at the end of the lesson. For out-of-class preparation, a current news item (e.g. a contract dispute, a crime reflected in newspaper reports, etc.) is asked to find and analyze this case with legal concepts.)
11	Trial Laws Civil Procedure Law Criminal Procedure Law Administrative (Management) Judiciary State Law (General Public Law) The Concept of State Structure of the State Principles of State Administration Public Law of States Financial and Labor Law	N. Bilge, Textbook, CHAPTER TWO SECTION TWO Pages 160-185	Lecture and Discussion (Discussion and Demonstration / Cooperative learning / Out-of-class Learning / Authentic Learning – In the last lesson, the work/presentation of the selected work groups formed in the previous week is listened to and discussed interactively.
12	The Criterion of the Distinction between Public Law and Private Law Basis of Law Theories Considering Law as a Product of Conscious Will Theories That Consider Law Out of Will Enforcement of Laws The Situation of Laws Touching the Past Application of Laws in Terms of Meaning Types of Comments	N. Bilge, Course Book, CHAPTER TWO SECTION TWO, Pages 186-217	Lecture and Discussion (Discussion and Demonstration / Cooperative learning / Out-of-class Learning / Authentic Learning – In the last lesson, the work/presentation of the selected work groups formed in the previous week is listened to and discussed interactively.

	Interpretation Methods Logical rules used in interpretation The Judge's Creation of Law and Discretion		
13	Legal Relations and Rights Legal Relationship and the Concept of Right Types of Rights Public Rights Special Rights Special Rights According to Their Qualifications Absolute Right-Relative Rights Types of Absolute Rights Relative Rights and Their Types Special Rights According to Their Subject Special rights according to their purpose or effect Eligible Person The Concept of Right Holder and Types of Persons Real Person Legal Entity Characteristics and Births of Legal Entities	N. Bilge, Course Book, Chapter THREE, Pages 219-251	Lecture and Discussion (Discussion and Demonstration / Cooperative learning / Out-of-class Learning / Authentic Learning – In the last lesson, the work/presentation of the selected work groups formed in the previous week is listened to and discussed interactively.
14	Types of Legal Entities Public Law Legal Entities Private Law Legal Entities State-Owned Enterprises (Organizations) Subject of the Right The Concept of Right Types of Goods as the Subject of the Right Acquisition and Loss of Rights Facts Gaining or Losing Rights Goodwill in the Acquisition and Use of Rights (Goodwill)	N. Bilge, Course Book, THIRD CHAPTER, Pages 251-270	Lecture and Discussion (Discussion and Demonstration / Cooperative learning / Out-of-class Learning / Authentic Learning – In the last lesson, the work/presentation of the selected work groups formed in the previous week is listened to and discussed interactively.
15	Legal Acts and Legal Transactions Legal Actions Legal proceedings Types of Legal Transactions Inter-Provider and Testamentary Transactions Transactions with Consideration and Transactions Without Consideration Transactions Without Reason Public Transactions	N. Bilge, Course Book, Chapter THREE, Pages 270-284	Lecture and Discussion (Discussion and Demonstration / Cooperative learning / Out-of-class Learning / Authentic Learning – In the last lesson, the work/presentation of the selected work groups formed in the previous week is listened to and discussed interactively.
16	Protection of Rights Protection of Rights Protection of Rights by the Right Holder Protection of Rights by the State	N. Bilge, Course Book, CHAPTER FOUR, pp. 270-290	Lecture and Discussion (Discussion and Demonstration / Cooperative learning / Out-of-class Learning / Authentic Learning – In the last lesson,

			the work/presentation of the selected work groups formed in the previous week is listened to and discussed interactively.
17	Final Exam		
18	Final Exam		

Course Resources

Textbook:	
Recommended Reading:	

Course Assessment and Evaluation

Events	Number	Contribution	Notes
Midterm Exam	1	40%	It is held in the form of a written exam.
Project			
Homework			
Presentation			
Participation / In-process activities			
Finale	1	60%	It is held in the form of a written exam.

ECTS Table

Content	Number	Hour	Sum
Course duration	14	2	28
Out-of-Class Work	14	6	84
Assignments	-	-	-
Presentation	14	1	14
Participation / In-process activities	14	1	14
Midterm Exam (Midterm Exam Duration + Midterm Exam Preparation)	1	26	26
Final Exam (Final Exam Duration + Final Exam Preparation)	1	36	36
Sum:			202
Total of 30:			202÷ 30 ≈6,73
ECTS Credits:			7

Past Achievements

2024-2025 --
Law -

1 _____
0,8 _____
0,6 _____
0,4 _____
0,2 _____
0 _____
NA FF FD DD DC CC CB BB BA AA