

## AQA A-level Law Year 12 End of Year Assessment

### **Tort Law**

**The rules of tort law** - Rules and principles concerning liability and fault in actions for negligence, occupiers' liability, nuisance and vicarious liability, and associated defenses and remedies.

**Theory of tort law** – analysis and evaluation of when tort law imposes liability, with particular reference to issues.

**Liability in negligence for physical injury to people and damage to property** -

Duty of care: the 'neighbour' principle; the Caparo three-part test; Breach of duty: the objective standard of care; Damage: factual causation and legal causation (remoteness of damage).

**Liability in negligence for economic loss and psychiatric injury** – Liability for pure economic loss caused by negligent acts and misstatements and injury sustained by primary and secondary victims.

**Occupiers' liability** - Liability in respect of visitors (Occupiers' Liability Act 1957) ; Liability in respect of trespassers (Occupiers' Liability Act 1984).

**Nuisance and the escape of dangerous things** – private nuisance and the rule in Rylands V Fletcher

**Vicarious liability** - Nature and purpose of vicarious liability; Testing employment status; Other areas of vicarious liability

**Defences** – Contributory negligence; consent and defences specific to private nuisance

**Remedies** - Basic understanding of compensatory damages for physical injury to people, damage to property and economic loss; basic understanding of the principle of mitigation of loss; Injunctions.

Nature of law – legal and other rules; civil/criminal distinction and sources

**As well as:**

**Parliamentary law making**

**Law reform**

**The civil courts and other forms of dispute resolution**

**The judiciary: types of judge. Role of judges in civil courts**

**Access to justice and funding in civil system**

**Law and society – fault**

**Law and morality.**

## Revision Tips

- Do a Revision Audit - check TEAMS & folders for what you've done for each topic over the last year: A3 crunching, Q&A's, Extended Questions. If you don't know - ASK me.
- If you haven't done something - DO IT! (it will be useful/necessary)
- If you have - DRILL IT!
- If you've drilled it - TEST YOUR RETRIEVAL e.g. quizlet, quizizz, **Seneca** topic/end of unit tests
- Exam Questions & past papers should be the last point of revision