

# *Business Law*

## *Summary of Standards*

*By the end of this course I will have learned all of the following concepts and principles. As I master the material I will write "YES" in the appropriate box and the date that it was learned. I will make sure that this summary sheet is always kept current.*

<b>Concepts</b>	<b>Mastered</b>	<b>Date</b>
<b><i>Ethics &amp; the Law:</i></b> (Standard 1)		
I understand what the ethical character traits are		
I recognize the role of values in a legal system		
I understand the consequences of unethical conduct		
I know the various ethical theories		
<b><i>The Origin of the Law:</i></b> (Standard 2)		
I know the 5 sources of today's law		
I understand the Constitution & Bill of Rights		
I know how a bill becomes a law		
I can explain the role of Precedence & court decisions		
<b><i>The Role of State &amp; Federal Courts:</i></b> (Standard 3)		
I understand the structure of the two court systems		
I can explain original & appellate jurisdiction		
I understand the juvenile & adult court systems		
I can discuss current social & legal trends		
I understand the various roles of court personnel		
<b><i>The Process of Litigation:</i></b> (Standard 4)		
I understand mediation, arbitration & negotiation		
I understand the steps of a civil lawsuit		
I understand the steps of a criminal prosecution		
I can define the categories of criminal law		
I can identify the different areas of civil law		
I can define the different types of business crimes		
I understand the defenses to criminal acts		
I know the reasonable person test and proximate cause		
I understand the penalties to criminal law		
I understand the remedies for tort law		
<b><i>The Understanding of Contract Law:</i></b> (Standard 5)		
I understand the nature of a contractual relationship		
I can define the classifications of contracts		
I can define consideration as it applies to contract law		

