

## **ACAP: Business Law**

Required Text: **Business Law Today,** Comprehensive 13<sup>th</sup> edition, by Miller

For the student:

Item #ACAP**31** Textbook

For the instructor:

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NACM-created supplements, including standardized exams, are available for this course.

### **Minimum Chapters to Cover:**

Chapter	Topic
1	The Legal Environment of Business
2	Constitutional Law
3	Ethics in Business
4	Courts and Alternative Dispute Resolution
5	Tort Law
6	Product Liability
7	Intellectual Property Rights
8	Internet Law, Social Media and Privacy
9	Criminal Law and Cyber Crime
10	Nature and Classification
11	Agreement
12	Consideration
13	Capacity and Legality
14	Voluntary Consent
15	The Statute of Frauds – Writing Requirement
16	Performance and Discharge
17	Breach and Remedies
18	Third Party Rights

A sample syllabus follows.



# NACM's Credit Administration Program Business Law Syllabus

#### **Purpose**

This course provides students with a fundamental understanding of business law and the legal environment. This course provides a foundation of knowledge to advance to Credit Law.

#### **Textbook**

The text by Miller, *Business Law Today*, Comprehensive 13<sup>th</sup> edition, Cengage Learning, 2022 is used.

#### **Class Schedule**

This course will meet for 12 weeks. Each class session will be approximately three hours in duration.

#### Attendance

Students are expected to attend every class. However, under certain circumstances, up to two absences may be permitted. The student will be responsible for all material and assignments.

#### **Class Participation**

This class will be as participatory as possible. You will be called upon to answer questions or explain material. You may want to form groups to study, review and help each other in a cooperative learning experience. Part of your class participation will be completing any written assignments handed out or assigned by the instructor. This will count as 20% of your total grade.

#### **Examinations**

There are two exams, a mid-term and a final. They are not cumulative and are each worth 40% of your total grade.

#### **Assignments**

Assigned chapters are listed below. There will also be vocabulary words handed out. The student is responsible for all mandatory reading and turning in all written assignments. The questions and case problems will be discussed in class.

Week One: Chapter 1

Chapter 2 Chapter 3

Questions and Case Problems 3-5, 3-8

Week Two: Chapter 4

Questions and Case Problems 4-1, 4-8

Chapter 5

Questions and Case Problems 5-1, 5-4



Week Three: Chapter 6

Questions and Case Problems 6-1, 6-4, 6-5

Chapter 7

Questions and Case Problems 7-6, 7-9

Week Four: Chapter 8

Questions and Case Problems 8-1, 8-4, 8-6

Chapter 9

Questions and Case Problems 9-1, 9-3, 9-5, 9-9

Week Five: Chapter 10

Questions and Case Problems 10-3, 10-7, 10-8

Review for Mid-term

Week Six: Mid-term Exam and turn in Vocabulary for Chapters 1-10

Week Seven: Chapter 11

Questions and Case Problems 11-1, 11-4, 11-5

Chapter 12

Questions and Case Problems 12-1, 12-5. 12-7, 12-8

Week Eight: Chapter 13

Questions and Case Problems 13-4, 13-6

Chapter 14

Questions and Case Problems 14-2, 14-3

Week Nine: Chapter 15

Questions and Case Problems 15-1, 15-3, 15-4

Chapter 16

Questions and Case Problems 16-1, 16-2, 16-4, 16-6, 16-7. 16-8

Week Ten: Chapter 17

Questions and Case Problems 17-2, 17-3, 17-10

Chapter 18

Questions and Case Problems 18-1, 18-2, 18-3, 18-7, 18-8

Week Eleven: Final Exam Review

Week Twelve: Final Exam and turn in Vocabulary for Chapters 11-18

The vocabulary homework given out is part of the participation portion of the class and is important to understanding the chapters and passing the exams. The student is responsible for turning in vocabulary assignments.