

BACHELOR OF LAWS (LLB) STRUCTURE

The Bachelor of Laws is a four-year full-time degree (or part-time equivalent), divided into four parts, each corresponding to a year of study.

The degree includes a combination of compulsory law courses, law elective courses, and some non-law courses in Part I.

LLB compulsory courses	• 255 points	10 courses
Law electives	• 165 points	11 courses
Non-law courses	• 60 points	4 courses
Total	• 480 points	25 courses

PART I	PART II	PART III**		PART IV**	
LAWS510 TIKANGA MĀORI AND THE SETTLER STATE LEGAL SYSTEM OF AOTEAROA NEW ZEALAND Full-Year (30 pts)	LAWS621 PUBLIC LAW Full-Year (30 pts)	LAWG720 LAW OF PROPERTY Full-Year (30 pts)		LAWS706 LEGAL ETHICS Semester 1 (15 pts)	LAW ELECTIVE (15 pts)
LAWS509 LEGAL REASONING AND WRITING Full-Year (30 pts)	LAWS622 LAW OF CONTRACT Full-Year (30 pts)	LAWG719 TRUSTS AND SUCCESSION Semester 1 (15 pts)	LAWG718 NGA WHENU RARANGA Semester 2 (15 pts)	LAW ELECTIVE (15 pts)	LAW ELECTIVE (15 pts)
60 points of non-law courses* (30 points in each semester)	LAWS623 LAW OF TORTS Full-Year (30 pts)	LAW ELECTIVE (15 pts)	LAW ELECTIVE (15 pts)	LAW ELECTIVE (15 pts)	LAW ELECTIVE (15 pts)
	LAWS627 CRIMINAL LAW Full-Year (30 pts)	LAW ELECTIVE (15 pts)	LAW ELECTIVE (15 pts)	LAW ELECTIVE (15 pts)	LAW ELECTIVE (15 pts)

- Students are generally expected to achieve the required points at each level of study before being permitted to enrol in courses at subsequent levels.
- If you have completed prior formal learning at AUT or another university within five years of your first enrolment in the AUT LLB, you may be eligible for RPL (Recognition of Prior Learning) credit:
 - * You can apply to have 60 points cross-credited towards the Part I non-law requirement of your LLB.
 - ** You may apply to have up to 30 points cross-credited towards the Part III/Part IV elective component of your LLB or substitute up to 30 points with level 7 non-law courses from another bachelor's degree, subject to Programme Director approval.
 - A maximum of 30 points of non-law courses can count towards the law elective component.

Please contact law@aut.ac.nz or phone 09 921 9657 if you have any questions regarding enrolment planning (ensure you include your student ID number in your email subject line).