

Twice Born Ministry

LAW-LOC-401: Local Law & Municipal Governance: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study

Course Code: LAW-LOC-401

King James Version (KJV) — Sola Scriptura Curriculum

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Course Description

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College-level local law & municipal governance — capstone lab. Rigorous skill-building with Christ-first ethics and KJV anchors. 2 Timothy 3:16-17 (KJV); Colossians 3:23 (KJV)

This course is part of **Layer 4 — Expansion Tracks — Career Tracks** (Track F: Public Policy / Legal / Civic Engagement) in the Twice Born Ministry Bible School catalog. **College category:** Law & Civic Justice.

Course Details

| Field | Value |

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| **Course Code** | LAW-LOC-401 |

| **Career Track** | F — Public Policy / Legal / Civic Engagement |

| **Catalog Track** | Local Law & Municipal Governance |

| **College Category** | Law & Civic Justice |

| **Credit Hours** | 3 |

| **Weeks** | 12 |

| **Lessons** | 12 |

| **Prerequisites** | LAW-LOC-302 |

| **Homeschool Band** | College |

| **Primary Text** | King James Version (KJV) |

| **Source / Resources** | TBM expansion catalog 2026; KJV worldview integration |

TBM Cross-References

- BS-FND-100

- • 2 Timothy 3:16-17 (KJV)
- • Colossians 3:23 (KJV)

Learning Outcomes

Upon completion, students will be able to:

1. Explain core concepts and vocabulary for this vocational domain at college introductory level.
2. Apply biblical ethics when secular models conflict with Kingdom priorities.
3. Complete practical assignments, scenarios, or lab exercises with documented integrity.
4. Articulate connections between vocation, stewardship, and local church ministry.
5. Pass module quizzes and capstone assessments at 70% or higher.

Assessment Overview

- **Module quizzes:** JSON per module (multiple choice + short answer).
- **Assignments:** 3–4 rubric-graded projects.
- **Group projects:** 2 collaborative exercises.
- **Final exam:** Comprehensive short and extended responses.
- **Video scripts:** 3–5 instructor scripts for optional production.

Christian Guardrails

- KJV citation standard; Christ-centered instruction.
- Career exploration does not replace licensure, trade apprenticeships, or professional counsel where required.
- AI tools may assist research but not replace original work or pastoral judgment.

Accreditation Alignment (TRACS/ABHE rubric)

See `accreditation/ACCREDITATION.json` and `accreditation/SYLLABUS_ACCREDITATION.md` for measurable SLOs, Carnegie credit-hour justification, assessment matrix, rubrics, required readings, and academic integrity statement. Master rubric: `Publishing/Bible_School/ACCREDITATION_STANDARDS.md`.

Instructor Notes

Professor Shepherd AI instructor shortcode: `[tb_ai_instructor course_code="LAW-LOC-401"]`

Twice Born Ministry Bible School — Layer 4 — Expansion Tracks Career Tracks

Course Modules

LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 1: Introduction: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study

Introduction

Welcome to Lesson 1 of **Local Law & Municipal Governance: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study** (LAW-LOC-401). This session explores **Introduction: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study** within the **Track F — Public Policy / Legal / Civic Engagement** pathway at Twice Born Ministry Bible School.

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Christian Ethics Integration —" Stewardship

The earth is the LORD's, and the fulness thereof (Psalm 24:1, KJV). Every vocation—"accounting, medicine, media, or cloud engineering—"is borrowed stewardship.

Apply this principle while studying **Introduction: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Introduction: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study

He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the LORD require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God? (Micah 6:8, KJV). Law and government exist to restrain evil and promote justice—not to usurp God's throne.

Render therefore unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's; and unto God the things that are God's (Matthew 22:21, KJV). Civic engagement demands discernment between legitimate authority and

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Practical Focus

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Competency targets for this lesson:

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Discussion Questions

How does **Introduction: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study** align with Colossians 3:23 ("as to the Lord")?

What secular practice in this field most often conflicts with biblical ethics?

Which prerequisite course or TBM resource best supports this lesson?

How would you teach this topic to a high school dual-enrollment student?

What is one measurable action you will take this week based on this lesson?

Summary and Next Steps

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Worship Integration

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Christian Ethics Integration —" Truth

Buy the truth, and sell it not (Proverbs 23:23, KJV). Financial reports, news scripts, and research data must reflect reality—not convenience.

Apply this principle while studying **Core Concepts — Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Core Concepts — Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study

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If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God (James 1:5, KJV). Markets, laws, and technologies change; Scripture-grounded wisdom endures.

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Core Teaching

Theme: Guided Practice I — Local Law & Municipal Governance

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LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 4: Guided Practice II — Local Law & Municipal Governance

Introduction

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This track prepares believers for law, government, and civic leadership with Micah 6:8 justice, religious liberty defense, and Romans 13 discernment.

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Pray for wisdom before studying. Career competence without Christ-centered character produces skilled workers who build on sand. We pursue excellence **as unto the Lord** (Colossians 3:23).

Christian Ethics Integration —" Stewardship

The earth is the LORD's, and the fulness thereof (Psalm 24:1, KJV). Every vocation—"accounting, medicine, media, or cloud engineering—"is borrowed stewardship.

Apply this principle while studying **Guided Practice II — Local Law & Municipal Governance**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must

yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Guided Practice II — Local Law & Municipal Governance

Render therefore unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's; and unto God the things that are God's (Matthew 22:21, KJV). Civic engagement demands discernment between legitimate authority and idolatrous statism.

He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the LORD require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God? (Micah 6:8, KJV). Law and government exist to restrain evil and promote justice—not to usurp God's throne.

Practical Focus

College-level local law & municipal governance — capstone lab. Rigorous skill-building with Christ-first ethics and KJV anchors. 2 Timothy 3:16-17 (KJV); Colossians 3:23 (KJV)

Competency targets for this lesson:

- Define key terms and industry-standard vocabulary at introductory level.
- Identify biblical principles that govern ethical decisions in this domain.
- Complete hands-on or scenario-based exercises in assignments and quizzes.
- Connect vocational skills to local church ministry or community service where applicable.

Professional Standards

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TBM & Catalog Cross-References

- BS-FND-100
 - 2 Timothy 3:16-17 (KJV)
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Application for Vocation and Ministry

Guided Practice II — Local Law & Municipal Governance should change how you work, lead, serve customers, and witness.

Pastoral practice: Draft a ministry response, visit plan, or counseling scenario tied to this lesson. Discuss with mentor or elder board member.

Personal devotion: Write a brief prayer connecting today's vocational theme to Christ's lordship over your schedule, income, and relationships.

Local church: Share one insight with your pastor, deacon team, or small group—especially where bi-vocational ministry applies.

Evangelism: Prepare a 60-second testimony linking honest work or digital stewardship to the gospel hope you profess.

Lab, Scenario, or Field Exercise

Exercise 4: Role-play a pastoral visit, counseling intake, or board meeting scenario. Debrief using scripture and ethics checklists.

Document assumptions, resources consulted, and limitations. Submit via LMS with honor statement. Supervised field hours may count toward capstone portfolios where approved by cohort facilitator.

Discussion Questions

How does **Guided Practice II — Local Law & Municipal Governance** align with Colossians 3:23 ("as to the Lord")?

What secular practice in this field most often conflicts with biblical ethics?

Which prerequisite course or TBM resource best supports this lesson?

How would you teach this topic to a high school dual-enrollment student?

What is one measurable action you will take this week based on this lesson?

Summary and Next Steps

Lesson 4 Summary: We examined **Guided Practice II — Local Law & Municipal Governance** through scripture, vocational standards, and ministry application.

Action item: Complete the module quiz (70% to pass) and begin assignment work if due this week.

Preview: Continue to Lesson 5. Review SPECIALIZATION_SOURCES.md or Kingdom Capital / TBM Marketing docs as listed in your syllabus.

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Worship Integration

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LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 5: Case Study Lab — Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study

Introduction

Welcome to Lesson 5 of **Local Law & Municipal Governance: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study** (LAW-LOC-401). This session explores **Case Study Lab — Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study** within the **Track F — Public Policy / Legal / Civic Engagement** pathway at Twice Born Ministry Bible School.

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Christian Ethics Integration —” Truth

Buy the truth, and sell it not (Proverbs 23:23, KJV). Financial reports, news scripts, and research data must reflect reality—not convenience.

Apply this principle while studying **Case Study Lab — Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Case Study Lab — Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study

He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the LORD require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God? (Micah 6:8, KJV). Law and government exist to restrain evil and promote justice—not to usurp God's throne.

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Practical Focus

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TBM & Catalog Cross-References

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Application for Vocation and Ministry

Case Study Lab — Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study should change how you work, lead, serve customers, and witness.

Pastoral practice: Draft a ministry response, visit plan, or counseling scenario tied to this lesson. Discuss with mentor or elder board member.

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Lab, Scenario, or Field Exercise

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Discussion Questions

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Which prerequisite course or TBM resource best supports this lesson?

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Summary and Next Steps

Lesson 5 Summary: We examined **Case Study Lab — Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study** through scripture, vocational standards, and ministry application.

Action item: Complete the module quiz (70% to pass) and begin assignment work if due this week.

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LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 6: Scripture and Stewardship in Local Law & Municipal Governance

Introduction

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Christian Ethics Integration —” Wisdom

If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God (James 1:5, KJV). Markets, laws, and technologies change; Scripture-grounded wisdom endures.

Apply this principle while studying **Scripture and Stewardship in Local Law & Municipal Governance**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Scripture and Stewardship in Local Law & Municipal Governance

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Practical Focus

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Discussion Questions

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Which prerequisite course or TBM resource best supports this lesson?

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Summary and Next Steps

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LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 7: Research and Documentation Standards

Introduction

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Christian Ethics Integration —” Stewardship

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Apply this principle while studying **Research and Documentation Standards**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Research and Documentation Standards

Render therefore unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's; and unto God the things that are God's (Matthew 22:21, KJV). Civic engagement demands discernment between legitimate authority and idolatrous statism.

He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the LORD require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God? (Micah 6:8, KJV). Law and government exist to restrain evil and promote justice—not to usurp God's throne.

Practical Focus

College-level local law & municipal governance — capstone lab. Rigorous skill-building with Christ-first ethics and KJV anchors. 2 Timothy 3:16-17 (KJV); Colossians 3:23 (KJV)

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Application for Vocation and Ministry

Research and Documentation Standards should change how you work, lead, serve customers, and witness.

Pastoral practice: Draft a ministry response, visit plan, or counseling scenario tied to this lesson. Discuss with mentor or elder board member.

Personal devotion: Write a brief prayer connecting today's vocational theme to Christ's lordship over your schedule, income, and relationships.

Local church: Share one insight with your pastor, deacon team, or small group—especially where bi-vocational ministry applies.

Evangelism: Prepare a 60-second testimony linking honest work or digital stewardship to the gospel hope you profess.

Lab, Scenario, or Field Exercise

Exercise 7: Role-play a pastoral visit, counseling intake, or board meeting scenario. Debrief using scripture and ethics checklists.

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Discussion Questions

How does **Research and Documentation Standards** align with Colossians 3:23 ("as to the Lord")?

What secular practice in this field most often conflicts with biblical ethics?

Which prerequisite course or TBM resource best supports this lesson?

How would you teach this topic to a high school dual-enrollment student?

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Summary and Next Steps

Lesson 7 Summary: We examined **Research and Documentation Standards** through scripture, vocational standards, and ministry application.

Action item: Complete the module quiz (70% to pass) and begin assignment work if due this week.

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Supplemental Reading and Reflection

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LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 8: Advanced Techniques — Capstone Lab

Introduction

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This track prepares believers for law, government, and civic leadership with Micah 6:8 justice, religious liberty defense, and Romans 13 discernment.

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Christian Ethics Integration —" Truth

Buy the truth, and sell it not (Proverbs 23:23, KJV). Financial reports, news scripts, and research data must reflect reality—"not convenience.

Apply this principle while studying **Advanced Techniques — Capstone Lab**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to

conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Advanced Techniques — Capstone Lab

He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the LORD require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God? (Micah 6:8, KJV). Law and government exist to restrain evil and promote justice—not to usurp God's throne.

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Practical Focus

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Discussion Questions

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Which prerequisite course or TBM resource best supports this lesson?

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LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 9: Ethics and Kingdom Priorities

Introduction

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Christian Ethics Integration —" Wisdom

If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God (James 1:5, KJV). Markets, laws, and technologies change; Scripture-grounded wisdom endures.

Apply this principle while studying **Ethics and Kingdom Priorities**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Ethics and Kingdom Priorities

He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the LORD require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God? (Micah 6:8, KJV). Law and government exist to restrain evil and promote justice—not to usurp God's throne.

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Discussion Questions

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Summary and Next Steps

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LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 10: Collaborative Ministry Application

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Christian Ethics Integration —" Stewardship

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Apply this principle while studying **Collaborative Ministry Application**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Collaborative Ministry Application

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Discussion Questions

How does **Collaborative Ministry Application** align with Colossians 3:23 ("as to the Lord")?

What secular practice in this field most often conflicts with biblical ethics?

Which prerequisite course or TBM resource best supports this lesson?

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What is one measurable action you will take this week based on this lesson?

Summary and Next Steps

Lesson 10 Summary: We examined **Collaborative Ministry Application** through scripture, vocational standards, and ministry application.

Action item: Complete the module quiz (70% to pass) and begin assignment work if due this week.

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LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 11: Mid-Course Integration and Review

Introduction

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This track prepares believers for law, government, and civic leadership with Micah 6:8 justice, religious liberty defense, and Romans 13 discernment.

This is **Layer 4 — Career Tracks** content at college level (or high school dual-enrollment where noted). The King James Version remains the citation standard for all scripture. Complete BS-FND-100 or listed prerequisites before advanced modules.

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Christian Ethics Integration —” Truth

Buy the truth, and sell it not (Proverbs 23:23, KJV). Financial reports, news scripts, and research data must reflect reality—not convenience.

Apply this principle while studying **Mid-Course Integration and Review**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Mid-Course Integration and Review

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He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the LORD require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God? (Micah 6:8, KJV). Law and government exist to restrain evil and promote justice—not to usurp God's throne.

Practical Focus

College-level local law & municipal governance — capstone lab. Rigorous skill-building with Christ-first ethics and KJV anchors. 2 Timothy 3:16-17 (KJV); Colossians 3:23 (KJV)

Competency targets for this lesson:

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Personal devotion: Write a brief prayer connecting today's vocational theme to Christ's lordship over your schedule, income, and relationships.

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Summary and Next Steps

Lesson 11 Summary: We examined **Mid-Course Integration and Review** through scripture, vocational standards, and ministry application.

Action item: Complete the module quiz (70% to pass) and begin assignment work if due this week.

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LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 12: Capstone: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study with KJV Reflection

Introduction

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Core Teaching

Theme: Capstone: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study with KJV Reflection

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Appendix A — Assignments

Week 01

Week 01 Assignment — Reflection Journal

Course: LAW-LOC-401 · Civic Case Study

Week focus: LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 1: Introduction: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **analyze** course content from **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 1: Introduction: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Analyze: Write a 300–500 word reflection on **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 1: Introduction: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study**. Include at least two KJV citations and one personal application.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Introduction, Local

Week 02

Week 02 Assignment — Memory Verse Application

Course: LAW-LOC-401 · Civic Case Study

Week focus: LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 2: Core Concepts — Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **apply** course content from **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 2: Core Concepts — Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Apply: Recite this week's memory verse from memory, then write 250 words explaining how it applies to daily discipleship.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

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Week 03

Week 03 Assignment — Expository Outline

Course: LAW-LOC-401 · Civic Case Study

Week focus: LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 3: Guided Practice I — Local Law & Municipal Governance

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **outline** course content from **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 3: Guided Practice I — Local Law & Municipal Governance** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Outline: Produce a structured outline (400+ words) for the main passage in **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 3: Guided Practice I — Local Law & Municipal Governance**. Include pericope titles and one-sentence themes.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Guided, Practice

Week 04

Week 04 Assignment — Discussion Response

Course: LAW-LOC-401 · Civic Case Study

Week focus: LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 4: Guided Practice II — Local Law & Municipal Governance

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **explain** course content from **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 4: Guided Practice II — Local Law & Municipal Governance** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Explain: Answer two discussion prompts from the Week 4 reading in 200 words each. Cite KJV only.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

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Week 05

Week 05 Assignment — Practical Ministry Step

Course: LAW-LOC-401 · Civic Case Study

Week focus: LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 5: Case Study Lab — Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **demonstrate** course content from **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 5: Case Study Lab — Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Demonstrate: Complete one practical ministry action tied to **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 5: Case Study Lab — Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study** (visit, prayer walk, family worship, or service). Submit a 200-word report plus optional photo upload.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Manual review (practical/upload).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Week 06

Week 06 Assignment — Witness Outline

Course: LAW-LOC-401 · Civic Case Study

Week focus: LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 6: Scripture and Stewardship in Local Law & Municipal Governance

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **construct** course content from **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 6: Scripture and Stewardship in Local Law & Municipal Governance** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Construct: Draft a 3-minute spoken witness outline using this week's theme. Include gospel bridge, one objection with biblical answer, and call to faith.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Scripture, Stewardship

Week 07

Week 07 Assignment — Cross-Reference Study

Course: LAW-LOC-401 · Civic Case Study

Week focus: LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 7: Research and Documentation Standards

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **compare** course content from **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 7: Research and Documentation Standards** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Compare: Find three cross-references that illuminate **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 7: Research and Documentation Standards**. Write 400 words comparing themes (OT + NT).

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Research, Documentation

Week 08

Week 08 Assignment — Historical Context Brief

Course: LAW-LOC-401 · Civic Case Study

Week focus: LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 8: Advanced Techniques — Capstone Lab

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **describe** course content from **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 8: Advanced Techniques — Capstone Lab** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Describe: Write 350 words on historical/literary context for **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 8: Advanced Techniques — Capstone Lab**. Minimum four KJV citations.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Advanced, Techniques

Week 09

Week 09 Assignment — Christological Connection Essay

Course: LAW-LOC-401 · Civic Case Study

Week focus: LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 9: Ethics and Kingdom Priorities

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **evaluate** course content from **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 9: Ethics and Kingdom Priorities** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Evaluate: Explain how **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 9: Ethics and Kingdom Priorities** points to Christ in 400–600 words. Use literal-grammatical-historical method.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Ethics, Kingdom

Week 10

Week 10 Assignment — Teaching Prep

Course: LAW-LOC-401 · Civic Case Study

Week focus: LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 10: Collaborative Ministry Application

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **design** course content from **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 10: Collaborative Ministry Application** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Design: Prepare a 5-minute teaching outline for **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 10: Collaborative Ministry Application** suitable for a small group or homeschool lesson.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Collaborative, Ministry

Week 11

Week 11 Assignment — Integration & Review

Course: LAW-LOC-401 · Civic Case Study

Week focus: LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 12: Capstone: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study with KJV Reflection

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **synthesize** course content from **LAW-LOC-401 — Lesson 12: Capstone: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study with KJV Reflection** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Synthesize: Synthesize the top five themes from Civic Case Study. 600 words, minimum six KJV citations, one paragraph on personal growth.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Capstone, Local

Week 12

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **create** an original ministry artifact synthesizing Civic Case Study with KJV fidelity and scholarship-gallery quality.

Creative Ministry Project — LAW-LOC-401

Course: Local Law & Municipal Governance: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study

Integrate professional skills from **Local Law & Municipal Governance** with gospel witness. Submit a capstone artifact (report, demo, portfolio piece, or ministry plan) with KJV integration and rubric self-assessment. Minimum 70% to pass; 75% for Kingdom Excellence distinction.

Rubric

Grading

Grading mode: Manual review (creative upload).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Creative Ministry Project

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Integrate professional skills from **Local Law & Municipal Governance** with gospel witness. Submit a capstone artifact (report, demo, portfolio piece, or ministry plan) with KJV integration and rubric self-assessment. Minimum 70% to pass; 75% for Kingdom Excellence distinction.

Rubric

Appendix B — Key Terms & Passages

- • Theme: Capstone: Local Law Capstone: Civic Case Study with KJV Reflection