Law 30 - FL1: Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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|  | **Fully meeting expectations, with enriched understanding (EU)** | **Fully meeting grade level expectations (FM)** | **Mostly meeting grade level expectations (MM)** | **Not yet meeting grade level expectations (NY)** |
| **FL1:** **Evaluate the purpose and function of law in societies.** | You can thoughtfully evaluate the purpose and function of law in societies.You might be: * Tracing the historical roots of Canadian laws back to their origins and insightfully reflecting on the ways, events and cases that have shaped our present day legal system
* Thoroughly examining the rule of law in our Canadian legal system and thoughtfully exploring examples of when it’s working or not
* Using specific case study examples to emphasize the ways equality and equity are represented in our current justice system
* Thoughtfully explore solutions when laws don’t function the way they are meant to
 | You can evaluate the purpose and function of law in societies. You show this by:* Explaining why the rule of law is fundamental by applying it to specific Canadian examples
* Identifying and reflecting on historical and contemporary worldviews, elements and influencers ((British common law, Civil Code of Quebec and Indigenous) which have shaped today’s legal system
* Examining the difference between equality and equity and describing the ways they impact the application of Canadian law
* Identifying criteria for just laws and legal systems and explaining the value of safeguards
* Examining the role judges in the Canadian justice system

You support your evaluation with relevant details and examples.  | You are exploring and practicing evaluating the purpose and function of law in societies. You may be: * Exploring the purpose and function of law for members of society
* Discussing the consequences of a society without laws
* Reflecting on how laws impact our daily life
* Outlining the significance of the Rule of Law in democracies
* Exploring the impact of historical and contemporary worldviews on the organization of legal systems
* Discussing the historical roots of Canada’s legal system
* Comparing traditional indigenous approaches with current Canadian law
* Defining equity and equality and the ways they relate impact the justice system
* Exploring criteria for just laws
* Discussing the importance of safeguards
* Exploring the various roles of judges
 | You are having trouble evaluating the purpose and function of law in societies.Consider: * What is the Rule of Law?
* Why are laws important to our society? To individuals?
* How do laws impact my daily life?
* What’s history got to do with our current legal system?
* What systems of law shaped our current legal system?
* Why do we compare our current system with traditional examples?
* What’s the difference between equality and equity?
* What does it mean for a law to be “just”?
* How do safeguards make a difference?
* What role does a judge play in our justice system?
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