

MODULE LGS2050: LAW & THE TRAVELLER

Level: Intermediate

Theme: Social Context

Prerequisite: None

Module Description: Students identify and describe the issues and legal considerations that may arise when individuals travel domestically and internationally.

Module Parameters: No specialized equipment or facilities.

Supporting Modules: LGS1010 You & the Law 1 (As a Consumer and as a Family Member)
LGS1020 You & the Law 2 (In Society and in the Workplace)

Curriculum and Assessment Standards

Module Learner Expectations	Assessment Criteria and Conditions	Suggested Emphasis
<p><i>The student will:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> identify and describe the legal considerations when individuals travel domestically and internationally 	<p><i>Assessment of student achievement should be based on:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> appropriately analyzing case studies/scenarios that involve the legal responsibilities of carriers, innkeepers, travel agencies and others within Canada who provide services for the traveller. <p><i>Assessment Tool</i> <i>LGSCSTDY: Framework for Assessing Analysis of a Case Study or Scenario</i></p> <p><i>Standard</i> <i>Rating of 2</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> preparing a presentation/guide that identifies the legal problems travellers may encounter in a foreign country (countries) and providing possible solutions. <p><i>Assessment Tool</i> <i>LGS2050-1: Presentations/Reports: Law & the Traveller</i></p> <p><i>Standard</i> <i>Rating of 2</i></p>	100
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> demonstrate basic competencies. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> observations of individual effort and interpersonal interaction during the learning process. <p><i>Assessment Tools</i> <i>Basic Competencies Reference Guide and any assessment tools noted above</i></p>	Integrated throughout

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Concept	Specific Learner Expectations	Notes
Legal Documents	<p><i>The student should:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • identify the various documents needed to travel inside and outside of Canada • explain laws regulating documents such as visas, passports and international driving licences • describe the possible consequences of not having the appropriate documents when travelling inside and outside of Canada • describe the procedures to replace lost or stolen documents when travelling. 	<p><i>Canadian Passport Order, Citizenship Act</i> Public health nurse Travel agent Foreign consulates Criminal Code of Canada Addresses of foreign embassies are in the <i>Canadian Almanac</i> Canadian Department of External Affairs <i>Law Now</i> (Oct. 1990)</p>
Scheduling and Reservation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • explain the legal rights and responsibilities of carriers, innkeepers, travel agents and travellers • describe the legal implications of making, changing or cancelling a reservation. 	<p>Transport Canada <i>Innkeepers Act</i></p>
Travel Agencies and Consultants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • research the role and legal responsibilities of travellers • describe the licencing of travel consultants. 	<p>Consumer Services Department of Municipal Affairs Lawyer Representative from a travel agency</p>
Insurance Decisions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • describe the “standard form” ticket and its legal implications • research and interpret regulations relating to various types of insurance policies • research the process of making a claim on travel-related insurance. 	<p>Superintendent of Insurance Insurance agent Insurance policies</p>

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Purchases Abroad	<p><i>The student should:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • describe restrictions on bringing goods back to Canada • analyze the role of Canada Customs as it relates to bringing in goods from abroad • research the penalties and limitations that exist in regard to purchases made abroad • describe the need for monitoring goods brought into Canada. 	<p>Agriculture Canada <i>Canada Customs Act</i></p> <p>RCMP Customs and Excise Section</p> <p>Canada Customs <i>Narcotic Control Act</i></p>
Laws and Customs in Other Countries	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • describe how culture has influenced or may influence laws in other countries • identify problems travellers may encounter entering and exiting Canada and foreign countries • research penalties and consequences for violation of laws in other countries • research methods of seeking legal assistance or guidance in a foreign country • analyze how relationships with other countries may influence a country's laws toward foreign nationals. 	<p>Department of External Affairs</p> <p>Foreign Embassies or Consulates</p> <p>Foreign travel bureaus</p>
Challenging Issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • identify some challenging issues such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – bankruptcies in travel industries – extradition agreements – local customs and attitudes toward women – Canadians charged and imprisoned abroad • research one or more of these issues • compare our laws and judicial system with those of other countries in regard to this issue(s). 	
Law-related Careers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • describe careers in law; e.g.: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – diplomatic corps – customs officer – foreign services – travel agent. 	