CHAPTER 8

Students should know the following definitions:

Jurisdiction: Power of a court to decide a case
Subject Matter Jurisdiction: The authority of a court to hear a type of case
Original Jurisdiction: Power of a court to try a case the first time
Appellate Jurisdiction: Power of a court to review a case that has been heard in a trial
Personal Jurisdiction: Authority of a court over a person (Def)
Territorial Jurisdiction: Authority of a court to hear a case based on geography
Venue
State v. Federal

CHAPTER 9

Students should know the following definitions:

Incitement to Riot
Rioting
Affray – Misdemeanor – Public Fighting
Disorderly Conduct – Misdemeanor – Disrupting/Endangering Behavior
Loitering – Misdemeanor - Requires person represent “danger” to community
   Not just “hanging around”
Stalking

CHAPTER 10

Students should know the following definitions:

Homicide
Justifiable Homicide
Excusable Homicide
Criminal Homicide
Murder
Manslaughter
Corpus Delicti of Murder
Death as the irreversible cessation of brain or circulatory and respiratory functions

Year and a Day Rule (& its abolition in Florida)

First Degree Murder – Killing by Premeditation
Second Degree Murder – Killing by Depravity
Manslaughter – Killing by Culpable Negligence
Vehicular Homicide – Reckless Driving causing death
Felony Murder Rule
Suicide & Attempted Suicide (& its abolition as a crime)
Aiding Suicide

CHAPTER 11

Students should know the following definitions:

Assault – Misdemeanor - Verbal threat or attempt to strike
  Present intent
  Present ability
  Overt Act
  Fear
Aggravated Assault – Felony - Assault with a Deadly Weapon (Knife, firearm, baseball bat, etc)
Battery – Misdemeanor - Unlawful touching
Aggravated Battery – Felony - Unlawful touching with
  Weapon or
  Permanent disfigurement or
  Permanent disability or
  Great bodily harm or
  On a pregnant women
Reckless Display of a Weapon – Misdemeanor - Waving around or making future threats with a weapon
Affray – Misdemeanor - Mutual public fight
Kidnapping – Felony - Abduction or Restraint, for ransom, hostage, terrorize or during a felony
False Imprisonment – Felony - Abduction or Restraint
Child Abuse
CHAPTER 12

Students should know the following definitions:

Rape: Vaginal Penetration by a male sexual organ without consent
Statutory Rape: Common Law – Under 18 illegal
              Florida – Under 16 illegal, 16 & 17 legal if partner under 24
Sexual Battery - Oral, anal, or vaginal penetration or contact with the sexual organ of
              another or anal or vaginal penetration by a foreign object
              Upon a child under 12 regardless of consent or
              Upon a person 12 or older against their will
              Force or weapons are not required but make it more serious

Prostitution

CHAPTER 13

Students should know the following definitions:

Larceny
Embezzlement
False Pretenses
Possession of Stolen Property
Theft – Stealing
    Grand Theft – Felony - $ 300.00 or more, or motor vehicle, firearm, livestock, fire extinguisher
    Petty Theft - Misdemeanor under $ 300.00
Shoplifting
Worthless Checks
Forgery – Felony – Modifying, altering, fraudulently signing a written
document of legal (deed) or financial value (check or money order)
intending to cheat

CHAPTER 14

Students should know the following definitions:

Robbery – Felony – Stole property from a victim with threats or force
    Most purse snatches are Robberies, Most pickpockets are only thefts
    Value of the property stolen doesn’t matter
    Armed Robbery – Weapon or firearm used – More serious charge
    Strong Armed Robbery – No weapon or firearm used
    Robbery by Sudden Snatching
Extortion

Burglary – Felony - Entering a building or vehicle without permission intending to commit a crime (any crime) inside
  Common Law – intending to steal
  Some states – intending a felony
  Entering a building or vehicle without permission without intending a crime – Misdemeanor Trespass
  A person inside a building or vehicle unlawfully without a reason is presumed to be a burglar

CHAPTER 15

Students should know the following definitions:

Fraud
Identity Theft
Trafficking in Stolen Property
Criminal Mischief (Vandalism) – Intentionally destroyed or damaged another’s property
  Includes temporary damage like graffiti
  Misdemeanor - Up to $ 1,000.00 in damage
  Felony - $1,000.00 or more in damage
  Can’t be charged if the property you damaged is yours or you share with someone (like a spouse)
Arson – Felony – Intentional burning of a building, vehicle, or the contents of a building or vehicle

CHAPTER 16

Students should know the following definitions:

Possession of Narcotics
  Marijuana – Under 20 Grams – Misdemeanor
  Marijuana – Over 20 Grams – Felony
  Other Drugs – Felony
Sale & Delivery of Drugs - Felony
Possession of Alcohol Underage (21 years) - Misdemeanor
D.U.I.
Public Intoxication – Non Criminal – Protective Custody
Disorderly Intoxication – Misdemeanor – Drunk & Disorderly
CHAPTER 17

Students should know the following definitions:
Terrorism

CHAPTER 18

Students should know the following definitions:
Racketeering (RICO)

CHAPTER 19

Students should know the following definitions:
Bribery
Perjury – Lying under oath
  Felony – Judicial Proceeding
  . Misdemeanor – Notarized document
Obstruction of Justice – Resisting
  Felony if violent
  Misdemeanor if non-violent