



## A Level Law

### Year 11 into 12 Transition Tasks (2026)



### Essay Question

To what extent, did the legal system in England achieve justice for Stephen Lawrence, his family and the wider community?

### Plan

1. What does this question mean?
2. How will you answer it?
3. What sources will you use?
4. How will you demonstrate understanding of the issues and reach a valid conclusion?

### Potential Resources

- 1) Stephen Lawrence: Time for Justice (2012)  
(<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZsHwKPE0mjU>)
- 2) Stephen Lawrence: Justice For A Murdered Son Part 1  
(<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cFGY7URgPd4&t=6s>)
- 3) Stephen Lawrence murder: A timeline of how the story unfolded  
(<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-26465916>)
- 4) Independent News Article  
(<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/uk/home-news/stephen-lawrence-murder-25-years-changed-a-nation-police-institutional-racism-macpherson-anniversary-a8307871.html>)
- 5) TONIGHT WITH TREVOR MCDONALD - LAWRENCE 5 INTERVIEW (08.03.1999)  
(<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S0pNknkHUV0>)

### Stretch and Challenge

What were the key takeaways from the McPherson report?

How does this case connect to Julie Ming?