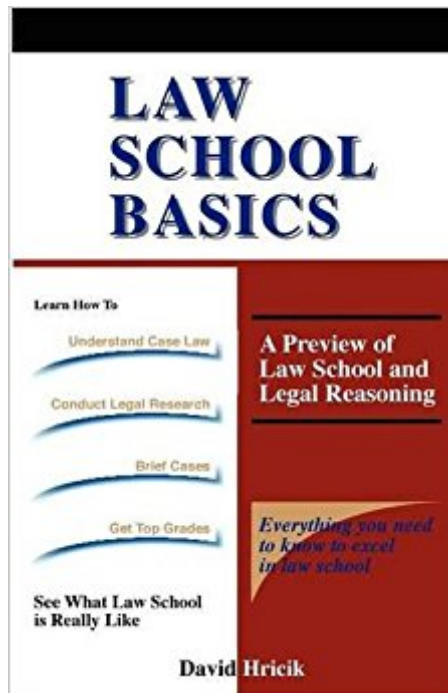


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# Law School Basics: A Preview Of Law School And Legal Reasoning



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I sent this book to my 17 yr old granddaughter who has been dreaming about being a lawyer for some years but was also interested in psychology. Now that she's at the age of trying to decide what college to go to she couldn't make up her mind which to major in but when she started reading this book, she became convinced to go into law. She was very impressed by the way it answered all her questions and doubts.

This book is absolutely worthless for insights on Law itself. Instead, it focuses on the authors self indulgence, naivety of the world as he wanders through the system. I'd be curious as to how he is doing as an attorney?

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