

# Revel Criminal Justice

Explore these frequently asked questions to discover how Revel Criminal Justice can empower you and your students.

*Q. How do you help students engage with the course material or show relevance to their own lives?*

[Author Explanatory Videos](#) – [Data Rich Interactives](#) – [Student Surveys](#)

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*Q. What kinds of resources do you use to spark classroom or small group discussion?*

[Point / Counterpoint Videos](#)

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*Q. Do you assign writing or essay assignments in your class?*

[Shared Writing](#)

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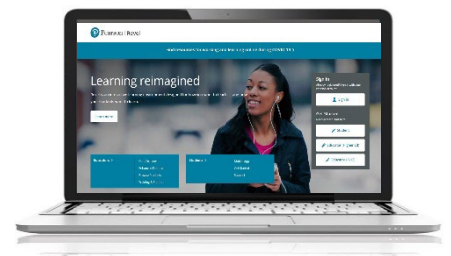
*Q. Is data literacy important in your class?*

[Data Rich Interactives](#)

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*Q. Would an activity that helped a student actively practice real-world scenarios be beneficial to your classroom and a student's experience?*

[Case Simulations](#) – [Virtual Laboratory Exercises](#)



# Welcome to *Revel Criminal Justice*

Watch a video tour!



## Inspire Engagement through Active Learning

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Revel improves results by empowering students to actively participate in learning. More than a digital textbook, Revel delivers an engaging blend of author content, media, and assessment.

With Revel, students read and practice in one continuous experience. Interactive content and assessments integrated throughout the narrative provide opportunities for students to explore and apply concepts. And Revel is mobile and user-friendly, so students can learn on the go — anytime, anywhere, on any device.

Learn more about [Revel](#). Watch a quick [Revel Criminal Justice video](#).

**“The majority of the face-to-face students who had to convert to online were impressed with Revel and felt it helped them engage with the materials.”**

- Julie L. Hershenberg, Collin College

# Revel Criminal Justice

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## Proven, Trusted Content

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### Superior Authorship



Watch Pearson author Tiffany Roy explain how Revel brings content to life.

- [Video: In conversation with Tiffany Roy on Criminalistics, 13<sup>th</sup> Ed.](#)

### Revel improves learning outcomes

Revel improves students' course grades and exam scores. In our numerous research studies, the data show that students who engage with Revel are more prepared for class and get better grades. In addition, instructors benefit when they use Revel performance data to identify struggling students.

[Explore our research](#) to feel confident that Revel is right for you and your students.

# Current, Engaging & Relevant

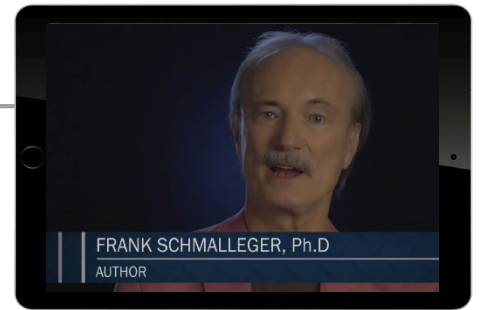
## Author Explanatory Videos

Author Explanatory Videos, embedded in the narrative, provide students with a verbal explanation of an important topic or concept and illuminating the concept with additional examples.

*Available in Intro level Revel Criminal Justice courses.*



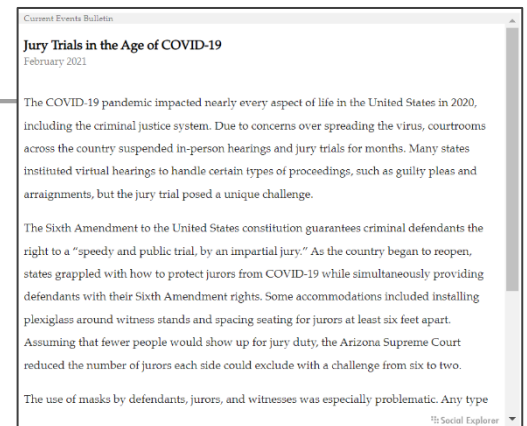
[View a sample video.](#)



## Current Event Bulletins

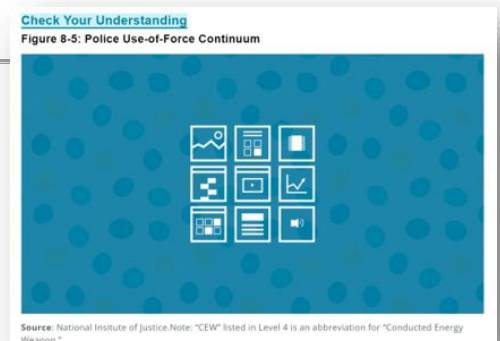
Bring currency into the classroom with author-written articles that are updated each semester to help connect core concepts with real-life current events. By hearing about recent current events through the voice of the author, students begin to think critically about what these events mean in the context of their course, their present lives, and their future careers.

*Available in Revel Criminal Justice courses for Criminal Law.*



## Check Your Understanding

Revel's embedded assessments within the narrative have a positive impact on both learning and instruction. Revel lets students frequently check their understanding in a low-stakes quiz as well as a comprehensive end-of-chapter assessment and receive immediate feedback. This is an effective means for building long-term retention and increasing student confidence & motivation.



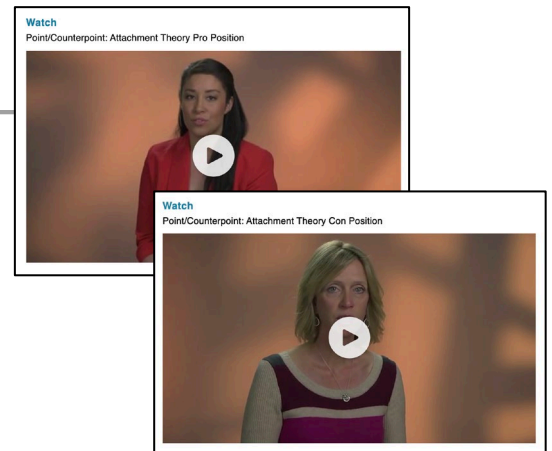
# Encourage Active Participation & Discussion

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## Point / Counterpoint Videos

Point / Counterpoint Videos present two opposing evidence-based arguments help students analyze criminal justice issues. Use them for classroom discussion or as prompts for writing assignments.

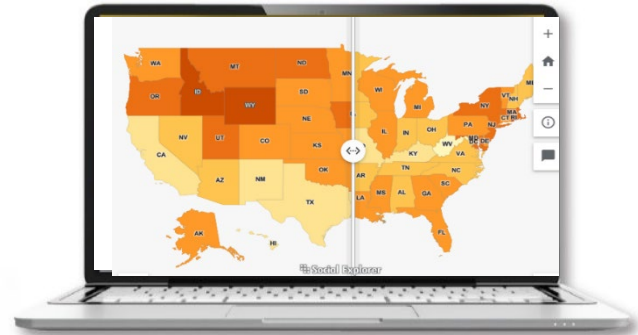
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 [Watch a video.](#)

## Social Explorer Maps

Data-rich interactive maps, figures, and tables with Social Explorer technology let students interact with real data to explore the concepts they've just read about. By interacting and engaging with data, rather than just viewing it, students can begin to think critically about what the data means in the context of their course, their present lives, and their future careers.

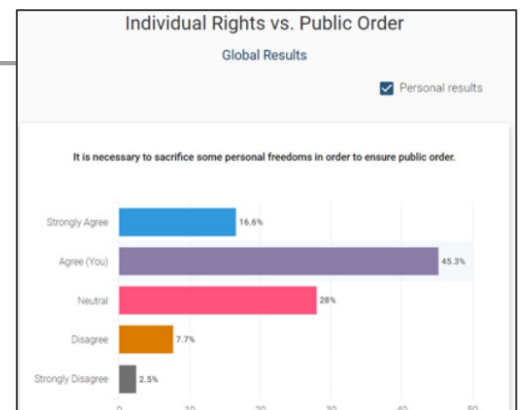


 [See an example.](#)

## Student Surveys

Student Survey Questions appear within the narrative asking students to respond to questions about controversial topics and important concepts. Students then see their response versus the responses of all other students who have answered the question in the form of a bar chart.

Instructors: A PowerPoint deck with links to each survey and map, makes it easy to pull these items up in class for discussion.



# Foster Critical-Thinking

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## Writing Assignments

Assignable shared writing activities direct students to share written responses with classmates, fostering peer discussion.

## Shared Media

Shared multimedia assignments enable instructors and students to post and respond to videos and other media. Create your own assignment using videos, images and more from today's news! Engage students by having them record and upload their responses or own presentations for grading, comments, or peer review.



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-- of 20 points

### Shared Writing: Strict Liability

There is a minimum of 140 characters required to post and earn points. If submitted, your response can be viewed by your classmates and instructor, and you can participate in the class discussion.

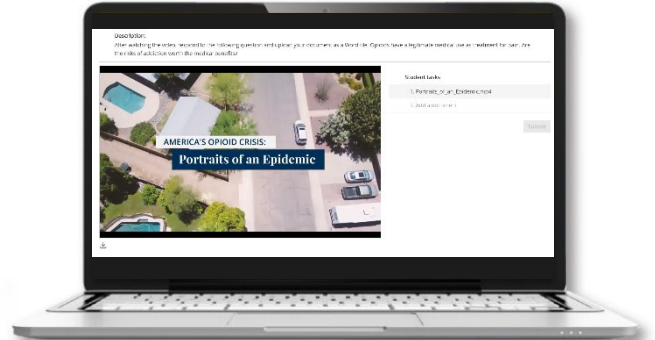
Strict liability crimes do not require *mens rea* or criminal intent. Consequently, individuals who do not have "criminal" or "guilty" minds can still be convicted of strict liability crimes. Should the mental state of a defendant always be considered? Why or why not? What types of crimes, if any, warrant the exclusion of *mens rea* as an element of the crime? Why?

Write a comment...

0 / 140 minimum

Save draft

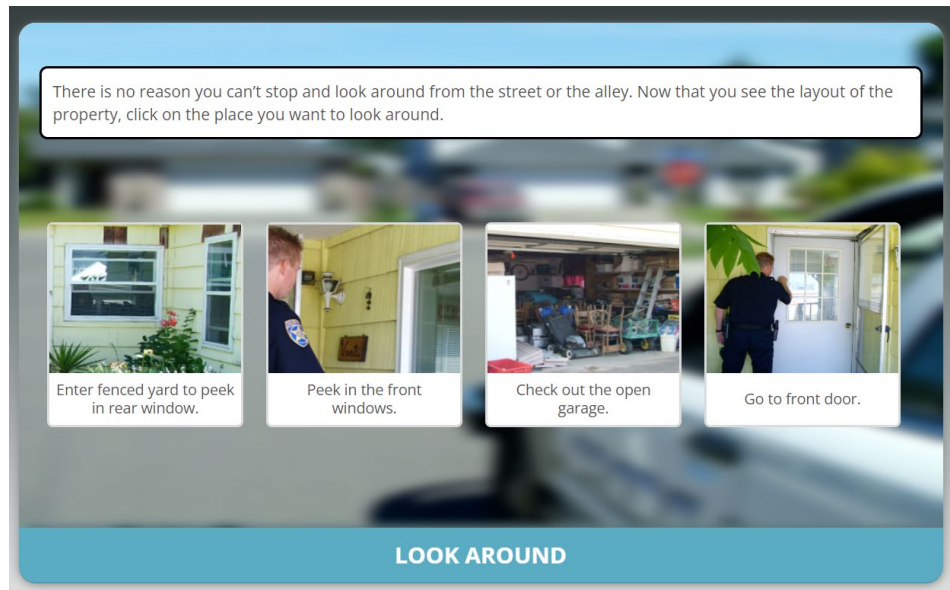
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# Unique to Revel Criminal Justice for...

## Introduction to Policing

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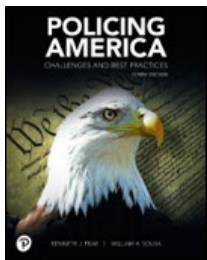
## Case Simulations

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**Learn by Doing!** These case simulations pose hypothetical situations that give students practice communicating, self-managing, problem-solving, and learning about and solving community issues.

## For your Introduction to Policing Courses

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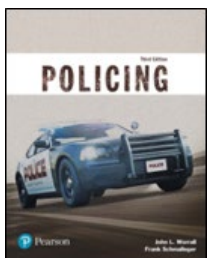


*Policing America: Challenges and Best Practices, 10th Edition*

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A "learn by doing" approach to what works in policing today.



*Policing (Justice Series), 3rd Edition*

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*Policing* is a clear, thought-provoking exploration of core concepts, the latest research, and current events shaping policing today.

# Unique to Revel Criminal Justice for... **Criminalistics & Forensic Science**

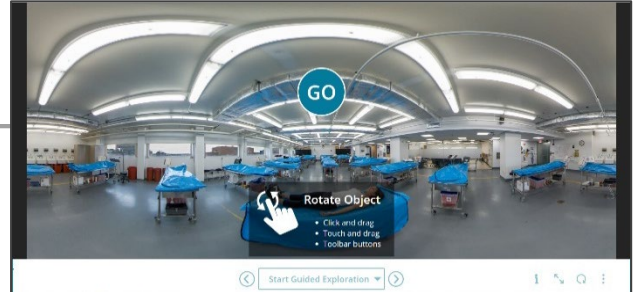
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## Virtual Laboratory Exercises

Virtual Laboratory Exercises give students a first-hand look at the types of tests and examinations performed in the crime lab.

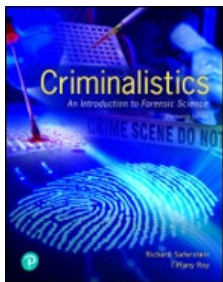
Using 360-degree photography, microscope imagery, and explanatory videos, these laboratory exercises bring the content to life and give students an opportunity to experience a day in the life of a forensic scientist.

[Explore a medical examiner's office!](#)



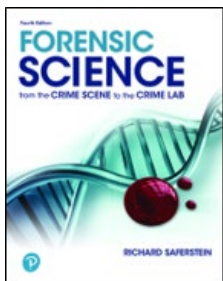
## For your Introduction to Criminalistics & Forensic Science Courses

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*Criminalistics: An Introduction to Forensic Science, 13th Edition*  
Saferstein / Roy  
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A clear introduction to the technology of the modern crime laboratory for non-scientists.



*Forensic Science: From the Crime Scene to the Crime Lab, 4th Edition*  
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A straightforward, student-friendly primer on forensics.



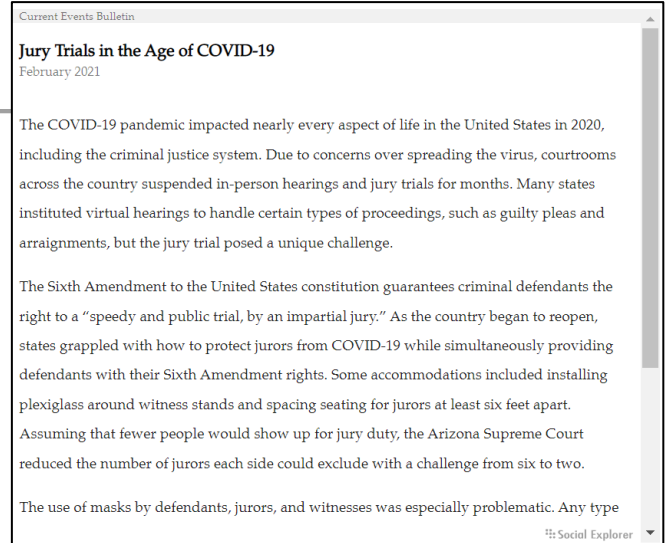
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## Criminal Law

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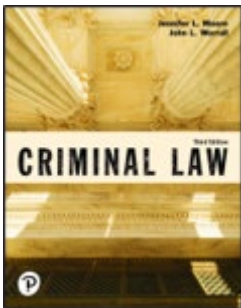
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### New Editions – Available Now

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#### ***Criminal Law (Justice Series), 3rd Edition***

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*Criminal Law* is a clear, thought-provoking exploration of core concepts, the latest research, and current events shaping criminal law today. Built to be affordable without sacrificing academic rigor.



#### ***Criminal Law Today, 7th Edition***

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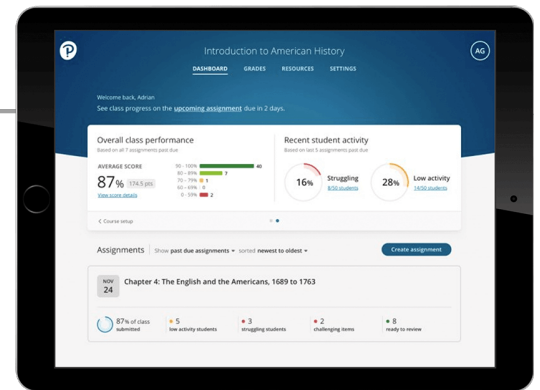
A timely, real-world perspective on criminal law. *Criminal Law Today* brings criminal law to life by relating it to the stories of today's headlines.

# The Revel Dashboard

## Ensure students stay on track.

Keep students on pace with their reading

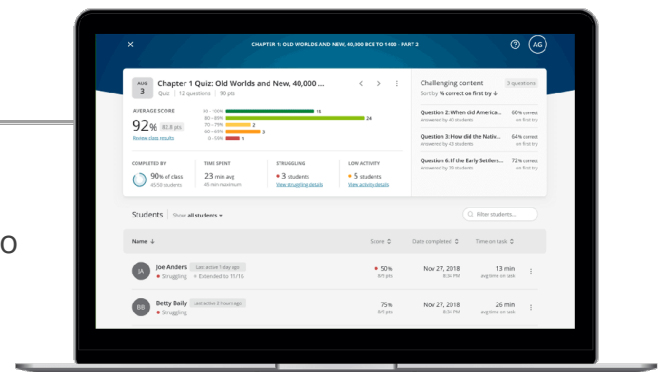
Revel allows educators to monitor student progress on assigned reading, which is a good indicator of how the class is doing. By tracking reading and having the option to make it a percentage of the final grade, instructors can hold students accountable and keep them on track.



Gain a clear view of class performance

Revel offers actionable insights into performance at both the class and individual levels, which enables educators to target instruction appropriately.

- The Educator Dashboard offers an at-a-glance look at overall class performance. It helps instructors identify and contact struggling and low-activity students, ensuring that the class stays on pace.
- The Enhanced Grades View provides detailed insights on student performance, from specific assignments to individual student scores.

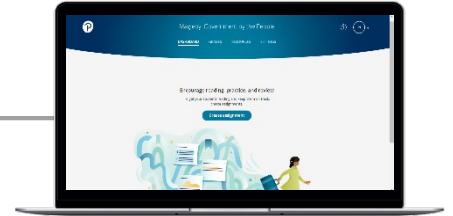


# Teach with Ease

Have the course you want.

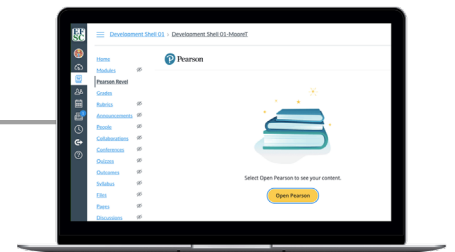
## Easy Assignment Creation

Assigning reading or activities in Revel is a breeze. Choose interactive content and assessments for students to complete by specific dates. Create your own assignments with a few clicks.



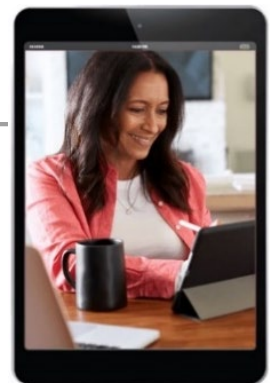
## Provide easy access on the first day of class

LMS integration provides institutions, instructors, and students easy access to their Revel courses via Blackboard Learn™, Canvas™, Brightspace by D2L, and Moodle. With single sign-on, students can be ready to access an interactive blend of authors' narrative, media, and assessment on their first day. Flexible, on-demand grade synchronization capabilities allow educators to control exactly which grades should be transferred to their LMS Gradebook. [Learn more about LMS integration.](#)



## Enable learning anytime, anywhere

The Revel mobile app lets students read, practice, and study — anywhere, anytime, on any device. Content is available both online and offline, and the app syncs work across all registered devices automatically, giving students great flexibility to toggle between phone, tablet, and laptop as they move through their day. The app also lets students set assignment notifications to stay on top of all due dates. And the audio playlist lets students listen and learn as they go. Available for download from the App Store or Google Play. [Learn more about the app.](#)



# Learn more about Revel Criminal Justice

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## Learning reimagined

Revel is an interactive learning environment designed for how you want to teach — and how your students want to learn.

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