

**Criminal Law  
Lecture 7 Study Guide**

**Define *Mens Rea*:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Define *Culpability*:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**List and define the four culpable mental states recognized by the Arkansas Criminal Code:**

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**Describe how the *Mens Rea* element is usually proven in court:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**What happens if a suspect acts with a mental state with a higher degree of culpability than required by a particular statute?**

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**“Knowledge that conduct constitutes an offense or knowledge of the existence, meaning, or application of the statute defining an offense is not an element of an offense unless the statute clearly so provides.” Explain the logic behind this provision.**

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**Define *General Intent*:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Define *Specific Intent*:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Define *Transferred Intent*:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Define *Constructive Intent*:** \_\_\_\_\_

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