



**SDGI GLOBAL UNIVERSITY**  
**GHAZIABAD**  
**SCHOOL OF LAW AND LEGAL STUDIES**

Scheme of Studies and Evaluation along with Syllabus

**LL.B.**

**Batch 2025 – 28**

**A.Y. 2025 – 26**

**Semester I**

# SDGI GLOBAL UNIVERSITY, GHAZIABAD

## Program Curriculum

### LL.B.

#### Batch 2025-2028

#### (Effective from A.Y. 2025-26)

#### Introductions:

A Bachelor of Laws is a professional course. It is called a Bachelor's Course because the syllabus is an in-depth study of law and legislation. The duration of the course is 3 years and consists of 6 semesters of study. This Bachelor's degree encompasses a wide range of legal and practical aspects to supplement the diverse range of law subjects prescribed by the Bar Council of India. The Job Opportunity varies depending on the area of interest and expertise gained by the student over the same time.

#### Program Educational Objectives (PEOs)

PEO1	Graduates will compete on a global platform to pursue their professional career in law, legal sciences, and inter-disciplinary areas of law.
PEO2	Graduates will pursue higher education and/or engage in continuous up-gradation of their professional and legal skills
PEO3	Graduates will effectively communicate in English and Hindi (Bilingual) and will demonstrate professional behaviour while working in the diverse teams and in the court practice.
PEO4	Graduates will demonstrate socio-legal concern for the society and environment.

#### Program Specific Objectives (PSOs)

PSO1	Apply the knowledge of legal science, law, legal methodology, jurisprudence, and legal analysis, and a specialization in judicial approach and analysis in various areas of law in general and technology law and procedural law in specific
PSO2	Apply reasoning informed by the contextual knowledge to assess societal, health, safety, legal, and cultural issues and the consequent
PSO3	Responsibilities relevant to the professional law practice
PSO4	Identify, review research literature, and analyse the legal framework and statutory provisions and compliances, including legal due diligence and issues of financial management, and draft relevant documentation in sector-specific industries
PSO5	Understand the impact of professional legal solutions in societal and environmental contexts and demonstrate the knowledge of and need for sustainable development
PSO6	Interpret the written text of laws in the light of contemporary ethos to apply them in the solving of complex legal matters in a socio-political context with relevance to rural/urban areas.

**Program Outcomes (POs)**

PO1	Design legal amendments and drafts for complex technological, environmental, and sociological problems, and design legal regulatory components and compliances that meet the specified needs with appropriate consideration for the public health and safety and socio-cultural-economic, and environmental considerations
PO2	Create, select, and apply appropriate techniques, resources, and modern tools of drafting and legal research with an understanding of the limitations
PO3	Use legal research-based knowledge and research methods, including designing the tools of research analysis and interpretation of data, and synthesis of the information to provide valid conclusions
PO4	Represent cases of their prospective clients in courts, tribunals, and commissions and analyse legal provisions and draft effective applications related to the cause of clients, including writs, plaints, notices, orders, etc
PO5	Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the legal and managerial principles and apply these to one's own work, as a member and leader in a team, to manage projects and in multidisciplinary environments.
PO6	Communicate effectively on activities and with the legal fraternity (advocates and judicial officers) in specific and society at large, such as being able to comprehend and write effective reports and design documentation, make effective presentations, and give and receive clear instructions.
PO7	Compete at the national and state levels for the competitive examinations, including judicial and civil services.

**Credit System-** Credit requirement for award of LL.B.: 120

**Credit distribution in each semester**

Semester	Credits Total	Theory	Practical	Total
I	24	600	-	600
II	24	600	-	600
III	24	500	100	600
IV	24	500	100	600
V	24	500	100	600
VI	20	300	200	500
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>3000</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>3500</b>

**Course Status system:** Every course will be coded as follows:

ABBREVIATIONS	SUBJECT CATEGORY/STATUS
CC (Core/Major)	Compulsory Course (Core/Major)
CEC(Core/Minor)	Core Elective Course/Discipline Specific Course Elective (Minor)
LDC	Liberal Discipline Course/Interdisciplinary course
CCC (Practical)	Compulsory Clinical Courses (Practical)

SEC	Skill Enhancement Courses
Dissertation	Dissertation
Project	Project
Internship	Internship



**SDGI GLOBAL UNIVERSITY, GHAZIABAD (SGU)**

**SCHOOL OF LAW AND LEGAL STUDIES**

**Scheme of Studies and Evaluation**

**UG Programme: LL.B.**

**Semester: I**

**Batch: 2025-28 (A.Y. 2025-26)**

S. No	Subject Code	Status	Subject Name	Study Scheme			Hours	Credits	Marks in Evaluation Scheme						Pas sing Marks	Total Marks
				Lec/ Week					Continuous Internal Evaluation (CIE)			End of Semester Examination (ESE).				
				L	T	P			Th	Pr	Tot al	Th	Pr	Tot al		
1	B05CC2509	CC	Constitutional Law of India – I	4	1	0	5	4	50	-	50	50	-	50	40	100
2	B05CC2504	CC	Law of Torts including MV Act and Consumer Protection Act	4	1	0	5	4	50	-	50	50	-	50	40	100
3	B05CC2507	CC	Law of Crimes –I (Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita)	4	1	0	5	4	50	-	50	50	-	50	40	100
4	B05CC2502	CC	Law of Contract – I	4	1	0	5	4	50	-	50	50	-	50	40	100
5	B05SE2502	SEC	Legal language and legal writing including proficiency in general English	4	1	0	5	4	50	-	50	50	-	50	40	100
6	B05EC2501/ B05EC2502	CEC	Copyright OR Competition Law	4	1	0	5	4	50	-	50	50	-	50	40	100
<b>TOTAL</b>				<b>24</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>600</b>

**DETAILED 1<sup>ST</sup> SEMESTER CURRICULUM CONTENTS**

**Undergraduate Degree in LAW**

**PROGRAM: LL.B.**

**SDGI GLOBAL UNIVERSITY, GHAZIABAD**  
**SCHOOL OF LAW AND LEGAL STUDIES**  
**BACHELOR OF LAWS (LL.B.)**  
**SEMESTER – I**  
**SYLLABUS**

**CONSTITUTIONAL LAW OF INDIA – I**

<b>School Name – School of Law and Legal Studies</b>			
<b>Program- LL.B.</b>			<b>Semester I</b>
<b>Course Name – CONSTITUTIONAL LAW OF INDIA – I</b>			
<b>A.Y. – 2025-26</b>	<b>Course Code- B05CC2509</b>	<b>Batch- 2025-28</b>	<b>CIE Marks-50 (MM)</b>
<b>Total Teaching Hours- 60 hrs.</b>	<b>Total Credits- 04</b>		<b>ESE Marks-50 (MM)</b>
<b>Type of Course- Theory</b>			<b>Total Marks- 100 (MM)</b>

**Course Description**

The Constitution of India is the supreme law of the land, laying the foundation of Indian democracy, governance, and legal framework. This course introduces the historical evolution, principles, and key features of the Indian Constitution. It emphasises the roles of constitutional organs, the federal distribution of powers, and significant doctrines shaping Indian constitutional law. The course also explores state liability, trade, services, and constitutional amendments, equipping students with a foundational understanding of constitutional law in India.

<b>UNIT</b>	<b>TOPICS</b>	<b>TEACHING HOURS/(LECTURE)</b>
<b>I</b>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Introduction</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Background of the Indian Constitution</li> <li>2. Preamble of the Indian Constitution</li> <li>3. Characteristics of Indian Constitution</li> <li>4. Quasi-federal Structure and form of Government</li> <li>5. Citizenship</li> </ol>	<b>15 HRS</b>

II	<b>Constitutional Organs</b> 1. Union Parliament and State Legislature i. Constitution and Function ii. Parliamentary Sovereignty iii. Parliamentary Privileges iv. Anti-defection Law v. Collective Responsibility of Cabinet vi. Position of Prime Minister 2. Union and State Executive i. Election, Powers and Functions of President ii. Governor and its Powers 3. Union and State Judiciary i. Constitution and Jurisdiction ii. Power of Judicial Review iii. Independence of Judiciary	15 HRS
III	<b>Distribution of Power between Union and States</b> 1. Legislative Relations between the Union and States i. Doctrine of Territorial Nexus ii. Doctrine of Harmonious Construction iii. Doctrine of Pith and Substance iv. Doctrine of Repugnancy v. Doctrine of Colourable Legislation vi. Residuary Power of Legislation 2. Administrative Relations	15 HRS
IV	<b>Liability of State, Trade and Services</b> 1. Contractual and Tortious Liability of State 2. Freedom of Trade, Commence and Intercourse 3. Right to Property (Doctrine of eminent domain) 4. Services under Union and States 5. Amendments of the Constitution: Doctrine of Basic Structure	15 HRS

### Course Outcomes

S. No.	Course Outcomes (CO)
CO1	Understand the background, structure, and philosophy of the Indian Constitution including its preamble and quasi federal nature.
CO2	Describe the composition, powers, and functions of the Union Parliament, State Legislatures, and Executives.
CO3	Analyse the structure and jurisdiction of the judiciary and the principles ensuring its independence and judicial review powers.

CO4	Apply and interpret constitutional doctrines such as pith and substance, repugnancy, and colourable legislation in legislative matters.
CO5	Examine the contractual and tortious liabilities of the State, and the provisions relating to trade, property, and civil services, understand the procedure of amendment to the constitution and the doctrine of basic structure of the Constitution.

### **Suggested Readings**

#### **Textbooks:**

1. Introduction to The Constitution of India, Brij Kishore Sharma, PHI learning Pvt. Ltd.
2. Introduction to The Constitution of India, Durga Das Basu, Lexis Nexis.
3. The Constitutional Law of India, Dr. K.C. Joshi, Central Law Publications
4. Constitutional Law of India, Prof. Narendra Kumar, Allahabad Law Agency.
5. Our Constitution An Introduction to India's Constitution and Constitutional Law, Subhash C. Kashyap.
6. The Constitutional Law of India, Dr. J.N. Pandey, Central Law Agency

#### **Reference Books**

1. Constitution of India, V. N. Shukla, Eastern Book Co
2. The Constitution of India, H. K. Saharay, Eastern Law House
3. Indian Constitutional Law, M.P. Jain, Lexis Nexis
4. Commentary on The Constitution of India, P.M. Bakshi, Universal Law Publishing Co.
5. Constitutional Law of India, H.M. Seervai, Universal Book Traders
6. Shorter Constitution of India, Dr. D.D. Basu, Lexis Nexis
7. India's Constitution, Samaraditya Pal Lexis Nexis
8. The Constitution of India, Dr. M.C. Jain Kagzi, India Law House
9. The Constitution of India, Prof. S.R. Bhansali, Universal Law Publishing Co.
10. Constitutional Law of India, T.K. Tope, Eastern Book Co.
11. Commentary on The Constitution of India, Durga Das Basu, Lexis Nexis
12. Bare Act – Constitution of India
13. Bare Act – Citizenship Act, 1955

## LAW OF TORTS INCLUDING MOTOR VEHICLES ACT AND CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT

<b>School Name- School of Law and Legal Studies</b>			
<b>Program- LL.B.</b>			<b>Semester I</b>
<b>Course Name – LAW OF TORTS INCLUDING MOTOR VEHICLES ACT AND CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT</b>			
<b>A.Y. 2025-26</b>	<b>Course Code B05CC2504</b>	<b>Batch 2025-28</b>	<b>CIE Marks-50 (MM)</b>
<b>Total Teaching Hours- 60 hrs.</b>	<b>Total Credits- 04</b>		<b>ESE Marks-50 (MM)</b>
<b>Type of Course- Theory</b>			<b>Total Marks- 100 (MM)</b>

### Course Description-

This course introduces the foundational principles of tort law, a branch of civil law dealing with wrongs and remedies. It explores the evolution of torts in England and India, essential elements of tortious liability, defences, and the capacity of parties. The course further explores specific torts against persons and property, concepts such as vicarious and strict liability, and emerging areas like cyber torts. Additionally, it includes a detailed study of the Consumer Protection Act, 1986 and the Motor Vehicle Act, 1988, emphasising consumer rights, remedies, and insurer liability. This comprehensive course aims to equip students with both theoretical knowledge and practical understanding essential for legal practice and public justice.

UNIT	TOPICS	TEACHING HOURS/(LECTURE)
I	<p><b>Introduction, Principles, Justification in Torts and Capacity</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Principles of Tort               <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Definition of Tort</li> <li>b) Development of Tort actions in England and India–Tort distinguished from Contract and Crime.</li> <li>c) Constituents of Tort- wrongful act (malfeasance, misfeasance, non-feasance), Damage (damnum sine injuria and injuria sine damnum), Remedy (ubi jus ibi remedium)</li> <li>d) Mental element in Tort-Malice in Law and Malice in Fact.</li> </ol> </li> <li>2. Justifications in Tort–General Defences               <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) volenti-non fit-injuria</li> <li>b) Necessity</li> <li>c) Plaintiff’s default</li> <li>d) Act of God</li> <li>e) Inevitable Accident</li> <li>f) Private Defence</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	15 HRS

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>g) Mistake</li> <li>h) Statutory Authority</li> <li>i) Doctrine of Sovereign Immunity and its relevance in India</li> </ul> <p>3. Capacity– to sue and to be sued Minor, Judicial and Quasi-Judicial acts, Parental and Quasi Parental Authority, Independent and Joint Tort Feasors.</p>	
II	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Specific Wrongs and Liability</b></p> <p>1. Specific Wrongs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Torts relating to Person– Assault, Battery, False Imprisonment, Malicious Prosecution</li> <li>b) Torts relating to Property–Trespass, Nuisance</li> <li>c) Defamation</li> <li>d) Negligence, Contributory Negligence, res ipsa loquitor, Nervous Shock</li> </ul> <p>2. Liability</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Vicarious Liability</li> <li>b) Strict Liability</li> <li>c) Trend towards Absolute Liability</li> </ul>	15 HRS
III	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Remoteness of Damages, Tort to Incorporeal Property and Cyber Tort</b></p> <p>1. Remoteness of damages</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) The test of reasonable foresight</li> <li>b) The test of directness</li> </ul> <p>2. Remedies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Judicial</li> <li>b) Extrajudicial remedies</li> </ul> <p>3. Torts to Incorporeal Personal Property- Torts affecting Contractual and Business Relations- Trade mark, Trade name, Patent right, Copyright, Passing Off</p> <p>4. Cyber Tort-Privacy (cyber stalking), Defamation, Conspiracy, Cybersquatting.</p>	15 HRS
IV	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Consumer Protection Act and Motor Vehicles Act</b></p> <p>1. Consumer Protection Act,1986 and Consumer Protection Act, 2019</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Object and Definitions</li> <li>b) Forums and Courts</li> <li>c) Unfair Trade Practices, Defects in Goods</li> <li>d) Deficiency in Service- medical, lawyering, electricity, housing, postal services.</li> <li>e) Appeal and Administrative</li> <li>f) Enforcement of Consumer Rights</li> </ul> <p>2. Motor Vehicles Act, 1988</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Salient Features of Motor Vehicles Act 1988</li> </ul>	15 HRS

	b) Compulsory Insurance c) Insurer's liability for third party risk.	
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### Course Outcomes

S. No.	Course Outcomes (CO)
CO1	Understand the definition, scope, and historical development of tort law in England and India.
CO2	Distinguish tort from contract and crime and identify the constituents of a tort including malfeasance, damage, and remedy.
CO3	Evaluate the mental element in torts such as legal and factual malice.
CO4	Identify and explain general defenses in tort law and analyse who can be sued in tort law.
CO5	Understand the basics of Consumer Protection Act and Motor Vehicles Act and their salient features.

### Suggested Readings

#### Textbooks:

1. Gandhi, B.M. Consumer Protection - Law of Torts with Law of Statutory Compensation and
2. Lal, Ratan and Lal, Dhiraj - The Law of Torts
3. Bangia, R.K. - Law of Torts
4. Pillai, P.S.A. - Law of Tort
5. Singh, S.P. Reference Books: - Law of Tort

#### Reference Books:

1. Aggarwal, V.K. - Consumer Protection Act
2. Basu, D.D. - The Law of Torts
3. Kapoor, S.K. - Law of Torts
4. Winfield and Jolowicz - Tort
5. Salmond - Torts

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**LAW OF CRIMES – I**  
**(BHARATIYA NYAYA SANHITA)**

<b>School Name- School of Law &amp; Legal Studies</b>			
<b>Program- LL.B.</b>			<b>Semester I</b>
<b>Course Name- LAW OF CRIMES – I (BHARATIYA NYAYA SANHITA)</b>			
<b>A.Y- 2025-26</b>	<b>Course Code – B05CC2507</b>	<b>Batch- 2025-28</b>	<b>CIE Marks-50 (MM)</b>
<b>Total Teaching Hours- 60 hrs.</b>	<b>Total Credits- 04</b>		<b>ESE Marks-50 (MM)</b>
<b>Type of Course- Theory</b>			<b>Total Marks- 100 (MM)</b>

**Course Description-**

The Law of Crimes – I ( Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023) offers a comprehensive understanding of the general principles of criminal law and substantive offences in India. This course introduces students to key concepts like crime, criminal liability, and general exceptions. It covers offences affecting the state, public tranquillity, the human body, marriage, property, documents, and reputation. With the introduction of BNS 2023, replacing the Indian Penal Code, 1860, this course focuses on understanding the statutory reforms, their rationale, and application through critical legal reasoning and practical case analysis.

UNIT	TOPIC	TEACHING HOURS (LECTURE)
I	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Introduction &amp; Preliminary Offences</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Definition of Crime</li> <li>2. Conditions creating criminal liability: Mens Rea &amp; actus reus</li> <li>3. Strict liability: Concept and application under the criminal law in India</li> <li>4. Joint and Constructive Liability: Common Intention, Common Object</li> <li>5. Preliminary Offences – Abetment, Criminal Conspiracy and Attempt</li> <li>6. Offences against State and Public Tranquillity               <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Sedition/ Act endangering sovereignty, unity and integrity of India</li> <li>b. Rioting and Affray</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	15 HRS

II	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>General Exceptions</b></p> <p>1. General Exceptions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Mistake</li> <li>ii. Accident</li> <li>iii. Act of a judge</li> <li>iv. Necessity</li> <li>v. Infancy (doli-incapax)</li> <li>vi. Unsoundness of Mind</li> <li>vii. Intoxication</li> <li>viii. Consent</li> <li>ix. Compulsion by Threat</li> <li>x. Right of Private Defence of body and property</li> </ul>	15 HRS
III	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Offences Affecting Human Body &amp; Relating to Marriage</b></p> <p>1. Offences Against Human Body</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Culpable Homicide</li> <li>ii. Murder</li> <li>iii. Hurt and Grievous Hurt</li> <li>iv. Wrongful Restraint and Wrongful Confinement</li> <li>v. Criminal Force and Assault</li> <li>vii. Kidnapping and Abduction</li> </ul> <p>2. Sexual Offences including POCSO Act</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Rape</li> <li>ii. Outraging the modesty of a woman</li> <li>iii. Sexual harassment</li> <li>iv. Voyeurism</li> <li>v. Stalking</li> <li>vi. Insulting a woman</li> <li>vii. Unnatural offences</li> </ul> <p>3. Offence relating to marriage</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Adultery</li> <li>ii. Dowry death</li> <li>iii. Bigamy</li> <li>iv. Cruelty</li> <li>v. Kidnapping, abducting or inducing woman to compel her marriage</li> </ul>	15 HRS

IV	<b>Offences Against Property &amp; Reputation</b> 1. Offences against Property <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Theft, Extortion, Robbery and Dacoity</li> <li>ii. Criminal Misappropriation of Property</li> <li>iii. Criminal Breach of Trust</li> <li>iv. Cheating</li> <li>v. Mischief</li> <li>vi. Criminal Trespass</li> </ol> 2. Offences Relating to Documents <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Forgery</li> <li>ii. Property mark</li> </ol> 3. Defamation	15 HRS
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### Course Outcomes

S. No.	Course Outcomes (CO)
CO1	Understand the definition, nature, and elements of crime as defined under Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023.
CO2	Explain the concepts of criminal liability including <i>mens rea</i> , <i>actus reus</i> , strict liability, common intention, and common object.
CO3	Interpret and analyse the legal provisions relating to preliminary offences: abetment, attempt, and criminal conspiracy.
CO4	Identify and apply the general exceptions including mistake, accident, necessity, infancy, insanity, intoxication, and private defence.
CO5	Examine and distinguish between offences against the human body such as murder, hurt, and abduction, sexual offences such as rape, offences relating to women such as sexual harassment, voyeurism, stalking, and offences related to marriage such as adultery, bigamy.

### Suggested Readings

#### Textbooks

1. Pillai, P.S.A. – Criminal Law
2. Lal, Ratan & Lal, Dhiraj – Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita
3. Gaur, K. D. – The Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita
4. Mishra, S. N – The Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita
5. Bhattacharya, T. – The Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita
6. Bare Act – The Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023
7. Bare Act – Prevention of Children from Sexual Offences, 2012
8. Williams, Glanville – A Text Book on Criminal Law
9. Smith & Hogen – Criminal Law

**Reference Books**

1. Hall, Jerome – Principles of Criminal Law
2. Nigam, R. C. – Criminal Law
3. Gaur, H. S. – Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita

## LAW OF CONTRACT – I

<b>School Name- School of Law and Legal Studies</b>			
<b>Program- LL.B.</b>			<b>Semester I</b>
<b>Course Name – LAW OF CONTRACT – I</b>			
<b>A.Y. 2025-26</b>	<b>Course Code- B05CC2502</b>	<b>Batch- 2025-28</b>	<b>CIE Marks-50 (MM)</b>
<b>Total Teaching Hours- 60 hrs.</b>	<b>Total Credits- 04</b>		<b>ESE Marks-50 (MM)</b>
<b>Type of Course- Theory</b>			<b>Total Marks- 100 (MM)</b>

### Course Description

This course provides an in-depth understanding of the foundational principles of the Indian Law of Contract, essential for both civil and commercial legal frameworks. It focuses on general principles, including the nature and formation of contracts, essentials like proposal, acceptance, and consideration, as well as issues of consent, capacity, and legality. The course also covers performance, discharge, and remedies for breach, as well as quasi-contracts and standard form contracts. An additional component includes the Specific Relief Act, offering insight into specific performance, injunctions, and declaratory orders. Students will gain practical and analytical skills to interpret contractual relationships and their enforcement in real-world legal contexts.

UNIT	TOPICS	TEACHING HOURS/(LECTURE)
I	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>General Principles of Law of Contract</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Nature of Contractual Obligation</li> <li>2. Formation of an agreement                             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Proposal – Definition, Kinds, Requisites of Proposal, Communication of Proposal, Revocation and Termination of Proposal, Invitation to proposal and tenders.</li> <li>ii. Acceptance – Definition, Modes, Requisites of Acceptance, Communication and Revocation of Acceptance</li> <li>iii. Consideration – Definition and Nature of Consideration, Essentials of valid consideration, Doctrine of Privity of Contract, Exception of Consideration</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	15 HRS
II	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Validity of Contract</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Capacity to Contract                             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Minor – Who is Minor and Nature of Minor’s agreement Doctrine of Restitution Estoppel, Agreement for necessaries.</li> <li>ii. Person of Unsound Mind Persons deprived of the capacity to contract.</li> </ol> </li> <li>2. Free consent                             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Coercion, undue influence, fraud, misrepresentation and</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	15 HRS

	<p>mistake.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Legality of object <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Unlawful consideration and object</li> </ol> </li> <li>4. Void Agreement <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Agreement without consideration, Agreement in restraint of marriage, Agreement in restraint of Trade and Legal proceeding, Uncertain and Ambiguous agreement, Wager agreement</li> </ol> </li> <li>5. Contingent Contract</li> </ol>	
III	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Discharge of Contract and Quasi Contract</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Discharge by performance</li> <li>2. Discharge by Breach</li> <li>3. Discharge by Impossibility of Performance – Theories of Frustration</li> <li>4. Discharge by Agreement – Novation, Resession and Alteration</li> <li>5. Quasi Contract</li> <li>6. Remedies – Kinds, Remoteness of damages, Obligation of Mitigation of damage, Penalty,</li> <li>7. quantum meruit</li> </ol>	15 HRS
IV	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Standard Form of Contract and Special Relief Act</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Standard Form of contract – Nature, Advantage, Principles of Protection against possible exploitation, Judicial approach</li> <li>2. Contract through Internet – Electronic document, digital certificates as entry pass, time and place of contract, click wrap contract, shrink wrap contract</li> <li>3. Specific Relief Act – Specific performance of Contract, Contract that can be specifically enforced, Person against whom</li> </ol>	15 HRS

#### Course outcomes

S. No.	Course Outcomes (CO)
CO1	Understand the concept and nature of contractual obligations and elements of a valid contract and identify illegal, void and contingent agreements.
CO2	Analyse the legal rules related to proposals, acceptances, and consideration including their revocation and exceptions, and examine the role of free consent and factors that vitiate consent like coercion, fraud, and misrepresentation.
CO3	Explain the legal capacity to contract, especially concerning minors, unsound mind, and incapacitated persons.
CO4	Understand the nature and principles of standard forms of contract and electronic contracts and their legal validity.
CO5	Analyse the Specific Relief Act and understand how one can be compelled to specifically perform a contract.

## **Suggested Books**

### **Textbooks**

1. Law of Contract and Specific Relief, Avtar Singh, Eastern Book Company
2. Contract I, RK Bangia, Allahabad Law Agency
3. Mulla on Indian Contract Act, Anirudh Wadhwa, LexisNexis
4. Contract- I And Specific Relief Act, Kailash Rai, Central Law Publication
5. Equity, Trust and Specific Relief, BM Gandhi, EBC Publishing Pvt. Ltd.
6. Bare Act – Indian Contract Act, 1872
7. Bare Act – Specific Relief Act, 1963

### **Reference Books**

1. Anson's Law of Contract, R. Beatson, Oxford University Press
2. Law of Contract, Cheshire and Fiffot, Oxford University Press

**LEGAL LANGUAGE AND LEGAL WRITING, INCLUDING PROFICIENCY IN  
GENERAL ENGLISH - I**

<b>School Name – School of Law and Legal Studies</b>			
<b>Program- LL.B.</b>			<b>Semester – I</b>
<b>Course Name – LEGAL LANGUAGE AND LEGAL WRITING, INCLUDING PROFICIENCY IN GENERAL ENGLISH – I</b>			
<b>A.Y. 2025-26</b>	<b>Course Code- B05SE2502</b>	<b>Batch- 2025-28</b>	<b>CIE Marks-50 (MM)</b>
<b>Total Teaching Hours- 60 hrs.</b>		<b>Total Credits- 04</b>	<b>ESE Marks-50 (MM)</b>
<b>Type of Course- Theory</b>			<b>Total Marks- 100 (MM)</b>

**Course Description**

This course is designed to build a strong foundation in English grammar and legal communication for students of law. It focuses on improving language accuracy, clarity, and expression—essential tools for effective communication in both academic and professional legal settings. Covering everything from grammar fundamentals to legal vocabulary, maxims, and written communication skills, the course prepares students to draft legal documents, understand court language, and engage in legal discourse with precision and professionalism.

<b>UNIT</b>	<b>TOPICS</b>	<b>TEACHING HOURS/(LECTURE)</b>
<b>I</b>	1. Sentences-Parts and types 2. Parts of Speech 3. Articles 4. Prepositions 5. Finite & Non-finite verbs 6. Transitive-Intransitive verbs 7. Verbs of being and doing, strong and weak verbs	<b>15 HRS</b>
<b>II</b>	1. Present 2. Past 3. Future 4. Subject Verb agreement 5. One Word Substitution 6. Homonyms 7. Synonyms 8. Antonyms	<b>15 HRS</b>

III	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Legal words/Phrases– ab initio, alibi, plaint, plaintiff, defendant, amicus curiae, ex-parte, suomoto, bonafide, doli-incapax, Indegent, dismiss in default, caveat emptor, ex-post-facto, compos mentis, ex gratia, ejusdem generis, ad valorem</li> <li>2. Legal Maxims–audi alteram partem, actus non facit reum nisi mens sit rea, bonafide non patitur ut bis idem exigatur, damnum sine injuria esse potest commodum, exinjuria suo memo habere debet delegatus non potest delegare, ex turpi causa non oritur actio de minimis non curat lex, dolo malo pactum se non servaturum , res nullius, parte in audita, legitima remedia, sua sponte, actio personalis moritur cum persona</li> </ol>	15HRS
IV	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Extracts from Law Books (comprehension)</li> <li>2. Composition on Legal Topics</li> <li>3. Translation from Legal Text (English to Hindi and Vice Versa)</li> </ol>	15 HRS

### Course Outcomes

S. No.	Course Outcome (CO)
CO1	Understand and apply basic grammar rules including parts of speech, articles, prepositions and verbs and distinguish between finite and non-finite, transitive and intransitive, strong and weak verbs.
CO2	Gain proficiency in English tenses and ensure accurate subject-verb agreement and improve vocabulary through practice of one-word substitutions, homonyms, synonyms, and antonyms.
CO3	Understand and apply key legal words, phrases, and Latin maxims relevant to legal studies and practice.
CO4	Analyse legal texts from numerous law books and translate legal texts from English to Hindi and vice vera.

### Suggested Readings

#### Textbooks

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|--------------------------|---|---|
| 1. Myneni S. R.          | - | English I and II                            |
| 2. Prashad Anirudha      | - | Legal Language                              |
| 3. Prashad, Dr. Anirudha | - | Legal Language                              |
| 4. Wren and Martin       | - | High School English Grammar and Composition |
| 5. Murphy, Raymond       | - | Murphy's English Grammar (III Edition)      |

#### Reference Books

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| 1. Jones Daniel       | - | Cambridge English Pronouncing Dictionary        |
| 2. Yadugiri M.A.      | - | English for Law                                 |
| 3. Anirudha Prasad    | - | Vidhik Bhasha Ki Roop Rekha                     |
| 4. Gupta S. P.        | - | Vidhik Bhasa Lekhan                             |
| 5. Tripathi S.C.      | - | Legal Language, Legal Writing & General English |
| 6. Singh U.S.         | - | Handbook on Pre-Law (I Year)                    |
| 7. Wren and Martin    | - | High School English Grammar and Composition     |
| 8. Swami K.R. Narayan | - | A Teacher's Grammar of English                  |
| 9. Singh, U.S.        | - | Handbook on Pre-Law (I Year)                    |

10. Narayan Swami, K.R. - A teacher's Grammar of English
11. Collin, P.H. - Law Dictionary

## COPYRIGHT

<b>School Name- School of Law and Legal Studies</b>			
<b>Program- LL.B.</b>			<b>Semester I</b>
<b>Course Name- COPYRIGHT</b>			
<b>A.Y. 2025-26</b>	<b>Course Code- B05EC2501</b>	<b>Batch 2025-28</b>	<b>CIE Marks-50 (MM)</b>
<b>Total Teaching Hours- 60 hrs.</b>		<b>Total Credits- 04</b>	<b>ESE Marks-50 (MM)</b>
<b>Type of Course- Theory</b>			<b>Total Marks- 100 (MM)</b>

### Course Description

The Copyright Law course offers an in-depth study of the legal framework governing the protection of original creative works. It explores the nature, evolution, and scope of copyright laws, both in the Indian context and internationally. The course covers significant international treaties, basic concepts like originality, authorship, and ownership, as well as the types of rights granted to copyright holders. It also addresses related rights (neighbouring rights), exploitation of works, and legal remedies in cases of infringement. Emphasis is laid on recent developments, including digital content, computer programs, and international conventions like WCT, WPPT, and TRIPS.

UNIT	TOPICS	TEACHING HOURS/(LECTURE)
I	<p><b>Introduction: Origin and Development</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Meaning, Concepts and kinds of Intellectual Property Rights</li> <li>2. Meaning and Significance of Copyright</li> <li>3. History of Copyright               <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Queen Anee's Statute</li> <li>ii. BIRPI</li> <li>iii. WIPO</li> <li>iv. TRIPs, WCT, WPPT</li> </ol> </li> <li>4. Justification for protection of Copyright</li> <li>5. Sweat of the Brow Theory</li> <li>6. Utilitarian Theory</li> <li>7. Humanitarian Theory</li> <li>8. Moral Theory</li> </ol>	15 HRS

II	<b>International Instruments</b>	15 HRS
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Berne Convention</li> <li>2. WIPO Copyright Treaty (WCT)</li> <li>3. Rome Convention</li> <li>4. WIPO Performers and Phonogram Treaty (WPPT)</li> <li>5. Other Special Convention <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. The Phonograms Convention</li> <li>ii. The Satellites Convention</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	
III	<b>Copyright and Its General Concepts</b>	15 HRS
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Basic Concepts of Copyrights: Originality etc. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Subject matter of Copyright Original literary, dramatic, musical and artistic works</li> <li>ii. Computer programs</li> <li>iv. Cinematograph films Sound recordings</li> <li>v. Authorship and Ownership</li> <li>vi. Types of Rights <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Economic rights</li> <li>b. Moral rights</li> </ol> </li> </ol> </li> </ol>	
IV	<b>Copyright and Other Related Right</b>	15 HRS
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Concept of Related Rights (Neighbouring Rights)</li> <li>2. Performers Rights</li> <li>3. Broadcasters Rights</li> <li>4. Producer's Right</li> <li>5. Exploitation of Work <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Administrative Work</li> <li>b. Assignment of Copyright</li> </ol> </li> <li>6. Registration of Copyright</li> <li>7. Infringement of Copyrights and Remedies <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Civil</li> <li>b. Criminal Administrative</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	

#### Course Outcomes

S. No.	Course Outcome
CO1	Understand the meaning, nature, scope, and evolution of copyright within the broader framework of Intellectual Property Rights and analyse the historical development of copyright law, including key international milestones such as the Queen Anne's Statute, BIRPI, WIPO, TRIPS, WCT, and WPPT.
CO2	Evaluate the philosophical justifications for copyright protection, including the Sweat of the Brow, Utilitarian, Humanitarian, and Moral theories.
CO3	Interpret and apply the provisions of major international copyright instruments like the Berne Convention, WCT, Rome Convention, WPPT, and other special conventions and

<b>CO4</b>	Identify and explain the core concepts of copyright law such as originality, authorship, ownership, and the subject matter including literary, artistic, and digital works.
<b>CO5</b>	Understand the core concept of copyright law, analyse and apply the copyright principles and various creative intellectual endeavours.

### **Suggested Readings**

#### **Textbooks**

1. Ahuja, V.K. – Law Relating to Intellectual Property Rights
2. Wadhwa, B. L. – Law relating to Patents, Trademarks, Copyright, Designs and Geographical Indications
3. Narayanan, P. – Intellectual Property Law
4. Bare Act – Copyright Act, 1957

## COMPETITION LAW

<b>School Name- School of Law and Legal Studies</b>			
<b>Program- LL.B.</b>			<b>Semester I</b>
<b>Course Name – Competition Law</b>			
<b>A.Y. 2025-26</b>	<b>Course Code-B05EC2502</b>	<b>Batch- 2025-28</b>	<b>CIE Marks-50 (MM)</b>
<b>Total Teaching Hours- 60 hrs.</b>	<b>Total Credits- 04</b>		<b>ESE Marks-50 (MM)</b>
<b>Type of Course- Theory</b>			<b>Total Marks- 100 (MM)</b>

### Course Description

The Competition Law course offers an in-depth understanding of the legal framework governing market competition in India. It traces the evolution of Indian competition law from the Monopolies and Restrictive Trade Practices Act, 1969 (MRTP), to the modern Competition Act, 2002. The course examines anti-competitive agreements, abuse of dominant position, and the regulation of mergers and acquisitions (combinations). It also emphasises the role, powers, and functions of the Competition Commission of India (CCI) and its enforcement mechanisms. This subject equips students with the tools to identify and analyse market practices that harm fair competition and consumer welfare.

UNIT	TOPICS	TEACHING HOURS/LECTURE
I	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Historical Development of Competition Law.</li> <li>2. The Scheme of Monopolies and Restrictive Trade Practices Act, 1969 (MRTP)- Objectives and its Failure.</li> <li>3. Objectives and Application of the Competition Act 2002</li> <li>4. Salient features of the Competition Act, 2002</li> <li>5. Definition under the Competition Act – Acquisition, Agreement, Consumer, Enterprise, Goods, Service and Person</li> <li>6. Analysis of Monopolistic, Restrictive and Unfair Trade Practices</li> </ol>	15 HRS
II	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Anti-Competitive Agreements</li> <li>2. Types of Anti-Competitive Agreements</li> <li>3. Rationale for Prohibition; Cartelization and Types of Cartels</li> <li>4. Exemptions.</li> </ol>	15 HRS
III	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Meaning of Dominant Position</li> <li>2. Abuse of Dominant Position and Instrument of Abuse</li> <li>3. Relevant Market: Relevant Geographical Market and Relevant Product Market</li> <li>4. Regulation of Combinations</li> <li>5. Analysis of Acquisitions and Mergers under Competition Act 2000.</li> </ol>	15HRS

IV	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Establishment, Composition and Function of CCI</li> <li>2. Powers and Procedure for inquiry</li> <li>3. Competition Appellate Tribunals</li> <li>4. Penalties and Enforcements</li> <li>5. Remedies</li> </ol>	15HRS
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### Course Outcomes

S. No.	Course Outcomes (CO)
CO1	Understand the historical context and legislative evolution of competition law in India.
CO2	Explain the objectives and key provisions of the Competition Act, 2002, including its definitions and scope.
CO3	Identify and assess anti-competitive agreements, including cartels, and their legal implications under the Act.
CO4	Analyse the concept of dominant position and recognize abusive practices prohibited under the Competition Act.
CO5	Describe the comprehensive understanding of the Competition Commission of India and apply competition law principles to real world scenarios.

### Suggested Readings

#### Textbooks

1. Competition Law in India, Abir Roy and Jayant Kumar, Eastern Law House.
2. Competition Law in India and cartels in India, Souvik Chatterji, ALA
3. Law of competition in India, Siddharth Bawa, ALA, 2005.
4. Competition Law in India, T. Ramappa, Oxford University Press
5. Indian Competition Law, Versha Vahini, LexisNexis
6. Competition Law of India, Jai S. Singh, Excel publication
7. Bare Act – Monopolies and Restrictive Trade Practices Act, 1969
8. Bare Act – Competition Act, 2002.