

DIPLOMA IN PARALEGAL PRACTICE (DIPP)

Tutor Marked Assignments (January 2018 and July, 2018)

BLE-001: Introduction to the Indian Legal System

BLE-002: Introduction to Law

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BLEP-001: Project Work



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Dear Student,

As per laid down guidelines of the University, you have to complete one assignment for each course opted by you.

You will find that the questions in the assignments are analytical and descriptive so that you can better understand and comprehend the concepts.

It is important that you write the answers to all the questions in your own words. Your answers should be within the approximate range of the word-limit set for each question. Remember, writing answers to assignment questions will improve your writing skills and prepare you for the term-end examination.

Submission

You have to submit the assignments to the Coordinator of your Study Centre. You must obtain a receipt from the Study Centre for the assignments submitted and retain it with you. It is desirable to keep with you a photocopy of the assignments submitted by you.

Once evaluated, the Study Centre will return the assignments to you. Please insist on this. The Study Centre will send the marks to the SED at IGNOU, New Delhi.

You need to submit the assignments at your study centers as

under: For January Session - By 30th September, 2018

For July Session- By 30th March , 2019

Guidelines for Doing Assignments

We expect you to answer each question as per instructions in the assignment. You will find it useful to keep the following points in mind:

- 1) **Planning:** Read the assignment carefully, go through the Units on which they are based. Make some points regarding each question and then rearrange them in a logical order.
- 2) **Organisation:** Be a little selective and analytical before drawing up a rough outline of your answer. Give adequate attention to question's introduction and conclusion.

Make sure that:

- a) The answer is logical and coherent.
 - b) It has clear connections between sentences and paragraphs.
 - c) The presentation is correct in your own expression and style.
- 3) **Presentation:** Once you are satisfied with your answer, you can write down the final version for submission. **It is mandatory to write all assignments neatly in your own handwriting.** If you so desire, you may underline the points you wish to emphasize. Make sure that the answer is within the stipulated word limit.

Wishing you all the best.

Programme Coordinator (DIPP)

BLE-001: INTRODUCTION TO THE INDIAN LEGAL SYSTEM

Course Code: BLE-001
Assignment Code: BLE-001/ TMA/ 2018-19
Total Marks: 100

Part A

Answer any 2 of the following questions in about 600 words. Each question carries 20 marks.

1. Discuss Dicey's thesis on Rule of Laws. How has this principle been incorporated in Indian Constitution?
2. Explain in detail the right to life and personal liberty enshrined in the constitution of India.
3. What is meant by legal aid? Discuss the main features of legal service Authorities Act, 1987.
4. Explain different kinds of Jurisdiction of Supreme Court of India.

Part B

Answer any 4 of the following questions in about 300 words. Each question carries 10 marks.

5. Discuss the salient features of Right to Information Act, 2005.
6. Discuss the constitutional values enshrined in India Constitution.
7. Discuss the constitutional remedies (writs) provided in our constitutional.
8. Highlight the Salient features of National Human Rights Commission.
9. Explain the fundamental duties enshrined in our Constitution.
10. What constitute fundamental Rights in Indian Constitution? Explain in brief the six fundamental freedom guaranteed in our constitution.

Part C

Write short notes on any 4 of the following questions in about 150 words. Each question carries 5 marks.

11. Religious, Cultural and Educational Rights.
12. Money Bill.
13. Second Appeal under Public Interest Litigation.
14. Doctrine of Severability
15. Preamble of the Constitution.
16. Right against Custodial torture.

BLE-002: INTRODUCTION TO LAW

Course Code: BLE-002
Assignment Code: BLE-002/ TMA/ 2018-19
Total Marks: 100

Part A

Answer any 2 of the following questions in about 600 words. Each question carries 20 marks.

1. Explain the principle that govern the liability for joint or group crime with the help of case law.
2. What is Company? Differentiate between Public and a Private Company.
3. Define the term “company”. Distinguish it from sole proprietorship, partnership and limited liability partnership.
4. What is the difference between “Crime and Tort”, becomes explain with the help of illustration?

Part B

Answer any 4 of the following questions in about 300 words. Each question carries 10 marks.

5. Discuss the benefits available to the employee under the Employee’s State Insurance Act, 1948.
6. What is divorce? Distinguish it with judicial separation.
7. What is Contract? What are the essential conditions for a valid contract?
8. Discuss the role of Law in ensuring Environmental Protection in India.
9. Distinguished between cognizable and non cognizable offences.
10. Discuss the role of Technology in providing evidence.

Part C

Write short notes on any 4 of the followings in about 150 words. Each question carries 5 marks.

11. Territorial and Pecuniary Jurisdiction.
12. First Information Report.
13. Moveable and Immoveable property.
14. Testamentary Succession
15. Payment of Bonus Act
16. Lease and License

BLE-003: LAWS AND VULNERABLE GROUPS

Course Code: BLE-003
Assignment Code: BLE-003/ TMA/ 2018-19
Total Marks: 100

Part A

Answer any 2 of the following questions in about 600 words. Each question carries 20 marks.

1. Discuss Rape and Dowry as a form of violence against women. In our opinion, what are the reason of its occurrence?
2. Analyse the main provisions of Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection Act, 2000).
3. Critically examine the rights available to Persons with Disability with respect to Education and Employment.
4. Discuss the main provisions of Schedule Tribe and Schedule Caste (Prevention and Atrocities Act, 1989).

Part B

Answer any 4 of the following questions in about 300 words. Each question carries 10 marks.

5. Examine the Supreme Court guidelines on the prevention of the Sexual Harassment Women at work place.
6. Identify the sector where women are routinely underpaid as compared to men even when they do the same/similar work. What legal protections are available to them in this connection?
7. Define Patriarchy. Discuss the various modes of Patriarchal control.
8. Discuss the main feature of the Rights of Children, to free and Compulsory Education.
9. What is manual Scavenging? How it has been prohibited by the Indian Legislation?
10. What is Voluntary Testing? What are the giving reasons of preference to the policy of voluntary Testing over the Mandatory Testing of the HIV Patient?

Part C

Write short notes on any 4 of the followings in about 150 words. Each question carries 5 marks.

11. Gender Stereotyping
12. Problem of Child Labour.
13. Rights of women workers
14. Individual and social approached to disability
15. Rehabilitation Council of India Act, 1992
16. Rights of Mentally Ill Persons.

BLE-004: RURAL LOCAL SELF GOVERNANCE

Course Code: BLE-004

Assignment Code: BLE-004/ TMA/ 2018-19

Total Marks: 100

Part A

Answer any 2 of the following questions in about 600 words. Each question carries 20 marks.

1. Explain the Jurisdiction and Procedure of the Gram Nyayalayaa Act, 2008.
2. Right to Housing has been recognized as fundamental rights under Article 21. Discuss
3. Discuss the issues an ideal rehabilitation package ought to address after disaster.
4. What is Disaster Management? Give a description of various types of Natural and Man Made disasters.

Part B

Answer any 4 of the following questions in about 300 words. Each question carries 10 marks.

5. Describe to powers and functions of Gram Sabha.
6. What is the significance of social Audit? How do you think they can be made more effective in ensuring transparency from Government Officials?.
7. Analyse the concept of Eminent Domain in the light of the constitution of India.
8. Discuss the Land Reforms in India.
9. 'Right to Water as a Human Rights'. Discuss
10. What is the role of Panchayat in protecting the forest? Discuss.

Part C

Write short notes on any 4 of the followings in about 150 words. Each question carries 5 marks.

11. Constitution 73rd amendment
12. State Finance Commission
13. Minimum unemployment Allowance
14. Right to Food
15. Land Rights of Tribals
16. National Policy for Disaster Management.

BLEP-001: Project

Dear learner in this course you have to write a project in about 4000 words on any one of the topics given below and send it to the Project Section, Student Evaluation Division, IGNOU, Maidan Garhi, New Delhi-110068. Before writing the project read carefully the Project Guide BLEP-001 sent to you along with the study material. Please also read the following paragraphs carefully.

Organised the project into various chapters and chapter into sections. The chapter 1 mainly consists of introduction to the subject, objectives of the study, scope of the study methodology of collecting data etc. The last chapter should include the findings of the study and suggestions if any.

For writing this project, we suggest that you should go to nearby law library. You can find these libraries in the law colleges, bar associations of codes etc. Some good advocates also maintain such libraries. In these libraries you will find the act, commentaries, digests journals etc. The important journals are: All India Reporter (AIR) Supreme court cases (SCC) etc. There a number of online journals also such as Manupatra, SCC online etc. There are number of website such as indiacode.nic.in where you can find all the acts of parliament.

The journals contain the full judgments of the Supreme Court and High Courts. on the basis of headnotes given in the beginning of the judgment, you can short list them according to the theme of your project. Afterwards read these selected judgments carefully and while reading them prepare a brief note on the facts and arguments on which the judgments is based. In the project we expect you to present an original analysis of the judgments.

Topics for Project

1. Legal aid Mechanism system in India
2. Right of Women Worker
3. Problem of Child Labour and Supreme Court of India
4. Labour rights in the unorganized sector
5. Various forms of violence against women
6. Right to Shelter.
7. Right to food
8. Rights of Persons with Disabilities and Indian law

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