

BLOOM PUBLIC SCHOOL

C-8 Vasant Kunj New Delhi

SYLLABUS FOR THE SESSION 2022-23

Class: XI

Subject: Legal Studies

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April	Unit 1: Introduction to Political Institutions Ch 01: Concept of State	I. What is a State? II. The concept of State and Article 12 of the Indian Constitution III. What is a Government? IV. Emergence of the State from Society V. Definition of State
May	Ch 02: Forms and Organs of Government	I .Introduction to the Organs of Government II. Forms of Government A. Monarchy B. Aristocracy C. Dictatorship D. Democracy III. Main organs of Government and its functions A. General Functions of Legislature as Organ of Government B. General Functions of Executive as Organ of Government C. General Functions of Judiciary as an Organ of the Government
	Ch 03: Separation of powers	I. Concept of Separation of Powers II. Historical Background and Evolution of Montesquieu's Doctrine of Separation of Powers A. Montesquieu's Doctrine of Separation of Powers B. Basic Features of the Doctrine Separation of Powers as Enunciated by Montesquieu C. Checks and Balances of Power D. Impact of the Doctrine

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		III. Evaluation of The Doctrine of Separation of Powers A. Key Benefits and Advantages of The Doctrine of Separation of Powers B. Defects of the Doctrine IV. Separation of Powers In Practice A. Separation of Powers in Britain B. Separation of Powers in the United States of America C. Separation of Powers in India
July	Unit 2: Basic Features of the Constitution of India	
	Ch 01: Salient features of the Constitution of India	 i. Meaning of the term Constitution ii. Definition of the term Constitution iii. Historical Perspective of Indian Constitution iv. Salient Features of The Constitution of India A. A Modern Constitution B. Lengthiest written Constitution C. Preamble to the Constitution D. Fundamental Rights; Directive Principles of State Policy; Fundamental Duties E. Constitutional Provision for Amendment of the Indian Constitution F. Adult Suffrage G. Single Citizenship H. Independent Judiciary I. Emergency Provisions J. Federal in form Unitary in character K. Division of Power:Centre-State Relations L. Schedules to the Constitution

Chapter 2 : Administrative Law	I.Background II. Administrative Law and Constitutional Law: Key Differences III. Reasons for Growth, Development and Study of Administrative Law IV. Types of Administrative Actions V. Fundamental Principle of Administrative Law: Rule of Law VI. Droit System
Unit 3:Jurisprudence, Nature and Sources of Law	
Ch 01: Jurisprudence, Nature and Meaning of Law	I.Introduction II. Historical Perspective III. Schools of Law IV. Function and Purpose of Law
Ch 02: Classification of laws	I. Classification of Law based on Subject matter II. Classification of Law based on Scope of Law III. Classification of Law based on Jurisdiction
Ch 03: Sources of Laws	 i. Where does law come from? ii. Custom as a source of Law iii. Importance of Custom as a source of Law in India iv. Judicial Precedent as a Source of Law v. Legislation as a Source of Law

August	Ch 04: Law Reform	i. Need for Law Reformii. Law Reforms in Indiaiii. Recent Law Reforms in Independent India
	Ch 05: Cyber laws, safety and security in India	 i. Introduction ii. Why do we need Cyber Laws iii. What is Cyber Law? iv. What is Cyber safety and Security? v. What is cyber Crime? vi. Categories of Cyber Crime vii. Cyber law in India viii. Scope and Extent of The Information and Technology Act, 2000(IT Act) ix. What was Section 66A of IT Act, 2000?
September	Unit 04: Judiciary: Constitutional, Civil and Criminal Courts and Processes	
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October	Ch 01:Judiciary: Constitutional, Civil and Criminal Courts and Processes contd.	III. THE CIVIL COURT STRUCTURE a. Common legal terminology b. Types of jurisdiction c. Res subjudice and Res judicata in code of civil procedure 1908
		IV. STRUCTURE AND FUNCTIONING OF CRIMINAL COURTS IN INDIA a) Types of offences

		b) Criminal investigation and First Information Report c) The criminal process- Investigation and prosecution d) Doctrine of autrefois acquit and autrefois convict V. Other courts in India a) Family Courts b) Administrative Tribunals
	Unit 05: Family Justice System Ch 01: Institutional Framework-Marriage and Divorce	I. Nature of Family law in India II. Human rights and gender perspective III. Institutional framework- family Courts IV. Role of women in the creation of family courts V. Role of lawyers and counselors in Family courts VI. Role of counselors and gender issues VII. Marriage and Divorce
November	Chapter 2 : Child Rights	I. Child Rights II. Right to Education III. Right to Health IV. IV. Right to Shelter V. Child Labour VI. Sexual Abuse VII. Juvenile Justice
	Chapter 3 : Adoption Chapter 4 : Property, Succession and Inheritance	 I. Adoption II. Minor custody and Guardianship I. Concept of Property: Joint Family Property and Separate Property II. Inheritance and Succession III. Intestate Succession IV. Rules relating to Intestate Succession V. Testamentary Succession
December	Ch 05: Prevention of violence against women	I. What is Domestic abuse / violence? II. International legal framework III. Laws in India on prevention of violence against women

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