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*Note : (i) All the four questions are compulsory.  
(ii) All the questions carry equal weightage.*

1. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Explain the concept and principles of law.

**OR**

Describe the justice delivery system or judicial set-up in India.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

What are the responsibilities of schools and teachers in protecting and promoting children's right to education under the Right of children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009 ?

**OR**

Explain as to how the National Rural Employment Guarantee Act, 2005 is helpful in guaranteeing employment to the poor households in rural areas.

3. Answer **any four** of the following questions in about **150 words** each.

- (a) Explain the relationship between rights and duties.
- (b) Explain the difference between the bailable cases and non-bailable cases.
- (c) What are the primary and secondary decisions involved in the process of sentencing the accused person found guilty of an offence ?
- (d) What are the similarities and differences between tort and crime ?
- (e) Explain the difference between testamentary succession and intestate succession.
- (f) What are the essentials of a valid contract ?

4. Answer the following question in about **600 words**.

What are the types of writs available as remedies to the citizens of India, if their fundamental rights are violated ? Explain, with suitable examples, the specific conditions under which these writs can be sought by them.

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1. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Explain the concepts of 'substantive law' and 'procedural law', with an emphasis on interrelationship and differences between the two.

**OR**

Highlight the significance of 'Rule of law' and 'Principles of natural justice' in implementation of law.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Describe the basic frame work and features of the constitution of India. Highlight the relevance or significance of the outcome of the debate on the controversy about the supremacy of fundamental rights and the directive principles of state policy in this regard.

**OR**

What are the essential ingredients of law of tort ?  
Mention the general defences to tort.

3. Answer **any four** of the following in about **150** words each.

- (a) Explain significance of Lok Adalats and Legal aid in delivery of justice in India.
- (b) Highlight different aspects of criminal conspiracy.
- (c) Describe the 'offender', 'victims', and offences' under the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989.
- (d) What are the important aspects of National Policy for persons with disabilities ?
- (e) What are the rights and privileges of older persons and senior citizens in India ?
- (f) How does the Bonded Labour System (Abolition) Act, 1976 extinguish the liability of the bonded labour ?

4. Answer the following question in about **600** words.

What is meant by 'discharge of contract' ?  
Explain, with suitable examples, different modes of discharge of contract.

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1. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

Explain the concepts 'substantive law' and 'procedural law' by highlighting the inter-relationship and differences between them.

*Or*

Discuss the role of 'Rule of Law' and 'Principles of Natural Justice' in implementation of law.

2. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

Explain the difference and relation between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy.

*Or*

Discuss theories of punishment and their relevance in determining penal policy of a given society.

3. Answer any *four* of the following questions in about **150** words each :

(a) Explain the relationship between fundamental rights and writs.

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- (b) What are the broad considerations involved in computation of compensation ?
  - (c) What are the functions of National Commission for protection of Child Rights ? .
  - (d) Highlight the measures taken by the government of India for protection of labour in unorganised sector.
  - (e) What are the important aspects of National Policy Statement on protection of persons with disabilities ?
  - (f) What are the provisions made for welfare of parents and senior citizens in India ?
4. Answer the following question in about **600** words :  
Explain the similarities and differences between crime and tort by giving suitable examples.

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**Note :** *All the four questions are compulsory. All questions carry equal weightage.*

1. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Explain the scope of jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of India by highlighting the different types of jurisdiction it has.

**OR**

Examine the relevance and significance of the principles of natural justice in implementation of law.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Discuss the different types of offences.

**OR**

What are the essentials of a valid contract ?

3. Answer any **four** of the following in about 150 words each.

- (a) What are the obligations of public authorities in implementation of Right to Information Act, 2005 ?
- (b) What are the types of orders of relief available to women under Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005 ?
- (c) Discuss the different types of writs available as remedies against violation of fundamental rights.
- (d) What are the specific reliefs as provided for in the Specific Relief Act, 1963 ?
- (e) What are the authorities that can be approached for free legal aid ?
- (f) What are the functions of National Human Rights Commission ?

4. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Critically examine the contribution of constitutional rights and protection of Dalits and Tribals in bringing about change in their social status.



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**Note :** (i) *All the four questions are compulsory.*  
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1. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Explain the concept and basic principles of law.

**OR**

What are the powers and functions of the Supreme Court of India ?

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

What are the general exceptions to criminal liability under Indian Penal Code ?

**OR**

Discuss the conditions for a valid marriage. Explain the matrimonial reliefs available to married couple.

3. Answer **any four** of the following in about **150** words each :

- (a) Explain the importance of legal protection of labour in unorganised sector in India.
- (b) Discuss different aspects of land acquisition and compensation by the State.
- (c) What are the legal provisions for maintenance of the parents and senior citizens in India ?
- (d) Explain the significance of maternity protection under Maternity Benefit Act, 1961.
- (e) Different types of writs available for protection of fundamental rights.
- (f) What are the obligations of Public Authorities under Right to Information Act, 2005 ?

4. Answer the following question in about **600** words.

“Everyone has the right to work, to just and favourable conditions of work and to protection against unemployment”. Explain the statement with special reference to NREG Act, 2005 and how it guarantees employment to adults in rural areas.

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1. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Explain the legal concepts of "Rights", "Duties", "Person" and "Property". Highlight the interrelationship between "Right" and "Duty".

**OR**

Describe the evolution of right to education as a constitutional perspective in India.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

What are the broad categories or types of offences under criminal law of India ? Explain the nature and significance of these types or categories in administration of criminal law.

**OR**

Discuss different specific reliefs as provided for in the Specific Relief Act, 1963.

3. Answer **any four** of the following in about **150** words each :

- (a) Discuss the individual and state liability under Criminal Procedure code as well as law of torts.
- (b) Classification of the directives under Directive Principles of State Policy.
- (c) Powers and duties of Protection Officers and Service Provides under Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005.
- (d) What are different theories of punishment ?
- (e) What are the constitutional torts that fall under absolute liability ?
- (f) Rights of Dalits and Tribals.

4. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

What are the salient aspects of the Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987 ? Explain with examples as to how these aspects are useful in promotion of justice on the basis of equal opportunity.

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**1. Answer the following question in about 600 words :**

- (a) Explain the concept and basic principles of law.

**OR**

- (b) Discuss different types of jurisdiction that the Supreme Court of India exercises under the Constitution.

**2. Answer the following question in about 600 words :**

- (a) Describe the basic framework of the Constitution of India. Highlight some salient features of it.

**OR**

- (b) What are the essentials of a valid contract ?  
What are the modes of discharging a contract ?

3. Answer any **four** of the following in about 150 words each :

- (a) Highlight the matrimonial reliefs available to the spouses.
- (b) Explain the similarities and differences between crime and tort.
- (c) What is substantive law ? How is it different from procedural law ?
- (d) What are the weaknesses of the National Commission for Women ?
- (e) What are Writs ? How do they help in protection of Fundamental Rights ?
- (f) What are the powers and responsibilities of Gram Sabha ? How can it be made an effective power centre of politics in India ?

4. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

Describe the process of land acquisition by the Central or State governments. Explain, with examples, the issues of compensation, resettlement and rehabilitation involved in this regard.

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**Note :** All the *four* questions are **compulsory**. All questions carry equal weightage.

1. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

- (a) Critically examine the role of principles of natural justice in governance or implementation of law.

**OR**

- (b) Explain the significance of the hierarchy of justice delivery system in India with special reference to the powers and functions of courts at different levels.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

- (a) What are the conditions for a valid marriage ? Explain the difference between void marriage and voidable marriage.

**OR**

- (b) What is tort ? What are its essential ingredients ? List the general defences available for the defendant. Explain the significance of these defences in tort.

3. Answer any **four** of the following questions in about 150 words each :

- (a) What constitutes information and who can access it under the Right to Information Act, 2005 ?
- (b) What is the constitutional perspective of evolution of right to education ?
- (c) What are the characteristics of an ideal penal system ?
- (d) Distinguish between bailable offences and non-bailable offences.
- (e) Distinguish between judicial remedies and non-judicial remedies under tort law.
- (f) Explain the constitutional and legal status of right to property.

4. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

What are the types of writs available under the Constitution ? Under what conditions can you seek these writs ? Give suitable examples.

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*Note : (i) All the four questions are compulsory.*

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1. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Explain the inter relationship and differences between 'substantive law' and 'procedural law'. Give suitable examples.

**OR**

What are the principles of natural justice ?

Explain their significance in implementation of law.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Describe the classification of offences and highlight each type of offence.

**OR**

What is contract ? Explain the essentials of a valid contract with suitable examples.

**3. Answer any four of the following in about 150 words each.**

- (a) Explain the difference between the fundamental rights and the directive principles of state policy.
- (b) What are the obligations of public authorities under RTI Act, 2005 ?
- (c) Discuss different types of writs available for protection of fundamental rights.
- (d) What are the conditions prescribed under NREG Act, 2005 for providing guaranteed employment ?
- (e) Highlight different aspects of public Interest Litigation.
- (f) What are the similarities and differences between tort and crime ?

**4. Answer the following question in about 600 words.**

What are the steps involved in land acquisition process ? Highlight, with examples, the key issues of compensation, resettlement and rehabilitation.

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*Note : (i) All the four questions are compulsory.*

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1. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

Explain the significance of rule of law and principles of natural justice in implementation of law.

**OR**

What are the characteristics of 'Right' ? Explain the inter-relationship between 'rights' and 'duties'.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words.

What are the directive principles of state policy ? How do they help in strengthening democracy ?

**OR**

Discuss different obligations of public authorities under Right to Information Act, 2005.

**3. Answer any four of the following in about 150 words each.**

- (a) Highlight the constitutional and legal provisions available for protection of 'Dalits' and 'Tribals'.
- (b) What are the rights of persons with disabilities ?
- (c) Who are entitled to seek free legal aid services ? Who are the authorities that can be approached for free legal aid ?
- (d) What are the general exceptions to criminal liability under Indian penal code ?
- (e) What do you understand by valid, void, voidable and irregular marriages ?
- (f) What are the functions of National Commission for Women ?

**4. Answer the following question in about 600 words.**

What is writ of Habeas Corpus ? Explain with suitable examples as to who can seek it, when and with what effect.

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- Note :**
- (i) *All the four questions are compulsory.*
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1. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

- (a) Explain the concepts of 'Rule of Law' and 'Principles of natural justice'. Analyse their significance in implementation of law.

**OR**

- (b) What are the judicial and other remedies available under administrative law ? Explain them with suitable examples.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

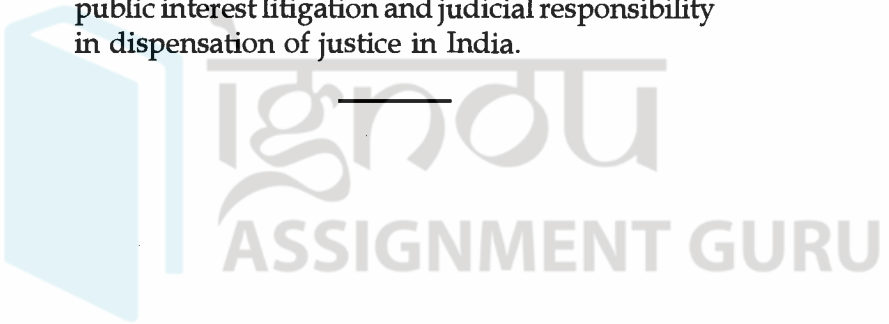
- (a) Explain the significance of proportionality of punishment in criminal justice. Give examples.

**OR**

- (b) Discuss the general rules of law of tort.

3. Answer **any four** of the following in about **150** words each :
- (a) Fundamental duties of the citizens of India.
  - (b) Obligations of Public Authorities under Right to Information Act, 2005.
  - (c) Constitutional perspective of evolution of right to education.
  - (d) Rights of Dalits and Tribals.
  - (e) Rights of persons with disabilities.
  - (f) Matrimonial reliefs.

4. Answer the following question in about **600** words :
- Critically analyse the significance of legal aid, public interest litigation and judicial responsibility in dispensation of justice in India.



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- Note :**
- (i) *All the four questions are compulsory.*
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1. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

- (a) Explain the interrelationship and differences between substantive law and procedural law. Give suitable examples from civil, criminal and administrative laws.

**OR**

- (b) Describe the judicial set-up in India with special reference to the jurisdiction and powers of different courts.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

- (a) What are the salient features of Right to Information Act, 2005 ? How does the Act help in strengthening governance in democracy ?

**OR**

- (b) Explain the concept, nature, ingredients and process of criminal conspiracy. Give suitable examples.

3. Answer **any four** of the following in about **150** words each :
- (a) Theories of punishment.
  - (b) Valid, void, voidable and irregular marriages.
  - (c) Protection of labour in the unorganised sector.
  - (d) Shortcomings of Maternity Benefit Act, 1961.
  - (e) Indian Constitutional perspective of right to work.
  - (f) Rights and privileges of older persons and senior citizens.
4. Answer the following question in about **600** words :  
Illustrate the significance of different types of writs in enforcement of fundamental rights in India.

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1. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

- (a) Explain the interrelationship and the differences between Substantive Law and Procedural Law. Give suitable examples.

**OR**

- (b) Compare the significance of fundamental rights and directive principles of state policy in India.

2. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

- (a) Discuss different types of offences. Give suitable examples.

OR

- (b) What are the types of writs ? Who can issue them and under what circumstances ?

3. Answer **any four** of the following in about **150** words each :

- (a) How do you classify obligations based on conditions or circumstances ?
- (b) Which are the contracts that cannot be specifically enforced under Specific Relief Act ?
- (c) What are the important aspects of public interest litigation (PIL) ?
- (d) How are Human Rights classified ?
- (e) Explain the powers and responsibilities of Gram Sabha.
- (f) What are the offences against which special protection is available to women under criminal laws ?

4. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

What are the steps involved in Land Acquisition Process ? Highlight the crucial issues of compensation, resettlement and rehabilitation.

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1. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

(a) Explain the concept and basic principles of Law.

**OR**

(b) Describe the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of India.

2. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

(a) Explain the burden of proof on prosecution in respect of proving a crime and that on the

accused in respect of seeking defence of general exceptions.

**OR**

(b) Explain with examples the essentials of a Valid Contract.

3. Answer **any four** of the following questions in about 150 words each :

(a) How do you classify rights based on conditions or circumstances ?

(b) Under code of criminal procedure, what are the circumstances under which State is liable to pay compensation to Victim ?

(c) Who are entitled to claim Legal Aid ?

(d) What are the principles and characteristics of Human Rights ?

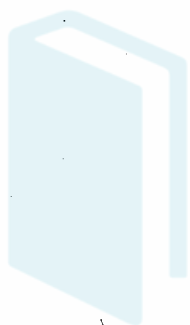
(e) What are the functions of National Commission for protection of Child Rights ?

(f) What are the functions of National Commission for Women ?

4. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

What do you understand by the expression "Maintenance" ? What are the three main legal provisions that enable parents and senior citizens to claim maintenance ? Explain the major differences among these provisions.

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1. Answer the following questions in about  
600 words :

(a) Explain the basic principles of law.

*Or*

(b) Explain the relative significance of  
fundamental rights and directive  
principles of state policy.

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2. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

(a) What are the essentials of a valid contract ?

Give suitable examples.

Or

(b) Explain as to how state can be made liable to pay compensation under the constitution of India.

3. Answer any *four* of the following questions in about 150 words each :

(a) Functions of National Commission for protection of child rights

(b) Protection of women under Indian Penal Code

(c) Rights and privileges of older persons and senior citizens

(d) Principles of natural justice



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(e) General rules of devolution of property

(f) Different types of writs provided for protection of fundamental rights

4. Answer the following question in about 600 words :

What are the matrimonial reliefs available to spouses ? Critically analyse them with suitable examples.

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1. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

(a) Explain the interrelationship and differences between substantive law and procedural laws.

*Or*

(b) What are the important aspects pertaining to provision and protection of free and compulsory education to children of age six to fourteen years in India ?

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2. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

(a) What are the essentials of an ideal penal system ? Give suitable examples.

*Or*

(b) How do you classify the human rights ? Give suitable examples.

3. Answer any **four** of the following questions in about **150** words each :

(a) National policy on child labour.

(b) Protection of labour in unorganised sector.

(c) Eminent domain and public purpose in respect of land acquisition.

(d) The hierarchy of Courts in India.

(e) Formal and substantive conceptions of rule of law in India.

(f) Bailable offences and non-bailable offences.

4. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

“Panchayat Raj System is both a means and an end of democracy.” Justify the statement.

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