

**1/5 B.A.LL.B.,
Second Semester
Paper-V General English -II**

- I. Vocabulary
 1. Foreign words and phrases (important latin and English Affixes).
 2. Certain set expressions and phrases.
 3. One word substitution
 4. Words often confused.
- II. Comprehension skills
 1. Common Logical Fallacies.
 2. Comprehension of Legal Texts.
- III. Composition skills
 1. Use of cohesive devices (Legal drafting).
 2. Precise writing, summarising and briefing.
 3. Brief writing and drafting of reports.
 4. Essay writing on topics of legal interest.
 5. Varieties of sentence structures and verb patterns.
 6. Translation (from English to regional languages and from regional languages to English).
- IV. Speech Training:
 1. Reading aloud (Knowledge of proper pauses).
 2. Key sounds, their discrimination and accent .
 3. Consulting a pronouncing Dictionary.
 4. Rapid reading and debating exercises.

Recommended Source Materials:

1. Selected materials drawn from renowned Judgements.
2. Materials drawn from legal notices, petitions, appeals, court orders, statutes, bills, rules etc.
3. Hindi-English Glossary. Vidhi Sahitya Prakashan, Ministry of Law, New Delhi.
4. M.C. Chagla - Roses in December, Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan, Bombay.

Paper-VI Political Science - II
(Foundations of Political Obligation)

1. Conception of power, authority and legitimation.
2. How does power become legitimate power or why people ought to obey the State? Examination of classical (Hobbes, Locke, Rousseau) and modern (Max Weber, Marx, Emile Durkheim) approaches to the notion of political obligation.
3. Utilitarianism (both rule and act utilitarianism) as approaches to political obligation.
4. The problem of civil disobedience and political obligation, with particular reference to Gandhian and Neo-Gandhian thought.
5. The problem of obedience to unjust laws.
6. Why should we honour promises and contracts? (Foundations of promissory and contractual liability)
7. The problem of punishment: when is use of force by State against the citizen just and justifiable? (The basis of criminal sanction)
8. The contemporary crisis of legitimation.

BOOKS PRESCRIBED:

1. Rajani Kothari- Democratic Policy and Social Change in India Crisis and Opportunities, (Allied Publishers), 1976.
2. Kar Lowernestein : Political Power and the Government Process.
3. Nisbet R.A. : The Sociological Tradition, 1967, Heinemann, Londs Part-II- Chapter-4: Authority for authority' and power.
4. Bierstedt Robert: Power and Progress, 1974, (MC Graw Hill), New York and Delhi.

Paper VII Sociology – II
(Sociology in India)

1. The Development of Indian Society
 - a) Unity and Diversity
 - b) Continuity and Change
2. India as a plural Society; varieties of
 - a) Customs and ways of life

- b) Linguistic, religious and other communities
- 3. Major institutions of Indian society;
 - a) Family
 - b) Caste
 - c) village
- 4. Tribe and caste in the traditional order.
- 5. Caste and class in contemporary India;
- 6. The Backwards classes.
- 7. Trends of change in Indian society.
- 8. Indian cultural values and development

Recommended Source Material:

- 1. T.B. Bottomore, Sociology, a guide to problems and Literature, London allen and Unwin, 1962
- 2. Peter Worsley: Introducing Sociology, Harmondsworth, Penguin Books, 1970
- 3. M. Haralambos, Sociology, themes and Perspectives, Delhi, Oxford University Press, 1981
- 4. NK Bose, the Structure of Hindu Society, new Delhi, orient Longman, 1975
- 5. David G. Mandelbaum, Society in India, Bombay, Populzar Prakashan, 1972
- 6. Romesh Thappar(ed), Tribe, Caste and Religion in India, New Delhi, Macmillan, 1977
- 7. Andre Betelle, Inequality and Social Change, Delhi, Oxford University Press, 1972.
- 8. Andre Betelle, The Backward Classes and the New Social Order, Delhi, Oxford University Press, 1981.

Paper VIII – History

- I. Ancient Indian Cultural Heritage; Social, Political, legal and in the areas of religion and philosophy. (The teacher is expected to give special emphasis on the study of village republics in Ancient India, the organisation of Central Government in Ancient India, experiments in decentralisation, ancient law givers and dispute resolution systems in ancient Indian pre Islamic period) law

in relation to culture.

- II. The advent of Islam-Interaction between Ancient Indian Cultural heritage and Islamic culture and the emergence of synthetic Indian culture. Innovation by rulers of Medieval period in the area of Revenue Administration, District Administration, and Court System.
- III. Impact of European liberal thought on the Indian National Movement and Constitutional Development in India upto 1947. Study of social reform movements in Modern India and its impact on legal culture.
- IV. Economic history of India during the British period.

Books Recommended For Study:

1. R. C. Majumdar & Chopra-Main currents of Indian History.
2. A.R.Desai - Social background of Indian Nationalism, Popular Prakash, Bombay, 1944.
3. K.K.Datta - renaissance Nationalism and social changes in modern India.
4. Iswari Prasad - Medieval India
5. Griffith - Impact of British Rule of India.
6. Altekar - State and society in Ancient India.