

**SCHOOL OF INDIAN LEGAL THOUGHT,
MAHATMA GANDHI UNIVERSITY, KOTTAYAM
LAW ENTRANCE EXAM SYLLABUS**

Stream: BBA.LL.B(Hons)

UNITS

- **Unit 1**

English Language

- **Unit 2**

Current Affairs, including General Knowledge

- **Unit 3**

Legal Reasoning

- **Unit 4**

Logical Reasoning

- **Unit 5**

Legal Aptitude

DETAILS

1. ENGLISH LANGUAGE

This section covers many areas including English usage errors (common errors, inappropriate usage of words, spotting errors in sentence, spelling mistakes etc., improvement and rearrangement of sentences, one word substitution, English comprehension and passages and Proficiency (idioms and phrases), improvement and rearrangement of sentences, fill in the blanks summarising the passage etc..

- Reading Comprehension
- Word Usage
- Vocabulary
- Grammar
- Inference-based questions
- Synonyms
- Antonyms
- Para Jumbles

2. CURRENT AFFAIRS INCLUDING GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

Current Affairs Including General Knowledge includes

- International events
- UN bodies
- Major developments in the areas of sports, geopolitics and important international agreements
- Current affairs
- Eminent personalities
- Sports
- Awards and honours
- Contemporary events of significance from India,
- Historical events of continuing significance

3. LEGAL REASONING

In this section students will be expected to read passages of around 450 words each. The passages may relate to fact situations or scenarios involving legal matters, public policy questions or moral philosophical enquiries.

Each passage would be followed by a series of questions that will require the students to

- Identify and infer the rules and principles set out in the passage;
- Apply such rules and principles to various fact situations; and
- Understand how changes to the rules or principles may alter their application to various fact situations.

4. LOGICAL REASONING

The Logical Reasoning section will include a series of short passages of about 300 words each. Each passage will be followed by one or more questions that will require the students to

- Recognize an argument, its premises and conclusions;
- Read and identify the arguments set out in the passage;
- Critically analyse patterns of reasoning, and assess how conclusions may depend on particular premises or evidence;
- Infer what follows from the passage and apply these inferences to new situations;
- Draw relationships and analogies, identify contradictions and equivalence, and assess the effectiveness of arguments.

5. LEGAL APTITUDE

- Law of Torts
- Law of Crimes
- Law of Contract
- Public International Law
- Intellectual Property Rights
- Legal Awareness covering Constitutional Law and Polity
- Jurisprudence
- Important Judicial Decisions