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## **FACULTY OF HUMANITIES**

# REVISED CURRICULUM OF UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE COURSES OF LAW 2017-18

(As Amended in July 2019)

Courses of Law, Eligibility for Admission, Course Component, Curriculum, Examination Pattern, Standard of Passing, and Rules of Equivalence

for

B.A. LL.B. (Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Laws)
B.B.A. LL.B. (Bachelor of Business Administration and Bachelor of Laws)
LL.B. (Bachelor of Laws)

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## **PART I**

## **Undergraduate Degree Courses of Law**

## 1. Three Degree Courses of Law:

There shall be three undergraduate degree courses of law leading to Bachelors Degree in Law as hereunder:

(1) B.A. LL.B. (Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Laws):

It shall be Integrated Double Degree Five Academic Years Course in Arts and Law. The course shall be divided into ten semesters.

(2) B.B.A. LL.B. (Bachelor of Business Administration and Bachelor of Laws):

It shall be Integrated Double Degree Five Academic Years Course in Management and Law. The course shall be divided into ten semesters.

(3) LL.B. (Bachelor of Laws):

It shall be three Academic Years Degree Course in Law. The course shall be divided into six semesters.

**Note:** The affiliated college may choose all or any of the above undergraduate degree courses of law subject to the number of divisions approved by the University and Government of Maharashtra.

## 2. Objectives of Revised Curriculum:

The objectives of revised curriculum of courses of law are:

- (1) To reorient legal education by making provision for sufficient opportunity to the students for extensive as well as intensive study of law.
- (2) To equip the students with (a) knowledge of law, (b) practical application of law, (c) analytical thinking and logical reasoning, (d) effective communication skill.
- (3) To meet the needs of contemporary requirements of Bar, Bench and Industry in the globalised economic era.
- (4) To educate them of diverse backgrounds to become effective, ethical and expert personage who are employable in a variety of legal settings.

## 3. Extent and Application of Revised Curriculum:

The rules as to eligibility for admission, course component, curriculum, examination pattern and standard of passing for B.A. LL.B., B.B.A. LL.B. and LL.B. given herein shall be applicable initially for the first year of B.A. LL.B., B.B.A. LL.B. and LL.B. and will come into force w.e.f. the academic year 2017-2018. The entire programme will be introduced in a phased manner as shown below:

## **B.A. LL.B.**:

S.N.	Year / Class of Course	Academic Year of Application
(1)	First Year of B.A. LL.B.	2017-2018
(2)	Second Year of B.A. LL.B.	2018-2019
(3)	Third Year of B.A. LL.B.	2019-2020
(4)	Fourth Year of B.A. LL.B.	2020-2021
(5)	Fifth Year of B.A. LL.B.	2021-2022

## **B.B.A. LL.B.**:

S.N.	Year / Class of Course	Academic Year of Application
(1)	First Year of B.B.A. LL.B.	2017-2018
(2)	Second Year of B.B.A. LL.B.	2018-2019
(3)	Third Year of B.B.A. LL.B.	2019-2020
(4)	Fourth Year of B.B.A. LL.B.	2020-2021
(5)	Fifth Year of B.B.A. LL.B.	2021-2022

## **LL.B.**:

S.N.	Year / Class of Course	Academic Year of Application
1.	First Year of LL.B.	2017-2018
2.	Second Year LL.B.	2018-2019
3.	Third Year of LL.B.	2019-2020

## 4. Closing of Degree Courses of Law under 2003 Pattern:

- (1) The present revised curriculum for Degree Courses of Law may be called as 2017 Pattern and which shall be introduced in a phased manner as shown above.
- (2) The old curriculum for Degree Courses of Law under 2003 Pattern shall be closed in a phased manner as shown below :

### **B.A.** LL.B. :

S.N.	Year / Class of Course	Academic Year of Closing
1.	First Year of B.A. LL.B.	2017-2018
2.	Second Year of B.A. LL.B.	2018-2019
3.	Third Year of B.A. LL.B.	2019-2020
4.	Fourth Year of B.A. LL.B.	2020-2021
5.	Fifth Year of B.A. LL.B.	2021-2022

### LL.B.:

S.N. Year / Class of Course
1. First Year of LL.B.
2017-2018
2. Second Year of LL.B.
3. Third Year of LL.B.
2018-2019
3. 2019-2020

- (3) A student from Degree Courses of Law (B.A. LL.B. / B.S.L. LL.B. or LL.B.) under 2003 Pattern, desiring and qualified to take admission to the next class or year, which is closed as above, shall take admission in the concerned next class or year under the revised curriculum for Degree Course of Law i.e. 2017 Pattern.
- (4) A student from Degree Course of Law (B.A. LL.B. / B.S.L. LL.B. or LL.B.) under 2003 Pattern admitted to Degree Course of Law (B.A. LL.B. or LL.B.) under Revised Curriculum i.e. 2017 Pattern shall be governed by the Rules of Equivalence (Rules of Absorption) notified separately.

#### **PART II**

## Eligibility for Admission for B.A. LL.B., B.B.A. LL.B. and LL.B. Courses

## 1. Qualifying Examination for Admission:

### (1) B.A. LL.B. and B.B.A. LL.B. :

An applicant who has completed Senior Secondary School Course (10+2) or equivalent (such as 11+1, 'A' level in Senior School Leaving Certificate Course) from a recognized University of India or outside or from a Senior Secondary Board or equivalent, constituted or recognized by the Union or by a State Government or from any equivalent institution from a foreign country recognized by the government of that country for the purpose of issue of qualifying certificate, on successful completion of the course, may apply for and be admitted to (i) First Year of B.A. LL.B. or (ii) First Year of B.B.A. LL.B., as the case may be.

## (2) LL.B.:

An applicant who has graduated in any discipline of knowledge from a University established by an Act of Parliament or by a State legislature or an equivalent national institution recognized as a deemed to be University or foreign University recognized as equivalent to the status of an Indian University by an authority competent to declare equivalence, may apply for and be admitted to First Year of LL.B.

Provided that applicants who have obtained 10+2 Higher Secondary School Certificate or First Degree Certificate after prosecuting studies in distance or correspondence method shall also be considered as eligible for admission to (i) First Year of B.A. LL.B. or (ii) First Year of B.B.A. LL.B. or (iii) First Year of LL.B., as the case may be.

Explanation: The applicant who have obtained 10+2 or graduation / post graduation through Open University system directly without having any basic qualification for prosecuting such studies is not eligible for admission to (i) First Year of B.A. LL.B. or (ii) First Year of B.B.A. LL.B. or (iii) First Year of LL.B., as the case may be.

(3) The eligibility for admission, for any class / year other than first year / class of any law course, of a student migrating / transferring from any other recognized University to this University shall be subject to the rules of this University made from time to time.

## 2. Minimum Marks in Qualifying Examination for Admission :

- (1) A candidate passing Higher Secondary School Certificate Examination (10+2) or its equivalent, as prescribed by the Bar Council of India or the University, with minimum 45 % marks shall be eligible to apply for admission to (i) First Year of B.A. LL.B. or (ii) First Year of B.B.A. LL.B. There shall be relaxation of 5 % marks in case of scheduled caste and scheduled tribe candidates.
- (2) A candidate passing Bachelor's degree examination or its equivalent in any faculty of this University or any other recognised University, as prescribed by the Bar Council of India or the University, with minimum 45 % marks shall be eligible to apply for admission to First Year of

- LL.B. There shall be relaxation of 5 % marks in case of scheduled caste and scheduled tribe candidates.
- (3) If the candidate has obtained 44.5 % marks or more in qualifying examination for admission is permitted to be rounded off as 45 % marks for the purpose of admission to (i) First Year of B.A. LL.B., or (ii) First Year of B.B.A. LL.B., or (iii) First Year of LL.B., as the case may be.
- (4) Similarly, if the candidate belonging to scheduled caste or scheduled tribe category has obtained 39.5 % marks or more in qualifying examination for admission is permitted to be rounded off as 40 % marks for the purposes of admission to (i) First Year of B.A. LL.B., or (ii) First Year of B.B.A. LL.B., or (iii) First Year of LL.B., as the case may be.
- (5) Such a minimum qualifying marks shall not automatically entitle a person to get admission into an institution or college but only shall entitle the person concerned to fulfill other criteria notified by the institution / college concerned or by the University or by the Bar Council of India or by the government concerned from time to time to apply for admission.

Explanation: The candidates for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes categories should be those declared as Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes for the State of Maharashtra.

## 3. Prohibition to Register for two Regular Courses of Study:

No student shall be allowed to simultaneously register for a law degree programme with any other graduate or postgraduate course run by the same or any other University or an Institute for academic or professional learning.

### 4. Prohibition against Lateral Entry and Exit:

- (1) There shall be no lateral entry on the plea of graduation in any subject or exit by way of awarding a degree splitting the integrated double degree course, at any intermediary stage of integrated double degree course.
- (2) The term "lateral entry" means an admission given to graduate applicants at the beginning of third year in an integrated five year course.
- (3) The term "lateral exit" means opting out at the end of three year after successfully completing the courses up to the third year, from an integrated five year course on being awarded a bachelor degree.

### 5. Miscellaneous Rules of Eligibility for Admission:

The rules given herein are for the general understanding of the candidates. However, the admission to (i) First Year of B.A. LL.B., (ii) First Year of B.B.A. LL.B. and (iii) First Year of LL.B. shall be subject to the rules made and conditions prescribed, from time to time, by the University, Central Government, State Government, Bar Council of India, University Grants Commission, or any other authority empowered.

## **PART III**

## **Course Component of**

Theoretical Perspectives of Sociology

## B.A. LL.B., B.B.A. LL.B. and LL.B.

## 1. First Year B.A. LL.B.:

<b>Subject Code</b>	Semester I
CE 0101	General English
BA 0102	General Principles of Political Science
BA 0103	General Principles of Economics
BA 0104	General Principles of Sociology
Subject Code	Semester II
CE 0201	English for Law
BA 0202	Political Theories
BA 0203	Macro Economics, Policies and Practice

## 2. First Year B.B.A. LL.B. :

BA 0204

Subject Code	Semester I
CE 0101	General English
BB 0102	Managerial Accounting
BB 0103	Principles of Management
BB 0104	<b>Business Communications</b>
<b>Subject Code</b>	Semester II

Subject Code	Semester II
CE 0201	English for Law
BB 0202	Organisational Behaviors
BB 0203	Management Information System
BB 0204	Principles of Marketing

## 3. Second Year B.A. LL.B. :

BA 0404

<b>Subject Code</b>	Semester III
CE 0301	Legal Language and Legal Reasoning
BA 0302	Public Policy and Public Administration
BA 0303	Theories of Development and Indian Economy
BA 0304	Society in India
Subject Code	Semester IV
CE 0401	Law and Literature
BA 0402	International Relations
BA 0403	Law and Economics

Social Research Methods

## 4. Second Year B.B.A. LL.B. :

Subject Code	Semester III
CE 0301	Legal Language and Legal Reasoning
BB 0302	Basics of Finance
BB 0303	Managerial Economics
BB 0304	Business Ethics and Corporate Governance
<b>Subject Code</b>	Semester IV
Subject Code CE 0401	Semester IV Law and Literature
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CE 0401	Law and Literature
CE 0401 BB 0402	Law and Literature Human Resource Management

## 5. Third Year B.A. LL.B., Third Year B.B.A. LL.B. and First Year LL.B. :

<b>Subject Code</b>	Third Year B.A. LL.B Semester V Third Year B.B.A. LL.B Semester V
	First Year LL.B Semester I
LC 0501	Legal and Constitutional History
LC 0502	Family Law I
LC 0503	Law of Contract I
LC 0504	Law of Crimes
LO 0505 LO 0506 LO 0507 LO 0508 LO 0509	Optional Subject 1 (Any one from the following) (a) Health and Food Law (b) Equity and Trust Law (c) Criminal Psychology and Criminal Sociology (d) Agricultural Marketing Law (e) Intellectual Property Rights I
<b>Subject Code</b>	Third Year B.A. LL.B Semester VI
<b>Subject Code</b>	Third Year B.A. LL.B Semester VI Third Year B.B.A. LL.B Semester VI
Subject Code	
Subject Code  LC 0601	Third Year B.B.A. LL.B Semester VI
v	Third Year B.B.A. LL.B Semester VI First Year LL.B Semester II
LC 0601	Third Year B.B.A. LL.B Semester VI First Year LL.B Semester II Constitutional Law I
LC 0601 LC 0602	Third Year B.B.A. LL.B Semester VI First Year LL.B Semester II Constitutional Law I Family Law II
LC 0601 LC 0602 LC 0603	Third Year B.B.A. LL.B Semester VI First Year LL.B Semester II Constitutional Law I Family Law II Law of Contract II
LC 0601 LC 0602 LC 0603	Third Year B.B.A. LL.B Semester VI First Year LL.B Semester II Constitutional Law I Family Law II Law of Contract II Tort and Consumer Protection Law
LC 0601 LC 0602 LC 0603 LC 0604	Third Year B.B.A. LL.B Semester VI First Year LL.B Semester II Constitutional Law I Family Law II Law of Contract II Tort and Consumer Protection Law Optional Subject 2 (Any one from the following)
LC 0601 LC 0602 LC 0603 LC 0604	Third Year B.B.A. LL.B Semester VI First Year LL.B Semester II Constitutional Law I Family Law II Law of Contract II Tort and Consumer Protection Law Optional Subject 2 (Any one from the following) (a) Media and Law
LC 0601 LC 0602 LC 0603 LC 0604 LO 0605 LO 0606	Third Year B.B.A. LL.B Semester VI First Year LL.B Semester II Constitutional Law I Family Law II Law of Contract II Tort and Consumer Protection Law Optional Subject 2 (Any one from the following) (a) Media and Law (b) Banking and Insurance Law

## 6. Fourth Year B.A. LL.B., Fourth Year B.B.A. LL.B. and Second Year LL.B.:

Subject Code	Fourth Year B.A. LL.B Semester VII Fourth Year B.B.A. LL.B Semester VII	
	Second Year LL.B Semester III	
LC 0701	Constitutional Law II	
LC 0702	Property Law and Easement	
LC 0703	Public International Law	
LP 0704	Practical Training Paper I - Professional Ethics and Contempt of	
	Court Law	
	Optional Subject 3 (Any one from the following)	
LO 0705	(a) Comparative Constitutions	
LO 0706	(b) Investment and Securities Law	
LO 0707	(c) Criminal Minor Acts	
LO 0708	(d) Cooperative Law	
LO 0709	(e) Private International Law	
Subject Code	Fourth Year B.A. LL.B Semester VIII	
Subject Code	Fourth Year B.B.A. LL.B Semester VIII	
	Second Year LL.B Semester IV	
LC 0801	Labour and Industrial Law	
LC 0802	Jurisprudence	
LC 0803	Law of Evidence	
LP 0804	Practical Training Paper II - Alternate Dispute Resolution System	
	Optional Subject 4 (Any one from the following)	
LO 0805	(a) Human Rights Law and Practice	
LO 0806	(b) Competition Law	
LO 0807	(c) Vulnerable and Disadvantaged Groups and Criminal Law	
LO 0808	(d) Civil Minor Acts	
LO 0809	(e) International Economic Law	

## 7. Fifth Year B.A. LL.B., Fifth Year B.B.A. LL.B. and Third Year LL.B. :

Subject Code	Fifth Year B.A. LL.B Semester IX Fifth Year B.B.A. LL.B Semester IX Third Year LL.B Semester V
I C 0001	
LC 0901	Civil Procedure Code
LC 0902	Interpretation of Statutes
LC 0903	Environmental Law
LP 0904	Practical Training Paper III - Drafting, Pleading and Conveyance
	Optional Subject 5 (Any one from the following)
LO 0905	(a) Law on Education

LO 0906	(b) Principles of Taxation Law	
LO 0907	(c) Law of Forensic Science	
LO 0908	(d) Land Laws I	
LO 0909	(e) International Law on Air, Space and Sea	
<b>Subject Code</b>	Fifth Year B.A. LL.B Semester X	
	Fifth Year B.B.A. LL.B Semester X	
	Third Year LL.B Semester VI	
LC 1001	Criminal Procedure Code	
LC 1002	Administrative Law	
LC 1003	Company Law	
LP 1004	Practical Training Paper IV - Moot Court Exercise and Internship	
	Optional Subject 6 (Any one from the following)	
LO 1005	(a) Election Law	
LO 1006	(b) Bankruptcy and Insolvency Law	
LO 1007	(c) Comparative Criminal Justice System	
LO 1008	(d) Land Laws II	
LO 1009	(e) Humanitarian and Refugee Law	

## 8. Abbreviations used in Subject Codes:

The abbreviations used in the subject codes in the course component of B.A. LL.B., B.B.A. LL.B. and LL.B. courses shall have meaning as under:

- (a) CE means Compulsory English subject for B.A. LL.B. and B.B.A. LL.B. courses.
- (b) BA means subject from discipline of Arts for B.A. LL.B. course.
- (c) BB means subject from discipline of Business Administration for B.B.A. LL.B. course.
- (d) LC means Compulsory Law subject for law courses.
- (e) LP means Compulsory Practical Training subject for law courses.
- (f) LO means Optional Law subject for law courses.

### **PART IV**

## Examination Pattern for B.A. LL.B., B.B.A. LL.B. and LL.B. Courses

## 1. Attendance of Lectures, Internals and Moot Court:

- (1) A student of B.A. LL.B., B.B.A. LL.B. and LL.B. courses shall not be allowed to take the end semester examination if the student concerned has not attended minimum of 75 % of the classes as per University rules.
- (2) If a student for any exceptional reasons fails to attend 75 % of the classes, he / she may be allowed to take the end semester examination as per University rules.

#### 2. Duration of Studies:

- (1) The curriculum of study for the B.A. LL.B. and B.B.A. LL.B. shall be spread over five academic years and shall be divided into ten semesters for the examination purposes.
- (2) The curriculum of study for the LL.B. shall be spread over three academic years, and shall be divided into six semesters for the examination purposes.
- (3) The course leading to B.A. LL.B., B.B.A. LL.B. and LL.B. degree shall not have less than 30 class hours per week including tutorials, moot court exercises, guest lectures and seminars. There shall be at least 24 lecture hours per week.

## **Explanations:**

- (a) In order to implement the above rule of Bar Council of India 'regarding 30 class hours per week' the Colleges shall provide for minimum six lectures per subject in a week.
- (b) In order to have continuous assessment of students, the colleges may reserve one lecture (out of those six lectures) for internal assessment of students.

#### 3. Medium of Instruction and Division of Marks:

- (1) The medium for instruction and for examination of all subjects in B.A. LL.B., B.B.A. LL.B. and LL.B. courses shall be English.
- (2) Each subject of B.A. LL.B., B.B.A. LL.B. and LL.B. courses shall be of 100 marks.
- (3) The division of 100 marks for all the subjects, except for practical training subjects, shall be as under:

(a) University Written Examination

: 80 marks.

(b) Internal Assessment by College

: 20 marks.

### 4. Division of Marks in Practical Training Subjects:

The compulsory practical training subjects of B.A. LL.B., B.B.A. LL.B. and LL.B. shall carry the division of marks as under:

(1) Practical Training Paper I - Professional Ethics and Contempt of Court Law: (a) University Written Examination 80 Marks (b) Written submissions and viva voce examination 20 Marks (2) Practical Training Paper II - Alternate Dispute Resolution System: (a) University Written Examination 80 Marks (b) Written submissions and viva voce examination 20 Marks (3) Practical Training Paper III - Drafting, Pleading and Conveyance: (a) University Written Examination 80 Marks (b) Written submissions and viva voce examination 20 Marks (4) Practical Training Paper IV - Moot Court Exercise and Internship: (a) Moot court exercises (40 Marks), Observance of trials (20 Marks) 80 Marks and Pre-trial preparations (20 Marks) activities

## 5. University Written Examination (80 Marks):

(b) Written submissions and Viva voce examination

(1) There shall be University written examination of 80 marks for each subject at the end of each semester of B.A. LL.B., B.B.A. LL.B. and LL.B. courses.

20 Marks

- (2) There shall not be University written examination for Practical Training Paper IV Moot Court Exercise and Internship.
- (3) The University, while conducting a written examination of any subject, may provide a same question paper for the students of B.A. LL.B., B.B.A. LL.B. and LL.B. courses if the concerned subject is common to those courses having same syllabus.

### 6. Question Paper Pattern for University Written Examination (80 Marks):

The question paper for University written examination of each subject, except for Practical Training Paper IV - Moot Court Exercise and Internship, shall be as under:

## (1) Part A Questions (45 marks):

Part A of question paper shall consist of essay type questions or questions of critical comments depending on the nature of subject. A student has to answer the questions with critical evaluation. There shall be five questions and the student has to answer any three questions. Each question shall be for 15 marks.

## (2) Part B Questions (20 marks):

Part B of question paper shall consist of short essay type questions depending on the nature of subject. A student has to answer the questions explaining concepts with illustrations. There shall be four questions and the student has to answer any two questions. Each question shall be for 10 marks.

## (3) Part C Questions (15 marks):

Part C of question paper shall consist of short answer questions or solving of hypothetical problems, etc. There shall be five questions and the student has to answer any three questions. Each question shall be for 5 marks.

Note: The question paper pattern given herein may be changed or altered depending on the nature of subject e.g. non-law subjects. The question paper pattern given herein may also be changed or altered by the University at any time without prior information to the students.

## 7. Internal Assessment by College (20 Marks):

(1) The division of 20 marks for each subject, except for practical training subjects, for internal assessment shall be as under:

(a) Written Submissions

: 10 marks.

(b) Class Performance

: 10 marks.

Though the division of marks for internal assessment by College i.e. written submissions and class performance, is given separately, the student has to complete both the activities as per specified rules.

- (2) The written submissions of a student may include essay writing, project writing, case comments, writing answers of given questions, or any other assignment activity given and conducted at the discretion of College.
- (3) The written submissions made by the student, as required for any subject, means handwritten submissions. In this matter, the College may grant a reasonable concession to the persons with disabilities.
- (4) The class performance of a student may include viva voce / presentation on written submissions, punctuality, participation in class discussion, seminar presentation, participation in any other class activity conducted at the discretion of College.
- (5) The method of internal assessment given hereinabove shall be applicable to the students admitted in the academic year 2019-20 and thereafter under the revised curriculum i.e. 2017 pattern.
- (6) The method of internal assessment given hereinabove shall also be applicable to the students admitted in the academic year 2017-18 and 2018-19 and who have failed in or remained absent for any subject or subjects in internal assessment component.
- (7) The evaluation of written submissions and class performance in each term or semester shall be conducted by the college before the University written examination.
- (8) The internal assessment marks may be withheld or withdrawn by the college on the ground of non-fulfillment of the attendance requirement by the student as prescribed by the University rules.
- (9) The College, for the purposes of inspection by the University, shall maintain and preserve the record with respect to written submissions and class performance, at least for two academic years excluding the year of evaluation.

## 8. Conduct of Viva Voce Examination for Practical Training Subjects:

- (1) The viva voce examination for the practical training subjects shall be conducted in accordance with the schedule prepared by the University.
- (2) The viva voce examination for all practical training subjects shall be conducted by the committee of examiners.

- (3) The committee of examiners shall consist of one internal examiner and one external examiner. The external examiner shall be appointed by the University from amongst the teachers in other affiliated colleges. The internal examiner shall also be appointed by the University from amongst the teachers working in the concerned college, preferably from the teachers teaching / conducting activities of the concerned practical training subject.
- (3) The committee of examiners shall not take viva voce examination of a student unless he / she submits a duly assessed written submissions at the time of viva voce examination.
- (4) The committee of examiners shall not submit the marks to the University unless the student appears for viva voce examination. In other words if the student submits a duly assessed written submissions without appearing for viva voce examination his / her marks shall not be submitted to the University.

Explanation: The written submissions by the student, as required under any of the practical training subjects, means handwritten submissions. In this matter, the College may grant a reasonable concession to the persons with disabilities.

## PART V

## **Standard of Passing for** B.A. LL.B., B.B.A. LL.B. and LL.B.

## 1. Standard of Passing for B.A. LL.B., B.B.A. LL.B. and LL.B. Courses:

- (1) In case of any subject of (a) B.A. LL.B., (b) B.B.A. LL.B. and (c) LL.B. Courses a student must obtain not less than 40 marks to pass a subject.
- (2) The total marks of a subject, except for practical training subjects, shall be computed by adding marks of University written examination and internal assessment. There shall be separate passing for University written examination and internal assessment of a subject. A student must obtain not less than 32 marks to pass University written examination of a subject. A student must obtain not less than 8 marks to pass internal assessment of a subject.
- (3) The total marks of practical training subjects, except for Practical Training Paper IV Moot Court Exercise and Internship, shall be computed by adding marks for two components - (a) University written examination, and (b) written submissions and viva voce examination. There shall be separate passing for these two components of a subject. A student must obtain not less than 32 marks to pass a University written examination of a subject. A student must obtain not less than 8 marks to pass a written submissions and viva voce examination of a subject.
- (4) The total marks of Practical Training Paper IV Moot Court Exercise and Internship shall be computed by adding marks for two components - (a) moot court exercises, observance of trials, pre-trial preparations activities, and (b) written submissions and viva voce examination. There shall be separate passing for these two components of a subject. A student must obtain not less than 32 marks to pass in a moot court exercises, observance of trials, pre-trial preparations activities of a subject. A student must obtain not less than 8 marks to pass a written submissions and viva voce examination of a subject.
- (5) A student shall be declared as passed in a particular year or class if he / she have passed in all the subjects of two terms or semesters of a year or class taken together.
- (6) There shall not be a separate passing for a single semester or term examination.
- (7) The class shall be awarded to the student if he / she have passed in all the subjects of two terms or semesters of a year or class taken together.
- (8) A student shall be entitled to the benefit of grace marks or additional marks for extracurricular activities as per University rules.
- (9) The rule of scaling down of internal assessment marks shall be applicable if percentage of internal assessment marks exceeds percentage of University written examination marks by more than 15%. The difference between the percentage of University written examination marks and percentage of internal assessment marks of a student for any subject shall not be more than 15%. If the percentage of marks obtained by a student for any subject in internal assessment exceed the percentage of marks obtained by him / her in University written examination by more than 15%, the marks obtained by him / her in internal assessment shall be brought down to that extent.

- (10) The rule of scaling down of internal assessment marks shall not be applicable to practical training subjects.
- (11) The class shall be awarded to the student for the year or class as under:

Class S.N. Percentage of Marks Pass Class (i) Aggregate 40 % and more but less than 50 % (ii) Aggregate 50 % and more but less than 55 % Second Class (iii) Aggregate 55 % and more but less than 60 % **Higher Second Class** First Class (iv) Aggregate 60 % and above but less than 70 % Aggregate 70 % and above Distinction (v)

## 2. Eligibility for Award of Degree:

- (1) A student passed examination of third year of B.A. LL.B. shall be eligible to obtain the first degree of B.A. under the integrated B.A. LL.B. course. Provided that he / she has passed examination of second year of B.A. LL.B. Such a degree of B.A. shall not entitle the student to enroll as an advocate.
- (2) A student passed examination of third year of B.B.A. LL.B. shall be eligible to obtain the first degree of B.B.A. under the integrated B.B.A. LL.B. course. Provided that he / she have passed examination of second year of B.B.A. LL.B. Such a degree of B.B.A. shall not entitle the student to enroll as an advocate.
- (3) A student of B.A. LL.B. course passed examination of all the years or classes, divided in ten semesters, shall be eligible to obtain the B.A. LL.B. degree.
- (4) A student of B.B.A. LL.B. course passed examination of all the years or classes, divided in ten semesters, shall be eligible to obtain the B.B.A. LL.B. degree.
- (5) A student of LL.B. course passed examination of all years or classes, divided in six semesters, shall be eligible to obtain the LL.B. degree.

## 3. Allowed to Keep Terms (ATKT) for B.A. LL.B. Course:

Allowed to Keep Terms is the process to allow student to take admission and study in the next class or year even if he / she has failed in specified number of subjects. The rules of ATKT for B.A. LL.B. Course are as under:

- (1) If a student passes in not less than 2/3 of total subjects to pass, his result status will be Failed ATKT. The table given below shall decide the ATKT status of a student.
- (2) In computing "total subjects to pass" for a student from 2003 Pattern admitted in the revised curriculum i.e. 2017 Pattern, the additional subject or subjects required to pass under the Rules of Equivalence (Rules of Absorption), shall not be taken into account.
- (3) A student of Second Year B.A. LL.B. shall not be eligible for admission to Third Year B.A. LL.B. unless he / she have passed First Year B.A. LL.B. examination.
- (4) A student of Third Year B.A. LL.B. shall not be eligible for admission to Fourth Year B.A. LL.B. unless he / she have passed Second Year B.A. LL.B. examination.

(5) A student of Fourth Year B.A. LL.B. shall not be eligible for admission to Fifth Year B.A. LL.B. unless he / she have passed Third Year B.A. LL.B. examination.

## 4. Allowed to Keep Terms (ATKT) for B.B.A. LL.B. Course:

Allowed to Keep Terms is the process to allow student to take admission and study in the next class or year even if he / she has failed in specified number of subjects. The rules of ATKT for B.B.A. LL.B. Course are as under:

- (1) If a student passes in not less than 2/3 of total subjects to pass, his result status will be Failed ATKT. The table given below shall decide the ATKT status of a student.
- (2) A student of Second Year B.B.A. LL.B. shall not be eligible for admission to Third Year B.B.A. LL.B. unless he / she have passed First Year B.B.A. LL.B. examination.
- (3) A student of Third Year B.B.A. LL.B. shall not be eligible for admission to Fourth Year B.B.A. LL.B. unless he / she have passed Second Year B.B.A. LL.B. examination.
- (4) A student of Fourth Year B.B.A. LL.B. shall not be eligible for admission to Fifth Year B.B.A. LL.B. unless he / she have passed Third Year B.B.A. LL.B. examination.

## 5. Allowed to Keep Terms (ATKT) for LL.B. Course:

Allowed to Keep Terms is the process to allow student to take admission and study in the next class or year even if he / she has failed in specified number of subjects. The rules of ATKT for LL.B. Course are as under:

- (1) If a student passes in not less than 2/3 of total subjects to pass, his result status will be Failed ATKT. The table given below shall decide the ATKT status of a student.
- (2) In computing "total subjects to pass" for a student from 2003 Pattern admitted in revised curriculum i.e. 2017 Pattern, the additional subject or subjects required to pass under the Rules of Equivalence (Rules of Absorption), shall not be taken into account.
- (3) A student of Second Year LL.B. shall not be eligible for admission to Third Year LL.B. unless he / she have passed First Year LL.B. examination.

### Table for Deciding ATKT Status of Student of B.A. LL.B., B.B.A. LL.B., and LL.B.:

Total Number of Subjects to Pass	Minimum Number of Subjects Required to be Passed	Maximum Number of Failure Subjects Allowed for Availing Benefit of ATKT
<i>-</i>		Deficit of ATKT
5	4	1
6	4	2
7	5	2
8	6	2
9	6	3
10	7	3
11	8	3

## 6. Duration to Complete Entire Course:

- (1) A student of B.A. LL.B. course, in order to become eligible for award of the degree, must pass in all the subjects, divided in ten semesters, within a span period of **TEN academic years** including academic year in which he / she was admitted to first year of the course. No student shall be admitted as a candidate for any examination of the said course after the said period of ten academic years unless he / she is readmitted to the course as a fresh candidate.
- (2) A student of B.B.A. LL.B. course, in order to become eligible for award of the degree, must pass in all the subjects, divided in ten semesters, within a span period of **TEN academic years** including academic year in which he / she was admitted to first year of the course. No student shall be admitted as a candidate for any examination of the said course after the said period of ten academic years unless he / she is readmitted to the course as a fresh candidate.
- (3) A student of LL.B. course, in order to become eligible for award of the degree, must pass in all the subjects, divided in six semesters, within a span period of **SIX academic years** including academic year in which he / she was admitted to first year of the course. No student shall be admitted as a candidate for any examination of the said course after the said period of six academic years unless he / she is readmitted to the course as a fresh candidate.

**Explanation :** For a student from 2003 Pattern admitted in revised curriculum i.e. 2017 Pattern under the Rules of Equivalence, the duration to complete remaining course, shall be proportional to the total duration to complete entire course given above.

Thus for example:

- (a) If a student of 2003 Pattern is admitted in Second Year B.A. LL.B. of 2017 Pattern, his / her duration to complete the course shall be eight academic years including academic year in which he / she was admitted to Second Year B.A. LL.B.
- (b) If a student of 2003 Pattern is admitted in Second Year LL.B. of 2017 Pattern, his / her duration to complete the course shall be four academic years including academic year in which he / she was admitted to Second Year LL.B.

#### 7. Removal of Doubts and Difficulties:

Notwithstanding anything stated in the rules herein, for any unforeseen issues arising, and not covered by the rules herein, or in the event of differences of interpretation, the Vice-Chancellor of the University may take a decision and the said decision of the Vice-Chancellor shall be final and binding.