Legal Studies Class 12 Syllabus

Exam Structure

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| **S. No.** | **Units** | **Marks** |
| 1 | Judiciary | 15 |
| 2 | Topics in Law | 15 |
| 3 | Arbitration, Tribunal Adjudication and Alternate Dispute Resolution | 15 |
| 4 | Human Rights in India | 15 |
| 5 | Legal Profession in India | 15 |
| 6 | Legal Services | 15 |
| 7 | International Context | 10 |
|  | **Total** | **100** |

Unit 1: Judiciary

* Constitution, Roles and Impartiality
* Structure, Hierarchy of Courts, and Legal Offices in India
* Appointments, Trainings, Retirement and Removal of Judges
* Judicial Review

Unit 2: Topics in Law

* Property
* Contracts
* Torts
* Crimes
* Administrative Law

Unit 3: Arbitration, Tribunal Adjudication and Alternate Dispute Resolution

* Adversarial and Inquisitorial System
* Arbitration
* Administrative Tribunals
* Ombudsman
* Mediation and Conciliation
* Lok Adalats
* Lokpal and Lokayukt

Unit 4: Human Rights in India

* Human Rights Laws – Constitution, Statutes
* Complaint Mechanisms and Human Rights Commissions

Unit 5: Legal Profession in India

* History of Legal profession in India
* Role and types of functions of judges and lawyers
* Barristers, Solicitors and Advocates
* Changes Affected by Indian Advocates Act, 1961

Unit 6: Legal Services

* Legal Services
* Boards
* Funding

Unit 7: International Context

* Introduction to International Law
* Sources of International Law
* International Institutions
* International Human Rights