**Vidya Vikas Mandal’s**

**Govind Ramnath Kare College of Law**

**Margao –Goa**

**B.A.LL.B. AND LL.B. (HONS) PROGRAMMES**

**NOTIFICATION**

Students (Regular and Repeater) are hereby informed that in view of the outbreak of COVID-19 pandemic and in accordance with the Circular Ref. No. GU/Academic/R/2020/02 dated 7th April 2020 of the Goa University, the Semester End Examinations of the B.A.LL.B. and LL.B. (Hons) programmes are to be conducted by the College, the starting dates for which are as under:

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| **Sems. I, III, V, VII and IX** | Monday, 22nd June 2020 |
| **Sems. II, IV, VI, VIII and X** | Saturday, 4th July 2020 |

The candidates are requested to note that the Question Papers shall be of **Two Hours duration and 50 Marks each.** The Model of the Question Paper for the subjects of Legal Research & Methodology, General English – I, General English -II and Special English are as shown in Annexure ‘A’. The Model of the Question Paper for all the other subjects is as shown in Annexure ‘B’.

The detailed time-tables, instructions to the candidates regarding the process of the examination, including reporting time and precautions to be followed in this regard, shall be notified shortly on the college website.

Dr. Saba Da Silva

**Principal**

Date: 18th May 2020

**Annexure ‘A’**

**LEGAL RESEARCH AND METHODOLOGY**

**Duration: Two Hours Max. Marks: 50**

Instructions: (i) **All** questions are **compulsory**

(ii) Each answer should begin on a fresh page

(iii) Mention the question number correctly

(iv) Figures to the right indicate full marks

1. Discuss **ANY ONE** of the following cases in detail: (1x7=07)

2. Give a summary of **ANY TWO** of the following Judgments: (2x5=10)

3. Explain **ANY THREE** of the following maxims: (3x4=12)

4. Answer **ANY FIVE** of the following Legal Terms: (05x1=05)

5. Draft an affidavit (Add the relevant details) (01x5=05)

6. Draft a legal notice (Add the relevant details) (01x5=05)

7. Write short notes on **ANY TWO** (questions on elements of Legal Research) (02x3=06)

a)

b)

c)

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**GENERAL ENGLISH I**

**Duration: 2 hours Total Marks: 50 marks**

Instructions: (i) All questions are compulsory

(ii) Each answer should begin on a fresh page

(iii) Mention the question number correctly

(iv) Figures to the right indicate full marks

1. Grammar and Usage (20 marks)

1. Sentences, Clauses, Phrases, Tense and agreement, Conditionals, Question Tags and Short Responses (06 marks)
2. Sentences, Clauses, Phrases (identify clause/phrase)
3. Tense and Agreement
4. Conditionals

* Identify the type

OR

* Complete the Conditional Sentences. Decide whether to use Type I, II or III.

1. Question Tags and Short Responses
2. Basic Transformations (06 marks)
3. Active & Passive
4. Affirmative & Negative
5. Direct and Indirect Speech

1. Common Errors (Rewrite the sentences correcting the mistakes) (08 marks)
2. Most Common Grammar Errors
3. Punctuation errors
4. Use of Definite and Indefinite Articles
5. Subject-Verb Agreement Errors

2. Detailed Study of a Text (Lord of the Flies) (10 marks)

3. Vocabulary (10 marks)

1. Explain/ Give apt definitions for the following Legal Terms (05 marks)
2. Use the following legal terms in sentences to bring out their Legal Meaning (05 marks)
3. Sentences should be based on the legal sense of the words. [E.g. The court was adjourned for the day.]

4. Compositional Skills (10 marks)

1. Paragraph Writing (05 marks)
2. ONE Paragraph on ONE idea in about 150 words. [If the student writes an essay, no marks will be awarded.]
3. Report Writing (05 marks)
4. Letter format/Newspaper Report format

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**GENERAL ENGLISH II**

**Duration: 2 hours Total Marks: 50 marks**

Instructions: (i) All questions are compulsory

(ii) Each answer should begin on a fresh page

(iii) Mention the question number correctly

(iv) Figures to the right indicate full marks

**I) Vocabulary:** **(12 Marks)**

1) Foreign words and phrases (important Latin and English affixes)

2) Idiomatic expressions

3) One-word substitutions

4) Words often confused

**II) Comprehension Skills and Compositional Skills: (15 Marks)**

1) Comprehension Passages

2) Essay-writing on topics of legal interest

**III) Detailed Study: (15 Marks)**

1) Advice to a Young Man Interested In Going into Law - by Felix Frankfurter

2) The Victimisation of Witnesses –by Lord Denning

3) Cross-examination of Pigott before the Parnell Commission–by Sir Charles Russell

4) On the Entirely Reasonable Murder of a Police Constable–by George Bernard Shaw

**IV) Comprehension of Legal Texts (Detailed Study): (08 Marks)**

1) Why Criminals Are Acquitted –by Justice A.S. Anand

2) Curbing Crime– by Justice R. P. Sethi

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**SPECIAL ENGLISH**

**Duration: 2 hours Total Marks: 50 marks**

Instructions: (i) All questions are compulsory

(ii) Each answer should begin on a fresh page

(iii) Mention the question number correctly

(iv) Figures to the right indicate full marks

1. **Grammar**: **(10 marks)**
   1. Synonyms and Antonyms
   2. Homonyms and Homophones
   3. Modals
   4. Parts of Speech (same word used as different parts of Speech)
   5. Sentence linkers
2. **Composition: Drafting of Notices (10 marks)**
3. **Essay Writing (N.B. 2 marks allotted for the outline) (10 marks)**
4. **Detailed Study of Texts:**   **(20 marks)**

Chapter 1: Advice to a Young Man Interested in Going into Law- Felix Frankfurter

Chapter 3: In the Court– Anton Chekhov

Chapter 6: The Five Functions of the Lawyer – Arthur Vanderbilt

Chapter 10: A Plea for the Severest Penalty, Upon his Conviction for Sedition – M.K. Gandhi

Chapter 12: On the Entirely Reasonable Murder of a Police Constable –George Bernard Shaw

Chapter 15: The Law is a Jealous Mistress – Joseph Planck

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**Annexure ‘B’**

**Duration: Two Hours Max. Marks: 50**

Instructions:

1. Answer any **FIVE** from **Q. No. 1 to 9. Q. No. 10** is **compulsory**
2. Mention the question number correctly and begin every answer on a fresh page.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks

(5 x 8 = 40)

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10 Answer short notes on **ANY TWO** of the following: (2 x 5 = 10)

a)

b)

c)

d)

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