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Bhagwan Mahavir College of Legal Education

LL.B course (3 Year)

Semester: I

Subject Code	Subject Title	Teaching Scheme					
		(Hours/Week)		Credits	Examination Marks		Total Marks
		Theory	Tutorial		Internal	External	
1LB305I	Constitutional History of India (Elective Course-1)	2	0	2	50	-	50

Duration of Exam: 45Mins.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

- The main objective to introduce the constitutional law of India to students from all walks of life and help them understand the constitutional principles as applied and understood in everyday life.

Course Outcomes:

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1	Students become aware of their basic human rights and how these human rights manifest in our Constitution. Combining the knowledge about the Indian Constitution and human rights will help students be aware and claim their rights as citizens of India.	20
2	It Provide an interdisciplinary perspective to all students.	10
3	It Supplement students' knowledge beyond their respective fields.	10
4	Students are made aware of the fundamental rights that are enforceable by law and the role of the state and the judiciary in its protection.	10

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Detail Content:

Sr. NO.	Topic	Total Hrs.
UNIT-1	<p>1. Constitutional History of India</p> <p>1.1 Fourth Law Commission's Recommendations regarding Independence</p> <p>1.2 Simon Commission Report</p> <p>1.3 Motilal Nehru Report on Simon Commission</p> <p>1.4 Muslim League Demand and Poona Pact, 1932 (Communal Award)</p> <p>1.5 Government of India Act, 1935 :</p> <p>1.5.1 Federal Government</p> <p>1.5.2 Federal Court</p> <p>1.5.3 Provincial Autonomy</p> <p>1.5.4 Provincial Government</p> <p>1.5.5 All India Federation</p> <p>1.5.6 Dyarchy at the Center</p> <p>1.5.7 Federal Legislature Provincial Legislature</p> <p>1.5.8 Distribution of Power between center and provinces</p> <p>1.5.9 Special Provisions for Minority</p> <p>1.5.10 Abolition of Indian Council</p>	10

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UNIT-2	2. Important Constitutional Developments before framing of Constitution of India : 2.1 Round Table Conferences 2.2 The Cripps Mission, 1942 2.3 Cabinet Mission 2.4 C. Rajagopalachari's Formula, 1944 2.5 Wavell Plan and Simla Conference, 1945 2.6 Attlee's Statement (1947) 2.7 Mountbatten Plan, 1947	10
UNIT-3	3. Committees to draft the Constitution of India 3.1 Framing of the Constitution of India 3.2 Constituent Assembly, Chairman, members and their contribution 3.3 Drafting Committee, Chairman, members and their contribution, 3.4 Final Draft and adoption of the Constitution of India 3.5 Indian Independence Act, 1947 : Main Features	10
	Suggested Readings: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Austin Granville- The Indian Constitution: Cornerstone of a Nation.• Seervai H.M. - Constitution of India• Jain M.P. – Indian Constitutional Law• Shukla V N- Constitution of India (ed. By M.P. Singh)• Basu D.D. – Shorter Constitution of India	

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