

**JNVU – MPET**  
**SYLLABUS FOR COURSE WORK**  
**Subject – LAW**

**Paper-I – Research Methodology**

Meaning, objective and scope of Research, Steps of Social Research, Formation of Research Problems, Ethics in Social Research, Inductive & Deductive Research, Concept of Region.

Concepts, Hypothesis, Variables, Research Design – Exploratory, Descriptive, Experimental Sources of Data and Techniques of Data Collection – Observation, Interview, Questionnaire, Schedule and Survey Method

Sampling Techniques, Scaling Techniques and Measurement

Analysis and Interpretation of data, Preparation of Synopsis with reference to bibliography, footnotes and references, Spatial Analysis

**Paper-II – Research Methodology**

Review of Literature

**Paper – III – Compulsory Law**

**1. Constitutional Law of India**

Preamble  
Fundamental Rights and Duties  
Directive Principles of State Policy  
Judiciary & Executive  
Union State Legislative Relations  
Emergency Provisions  
Writ Jurisdiction  
Parliament and State Legislatures  
Amendment & Amending Process of the Constitution  
Role of Election Commission in Democratic Process

**2. Legal Theory**

Nature and Sources of Law  
Positivism, Natural Law Theory, Sociological Jurisprudence  
Theories of Punishment  
Legal Concepts-Right, Duty, Ownership, Possession and Person  
Judicial Process-Application of Doctrine of Precedent in India  
Judicial Contribution in Bringing Social Change  
Law and Morality

**3. International Law and Institutions**

Nature of International Law and its relationship with Municipal Law  
Sources of International Law  
Settlement of International Disputes  
Concept of sovereignty and its relevance  
Recognition of State and Governments  
Extradition, Asylum, Nationality and Status of Refugees  
International Court of Justice  
UNO and its organs  
Global Trade Regime under International Law

**4. Law of Crimes**

Nature and Definition of Offence  
Meaning, nature essentials and stages of offence  
Joint Liability; Abetment and Criminal Conspiracy  
General Exceptions  
Common Intention and Common Object  
Criminal Attempt, Conspiracy and Abetment  
Sexual Offences  
Offences against Human Body  
Offences against Property  
Defamation

## **Paper – IV – Law Specialisation**

### **1. Commercial Law**

Essentials of a valid contract  
Offer, acceptance and consideration  
Capacity to Contract-Minor's contract  
Elements vitiating contract-mistake, fraud, misrepresentation, coercion, undue  
Influence, frustration of contract, quasi contracts, Agency, Specific Contracts.  
Remedies for breach of contract-Damages  
Partners, advantages of registration of firms  
Sales of Goods Act  
Negotiable Instruments Act  
Company Law – Role of Directors, Doctrine of Indoor Management and Ultra Vires

### **2. Law of Torts & Consumer Protection**

Nature and definition of Tort  
General Principles of Tortious Liability  
General Defenses to an action of Tort  
Vicarious Liability  
Remoteness of Damages  
Strict Liability  
Specific Torts-Negligence, Nuisance and Defamation  
Absolute Liability-Emerging trends in India  
Consumer Protection-Evolution of Consumer Rights and Redressal of Consumer Grievances

### **3. Labour and Industrial Law**

Concepts-Industry, Industrial Dispute and Workman  
Trade Unions-Right and Immunities of Registered Trade Union; Registration and its  
advantages  
Methods for settlement of Industrial Disputes under Industrial Disputes Act, 1947  
Strike and Lockout as Instruments of Collective Bargaining  
Retrenchment, Lay-off and Closures  
Concept of wages & wage fixation, Factory : Regulatory provisions relating to Health,  
Safety hazardous process and welfare

### **4. Family Law**

Sources and schools of Family Laws in India  
Marriage  
Divorce  
Adoption and Guardianship  
Maintenance  
Succession  
Matrimonial-Remedies  
Uniform Civil Code

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