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B.A.LL.B. (First Year) (Second Semester) EXAMINATION

APRIL/MAY, 2025

ENGLISH

(General English-II)

(Wednesday, 16-4-2025)

Time : 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Time—2 Hours

Maximum Marks—50

N.B. :— (i) *All* questions carry equal marks.

(ii) Attempt any *five* questions.

1. Read the following passage and answer the questions given below : 10

Donald Trump was declared a “very innocent man” at the start of his criminal trial, but after being found guilty on all 34 felony counts, he claimed the trial was rigged. The trial centred around allegations of falsifying documents, with each felony count related to a specific falsified check, invoice, or document. One notable example involved hush money paid to porn star stormy Daniels, disguised as a legal fee to his lawyer, Michael Cohen.

This marks the first time a former or future President in the United States has been convicted of felonies. '

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Despite this conviction, Trump is still eligible to run for President, as being a felon does not prohibit him from holding that office. However, as a felon, he is not allowed to vote in the election for which he is campaigning. Sentencing for Trump has been set for July.

Questions :

- (i) What was Donald Trump declared at the start of his trial ?
- (ii) How many felony counts was Trump found guilty of ?
- (iii) What was the hush money payment disguised as ?
- (iv) Does being a felon prohibit Trump from running for President ?
- (v) Who was Trump's lawyer mentioned in the passage ?

2. Do as directed (any *ten*) :

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- (i) He finished the project on time. (Add question tag)
- (ii) He was too tired to continue working on the project. (Remove 'too')
- (iii) Ram went the market (at/to)
- (iv) He is honest person. (Use correct article)
- (v) Sita is brave and she is wise. (Use 'not only-but also')
- (vi) He had gone to the market. (Identify its Tense)
- (vii) He does not like English (Do question tag)

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(viii) Rahul lives a small town, (at/in)

(ix) you help me, I'll be unable to do it. (If/Unless)

(x) As soon as the Principal entered the classroom, everyone rose to their feet as a sign of respect. (Use 'No Sooner—than')

(xi) She is waiting me. (for/to)

3. Correct any *five* of the following sentences giving reasons for your correctness : 10

(i) They was going to market.

(ii) Raju can played cricket.

(iii) She is married with an engineer.

(iv) This is the most unique dress.

(v) Smith and me went to the mall.

(vi) It is a old television set.

(vii) In January 20th, I will be twenty.

4. Change the following into Indirect Speech (any *five*) : 10

(i) He said to me, 'You look happy'.

(ii) He said. "Rani is coming for dinner."

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- (iii) Kavita said to Seeta, "The earth is round."
- (iv) Sanket said, "Write this letter."
- (v) I said, "I want to consult my parents."
- (vi) She said, "I am painting."
- (vii) He said, "We are playing game."

5. Change any *five* into the degree of comparison : 10

- (i) Hari is taller than his brother. (Change into positive degree)
- (ii) Jupiter is the biggest planet. (Change into comparative degree)
- (iii) Ashoka was one of the greatest Indian Emperors.
(Change into positive degree)
- (iv) Prevention is better than cure. (Change into positive degree)
- (v) Platinum is one of the most valuable metals.
(Change into positive degree)
- (vi) No other writer in Marathi is as famous as P.L. Deshpande.
- (vii) Pune is the biggest city. (Change into comparative degree)

6. Give meaning and use in your sentences any *five* of the following words and idioms : 10

- (i) De Facto
- (ii) Act of God
- (iii) Capital Punishment
- (iv) Burden of Proof
- (v) Bona Fide
- (vi) FIR
- (vii) In Camera

7. Write an application for the post of Lecturer. 10

Or

Write a letter to your friend inviting him/her to your marriage ceremony.

8. Read the following passage and note from it : 10

The human brain is spherical like a ball. It is divided into two halves, called the two hemispheres. The right hemisphere controls the working of the left side of the body, while left hemisphere controls the right side. Furthermore, each hemisphere controls certain kinds of mental activity. In most people, reasoning or logical thinking and the learning of mathematic and languages are controlled by left hemisphere, while abilities in the arts and crafts and in music, dance and sports are controlled by the right hemisphere.

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APRIL/MAY, 2025

ENGLISH

Paper–II

(General English)

(Wednesday, 16-4-2025)

Time : 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Time—2 Hours

Maximum Marks—50

N.B. :— (i) Attempt any five questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

1. Read the following passage and answer the questions given below it : 10
The Arushi Talwar murder case involved the tragic killing of 14-year old Arushi Talwar in 2008 at her home in Noida, India. Her parents, Dr. Rajesh and Nupur Talwar were initially suspected and later condicted of the crime. The case gained widespread media attention due to conflicting evidence, multiple theories and botched investigations. In 2017 the Talwars were acquitted by the Allahabad High Court due to a lack of clear evidence. To this day, the case remains unsolved, leaving many questions unanswered.

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Questions :

- (i) Who was the victim in the case mentioned in this Para ?
- (ii) When did the Arushi Talwar murder case take place ?
- (iii) Who were initially suspected and later convicted in this case ?
- (iv) Which court acquitted Arushi Talwar's parents in 2017 ?
- (v) Is the Arushi Talwar case solved or unsolved ?

2. Do as directed (any *two*) :

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- (i) As soon as the Police came, the suspect ran away.

(Use 'No sooner—than')

- (ii) Accused is sad.

(Make negative without changing meaning)

- (iii) She is Public Prosecutor.

(Add question tag)

- (iv) Call the Police.

(Add question tag)

- (v) She is too shy to talk.

(Remove "too")

- (vi) It has been a very lengthy litigation.

(Make it explanatory)

- (vii) How happy the child is!

(Make assertive)

- (viii) It is fact.

(Make verbal question)

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(ix) No sooner did the thief try to run than he fell flat on his face.

(Use “As soon as”)

(x) I (shall/will) go to court.

(xi) She can argue.

(Use “able to”)

(xii) The book is (on/in) the table.

3. Correct any *five* of the following sentences giving reasons for your corrections) :

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(i) She is happy, aren't she.

(ii) John's hairs have turned grey.

(iii) Miss Rani teach Economics.

(iv) Judge were standing on the road.

(v) Economic is very easy subject.

(vi) It is true fact.

(vii) She has finished her work yesterday.

4. Change the following into indirect speech (any *five*) :

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(i) He said, “Raju, we are arresting him today.”

(ii) Ramu said, “When will he come back ?”

(iii) “Give me some water,” said the thief.

(iv) Judge said, “Let's finish it today.”

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- (v) She said, "How Lucky I am!"
- (vi) Police said to me, "Where are you going ?"
- (vii) My friend said to me, "It is raining."

5. Change any *five* of the following into degrees of comparison : 10

- (i) Silver is cheaper than gold. (Change into positive degree)
- (ii) No other advocate in India is as famous as Kapil Sibbal.
(Change into superlative degree)
- (iii) Krishna Iyer was one of the greatest Indian judges.
(Change into positive degree)
- (iv) The Supreme Court is the highest court.
(Change into comparative degree)
- (v) Rekha is more beautiful than Jaya. (Change into positive degree)
- (vi) Pune is cooler than Mumbai. (Change into positive degree)
- (vii) Very few countries in the world are as beautiful as India.
(Change into superlative degree)

6. Give meaning and use in your own sentences any *five* of the following : 10

- (i) F.I.R.
- (ii) Public Prosecutor
- (iii) Family Court

- (iv) Defence Lawyer
- (v) Hostile witness
- (vi) Alibi
- (vii) Natural justice.

7. Read the following advertisement and write an application letter. 10

Required : Saleman, Commerce graduate with 3 years experience.

Write to : The manager, Jai Supermarket Pune-400001.

Or

Write a letter to your father asking his permission to go for High Court Visit.

8. Read the following passage and make notes from it : 10

India has a hierarchical court system that includes Supreme Court at the top, followed by High Courts in each state, and lower courts such as District Courts. Supreme Court is the highest authority of appeal. High Court handles cases from respective states. District courts deal with Civil and Criminal cases at the local level.

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ECONOMICS

Paper II

(Saturday, 19-4-2025)

Time : 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Time—2 Hours

Maximum Marks—50

N.B. :— (1) Attempt any *five* questions.

(2) *All* questions carry equal marks.

1. Explain the role of small scale industry in industrial development of Indian economy. 10
2. What is unemployment ? Explain the causes and types of unemployment in India. 10
3. Explain the basic features of developing economy. 10
4. Explain the role and importance of agricultural in Indian economy. 10
5. Define Export-Promotion. Discuss measures which are taken by Government of India to promote export. 10

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6. Discuss the causes of high population growth in Indian economy. 10
7. Explain the role and importance of large scale industry in industrial development of Indian economy. 10
8. Write short notes on (any two) : 10
 - (a) Concept of economic development
 - (b) Problems of landless labour
 - (c) Role of cottage industry.

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ECONOMICS

Paper II

(Saturday, 19-4-2025)

Time : 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Time—2 Hours

Maximum Marks—50

N.B. :— (1) Attempt any five questions.

(2) All questions carry equal marks.

1. Discuss the causes of high population growth in India. 10
2. Define agriculture productivity. Explain the causes of low agriculture productivity in India. 10
3. Explain the basic features of developing economy. 10
4. Explain the role of small scale industry in industrial development of Indian economy. 10
5. Define Poverty. Explain the causes of poverty in India. 10

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6. What is unemployment ? Explain its kinds. 10
7. Explain the role and importance of agriculture in India. 10
8. Write short notes on (any *two*) : 10
 - (a) Economic growth and development
 - (b) Role of cottage industry
 - (c) Export-promotion
 - (d) Types of poverty.

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POLITICAL SCIENCE

Paper—II

(Key Concept of Political Science)

(Tuesday, 22-4-2025)

Time : 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Time—2 Hours

Maximum Marks—50

N.B. :— (i) Attempt any five questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

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| 1. | Write a note on concept of 'Power'. | 10 |
| 2. | Explain typology of Authority by Max Weber. | 10 |
| 3. | What is Liberty ? Explain negative and positive liberty. | 10 |
| 4. | Define Equality. Explain the concept of equality of opportunity. | 10 |
| 5. | What is rights ? Explain the kind of rights. | 10 |

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6. Write an essay on political participation. 10
7. What are the functions of Welfare State ? 10
8. Write short notes on any *three* : 10
 - (i) Relation between Power and Authority
 - (ii) Types of Equality
 - (iii) Political participation.

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POLITICAL SCIENCE

Paper–II

(Key Concepts of Political Science)

(Tuesday, 22-4-2025)

Time : 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Time—2 Hours

Maximum Marks—50

N.B. :— (i) Attempt any five questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

1. Define power. Explain its features. 10
2. What is meant by Authority ? Discuss its types in detail. 10
3. Write a note on 'Negative' and 'Positive Liberty'. 10
4. Define equality. Explain its different types. 10
5. What are the dimensions of justice ? Explain. 10
6. What do you mean by Political Participation ? Explain agencies of recruitment. 10

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7. Explain in detail significance of welfare state in contemporary era. 10
8. Write short notes on any *two* : 10
 - (i) Types of power
 - (ii) Kinds of Rights
 - (iii) Equality of opportunity.

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HISTORY-II

(Thursday, 24-04-2025)

Time : 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Time—Two Hours

Maximum Marks—50

Note :— (i) Attempt any *five* questions.

(ii) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

1. Discuss the administrative system of Mauryas. 10
2. Explain the republican state of Alexander's invasion time. 10
3. Which are the factors that contributed to the growth of nationalism. ? 10
4. Discuss the non-corporation movement in India. 10
5. Discuss the causes for the rise of extremism. 10
6. Narrate the work of Bramho Samaj. 10
7. Explain the government of India Act, 1935. 10

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8. Write short notes on (any *two*) : 10

- (a) Bhagat Singh
- (b) Swami Vivekananda
- (c) Chandra Shekhar Azad
- (d) Lala Lajpat Rai.

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HISTORY-II

(Thursday, 24-04-2025)

Time : 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Time—Two Hours

Maximum Marks—50

Note :— (i) Attempt any *five* questions.

(ii) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

1. Discuss the causes for the rise of extremism. 10
2. Narrate the work of Bramho Samaj. 10
3. Explain the Morley-Minto Act, 1909. 10
4. Discuss the administrative system of Maurya 10
5. Explain the republican state of Alexander's invasion time. 10
6. Which are the factors that contributed to the growth of nationalism ? 10
7. Discuss the non-corporation movement in India. 10

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8. Write short notes on (any *two*) :

10

- (a) Bhagat Singh
- (b) Lala Lajpat Rai
- (c) Chandra Shekhar Azad
- (d) Swami Vivekananda.

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SOCIOLOGY

Paper-II

(Saturday, 26-4-2025)

Time : 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Time—2 Hours

Maximum Marks—50

N.B. :— (i) Attempt any five questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

1. Discuss that India is a plural society. 10
2. Take an account on unity of India. 10
3. Write a detailed note on different communities. 10
4. What is Kinship ? Explain the types of kinship. 10
5. Give the meaning of village and explain the changing nature of village. 10
6. Do critics on inequality of caste and gender. 10

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7. Write an essay on social problems in India. 10
8. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 10
 - (a) Social change in India
 - (b) Diversity of religion
 - (c) Gender and ethnicity.

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SOCIOLOGY

Paper-II

(Saturday, 26-4-2025)

Time : 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.

Time—2 Hours

Maximum Marks—50

N.B. :— (i) Attempt any five questions.

(ii) All questions carry equal marks.

1. Discuss on the development of Indian Society. 10
2. Write a detailed note on different religions of Indian Society. 10
3. State the meaning of caste and explain its features. 10
4. Give the meaning of village and write the changing nature of village. 10
5. What is joint family ? Discuss on various functions of joint family. 10
6. State the meaning of kinship and explain its importance. 10

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7. Do the critics on caste system in India ? 10
8. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 10
- (a) Social change in India
 - (b) Different communities
 - (c) Causes of social problems.

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