

B.A.LL.B (Hons.) 5 YEARS INTEGRATED COURSE

SEMESTER-VI

Course Code	BAL603
Course Title	Criminal Procedure Code-II
Type of Course	Core
L T P	5 1 0
Credits	6
Course Prerequisites	12 th
Course Objectives (CO)	This course is designed to explain the process and procedural safeguards that guide and regulate the functioning of the courts and other agencies in the administration of criminal justice. It also intends to provide the students a critical insight into the functioning of the courts at various stages of a criminal trial starting from the framing of charges to forums and forms of appeal through pleas of the accused , compounding of offences, plea bargaining, bars of limitation, delivery of judgment and sentencing. The students will also be introduced to the potentials of the vast array of dispositional alternatives, in the wake of emergence of strong victimology and juvenile justice.

UNIT-I

Charge: Principles Related to framing of Charge, Meaning and Contents of Charge, Alternation and Addition of Charges, Basic Rule of Charge and Limitations Thereof
Pleas of Autrefois Acquit and Autrefois Convict
Bars of Limitation

UNIT –II

Committal Proceedings
Trial before a Court of Sessions
Different Stages of the Trial
Compounding of Offences
Plea Bargaining
Hearing of the Accused on the Question of the Sentence
Summary Trial

UNIT –III

Judgment: Meaning and Contents of Judgment, Modes of Delivery of Judgment
Meaning and Nature of Appeal and Rationale of Appeal, Forums of Appeal, No Appeal in Certain Cases, State Appeals

UNIT –IV

Concept and Utility of Probation, Dispositional Alternatives under Probation of Offenders Act, 1958, Duties of Probation Officer
Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children Act), 2015, Authorities to deal with Child in Conflict with Law and Dispositional Alternatives

Suggested Readings:

Bare Acts:

- The Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973
- The Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015
- The Probation of Offenders Act, 1958

Books:

- Aditya Tomer et.al (ed) Rethinking of Juvenile Justice System In India, 2017, Bharti Publications
- Prof. (Dr.) G S Bajpai : Juvenile Justice: Impact and Implementation in India, 2019 Bloomsbury India
- K N Chandrasekharan Pillai (ed): Kelkar's Lectures on Criminal Procedure, 6th Ed. 2017, Reprinted 2019, Eastern Book Company
- Ratanlal and Dhirajlal : Criminal Procedure Code, 22nd Ed, 2018, LexisNexis
- S C Sarkar et.al.(ed) : The Code of Criminal Procedure, 2 vols 2018, LexisNexis
- K N Chandrasekharan Pillai (ed): R V Kelkar's Criminal Procedure, 6th Ed. 2014 Reprinted, 2019, Eastern Book Company
- Woodroffe : Commentaries on Code of Criminal Procedure, 2 vols. 3rd Ed., 2009, Reprint 2018, Law Publishers (India) Pvt. Ltd