

ADMISSION NUMBER

School of Law

Integrated Bachelor of Arts - Bachelor of Law Semester End Examination - May 2024

Duration : 180 Minutes Max Marks : 100

Sem X - BALB5029 / BBLB5029 - Comparative Constitution

<u>General Instructions</u>
Answer to the specific question asked

Draw neat, labelled diagrams wherever necessary
Approved data hand books are allowed subject to verification by the Invigilator

1)	Human Rights are not outcome of any Constitution- Evaluate	K1 (2)
2)	Accused is presumed to be innocent, Unless proven Guilty- Explain	K2 (4)
3)	Explain the concept of administrative discretion and its role in administrative decision-making. Discuss the factors that may influence the exercise of administrative discretion and evaluate the balance between the need for administrative flexibility and the requirement for accountability and transparency.	K2 (6)
4)	No one should be condemned unheard' is the principle which forms part of 'natural justice'. Discuss the necessary ingredients.	K3 (9)
5)	What are the key similarities and differences between the judicial review processes in different countries, such as the United States and the United Kingdom, with a particular focus on their respective constitutional frameworks and the role of courts in interpreting and reviewing the constitutionality of laws	K3 (9)
6)	The Constitution of India is federal in times of peace and unitary in times of emergency- Comment.	K5 (10)
7)	How has Article 21 of the Indian Constitution evolved to encompass a broad spectrum of fundamental rights, including the right to life and personal liberty, and how has its interpretation by the judiciary shaped the landscape of individual freedoms in India	K4 (12)
8)	What are fundamental rights, and why are they important in constitutional law? Provide a basic example of a fundamental right and its significance	K5 (15)
9)	What are the implications of constitutionalism on the balance of power between branches of government, and how does it contribute to the protection of individual rights and liberties	K5 (15)
10)	Determine and elucidate the legal systems of India and the United States that have exceptions to judicial review. Examine the justification for these exceptions and consider the effects they may have on the rule of law, the separation of powers, and the efficiency of democratic institutions in both nations.	K6 (18