

UPSC LAW OPTIONAL 40 DAYS CHALLENGE



SCHEDULE FOR 22 YEARS PREVIOUS YEAR SOLVED UPSC LAW OPTIONAL | Finish law optional within 40 DAYS

INTERNATIONAL LAW	
22.11.2024	International Law Part 1 Nature and definition of
	International Law
23.11.2024	Relationship between International Law & Municipal Law
	Territorial jurisdiction of States, extradition and asylum.
24.11.2024	State Recognition and Succession United Nations: Its
	principal organs, powers, functions and reform.
25.11.2024	Law of Seas Fundamental principles of international
	humanitarian law – International conventions and
	contemporary developments.
26.11.2024	Individuals: Nationality, statelessness; Human rights and
	procedures available for their enforcement.
27.11.2024	Peaceful settlement of disputes – different modes.



28.11.2024	Lawful recourse to force: aggression, self-defence, intervention.
29.11.2024	Legality of the use of nuclear weapons; ban on testing of nuclear weapons; Nuclear – non proliferation treaty, CTBT. International terrorism, state sponsored terrorism, hijacking, international criminal court.
30.11.2024	New international economic order and monetary law: WTO, TRIPS, GATT, IMF, World Bank. Protection and improvement of the human environment: International efforts.
	25 % of UPSC Law Optional Syllabus Completed



Constitutional Law	
01.12.2024	Constitutional Law Part 1 – Constitution +
	Constitutionalism Relationship Between
	Fundamental Rights and DPSP
02.12.2024	Fundamental Rights Part 1
03.12.2024	Fundamental Right Part 2
04.12.2024	Fundamental Rights Part 3



05.12.2024	President and Council of ministers Governor and his powers
06.12.2024	Supreme Court & High Court
07.12.2024	Centre State Local Bodies , Legislative power, privileges and immunities
08.12.2024	Services under Union Separation of powers and constitutional governance.
09.12.2024	Emergency provision Amendment of Constitution
10.12.2024	Principles of Natural Justice Delegated Legislation
11.12.2024	Judicial Review of administrative action Ombudsman
12.12.2024	REVISION

50% of UPSC Law Optional Portions completed



LAW OF CRIMES	
13.12.2024	Law of Crimes 1. General principles of criminal liability:
	Mens rea and actus reus, mens rea in statutory
	offences.



	2. Kinds of punishment and emerging trends as to
	abolition of capital punishment.
14.12.2024	3. Preparation and criminal attempt.
	4. General exceptions.
15.12.2024	5. Joint and constructive liability.
	6. Abetment.
	7. Criminal conspiracy.
	12. Offences against women.
16.12.2024	8. Offences against the State.
	9. Offences against public tranquility.
17.12.2024	10. Offences against human body.
	11. Offence Against Property
18.12.2024	13. Defamation.
	14. Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988.
	15. Protection of Civil Rights Act 1955 and subsequent
	legislative developments.
	16. Plea bargaining.

LAW OF TORTS	
19.12.2024	Law of Torts Nature and definition.
	Liability based upon fault and strict liability; Absolute
	liability.
	Vicarious liability including State Liability.
20.12.2024	General defenses.
	Joint tort lessors.



	Remedies.
	Negligence.
21.12.2024	Defamation. Nuisance.
	Conspiracy.
22.12.2024	False imprisonment.
	Malicious prosecution. Consumer
	Protection Act
75 % of UPSC Law Optional portions completed	

LAW OF CONTRACTS	
23.12.2024	Law of Contract Nature and formation of contract/E-
	contract.
	Factors vitiating free consent
24.12.2024	Void, voidable, illegal and unenforceable agreements.
	Performance and discharge of contracts.
	Quasi-contracts.
25.12.2024	Consequences of breach of contract.
	Contract of indemnity, guarantee and insurance. Contract
	of agency.
26.12.2024	Sale of goods and hire purchase.
	Formation and dissolution of partnership.
27.12.2024	Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881.
	Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996.
	Standard form contracts.



CONTEMPORARY LEGAL DEVELOPMENTS	
28.12.2024	Contemporary Legal Developments Public
	Interest Litigation.
	Intellectual property rights—Concept, types/prospects.
29.12.2024	Information Technology Law including Cyber Laws— Concept,
	purpose/prospects.
	Competition Law—Concept, purpose/prospects.
30.12.2024	Alternate Dispute Resolution—Concept, types/prospects.
	Major statutes concerning environmental law.
31.12.2024	Right to Information Act.
	Trial by media.
100 % UPSC Law Optional Portions Completed in just 40 days	

