

**BACHELOR OF LAWS - LL.B. (THREE YEAR DEGREE COURSE) (CBCS-2021 COURSE)**  
**LL.B. Sem - IV : SUMMER : 2025**  
**SUBJECT: FAMILY LAW-II (MATRIMONIAL PROPERTY, GUARDIANSHIP & ADOPTION)**

Day : Saturday  
Date : 03/05/2025

**S-25012-2025**

Time : 10:00 AM-12:30 PM  
Max. Marks : 60

**N.B.:**

- 1) All questions are **COMPULSORY**.
- 2) All questions carry **EQUAL** marks.

**Q.1 A)** Highlight the principles of Hanafi law of Inheritance with the list of shareres, residuaries and distant kindred. Support your answer with suitable examples.

**OR**

**Q.1 B)** 'Hindu wife may claim maintenance from her father in law'. Explain, how Hindu Adoptions and Maintenance Act provides relief to Hindu wife? Whether she has option to claim maintenance under Section 125 of Criminal Procedure Code?

**Q.2 A)** Critically analyze the concept of coparcenary under Mitakshara and Dayabhaga school. Is any Amendment passed by legislature on coparcenary? If yes, explain in detail.

**OR**

**Q.2 B)** Discuss the legal provisions of Indian Succession Act regarding intestate succession of Christians.

**Q.3 A)** The judgement of Githa Hariharan v. Reserve Bank of India expanded horizon of section 6 of the Hindu Minority and Guardianship Act. Explain the judgement with relevant legal provisions of the Act.

**OR**

**Q.3 B)** Analyze the term 'Hiba' with its kinds differentiate between Hiba-bil-iwaz, Hiba-ba-shartul-iwaz.

**Q.4 A)** Write short notes on **ANY TWO** of the following:

- i) Mutawalli
- ii) Class I heirs
- iii) Privileged and unprivileged will

**OR**

**Q.4 B)** Write short notes on **ANY TWO** of the following:

- i) Reopening of partition
- ii) Parsi intestate succession
- iii) Adoption under Juvenile Justice Act

**Q.5 A)** Solve the following:

- i) A, a film actress aged 38 years intends to adopt a boy aged 16 years. Can she adopt the boy? Give legal reasoning with supporting legal provision.
- ii) Ahmed Khan v. Shah Bano Begum.

**OR**

**Q.5 B)** Solve the following:

- i) X, a Hindu unmarried male wants to exclude his brother from his property. But before writing will X died. Distribute his property according to Hindu Succession Act among his father and brother with legal reasoning.
- ii) Laxmikant Pandey v. Union of India.

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