

5 Year Integrated

B.A., LL.B (Hons.) B.B.A., LL.B (Hons.)

VIT SCHOOL OF LAW (VITSOL)

VIT is a progressive educational institution that is dedicated to the pursuit of excellence. Students here are encouraged on this journey by our committed faculty, world-class facilities & student-friendly educational systems. It was established under Section 3 of the University Grants Commission (UGC) Act, 1956, and was founded in 1984 as a self-financing institution called the Vellore Engineering College. The Union Ministry of Human Resources Development conferred University status on Vellore Engineering College in 2001. The University is headed by its founder and Chancellor, Dr. G. Viswanathan, a former Parliamentarian and Minister in the Tamil Nadu Government.

VIT School of Law, the progeny of VIT Chennai had entered into the legal education arena in 2014, aiming at high goals to be achieved. The Law School aims to impart quality legal education to nourish young minds with the knowledge of law, teach them the nuances of the legal profession and equip them with the nitty gritty of the profession. VIT Law School believes in continuous and active learning simultaneously with practical training.

In VITSOL, application oriented approach takes the lead over memory based learning and evaluation. The course is designed to encourage the mooting abilities, oratorical skills, interpreting and analysing skills of budding lawyers by conducting Weekly seminars, frequent Moot court training, Court visits, etc. The curriculum has been framed to give importance to theory and practical aspects to meet the rigorous demands set by the legal profession. Moreover the classes are handled by experienced professors from India and abroad and supplemented by experts and practicing lawyers. This gives them an edge over other undergraduates which is imperative in this competitive world.

The school offers two Under-Graduate courses viz. B.A., LL.B (Hon's) and B.B.A., LL.B (Hon's). It also offers LL.M in three branches of law that include International Law and Development, Corporate Laws and Intellectual Property Laws. Further the school offers a doctoral program. All courses are offered with carefully framed curriculums that are at tune with global needs.

VITSOL offers innovative features such as:

- 1. Classes handled by experienced professors from India / Abroad. Further practicing Lawyers and Judges as Adjunct / Visiting faculty handle classes to the students. Honours programme where the students can opt for eight Honours courses out of 67 Honours courses offered by VITSOL
- 2. Moot court sessions and legal aid clinic are the integral part of the curriculum which build the confidence of students.
- 3. Regular Seminar / Guest lectures sessions for developing the legal reasoning ability
- 4. Mandatory Internships / Regular Court visits, practical sessions in Mediation and Conciliation will expose the students to practice. Visits to quasi-judicial and judicial authorities for a hands on experience of the working of these bodies.
- 5. Legal problem solving / Project Based Learning / Clinical Methodology/ research based learning methods are used in teaching learning process.
- 6. Fully equipped law laboratory with Law databases such as Lexis Nexis, Manupatra, Westlaw, etc
- 7. Foreign Language Certification (Spanish / French / German / Japanese / Chinese) that adds value to the degree programme.
- 8. Collaboration with foreign Law Universities for Semester Abroad Programme
- 9. Choice Based Credit System (CBCS), which gives the students freedom to choose their teacher, optional courses and Honours courses for the semester.
- 10. Learning Management System with Moodle, Drupel, Hot Potato, Turn-it-in, etc
- 11. Compulsory dissertation with viva voce in the final semester for 10 credits worth to develop the research and thesis writing skill.
- 12. Centres for Research in Intellectual property Law and public Law.
- 13. Immersive Study Programmes Abroad.
- 14. Organizing/participating in the Nationwide Moot Court/ debate competition and National/international Seminars, conference and workshops through which Law Students are motivated to add feathers to their caps by providing them with numerous opportunities and resources.

- 15. Exposure to research activities within VITSOL in thrust areas such as Constitution Law; International Law, Human Rights and Humanitarian Law; Corporate law, Business Laws, Commercial Laws, Intellectual property Laws, Environmental Law, Space Law, Technology and Law.
- 16. Exposure to the Multi-disciplinary courses available in the other departments will hone the critical thinking and analytical skill.
- 17. Continuous evaluation for every semester, enabling the faculty to access the progress of the students throughout the semester and ensuring that learning is a continuous process. Helps in building the groundwork for end semester examination.
- 18. Extracurricular activities / club activities for a holistic growth of the student.

Programmes

B.A., LL.B (Hons.)

VITSOL offers integrated 5 year B.A.,LLB(Hons.) programme wherein subjects that fall under the domain of Arts and Law will be taught to the students. The curriculum of the Arts subjects such as Economics, Sociology and Political Science have been designed to have maximum interaction with law which would guide the students in application of law in the real world. A number of *Honours* courses are also offered so that the student can choose his/her option and expand their knowledge on the subject. The



programmes are designed to encourage mooting activities, Oral Advocacy skills, interpreting, synthesizing and analysing skills of budding lawyers through fun based learning.

B.B.A., LL.B (Hons.)

VITSOL offers B.B.A.,LLB(Hons.), which is a 5 year Integrated programme. More than 30 credits on Business Management are offered as part of the course. Students who aspire to join the corporate world after graduation will have a better understanding of the corporate structure, its Management and other features. Subjects such as Principles of Management, Financial Accounting, Financial Management, Managerial Economics that provide immense knowledge about Business Management are offered in this programme. Honours courses are offered in BBA.,LLB(Hons.) as well, so that the students can choose his/her option to expand their knowledge and expertise on that subject. The curriculum has been designed in such a way that the students learn by engaging and participating than by listening and reading to achieve maximum integration with the law subjects.

Eligibility

- □ The applicant for admission should be a Resident Indian National, and should have studied regular full time and formal education in the preceding two years in schools located in India. A pass in Higher Secondary Examination conducted by the State / Central Board of Secondary Education or its equivalent examination with a minimum of **75%** overall aggregate.
- □ In case, applicants belong to SC/ST community or hail from Jammu and Kashmir/ Ladakh and the North Eastern States of Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Sikkim and Tripura, 10% relaxation is provided (i.e.,) 65% minimum aggregate as per the condition
- □ Score Card: The candidate should have appeared for CLAT/ LSAT/ Any other widely recognised Law test and should have secured an impressive score in each component of the test

Selection process:

Selection is through merit, based on Higher secondary school marks, Group Discussion and Personal Interview performance. Weightage will be given to candidates who have good scores in National level Law Entrance Examinations.

All admissions are subject to discipline and conduct of the candidate



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