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CLAT PG 2027 FAQs: Everything Aspirants Need to Know

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Which subject should I start with for CLAT PG preparation?

Start with Constitutional Law and Jurisprudence, since together they carry the highest weightage in the exam.

Are bare acts really necessary, or are textbooks enough?

Bare acts are necessary. CLAT PG often asks direct questions based on statutory wording, and textbooks alone will not prepare you for that.

How many books should I refer to for each subject?

One or two well reviewed books per subject are enough. Reading multiple overlapping books usually causes confusion rather than helping.

Is reading recent case law more important than reading textbooks?

Both matter, but recent case law tends to carry more scoring questions since CLAT PG frequently tests awareness of judgments from the last one to two years.

Is CLAT PG tougher than CLAT UG?

It tests a different skill set. CLAT PG assumes subject knowledge from your law degree and focuses on applying legal principles to new facts, so it can feel tougher for those who relied on rote learning during their LLB.

How many months are ideal for CLAT PG preparation?

Three to four months is considered ideal for thorough preparation, though focused candidates have cracked it in as little as six weeks with the right strategy.

Does CLAT PG have negative marking?

Yes, each wrong answer deducts 0.25 marks, so accuracy matters as much as attempting more questions.

Can final year LLB students appear for CLAT PG?

Yes, students in their final year of a five year or three year LLB program are eligible to apply, subject to meeting the minimum marks criteria on qualifying.

What is a good score to target for a top NLU in CLAT PG?

Cut-offs vary by year and NLU, but scoring above 90 to 95 out of 120 is generally considered competitive for top ranked universities.

Is coaching necessary for CLAT PG, or can self-study work?

Self-study works well for CLAT PG since the syllabus overlaps with your LLB coursework. Structured self-study with mock tests is often just as effective as coaching.

Where can I find free mock tests for CLAT PG?

You can refer to sectional test given in CLATalogue to practise questions.