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How to Prepare for CLAT 2025 in 1 month? Tips from Toppers, Detailed Study Plan and More!

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Looking to crack CLAT 2025 and secure a seat in the law school of your dreams? Go through this post to get access to tips and strategies on how to ace the exam. CLATalogue has collated information on effective study techniques, books to refer to as well as curated a study plan to help you prepare for CLAT 2025 in a month!

About CLAT 2025

CLAT is a centralized test for admission to 25 National Law Universities (NLUs) in India. It tests candidates on their English language, general knowledge, legal aptitude, logical reasoning, and quantitative techniques. CLAT 2025 is just a few weeks away.

Edit Name of the ExamCommon Law Admission Test [CLAT] Conducting AuthorityCLAT Consortium Official WebsiteCLAT Consortium Website Mode of the ExamOnline Medium of the ExamEnglish Total Number of Questions120 Total Marks120 Total Duration2 hours Type of QuestionsMultiple Choice Questions [MCQs] Negative Marking-0.25 per wrong answer Application FeeRs 4000 for General/OBC/OCI/PIO candidates and Rs 3500 for SC/ST/ BPL candidates

If you're wondering how to prepare for CLAT in a month, go through this post and dive straight into preparing for **CLAT 2025**!

Can I prepare for CLAT in a month?

We usually ask the students to prepare consistently with perseverance over a longer period of time. However, the pressure one feels during the last 30 days is more or less the same whether or not you've prepared well!

With a 'never say never' attitude and a strict adherence to a detailed study plan, one can definitely prepare for CLAT 2024 in a month. Preparing for the CLAT in just one month can be

challenging, but it’s not impossible. Your success will depend on how efficiently you use your time and resources.

Best Books for CLAT 2025

Edit SectionsAuthorDescription of Books EnglishObjective General English by N. Khurmi and GeorgeA unique book that helps candidates in preparing for CLAT by including texts on grammar, vocabulary, usage, composition, and sample papers. Quantitative AptitudeLegal Aptitude for CLAT and other Law Exams: Workbook by A. P BhardwajThe book covers all the competitive examination curriculum that are notified by law entrance examination boards. Every topic is concluded with practice exercises. ReasoningLogical Reasoning by Jain PrateekUniversal’s Logical Reasoning for CLAT, LSAT, and other law entrance exams is a comprehensive text for students preparing for the CLAT exam. General AwarenessLegal General Knowledge by R. K GuptaA complete guide for preparing for the General awareness section of the CLAT exam.

Important Topics for CLAT 2025: Legal Reasoning

In this section, there will be questions from passages around 400-450 words. These passages may relate to factual situations depicting legal matters, public policy questions or moral philosophical situations. Although no prior knowledge of law is required to solve these questions, you will need to have a general awareness of contemporary legal developments. Each passage would be followed by a series of questions that will require you to:

- Identify and infer the rules and principles set out in the passage;
- Apply such rules and principles to various factual situations in the passage;
- Understand how changes to the rules or principles may alter their application to various fact situations.

Here are a few topics from legal reasoning that you need to place extra emphasis on:

Edit Contemporary Legal Developments New amendments Cases in news Legal Maxims Concepts of subjects like Contract Law, Tort Law, IPC etc.

Important Topics for CLAT 2025: Logical Reasoning

Questions from CLAT 2023 Logical Reasoning Section were primarily straightforward. However, it was the length of the passages, contextual understanding and critical analyses that the candidates struggled with a bit.

The Logical Reasoning section of CLAT usually includes a series of short passages of about 300 words each. Each passage is followed by one or more questions that will require you to:

- Recognize an argument, its premises and conclusions;
- Read and identify the arguments set out in the passage;
- Critically analyze patterns of reasoning, and assess how conclusions may depend on particular premises or evidence;
- Infer what follows from the passage and apply these inferences to new situations;
- Draw relationships and analogies, identify contradictions and equivalence, and assess the effectiveness of arguments.

Here are a few important topics of Logical reasoning that you need to practice more:

Edit Statement and Assumption Cause and Effect Seating Arrangement Argument, Premises and Conlcusion Statement and Inference Relationship and analogies Clocks and Calenderes Circular Arrangement Number Series and Logical Sequence

Important Topics for CLAT 2025: Current Affairs including GK

In the CLAT 2023 Paper Current Affairs section, though the passages ranged from current affairs topics like FIFA World Cup to supercomputers and AI, the students were troubled with a myriad of Static GK questions. This unprecedented focus on Static GK makes this section harder than what most students might have expected. Students who had read newspapers throughout the year were sure to find themselves in an advantageous position.

In this section, passages of up to 450 words each are provided followed by questions related to them. These passages are usually derived from news, journalistic sources and other non-fiction works. The questions may include an examination of legal information or knowledge discussed in

or related to the passage, but do not require any additional knowledge of the law beyond the passage.

Here are a few important topics of Current Affairs and GK that you need to practice more:

Edit Historical events of continuing significance Contemporary events of significance from India and the world International affairs Arts and Culture Legal GK and Current Affairs

Important Topics for CLAT 2025: Quantitative Techniques

While CLAT 2021 and 2022 had relatively easier questions, questions in CLAT 2023 were moderate in nature. In Quantitative Techniques section, questions include short sets of facts or propositions, graphs, or other textual, pictorial or diagrammatic representations of numerical information, followed by a series of questions. Candidates are required to derive information from such passages, graphs, or other representations, and apply mathematical operations on such information.

The candidates need to :

- Derive, infer, and manipulate numerical information set out in such passages, graphs, or other representations;
- Apply various 10th standard mathematical operations on such information, including from areas such as ratios and proportions, basic algebra, mensuration and statistical estimation.

Here are a few important topics of Quantitative Techniques Section that you need to practice more:

Edit Important Topics in Quantitative Techniques Percentage Profit & Loss Average Ratio and Proportion Mensuration Statistics Work and Time Speed, Distance and Time Number system Probability

Study Plan to Prepare for CLAT 2025 in a Month

Week 1: Understanding the Exam and Initial Preparation

1. Familiarize Yourself with CLAT:
    1. Understand the exam pattern, including the number of sections, types of questions, and time allocation.
2. Syllabus Overview:
    1. Go through the CLAT syllabus to identify the subjects and topics you need to cover to score the most.
3. Previous Year Papers:
    1. Solve at least one or two previous year papers to understand the exam format and identify your strengths and weaknesses. Edit CLAT 2023 UG Question PaperDownload here CLAT 2022 UG Question PaperDownload here CLAT 2021 UG Question PaperDownload here CLAT 2020 UG Question PaperDownload here CLAT 2019 UG Question PaperDownload here

Week 2-3: Subject-wise Intensive Study

Legal Aptitude:

- Focus on legal reasoning and legal knowledge.
- Read basic legal concepts and landmark cases.
- Practice mock tests and analyze your performance.

Logical Reasoning:

- Practice a variety of logical reasoning questions.
- Focus on topics like syllogisms, analogies, and logical puzzles.

Quantitative Techniques:

- Brush up on basic mathematical concepts.
- Solve CLAT-specific quantitative aptitude problems.

English:

- Work on improving your vocabulary and grammar. You can refer to posts like these.
- Practice comprehension passages and develop a reading strategy. Try to check and improve your reading speed and comprehension skills by practicing every single day!

Week 4: Revision and Mock Tests

1. Revision:
    1. Review all the topics you've studied so far. Revision is the key to improving your score! Create mind maps, flash cards, one page notes to help you in revising quickly and effectively.
    2. Focus on weak areas and clarify any doubts. However, if you feel that you don't have enough time to do, remember, you can always play to your strengths!
2. Mock Tests:
    1. Take at least three full-length mock tests per week. You can refer to our Sample Question Posts to ensure you're well-prepared!
    2. Analyze your performance, identify time-consuming sections, and work on time management.
3. Legal Current Affairs:
    1. Stay updated on recent legal developments via Youtube videos, various websites etc.
    2. Revise legal current affairs topics and ensure that you cover important topics that happened in the last 12 months.

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