

HONS. 07 / 021 / 19

**B.A., LL.B. (Hons.) DEGREE SEVENTH SEMESTER EXAMINATION,
NOVEMBER 2019**

LAW OF FORENSIC SCIENCE

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum marks: 50

(Answer ANY FIVE questions)

(All questions carry EQUAL marks)

5 x 10 = 50 marks

1. What is DNA fingerprinting? Explain the importance and application of DNA profiling in civil and criminal cases.
2. What are 'questioned documents'? Examine the problems associated with questioned documents.
3. Why is identification of an individual important? Discuss how forensic anthropometry helps in the identification of a person from putrefied and mutilated body remains?
4. Evaluate the significance of fingerprints in criminal investigations. How and where can the fingerprints be located? Examine how they are classified on the availability of the same in the scene of occurrence.
5. Examine how ballistic fingerprinting helps an expert to establish whether a certain firearm was used in the commission of a crime.
6. Trace the origin and growth of forensic science. Explain the important branches of forensic science that are commonly used in investigation of crimes.
7. "The value of blood found at the crime scene cannot be overestimated or underestimated"- Comment.
8. Write Short Notes on Any Two:
 - a. Cyber Forensics
 - b. Footmarks and Tyre Marks
 - c. Deception Detection Tests
