

Course Title: Environmental Law
Course Code: IL-C-605

Course Objective: This course has been designed to make the students of BALLB understand the concept of environment, environmentalism, Penal, Civil and Constitutional remedies for the protection and improvement of the environment. The specific focus is given to an enabling and umbrella legislation, i.e., the Environmental Protection Act, 1986 and the rules framed thereunder. Apart from the international and national environmental trends, students in this paper shall also be familiarised with various specific environmental legislation, including Forest Act, Wild Life Protection Act and Forest Conservation Act and Bio-diversity Act.

Course Outcome: On successful completion of this course, students are expected to be able to:

1. Understand the history and philosophy of environmental laws and environmentalism.
2. Demonstrate their knowledge relating to legal/constitutional remedies, including civil and criminal remedies for protecting the environment.
3. Learn the environment Protection Act and Rules made thereunder and their applications in court cases.
4. Appreciate the role of local legislations about wildlife conservation, forest conservation and forest protection.