



Bangladesh University of Business and Technology (BUBT)

(Outcome-Based Curriculum)

Faculty of Law

Program: LL. B (Hons.)

Course Outline

Part A

1. Course Code : LAW 1202 (BNQF Code: LAW 04211202)

2. Course Title : Muslim Law

3. Course Type : Compulsory

4. Year/Semester : First Year, Semester-2

5. Academic Session : Fall 2025

6. Course Teacher's Information

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7. Pre requisite (If any) : None

8. Credit Value : 4.00 Credit Hours

9. Contact Hours : Class Hours = 17 Weeks = {51 Classes x (1.25 Hours X 2 classes + 50 Minutes
1 Class = 200 Minutes) = 56.67 Hours}
Counseling Hours = 17 Weeks x 3 Hours per week = 51 Hours
**For optimum utilization of physical resources, the duration of our class weeks are 17 weeks.*

10. Total Marks : 100

11. Class Schedule and Counseling Hours

Intake	Section	Class Schedule			Counseling Hours		
		Day	Time	Room No.	Day	Time	Room No.
53	2	Monday	02.45 PM -04.00PM	B1-510	Sunday	04:00 PM - 05:00 PM	B1-511
		Tuesday	01.30 PM- 02.45 PM	B1-504-B	Tuesday	12.00PM - 01.00PM	B1-511
		Wednesday	02.45 PM -04.00PM	B1-504-B	Wednesday	10:30 AM - 11:30 AM	B1-511

Rationale of the Course:

Muslim law is a course covering the general overview of Muslim law relating to family, property and other matters applicable in our jurisdiction. The course content is going to concern the areas where Muslim personal law is applicable in our legal system including laws relating to family issues like marriage, dower, divorce, guardianship, legitimacy of children, paternity, acknowledgment, laws relating to property matters like gift, will, preemption, wakf, inheritance and so on with touching on the challenges of the Islamic law with modernity and will we relate this system with some contemporary topics. Most of the population in our jurisdiction are subject of Muslim personal law, this course will help the students to excel in practice of personal law with efficiency and knowledge.

13. Course Objectives:

The objectives of this course are as follows:

- a) To explain and analyze the basic concepts, canons, principles, nature, scope and application of Muslim Personal law in Bangladesh
- (b) To Analyze and apply the laws and provisions relating to Muslim Law applicable in family matters.
- (c) To analyze and apply laws and provisions of Muslim Law applicable in property and inheritance issues.
- (d) To discuss and apply case laws regarding family law issues for practical knowledge for better understanding of practical implications of Muslim Personal Law.

14. Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs) and Mapping of CLOs with Program Learning Outcomes (PLOs):

Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs):

The expected learning outcomes of this course are as follows:

- 1. Explain and analyze the basic concepts, canons, principles, nature, scope and application of Muslim Personal law in Bangladesh
- 2. Analyze and apply the laws and provisions relating to Muslim Law applicable in family matters.
- 3. Analyze and apply laws and provisions of Muslim Law applicable in property and inheritance issues.
- 4. Discuss and apply case laws regarding family law issues for practical knowledge for better understanding of practical implications of Muslim Personal Law.

Program Learning Outcomes (PLOs):

PLO1	Legal knowledge: Apply the knowledge of evaluation, fundamentals and legal specialization to solve the legal problems;
PLO2	Problem analysis: Identify, formulate, research the literature and analyse legal problems and reach substantiated conclusions using provisions of law.
PLO3	Investigation: Conduct investigations of various legal problems, considering provisions of law, analysis and interpretation of case laws to provide lawful conclusions
PLO4	Legal Professionals and society: Apply reasoning informed by relative knowledge to assess societal, health, safety, legal and cultural issues and the consequent responsibilities relevant to professional manners and etiquette.
PLO5	Ethics: Apply ethical principles and commit to professional ethics, responsibilities and the norms of the lawyers professional manners and etiquette.
PLO6	Individual work and team work: Function effectively in the individual law chamber and as a member or leader of particular law chamber or legal work base office/teams as well as in multidisciplinary settings.
PLO7	Communication: Communicate effectively about legal issues with the general people and with society at large. Be able to comprehend and write effective opinion, prepare legal documentation, make effective presentations before the court and clients and give and receive clear instructions.
PLO8	Life-long learning: Recognize and need for and have the preparation and ability to engage in independent, life-long learning in the broadest context of legal changes.

Mapping of CLOs with Program Learning Outcomes (PLOs):

Course Learning Outcome (CLOs)	PLO1	PLO2	PLO3	PLO4	PLO5	PLO6	PLO7	PLO8
CLO 1: Explain and analyze the basic concepts, canons, principles, nature, scope and application of Muslim Personal law in Bangladesh	√	√	√	√		√	√	√
CLO 2: Analyze and apply the laws and provisions relating to Muslim Law applicable in family matters	√	√	√	√			√	√
CLO 3: Analyze and apply laws and provisions of Muslim Law applicable in property and inheritance issues.	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√
CLO 4: Discuss and apply case laws regarding family law issues for practical knowledge for better understanding of practical implications of Muslim Personal	√	√	√	√		√	√	√

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Part B

15. Course plan specifying contents, CLOs, teaching-learning and assessment strategy with corresponding CLOs:

Week	Lecture	Topics	Book(s) & Other Reference(s)	Teaching-Learning Strategy	Assessment Strategy	Corresponding CLO (s)
1	1	Muslim law: Basic understanding of Islam, Islamic Law, Muslim Law.	M. Jasim Ali Chowdhury, <i>A Textbook on Muslim Personal Law</i> Mulla, <i>Principles of Mahomedan Law</i> ,	Lecture		CLO1
	2	Basic understanding of Islam, Islamic Law, Muslim Law.		Lecture		CLO2
	3	Muslim Personal Law, Sources and Development of Muslim Law, Shariat.		Lecture		CLO2
2	4	Sources and Development of Muslim Law, Shariat,	M. Jasim Ali Chowdhury, <i>A Textbook on Muslim Personal Law</i> Mulla, <i>Principles of Mahomedan Law</i> ,	Lecture		CLO1
	5	Sources and Development of Muslim Law, Shariat.		Lecture		CLO2
	6	Fiqh, Statutory Reformation and Development of Muslim in Subcontinent.		Lecture		CLO2
3	7	Statutory Reformation and Development of Muslim in Subcontinent.	M. Jasim Ali Chowdhury, <i>A Textbook on Muslim Personal Law</i> Mulla, <i>Principles of Mahomedan Law</i> ,	Lecture, Interactive Discussion	Class Test 01	CLO2
	8	Statutory Reformation and Development of Muslim in Subcontinent.		Lecture		CLO3
	9	Statutory Reformation and Development of Muslim in Subcontinent.		Lecture, Interactive Discussion		CLO4
4	10	Marriage: Nature, Features, Essentials and Formalities of Muslim Marriage.		Lecture		CLO4

	11	Different Kinds of Marriage, their Effects, Comparative Aspects, Registration and Proof of Marriage.	M. Jasim Ali Chowdhury, A <i>Textbook on Muslim Personal Law</i>	Lecture		CLO4
	12	Effects of Difference of Religion and Conversion on Marriage,		Lecture		CLO4
5	13	Restrictions on Marriage and Effects of Breach of Restrictions.	Mulla, <i>Principles of Mahomedan Law</i> ,	Lecture, Group Study		CLO4
	14	Dower: Nature, Features and Significance of Dower in Muslim Marriage.		Lecture		CLO2
	15	Amount of Dower, Scope of Remission,	M. Jasim Ali Chowdhury, A <i>Textbook on Muslim Personal Law</i>	Lecture		CLO3
6	16	Widow's Right of Retention, Realization of Dower etc.,		Lecture		CLO4
	17	Dissolution of Marriage: Nature & Modes of Dissolution of Marriage.	Mulla, <i>Principles of Mahomedan Law</i> ,	Lecture		CLO3
	18	Talaq, Kinds of Talaq, Khula, Mubara'at, Ila, Zihar, Faskh.		Lecture		CLO2, CLO3, CLO4
7	19	Effects of Dissolution of Marriage, Iddat,	M. Jasim Ali Chowdhury, A <i>Textbook on Muslim Personal Law</i>	Lecture, Interactive Discussion		CLO2, CLO3, CLO4
	20	Dissolution of Muslim Marriage Act, 1939.		Lecture		CLO4
	21	Muslim Family Law Ordinance, 1961.		Lecture		CLO4

8	22	Legitimacy of children: Parentage, Paternity, Maternity.		Lecture		CLO2, CLO4
	23	Acknowledgment of paternity.	M. Jasim Ali Chowdhury, <i>A Textbook on Muslim Personal Law</i>	Lecture		CLO2
	24	Legitimization, adoption in Muslim law.	Mulla, <i>Principles of Mahomedan Law</i> ,	Lecture		CLO2 CLO3
	Midterm Examination					
9	25	Guardianship: Concept of Guardianship, Majority, Minority and <i>Hijanat</i> .	M. Jasim Ali Chowdhury, <i>A Textbook on Muslim Personal Law</i>	Lecture	Assignment & Presentation	CLO1, CLO3
	26	Guardianship in Marriage, Guardianship of Property.	Mulla, <i>Principles of Mahomedan Law</i> ,	Lecture		CLO3
	27	Appointment of Guardian, Eligibility of Guardian.		Lecture		CLO1, CLO4
10	28	Powers and Functions of Guardians, Termination of Guardianship.		Lecture		CLO1, CLO3
	29	Maintenance: Concept of Maintenance Persons Entitled to Maintenance.	M. Jasim Ali Chowdhury, <i>A Textbook on Muslim Personal Law</i>	Lecture		CLO3
	30	Elaboration of Wife’s Right to Maintenance.		Lecture, Group Study		CLO1, CLO4
11	31	Effects of Dissolution of Marriage on Maintenance.	Mulla, <i>Principles of Mahomedan Law</i> ,	Lecture		CLO1, CLO3
	32	Past Maintenance.		Lecture		CLO3

	33	Post-Divorce Maintenance, Loss of Right of Maintenance.		Lecture, Group Study		CLO1, CLO3
12	34	Heba/Gift: Definition, Nature & Essentials of Gift.	M. Jasim Ali Chowdhury, <i>A Textbook on Muslim Personal Law</i> Mulla, <i>Principles of Mahomedan Law</i> ,	Lecture		CLO1, CLO4
	35	Different Kinds, Revocation of Heba.		Lecture		CLO4
	36	<i>Heba bil ewaj & bi shartil ewaj</i> , Gift of <i>Musha</i> ,		Lecture		CLO1, CLO4
13	37	Gift of Life Interest, Gift in Marz ul Mout.		Lecture		CLO1, CLO3
	38	Registration and Proof of Gift/Heba.	M. Jasim Ali Chowdhury, <i>A Textbook on Muslim Personal Law</i> Mulla, <i>Principles of Mahomedan Law</i> ,	Lecture		CLO3

	39	Will: Definition, Essentials.	M. Jasim Ali Chowdhury, A <i>Textbook on Muslim Personal Law</i> Mulla, <i>Principles of Mahomedan Law</i> ,	Lecture	Class Test 02	CLO1, CLO2
14	40	Procedure of Making Will, Limitation on Power of Making Will.		Lecture		CLO1, CLO3
	41	Abatement of Will, Revocation of Will, Comparison with Gifts.		Lecture		CLO4
	42	Preemption: Definition, Essentials, Objects.		Lecture		CLO1, CLO4
15	43	Persons Entitled to Preemption.	M. Jasim Ali Chowdhury, A <i>Textbook on Muslim Personal Law</i> Mulla, <i>Principles of Mahomedan Law</i> ,	Lecture, Interactive Discussion		CLO1, CLO2
	44	Formalities to be Observed in Preemption Claims.		Lecture		CLO3
	45	Preemption against Non-Muslim, Loss of Right of Preemption etc.		Lecture		CLO3
16	46	Wakf: Nature & Features, Legal Incidents, Kinds of Wakf.	Lecture, Interactive Discussion	CLO3		
	47	Wakif's Status as Beneficiary of Wakf, <i>wakf alal aulad</i> , Mutawalli, Qualifications.	Lecture	CLO3		
	48	Appointment, Powers & Functions, Removal of Mutawalli.	Lecture, Interactive Discussion	CLO3		
17	49	Inheritance: Administration of Estate, Basics of Islamic Rule on Succession, Different Classes of Heirs,	M. Jasim Ali Chowdhury, A <i>Textbook on Muslim Personal Law</i> Mulla, <i>Principles of Mahomedan Law</i> ,	Lecture, Interactive Discussion		CLO2
	50	Position and Portions of 12 Quranic Sharers, Residuaries, Distant Kindred, Different Theories- Awl, Radd, Umriyatan, Himariya.	Lecture	CLO4		
	51	Revision Class	Interactive Discussion			
	Final Examination					

Part C

16. Assessment and Evaluation:

a) Assessment Strategy:

- i. Students will have **two class tests (CTs)** during the semester in this course. The date and time of each Class Test will be announced before the tests. All CTs will be closed book.
- ii. The marks of the **two class tests** will be counted and averaged.
- iii. There will be **one assignment** with **presentation**.
- iv. No late submission of any assignment will be accepted.
- v. If students cannot submit their assignments within due time for any valid reason(s), their assignment will be accepted as late submission but the marks of assignment will be deducted.
- vi. Failure to submit assignments will carry Zero Mark(s).
- vii. Evaluated copies of assignments will be shown to the students during the class time.
- viii. Zero tolerance will be shown in case of copy/manipulation in assignment. Two or more copied assignments will carry zero mark.
- ix. Remaining absent in any presentation will carry zero mark in that presentation and there will be no make-up presentation.
- x. There will be one **Midterm Examination** and the **Final Examination** according to the rule of BUBT.
- xi. All the examined scripts of Class Tests and Midterm Examination will be shown to the students during the class time.

b) Marks Distribution:

Marks distribution of each course at BUBT is made on 100 marks and the distribution of weightage is given below:

<i>Particulars</i>	<i>Marks</i>
Class Attendance	05
Class Test	15
Assignment and Presentation	10
Midterm Examination	30
Final Examination	40
<i>Total</i>	<i>100</i>

Marks distribution for class attendance

A student must attend at least 70% classes in all the courses. 5% marks in each course is allocated for attendance and this score will vary from 1 to 5 according to his/her percentage of presence as shown below:

<i>Percentage of Attendance</i>	<i>Marks</i>
91% to 100%	5
86% to 90%	4
81% to 86%	3
76% to 80%	2
70% to 75%	1

c) Grading Policy:

The grading policy of BUBT will be followed to grade the students:

<i>Marks (%)</i>	<i>Letter Grade</i>	<i>Grade Point</i>
80 -100	A+	4.00
75 to less than 80	A	3.75
70 to less than 75	A-	3.50
65 to less than 70	B+	3.25
60 to less than 65	B	3.00
55 to less than 60	B-	2.75
50 to less than 55	C+	2.50
45 to less than 50	C	2.25
40 to less than 45	D	2.00
Less than 40	F	0.00

d) Make-up Procedure:

- If any student remains absent in CT(s) because of valid reason(s), he/she must report it to the course teacher immediately. The course teacher may consider the reason(s) of remaining absent in CT(s) and may give a make-up schedule for that CT(s). No further make-up schedule of CT(s) will be given if a student fails to comply with the earlier make-up schedule.
- If any student fails to attend the Mid-term Examination or and Final Examination for valid reason(s), he/she may apply for supplementary examination(s) **according to the rules of BUBT** and the supplementary examination(s) will be conducted by the Controller of Examination according to the examination rules of BUBT.
- If any student remains absent in any class (es) due to valid reason(s), he/she needs to submit a 'Written Application' to the course teacher supported by proper document(s). After verifying the submitted documents, the class teacher may grant him/her a 'Leave of Absence' and may consider the attendance for those class (es).

Part D

17. Learning Materials

a) Recommended Readings:

1. M. Jasim Ali Chowdhury, *A Textbook on Muslim Personal Law (Based on case method)*, 3rd ed., Sufi Prokashoni (2020)
2. Mulla, *Principles of Mahomedan Law*, (Updated 22nd Edition, LexisNexis)

b) Supplementary Readings:

1. Selina Alkter, *Muslim Law*, Hira Publication (2012)
2. Faiz Badruddin Tyabji, *Muslim Law: The Personal Law of Muslim in India and Pakistan*, (Tripathi Pvt. Ltd., Bombay, 4th ed. (1968)
3. Asaf A.A. Fayzee, *Outlines of Mohammadan Law*, Oxford University Press, Delhi, 4th ed. (2007)
4. Mulla's *Principles of Mohammedan Law*, 19th ed. By M. Hidayatullah, (1990)
5. Syed Khalid Rashid's *Muslim Law*, Revised by V.P Bhartiya, 5th ed., Eastern Book Company (2018)
6. Dr. Mohammad Ekramul Haque, *Islamic Law of Inheritance*, LCLS, 1st ed. (2009)
7. Fariduddin Ahmed & Surina Tarzid, *Muslim Family Laws in Bangladesh: A Brief Introduction*, 1st ed., Ahmed Tertiary Publication, Chittagong (2015)

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