

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law (RGNUL), Punjab, Patiala was established by the State Legislature of Punjab by passing the Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab Act, 2006 (Punjab Act No. 12 of 2006). The Act incorporated a University of Law of national stature in the state of Punjab, thereby fulfilling the need for a Centre of Excellence in Legal Education in the modern era of globalization and liberalization. The University functions from a world class and a state-of-art architecture situated at Sidhuwal Bhadson Road, Patiala, Punjab. It has also achieved the pride of being accredited with 'A' grade by National Accreditation and Assessment Council (NAAC-UGC). The faculty and the students of the University have gained prestige and grace for the Institution on National as well as International level in Academics, Research, Sports, Moots and other activities. The University has established following Centres for Advanced Studies which are functioning under the supervision of experienced faculty. Those are Centre for Advanced Study in Criminal Law (CASCL); Centre for Consumer Protection Law and Advocacy (CCPLA); Centre for Advanced Study in International Humanitarian Law (CASH); School of Agricultural and Economics (SALE); Centre for Advanced Studies in Human Rights (CASHR); Centre for Advanced Studies in Labour and Welfare (CASLW); Centre for Environmental Legal Studies (CELS); and School of Social Sciences and Interdisciplinary Studies (SSSIS). These centres function on modular basis and have their own specialized libraries governed and managed by the central library system of the university. These centres organize training programs, professional development workshops, seminar, conferences, talks and special lectures pertaining to the related field of knowledge. These centres in all act as channels scholaristic development of the budding lawyers and the academicians. Besides,

these centres of Academic excellence, there is an IGNOU School of Law — RGNUL has established the region's first School of Law (SOL) on its premises. SOL has initiated various Post Graduate Diploma Programmes, Diploma Programmes, Post Graduate Certificate Courses and Certificate courses in various fields of law. These courses are undertaken under the Distance Education Programmes and are being run through the Programme Study Centre of IGNOU at RGNUL. RGNUL Punjab is a member to multiple professional and academic organisation and has also signed MOUs with many highly prestigious and reputed institutions and organizations from India and other countries also.

CENTRE FOR FOREIGN LANGUAGE

Centre for Foreign Language introduces one year certificate course in French language. This certificate course is parallel with DELF certificate level A exam conducted by Ministry of Education, France. DELF certificate is recognized all throughout the world and valid for whole life.

Today French is an official language for more than fifty countries including Canada. It is widely spoken by more than 300 million people worldwide. It is an official language of United Nations, Red Cross and other international Organizations. Successful completion of this Certificate Level opens up a plethora of opportunities in India, Canada and francophone countries and give an edge to the learners' career.

CERTIFICATE LEVEL COURSE IS DIVIDED INTO TWO PARTS

Level 1: A1

Level 2: A2

LEVEL	HOURS
Level A1 (Beginner's)	100
Level A2 (Intermediate)	130

OBJECTIVE OF CERTIFICATE LEVEL COURSE (LEVEL A1 AND A2):

The principal objective is to make students conversant in basic professional French. Below is a list of few objectives to be attained during both semesters:

- To read and write short, simple texts
- To understand a dialogue between two native speakers and also take part in short, simple conversations using the skills required
- To introduce himself or someone else in basic French
- To be able to recognize and use familiar french words and simple phrases for any initial conversation
- To pronounce a French word or sentences properly
- To introduce himself or someone else French.
- To be able to ask and answer basic questions about family, home surroundings etc and understand isolated phrases and common expressions that relate to areas of high personal relevance (like personal or family information, shopping, immediate environment, work).
- To be able to communicate during easy or habitual tasks requiring a basic and direct information exchange on familiar subjects
- Professional French Approach

The detailed list of curriculum would be provided after registration.

TEACHING METHODOLOGY

To develop French Language skills among students, the emphasis would be given on following methods such as traditional direct classroom methods as well as modern MAV and Communicational Approach methods. These methodologies help acquire following skills in a lucid and comprehensible manner for French Language.

1. Listening
2. Spoken Interaction
3. Spoken Production
4. Reading
5. Writing

ASSESSMENT

At the end of each semester there would be a summative assessment. Successful completion will validate the learners for the semester and certificate. Exams would be conducted internally as well as externally.

NO. OF SEATS AND BATCHES

There are two different batches.

1. For RGNUL students of III, IV and V year of B.A.LL.B (Hons.) Course.
2. Non RGNUL students.
3. LL.M. Students of RGNUL

Those RGNUL students who have taken French as a subject of learning during their 2nd year (Fourth Semester) of B.A.LL.B. (Hons.) Course need not register for 1st level. They would be directly considered for level 2. Successful ones would be awarded a certificate for A1 as well as A2 level. However, non RGNUL students need to register separately for both levels. Non RGNUL students would be considered for level A2 only if they have taken and passed level A1.

For each batch there is limited numbers of seats. Each batch would be composed of fifty students.

For RGNUL students: Fifty Seats
For Non RGNUL students: Fifty Seats

ELIGIBILITY

For RGNUL students: Passing grade in 2nd year (Fourth Semester)

For Non RGNUL students: Passing grade in class 10+2 Examination from recognized Board.

DURATION AND TIMING OF THE COURSE

As per the semester time table for students the classes have been scheduled accordingly. Sessions timings are:

For RGNUL students: Timings will be adjusted in Semester Time Table

For Professionals: 5:30pm to 7:30pm
Classes commence from 5th September, 2016

COURSE FEE STRUCTURE

INR 10000/semester/level
Last Date to submit application 31 August 2016

HOW TO APPLY:

The Non-RGNUL students need to apply through prescribed Application Form available at RGNUL website and attach copies of qualifying examination certificates.

The RGNUL students need to apply through prescribed form available at RGNUL intranet.

ADMISSION PROCEDURE:

Admission of Non RGNUL students shall be on Inter-se merit of applicants in 10+2 Examination score taken in aggregate.

RGNUL students shall be enrolled on the basis of Inter-se merit drawn on the marks obtained in the French Language paper of IVth Semester of B.A.LL.B (Hons.) course of RGNUL.

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