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Five-Year Integrated
BBA LL.B(H) Programme
(Session 2026–2031)



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CHOTANAGPUR LAW COLLEGE, RANCHI

An Autonomous College of Ranchi University, Ranchi

NYAY VIHAR CAMPUS, NAMKUM, RANCHI (JHARKHAND)

(A B++ NAAC Accredited Institution)

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Introduction

With a distinguished legacy spanning 70 years, Chotanagpur Law College stands as one of the oldest and most prestigious institutions for legal education in Jharkhand. Established in 1954 by the visionary barrister S.K. Sahay, the college transitioned from governance under the Bihar State Universities Act to the Jharkhand State Universities Act in 2000. It holds permanent affiliation with Ranchi University and the Bar Council of India and is registered under sections 2f and 12(B) of the UGC Act. Accredited with a B++ grade by NAAC in both 2016 and 2022, the college offers a dynamic learning environment on a secure, eco-friendly 4-acre campus on the scenic outskirts of Ranchi. With a digitally advanced infrastructure and a semester-based academic system, it emphasizes both theoretical knowledge and practical exposure through LL.B and LL.M programs. The curriculum is enriched with interactive activities such as moot court sessions, debate competitions, and law lecture series led by distinguished legal luminaries, providing students with an engaging and immersive learning experience.

IMPORTANT DATES FOR ADMISSION IN FIVE-YEAR INTEGRATED BBA LL.B (H) PROGRAMME (SESSION 2026–2031)	
Registration of the candidates applying through CLAT score-2026	15 th Feb - 31 st March 2026
Publication of the list of selected candidates on the basis of their CLAT score	Last Week of April 2026
Commencement of application process for CNLET – Chotanagpur National Law Entrance Test For Five-Year Integrated BBA LLB (H) Programme (2026–2027)	1 st May - 15 th June 2026
Date of conduction of CNLET – Chotanagpur Law Entrance Test For Five-Year Integrated BBA LLB (H) Programme	5 th July, 2026 (Sunday)
Publication of result of CNLET – Chotanagpur Law Entrance Test For Five-Year Integrated BBA LLB (H) Programme	20 th July, 2026
Dates for admission in five-year integrated BBA LLB (H) programme	21 st July To 31 st July, 2026
Commencement of classes of five-year integrated BBA LLB (H) programme	3 rd August 2026

ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION

Candidates who have passed in 10+2 or an equivalent examination with a minimum of:

- Forty five percent (45%) of marks or its equivalent in grade or
- Forty Percent (40%) of marks or equivalent in case of candidates belonging to SC/ST/PwD categories.

Candidates appearing for the qualifying examination in March/ April, 2026 are also eligible to apply. However, they shall be required to produce an evidence of their passing the qualifying examination at the time of admission, failing which they shall lose their right to be considered for admission.

ADMISSION PROCESS

Admissions to the **FIVE-YEAR INTEGRATED BBA LL.B(H) PROGRAMME** will be conducted through **two channels**, ensuring both national-level merit and institutional access.

1. CLAT Score-Based Admission

Thirty (30) seats shall be filled on the basis of CLAT merit. Candidates falling within the prescribed CLAT rank range must register on the College website (www.cnlawcollege.ac.in) by completing the online application form, uploading all required documents, including their CLAT score card. **NO REGISTRATION FEE WILL BE CHARGED FOR THIS INITIAL REGISTRATION PROCESS.**

CLAT Cut-Off Benchmarks

Category	All India Rank
General	Up to 10,000
OBC	Up to 15,000
ST	Up to 20,000
SC	Up to 20,000

PUBLICATION OF CLAT-BASED SELECTION LIST

The list of candidates selected for admission on the basis of **CLAT scores** will be published by the last week of April 2026.

IMPORTANT NOTE

The allocation of these 30 seats through the CLAT route shall remain at the discretion of the College. The institution reserves the right to alter, modify, increase, or decrease the number of seats under this category depending on overall admission requirements and seat availability.

ONLY SELECTED CANDIDATES MEETING THE ABOVE RANK CRITERIA WILL BE CONSIDERED DURING THE FIRST PHASE OF COUNSELLING AND SEAT ALLOTMENT.

2. CNLET – CHOTANAGPUR LAW ENTRANCE TEST

Seats remaining vacant after CLAT-based admissions will be filled through the **CNLET**, the institutional entrance examination conducted by the College. **In accordance with the Jharkhand State Reservation Policy, a 5% relaxation in qualifying marks may be granted to female candidates for the entrance examination.**

Admission Form including **CNLET** Fee : Rs.2500/- only.

Mode of Examination: Offline Medium: English & Hindi Pattern: Objective and analytical/descriptive sections designed to assess legal aptitude, reasoning ability, and writing skills.

Question Booklet of Entrance Test will be Hindi and English medium

Syllabus of CNLET – Chotanagpur Law Entrance Test For Five-Year Integrated BBA LL.B (H) Programme

*Objective Questions: General Knowledge, Current Affairs, Legal aptitude, Abbreviations	60 marks
**Subjective Questions: Comprehensive legal related essay, Drafting a letter	40 marks

* The rationale behind incorporating objective questions on General Knowledge, Current Affairs, and Legal Aptitude in the LL.B entrance examination is to:

Purpose of Objective Questions in Entrance Examination

Importance in Legal Studies

A strong foundation in General Knowledge and Current Affairs reflects a candidate's awareness of national and international developments, which is fundamental for understanding evolving legal frameworks. Additionally, Legal Aptitude assesses the ability to think critically and apply analytical reasoning to legal scenarios, an essential skill for a successful legal career.

Evaluation of Key Competencies

Objective questions play a crucial role in measuring critical thinking by testing a candidate's ability to assess situations and make informed decisions. Legal Aptitude exercises further refine analytical skills by challenging candidates to interpret complex information, recognize patterns, and reach logical conclusions.

Ensuring Fairness and Standardization

Multiple-choice questions provide a standardized and impartial evaluation process, minimizing bias and ensuring consistency in assessment. This format also facilitates an accurate comparison of candidates' competencies, offering a fair and transparent means to measure legal aptitude and knowledge.

Through objective questions covering General Knowledge, Current Affairs, and Legal Aptitude, CNLC's LL.B entrance examination seeks to holistically evaluate candidates' intellectual preparedness and potential for success in legal education.

Purpose of Subjective Questions in Entrance Examination

Developing Critical Thinking and Expression

Essay-based questions demand an in-depth exploration of complex legal topics, requiring candidates to think deeply and present structured, well-reasoned arguments. Similarly, drafting letters assesses the ability to communicate effectively, ensuring clarity, conciseness, and professionalism in legal writing.

Assessing Legal Knowledge and Practical Application

Essays serve as a tool for examining a candidate's comprehension of legal theories, principles, and doctrines. Additionally, letter drafting evaluates the practical application of legal knowledge by challenging candidates to construct legally sound documents.

Enhancing Communication and Writing Proficiency

Candidates are tested on their ability to present complex ideas clearly and coherently through essays and legal drafts. These tasks also assess the ability to organize thoughts logically, ensuring structured and persuasive communication.

Building Essential Legal Skills

Legal writing and drafting form the backbone of a successful legal career, where articulate and precise communication is paramount. Moreover, these exercises foster analytical thinking by encouraging candidates to critically assess legal scenarios and formulate well-founded arguments.

By incorporating subjective questions focused on legal essays and letter drafting, CNLC aims to equip candidates with the necessary skills for excelling in law and broader legal profession.

Reservation Policy:

The Sankalp issued by Jharkhand State Government vide memo no.-14@vkj-eh-&04&02@2019 dk-&1434@ Ranchi dated 15.02.2019 (enclosed) for implementation of reservation in admission of students is hereby notified and adopted by Ranchi University, Ranchi vide memo no.RU/DSW/83/2019 dated 12.06.2019.

Category	Reservation Percentage
Schedule Caste (SC)	10%
Schedule Tribe (ST)	26%
Other Backward Class (BC-I & II)	8+6=14%
Economically Backward Class (EBC)	10%

Fee Structure : ₹75,000 per semester

Fee Refund Policy: As per the UGC Guidelines. <https://cnlawcollege.ac.in/students/return-policy>

Grievance:

Candidates who have not been selected in the CNLET – CHOTANAGPUR LAW ENTRANCE TEST FOR FIVE-YEAR INTEGRATED BBA LLB (H) PROGRAMME and wish to review their Answer Sheet may submit an application along with a payment of Rs. 1000/- via Demand Draft in favor of "Chotanagpur Law College, Ranchi" or through Bank Challan. Upon payment confirmation, the scanned Answer Sheet will be sent to the applicant's registered email ID within 72 hours.

Additionally, the college has a Student Grievance Redressal Cell (SGRC), which is regularly updated and formally notified to ensure compliance with regulatory requirements. For more information, visit <https://cnlawcollege.ac.in/students/sgc>

Duration of the Five-Year Integrated BBA LL.B (H) Programme:

The duration of course, shall be of five academic years divided in Ten Semesters.

Class Attendance:

A candidate shall be required to attend at least 75% of the classes actually held to be eligible to fill up the form for the examination.

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