

**NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2020**  
**FAMILY LAW – I (HINDU LAW)**  
**(OLD AND NEW BATCH)**

1. Explain the various sources of Hindu Law.
2. Discuss various grounds for Divorce under the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955.
3. State the incidents of Hindu Joint Family property and self acquired property.
4. Examine the rules of succession of a female intestate under the Hindu Succession Act, 1956.
5. When court may appoint and remove the guardian? Explain the powers of guardian appointed by the court.
6. Who may be adopted? Explain the effects of adoption under the Hindu Adoptions and Maintenance Act, 1956.
7. Explain the circumstances under which a Hindu wife can live separately from her husband and claim maintenance under the Hindu Adoptions and Maintenance Act, 1956.
8. Write a short note on any two of the following:
  - (a) Dharma
  - (b) Valid marriage
  - (c) Re-opening Partition
9. Solve any two of the following problems:
  - a. 'A' a male Hindu dies intestate leaving behind him his two widows 'X' and 'Y'; two daughters 'M' and 'N', one son 'E', mother 'K' and father 'H'. Distribute the property among them and give reasons.
  - b. One unmarried Hindu women named Hima aged 25 years has adopted a 14 years old boy by name Raja. Is this adoption valid? Give reasons.
  - c. 'A' and 'B' a husband and wife had a minor son 'C'. 'A' makes a will appointing his brother 'D' as the guardian of his son 'C' and dies. Both 'B' and 'D' claim right of guardianship of 'C'. Decide.