



# 1<sup>ST</sup> NATIONAL ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION

**“A Tribute to the Nation — Presented by Law Drishti on the  
Auspicious Occasion of Independence Day, Celebrating the  
Legacy of Courage, Justice, and Liberty”**

**Participate and Win Exciting Prizes!**

**15 August, 2025**

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## About the Competition

Law Drishti is proud to announce the inaugural edition of its National Essay Writing Competition, organised to commemorate Independence Day. This competition aims to provide a platform for students to articulate their critical perspectives and insights on the identified theme through an interdisciplinary lens.

Participants are encouraged to engage in thoughtful analysis and present nuanced arguments on a topic related to the central theme, as specified below.

## About Law Drishti

Law Drishti is a student-led legal platform dedicated to promoting legal awareness, education, and engagement among law students and young professionals. It serves as a dynamic space for publishing insightful articles, opinion pieces, and legal analyses on contemporary issues, allowing budding legal minds to showcase their research and writing skills. Committed to fostering a culture of informed legal discourse, Law Drishti regularly invites contributions from students across the country and organises opportunities such as blog series, internships, and writing competitions. With an active presence on social media, the platform amplifies the reach of its content, ensuring that legal knowledge is made accessible and relevant to a broader audience.





## **Competition Themes**



### **Freedom Redefined: What Does Independence Mean in 2025?**

- In 2025, India's independence extends beyond political freedom to include digital rights, financial autonomy, and equitable access to education. It embodies the individual's right to privacy, expression, opportunity, and dignity. True independence today is the ongoing pursuit of meaningful freedom in a fast-evolving, interconnected world.

OR

### **War or Peace: What Should Be India's Answer to Provocation?**

- In 2025, India faces complex security challenges from both China and Pakistan, requiring a balance between firmness and diplomacy. While public pressure calls for strong military action, the risks of escalation in a nuclear and interconnected world are immense. A strategic mix of defense preparedness, diplomatic engagement, and internal resilience offers the most prudent path forward.

**Note:** Participants are welcome to explore any relevant topic connected to the central theme.





## Eligibility

The competition is open to all students currently pursuing an undergraduate or postgraduate degree from any recognised university or institution in India.

## Awards and Recognition

The Winner, First Runner-Up, and Second Runner-Up will receive:

- Cash prizes (amount to be announced)
- Publication of their essays on the Law Drishti platform,
- Featured recognition across all Law Drishti social media handles, and
- Certificate of Merit.

All participants who submit a valid entry will receive an e-certificate of participation.

Select essays may also be considered for special mentions or future publication at the discretion of the editorial board.





## **Submission Guidelines**

- **Registration Fee: Rs. 120**
- **(Early Bird Registration: Rs. 100 until 15th July 2025)**
- **Submission Mode: All entries must be submitted via the designated Google Form link (will be released soon).**
- **Originality: Submissions must be original and unpublished.**
- **File Format: Microsoft Word (.doc/.docx) only.**
- **Identification: The first page must include the author's full name, institutional affiliation, year of study, and contact details.**

## **Formatting Guidelines**

- **Font: Times New Roman**
- **Font Size: 12**
- **Line Spacing: 1.5**
- **Alignment: Justified**
- **Word Limit: 800 to 1200 words**

## **Evaluation Criteria**

- **Originality and innovativeness of arguments**
- **Clarity and coherence of ideas**
- **Linguistic precision**
- **Plagiarism threshold: less than 10%**
- **AI-generated content threshold: less than 10%**







## Important Dates

- Early Bird Registration Ends: 15th July 2025
- Final Registration Deadline: 10th August 2025
- Submission Window: 1st August – 15th August 2025 (until 11:59 PM)
- Results Announcement: End of September / Early October 2025.

## Registration Form

Link: <https://forms.gle/fbzm722J78UrcXcy5>

Once the registration form is completed, participants will receive the essay submission form via email prior to the opening of the submission window.

## Contact Information

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