

AILET Preparation Books 2026: Best Books for BA LLB (Hons) & LLM Preparation

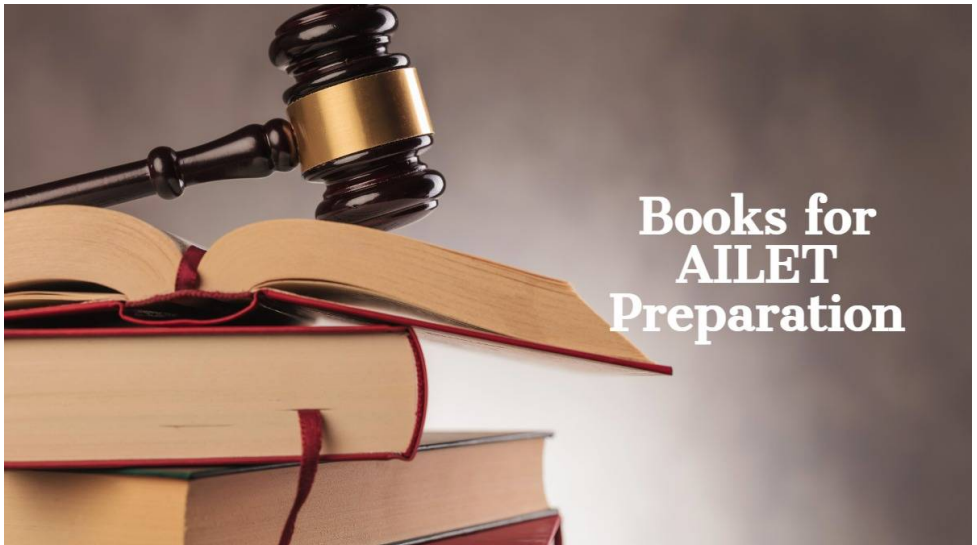


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*Candidates should refer to the best books designed for the **AILET 2026** as per the syllabus. This will help candidates prepare efficiently for the **AILET 2026 exam**. If you are planning to appear for **AILET 2026**, you can find a list of the **best books for the preparation of AILET 2026**. The books for each section of the **AILET question paper** have been recommended here.*



Books for AILET Preparation

The **National Law University (NLU) Delhi** conducts the **All India Law Entrance Test (AILET)** for admission to BA LLB (Hons.) and LLM courses. Cracking this exam is difficult as it is a national-level exam, and a huge number of candidates participate in this exam. But it is not impossible to qualify for the **AILET exam** if your exam preparation strategy is right and effective. One of the ways to prepare for AILET is to practice the questions included in the best books for AILET preparation. This approach allows candidates to practice questions relevant to the **AILET exam pattern** and syllabus. To enhance your **AILET 2026 preparation**, you also need to use the **best books for AILET 2026 preparation**. **Read this article to learn about the best books for AILET 2026 preparation according to the exam pattern and**



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syllabus.

Also Read:

- [AILET Logical Reasoning 2026: Syllabus, Preparation Tips and Important Topics](#)
- [AILET 2026 English, Logical Reasoning, Current Affairs & GK Preparation Tips](#)

In 2023, NLU Delhi changed the AILET exam pattern (for AILET 2024 exam and successive years). As per the revised exam pattern, the question paper of [BA LLB \(Hons.\)](#) is now based on three subjects, i.e. English Comprehension, General Knowledge including Current Affairs, and Logical Reasoning. Earlier, Legal Aptitude and Elementary Mathematics were also a part of the AILET question paper. However, these two sections have been removed from AILET 2024 onwards. There is no change in the marking scheme and total marks of the AILET examination. The logical reasoning section may carry some questions based on Legal principles, however, it will not require any core legal knowledge. Similarly, the AILET LLM exam pattern has been modified as well. Read below to understand the modified exam pattern of AILET for BA LLB (Hons) and LLM entrance exams and best books for the AILET 2026 preparation.

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AILET Exam Pattern 2026 for BA LLB (Hons.)

The AILET 2026 exam will be held in December 2025. A few months are left to prepare for the exam.

Candidates should have complete knowledge of [AILET 2026 exam pattern](#) while preparing for the exam.

Check the table below for the exam pattern of BA LLB (Hons.) course:

| Subject | Total Questions | Total Marks |
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| English including Comprehension | 50 questions | 50 marks |
| General Knowledge (Current Affairs, General Science, History, Geography, Economics, Civics) | 30 questions | 30 marks |
| Logical Reasoning | 70 questions | 70 marks |
| Total | 150 | 150 |

Note: There will be negative marking of 0.25 marks for each wrong attempt, which means if 4 answers are wrong then 1 mark from total scores will be deducted.

AILET 2026 Exam Pattern for LLM

AILET 2026 exam pattern for LLM course admissions is as mentioned below:

| Type of Questions | Number of Questions | Marks |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|------------|
| Different branches of Law | 100 (MCQ-based questions) | 100 marks |
| Total | 100 | 100 |

Most law experts share that [AILET is a tougher law entrance exam as compared to CLAT](#). Apart from that, there is no set syllabus for the AILET exam. Thus, to help aspirants in preparing for this law entrance exam, Shiksha has compiled a list of books that one should read to score well in different sections of the All India Law Entrance Test conducted by [NLU Delhi](#).

Best Books for AILET 2026: English including Comprehension

The candidates should refer to the recommended authors' books for AILET preparation that are based on the exam syllabus as under:

- Word Power Made Easy by Norman Lewis
- Objective English for Competitive Examination by Tata McGraw-Hill
- Quick Learning Objective General English by RS Aggarwal
- High School English Grammar and Composition by Wren and Martin



- Objective General English by SP Bakshi

Best Books for AILET 2026: Current Affairs and GK

The section is the vibrant one since there is no fixed syllabus but some common topics that will be asked in the exam. The questions can be on the events from the past five years as well as the events that occurred in the last six months before the exam date. Therefore, candidates should refer to the books below that are considered best for this section:

- Pratiyogita Darpan
- Manthan
- Manorama Yearbook
- General Knowledge
- Lucent's General Knowledge

Apart from this, in order to perform well in the GK section of the AILET exam, candidates can refer to online websites such as:

- Gktoday.in
- Online Tyaari
- Daily GK
- StudyIQ (Videos)

Best Books for AILET 2026: Logical Reasoning

This is the most important section of AILET 2026 as it carries maximum weightage in the paper -70 marks. Therefore, candidates should prepare for this section sufficiently.

- Verbal and Non Verbal Reasoning by RS Agarwal
- Analytical Reasoning by MK Pandey
- A Modern Approach to Logical Reasoning by RS Agarwal
- Logical Reasoning by R K Gupta and Samiksha Gupta
- Legal Awareness and Logical Reasoning by AP Bhardwaj
- Universal's Logical Reasoning for LSAT and other Law Entrance Exams by Jain Prateek

As the section might carry some legal principles based question, they can refer Legal Awareness and Legal



Reasoning for CLAT and LLB Entrance Examinations book as well.

As there is no change in the exam pattern, watch an AILET 2026 exam preparation video below:

AILET 2026 Books for Overall Preparation

Here is a set of best books for AILET 2026 preparation:

- CLAT Study Kit (Legal Reasoning, English, Logical Reasoning, Mathematics, and Legal Awareness & General Knowledge)
- The Complete Success Package for CLAT
- Universal's Guide to CLAT & LLB Entrance Examination
- CLAT & AILET's Chapter-wise Solved Papers

Apart from preparing from the above-mentioned books, candidates should also consider going through some mock tests as well as [previous years' question papers for AILET](#) so that they can understand the exam pattern for this law entrance test better.

AILET 2026 Books for LLM

As there is a modification in the exam pattern of AILET 2026 LLM paper, the candidates can refer following books apart from their law subjects at the graduation level:

- Handbook for LLM Entrance Exam Based on New Syllabus by SS Singhal
- Universal's Guide to L.L.M Entrance Examination by Gaurav Mehta
- Ascent's Law Guide for LLM Entrance Exam by Ashok K Jain



AILET 2026 LLM Preparation Books (Subject-Wise)

Other important subject-wise books for AILET LLM preparation are the following:

Constitutional Law:

- **Constitution of India by D.D. Basu:** This book is a classic text on the Indian Constitution and covers all the important topics that are likely to be tested on the AILET LLM exam.
- **Handbook on the Constitution of India by H.M. Seervai:** This is another highly regarded book on the Indian Constitution. It is more concise than Basu's book, but it still covers all the essential topics.

Criminal Law:

- **The Indian Penal Code by R.V. Kelkar:** This book is a comprehensive guide to the Indian Penal Code, which is the main criminal law statute in India.
- **Criminal Law: Theory and Practice by R.S. Rao:** This book provides a theoretical and practical understanding of criminal law in India.

Civil Law:

- **The Indian Contract Act by Avtar Singh:** This book is a comprehensive guide to the Indian Contract Act, which is the main civil law statute in India.
- **Law of Torts by R.K. Bangia:** This book provides a comprehensive overview of the law of torts in India.

International Law:

- **Introduction to International Law by Malcolm Shaw:** This book is a good introduction to the basic principles of international law.

AILET 2026 Preparation Tips

Check out the following AILET preparation tips, which are applicable to all sections of the entrance exam:

- The most important thing is to start preparing early and to be consistent with your studies.
- Create a study schedule and stick to it.
- Practice regularly with mock tests and previous year question papers.
- Stay updated on current affairs.



- Don't be afraid to seek help from teachers, mentors, or coaching institutes if you need it.

Read More:

- [How to Prepare for AILET 2026](#)
- [AILET Topper Shares Prep Tips](#)

