

## Diploma in Forensic Science and Criminal Law, 2024-25

Department of Zoology and Forensic Science, St. Xavier's College (Autonomous), Mumbai.

#### The Program

The course has been formulated with the aim, to provide an introduction and orientation to the functioning of the Indian Criminal Justice delivery system, and the role forensic science plays in this process. Using case studies, mock crime scenes and various practicals, allows the students to hone the basic skills necessary for investigation.

This course is apt for all interested professionals from the fields of Police, Security, Legal Management, Media, and Sociology as well as any citizen or student keen to learn more about forensic science and the law.

#### **Course Content**

- Foundations of Criminal Law, Crime Scenes & Crime Scene Processing
- Ethics and Research Methods
- Investigation Procedures Crime Scene to Courtroom
- Forensic Biology, DNA and Immunology
- Medico-legal Investigations
- Emerging Trends in Forensic Science
- End of year project & Moot Court
- Practicals

### Eligibility Criteria

- Minimum HSC certificate or equivalent with a 60% grade
- Selection Method: Merit-based & Interview

#### **Duration and Timings**

- Duration: One Academic year (July 2024 to April 2025); Part-time
- Timings: Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 5:00 pm 7:00 pm
- Mode of Instruction: Hybrid

#### Cost

• Course Fees: - Rs. 27,000/- + Processing Charges: - Rs. 500/- (Online Transfer)

# $\frac{\textit{Pre-Application Form Link}}{\text{https://forms.gle/D5aApdWaT8stxofKA}}$

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