

Discuss some of the functions and responsibilities of Juvenile Justice System. Do you think that Juvenile Justice System has played its role in prevention of Juvenile crimes in Pakistan.

## 1. Introduction

Juvenile justice system is a legally codified justice framework for juveniles; children age below '18' or '16' somewhere. Juvenile Justice system practically emphasises Rehabilitation over punishment. Morally and socially it is preventive act and justice system for juveniles. In Pakistan it is also a legally accepted justice system with assent of Pakistan's constitution and the act is recall as JJSA, 2018: (Juvenile Justice System Act, 2018). The primary function of Juvenile Justice system is to prevent the accused children from social and national stigma, by preventing identity and make sure the fair and separate treatment from the accused above '18' years old.