

# Family Courts

## HOSHIARPUR

### History.

Hoshiarpur was part of the Indus Valley Civilization and legends have it that several places in the district can be linked to the Pandavas. From the Shiwalik range in the district, there were 16 sites where stone-age tools were found. In the 10th Century A.D. the Shiwalik areas came under the power of Pratiharas. During this period, the arts of the local tribesmen took a distinct shape. In 965 A.D., Jaipal came to the throne, thereby infusing the Hindu-Shahi style into Dholbaha valley. The Parmara rulers stayed in power from 988 to 1260 A.D. It was believed that Raja Shankar Dass built a fort in what is now the town of Garhshankar before 1174 A.D., but it was later taken over by Mahmud Ghazni. Soon after that, this district was invaded by Muslim rulers from time to time. From the 19th century, it was under Sikh rule before being occupied by the British until 1947.

### Establishment of Family Court

Family Court, Hoshiarpur came into existence on 21.12.2018 vide orders of Hon'ble Punjab & Haryana High Court bearing Endst. No. 838 Gaz.I/VI.F.8 dated 21.12.2018.

### Officers posted in Family Court

S.No.	Name	UID No.	Designation	Station	Charge Assuming
1	Dr. Gopal Arora.	PB0194	Principal Judge, Family Court, Hoshiarpur.	Hoshiarpur	30.04.2022
2	Ms. Kiran Bala	PB0147	Additional Principal Judge, Family Court, Hoshiarpur.	Hoshiarpur	03.04.2021