

Reg. No.:



Name:

University of Kerala

U8897

Second Semester FYUGP Degree Examination, April 2025

Discipline Specific Core Course

SANSKRIT SAHITYA

UK2DSCSSA101 - HISTORY OF SANSKRIT LITERATURE

Academic Level: 100-199

Time: 2 Hours(120 Mins)

Max. Marks: 56

Part A.6 Marks:Time 5 Minutes.(Cognitive Level :Remember(RE)/Understand(UN)) Objective Type.1 mark each, Answer all questions

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
1	Who is the author of Dasakumaracarita ?	RE	3
2	The war between Rama and Ravana is detailed in which Kanda of Ramayana ?	RE	2
3	How many verses are there in Shringarashataka ?	UN	2
4	Which is the celebrated work written by Aryashura ?	UN	3
5	How many verses are there in Vairagyasataka ?	UN	1
6	What does the term Rtu denote in Rtusamhara ?	UN	2

Part B.10 Marks.Time:20 Minutes (Cognitive Level:Understand(UN)/Apply(AP))Two-three sentences.2 marks each.Answer all questions

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
7	Which are the three chapters of Sataktraya written by Bhartrhari?	UN	3
8	Which are the Mahakavyas of Kalidasa?	UN	2
9	Write the nine gems of Vikramaditya's court	AP	4
10	Which are the important Sandeshakavyas of Sanskrit literature	AP	5
11	Which are the later works influenced by Mahabharata	AP	5

Part C.16 Marks.Time:35 Minutes.(Cognitive Level :Apply(AP)/Analyse(AN))Short Answer.4 marks each, Answer all 4 questions,choosing among options * within each question

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
12	A) Write a short note on Harshacharita OR B)	AP	4, 2

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
	Write the names of Parvan-s of Mahabharata		
13	A) Write a short note on the contributions of Shankaracharya to Stotra literature OR B) Write the names of the Seven Kandas and Valmikiramyana	AP	3, 4
14	A) Write a short note on the origin and development of Mahakavyas OR B) Write a short note on Bharthrhari	AN	4, 4
15	A) Write briefly upon the date of Ramayana OR B) Write a short note on Sriharsha's Naishadhiyacaritam	AN	2, 5

Part D.24 Marks.Time: 60 Minutes.(Cognitive Level :Analyse(AN)/Evaluate(EV)/Create(CR)) Long Answer 6 Marks each.Answer all 4 questions choosing among options * within each question

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
16	A) Analyse the role of Ramayana in Sanskrit literature OR B) Write an essay on the Devotional Lyrics (स्तोत्रग्रन्थाः) of Sanskrit literature	AN	3, 2
17	A) Erotic literature contributed much to Sanskrit literatue- Evaluate OR B) The Bana's works contributed much to the development of Sanskrit literature - Evaluate	EV	1, 1
18	A) Evaluate the role of Mahabaharata in Sanskrit literature OR B)	EV	2, 4

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
	Evaluate the peculiarities of erotic literature in Sanskrit		
19	A) Write an essay on the Erotic literature in Sanskrit OR B) Write a short essay on the Mahakavyas of Sanskrit Literature	CR	4, 3