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**UNIVERSITY OF KERALA**  
(Abstract)

**M.A. Degree Programme in Tamil Language and Literature – Additions to the Eligibility Criteria/Ranking Norms – Approved – Orders Issued.**

**Ac.All**

3051/2026/UOK

Dated: 13.03.2026

- Read:-*1. Item No. V of the Minutes of the Annual Meeting of the Board of Studies in Tamil (PG) held on 10.12.2024.  
2. Item No. IV(E).V of the Minutes of the Annual Meeting of the Faculty of Oriental Studies held on 28.01.2025.  
3. Item No. II.(iii) of the Minutes of the Meeting of the Academic Council held on 17.02.2025.  
4. Item No. I.59 of the Minutes of the Meeting of the Academic Council held on 25.02.2026.

**ORDER**

Several new undergraduate programmes were introduced with effect from the 2020 admissions onwards and certain programmes such as Double Main Programmes were not included in the existing eligibility criteria for some PG programmes. In this context, the PG Boards of Studies were entrusted with reviewing the eligibility criteria and ranking norms of the PG programmes concerned and recommending necessary additions or deletions.

The Board of Studies in Tamil (PG), vide paper read as (1) above, recommended the following additions to the eligibility criteria/ranking norms for admission to the M.A. Degree Programme in Tamil Language and Literature:

- Graduates who have passed qualifying examinations in CBCS pattern or Annual pattern -2022 Admission-onwards.
- B.Com with Tamil as Additional Language course not less than one CGPA out of 2 for Additional language or with Tamil as additional language under Part II securing not less than 50% marks for that part.

The Faculty of Oriental Studies, vide paper read as (2) above, recommended that the above additions be placed before the Academic Council for consideration.

The Academic Council, vide papers read as (3) and (4) above, considered the matter and approved the above additions to the eligibility criteria/ranking norms for admission to the M.A. Degree Programme in Tamil Language and Literature.

Orders are issued accordingly.

**MEERA RAJ S**  
**DEPUTY REGISTRAR**  
**For REGISTRAR**

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4. The Chairperson, Board of Studies in Tamil
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