

**SRI SANKARA ARTS AND SCIENCE COLLEGE
(AUTONOMOUS)**

**ENATHUR, KANCHIPURAM – 631 561
CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM**

DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT

REGULATIONS

(With effect from the academic year 2015-2016)

1. THE CBCS SYSTEM

All programmes (named after the core subject) mentioned earlier shall be run on **Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)**. It is an instructional package developed to suit the needs of students to keep pace with the developments in higher education and the quality assurance expected of it in the light of liberalization and globalization in higher education.

2. DURATION

Each academic year shall be divided into two semesters. The first academic year shall comprise the first and second semesters, the second academic year the third and fourth semesters and the third academic year the fifth and sixth semesters respectively.

The odd semesters shall consist of the period from June to November of each year and the even semesters from December to April of each year. There shall be not less than 90 working days for each semester exclusive of the days for the conduct of semester examinations.

In each semester, Papers are administered in 15 teaching weeks and another 5 weeks are utilized for evaluation and grading purposes. Each week has 30 working hours spread over in a 5 day week. Depending upon the content and specialization, a paper may have 1 to 6 credits. Total number of teaching hours in a semester will be 450 hrs. One credit of each theory paper is equal to 15 hrs of lectures or 30 hrs of practical works.

3. COURSE OF STUDY

A Bachelor's programme consists of a number of papers. The term Course is used to indicate logical part of a subject matter of the programme. In each of Bachelor's programmes, there will be a prescription of (i) language –I Sanskrit or other languages).

The detail of the Study for Bachelor Degree Courses shall consist of the following:

PART – I Language Courses (LC) [Sanskrit / Other Languages]

4. SCHEME OF EXAMINATION

There shall be continuous, comprehensive evaluation of students through internal and external examination. At least 2 internal examinations (Sessional Tests) per semester and 1 semester ending examination should be conducted.

Sectional Test I will be held during sixth week for syllabi covered till then. Sessional Test I will be a combination of a variety of tools such as class test, assignment, paper presentation etc. that would be suitable for the paper. This required an element of openness. The students are to be informed in advance about the nature of assessment and the procedures. However the tests are compulsory. Test I may be for one hour duration. The pattern of question paper will be decided by the respective board of studies.

Sectional Test II will be held during Tenth week for syllabi covered between seventh and tenth weeks. Sessional Test II will be a combination of a variety of tools such as class test, assignment, paper presentation etc. that would be suitable for the paper. It will also have an element of openness. The students are to be informed in advance about the nature of assessment and the procedures. However the tests are compulsory. Test II may be for one hour duration. The pattern of question paper will be decided by the respective board of studies.

Sectional Test III will be held during fourteenth week for syllabi covered between eleventh and fourteenth weeks. Sessional Test III will be a combination of a variety of tools such as class test, assignment, paper presentation etc. that would be suitable for the paper. It will also have an element of openness. The students are to be informed in advance about the nature of assessment and the procedures. However the tests are compulsory. Test III may be for one hour duration. The pattern of question paper will be decided by the respective board of studies.

Sectional Tests (Theory based Continuous Internal Assessment (TCIA)) will carry 25% of marks of the entire paper.

There will be one End Semester examination of 3 hours duration in each paper. The End semester examination will cover all the syllabi of the paper for 75% of Marks.

Every course offered will have three components associated with the teaching-learning process of the course, namely (i) Lecture - L (ii) Tutorial - T (iii) Practicals - P, (iv) Self study - S where

L stands Lecture session. **T** stands Tutorial session consisting participatory discussion / self study / desk work / brief seminar presentations by students and such other novel methods that make a student to absorb and assimilate more effectively the contents delivered in the Lecture classes.

P stands Practice session and it consists of Hands on experience / Laboratory Experiments / Field Studies / Case studies that equip students to acquire the much required skill component.

S stands Self study session consisting participatory discussion by student with the guidance of faculty. This session is not included in the weekly hour plan.

In terms of credits, every one hour session of L amounts to 1 credit per semester, a minimum of two hour session of T or P amounts to 1 credit per semester and no credits allotted to self study hour, over a period of one semester of 15 weeks for teaching-learning process. The total duration of a semester is 20 weeks inclusive of semester-end examination.

A course shall have either or all the three components. That means a course may have only lecture component, or only practical component or combination of any two or all the three components. The total credits earned by a student at the end of the semester upon successfully completing the course are $L + T + P + S$. The credit pattern of the course is indicated as L: T: P: S. For example: a theory course with a L-T-P-S schedule of 4-0-0-2 will be assigned 4 credits, and a lab practical course with a L-T-P-S schedule of 0-0-3-0 will be assigned 3 credits.

The concerned Board of Studies will choose the convenient credit pattern for every course based on the requirement. However, generally, a course shall be of 2 - 6 credits.

Model Scheme for Non-practical subjects

I- SEMESTER

| Course Component Name of the paper | Inst. Period | | | | Total Inst. Period | Credits | Exam Hours | Max. Marks | | |
|---|--------------|---|---|---|--------------------|---------|------------|--------------|-----------|-------|
| | L | T | S | P | | | | C. Int. mark | Ext. mark | Total |
| PART-I Language Sanskrit | 4 | | | | 4 | 4 | 3 | 25 | 75 | 100 |

Part I – Language

- 4 hrs

II- SEMESTER

| Course Component Name of the paper | Inst. Period | | | | Total Inst. Period | Credits | Exam Hours | Max. Marks | | |
|---|--------------|---|---|---|--------------------|---------|------------|--------------|-----------|-------|
| | L | T | S | P | | | | C. Int. mark | Ext. mark | Total |
| PART-I Language Sanskrit | 4 | | | | 4 | 4 | 3 | 25 | 75 | 100 |

Part I – Language

- 4 hrs

III- SEMESTER

| Course Component Name of the paper | Inst. Period | | | | Total Inst. Period | Credits | Exam Hours | Max. Marks | | |
|---|--------------|---|---|---|--------------------|---------|------------|--------------|-----------|-------|
| | L | T | S | P | | | | C. Int. mark | Ext. mark | Total |
| PART-I Language Sanskrit | 4 | 2 | | | 6 | 4 | 3 | 25 | 75 | 100 |

Part I – Language

- 6 hrs

IV- SEMESTER

| Course Component Name of the paper | Inst. Period | | | | Total Inst. Period | Credits | Exam Hours | Max. Marks | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---|---|---|--------------------|---------|------------|--------------|-----------|-------|
| | L | T | S | P | | | | C. Int. mark | Ext. mark | Total |
| PART-I Language Sanskrit | 4 | 2 | | | 6 | 4 | 3 | 25 | 75 | 100 |

Part I – Language - 2 hrs

Question Paper Pattern for External Examination

SECTION – A (30 words)

10 out of 12 - 10 X 2 marks = 20 marks

SECTION – B (200 words)

5 out of 7 - 5 x 5 marks = 25 marks

SECTION – C (500 words)

3 out of 5 - 3 x 10 marks = 30 marks

TOTAL = 75 marks

The following procedure be followed for Internal Marks

Theory Papers: Internal Marks 25

Theory based Continuous Internal Assessment (TCIA) - 25

Tests (2 out of 3) = 10
Attendance* = 5
Seminars / Class Participation = 5
Assignments = 5

25 marks

***Break-up Details for Attendance**

| | |
|-------------|------------|
| Below 60% | - No marks |
| 60% to 70% | - 2 marks |
| 70% to 80% | - 3 marks |
| 80% to 90 % | - 4 marks |
| 91% to 100% | - 5 marks |

5. REQUIREMENTS FOR PROCEEDING TO SUBSEQUENT SEMESTER

- i. Candidates shall register their names for the First Semester Examination after the admission in UG Courses.
- ii. Candidates shall be permitted to proceed from the First Semester up to Fourth Semester irrespective of their failure in any of the Semester Examination subject to the condition that the candidates should register for all the arrear subject of earlier semesters along the current (subsequent) Semester Subjects.
- iii. Candidates shall be eligible to go to subsequent semester, only if they earn sufficient attendance as prescribed therefor by the Academic Council from time to time.
 Provided in case of a candidate earning less than 50% of attendance in any one of the Semesters due to any extraordinary circumstances such as medical grounds, such candidates who shall produce Medical Certificate issued by the Authorised Medical Attendant (AMA), duly certified by the Principal of the college, shall be permitted to proceed to the next semester and to complete the Course of study. Such Candidates shall have to repeat the missed Semester by rejoining after completion of Final Semester of the course, after paying the fee for the break of study as prescribed by the Academic Council from time to time.
- iv. There shall be examinations at the end of each semester, for odd semesters in the month of October / November, for even semesters in April / May. A candidate who does not pass the examination in any paper(s) shall be permitted to appear in such failed courses in the subsequent examinations to be held in October / November or April / May.
- v. The results of all the examinations will be published through the college Website.

6. PASSING MINIMUM

A candidate shall be declared to have passed:

- a) There shall be no Passing Minimum for Internal.
- b) For External Examination, Passing Minimum shall be of 40 % (Forty Percentage) of the maximum marks prescribed for the paper for each Paper.
- c) In the aggregate (External + Internal) the passing minimum shall be of 40%.

7. CLASSIFICATION OF SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES

PART- I SANSKRIT / OTHER LANGUAGES

SANSKRIT/OTHER LANGUAGES: Successful candidates passing the Examinations for the Language and securing the marks (i) 60 percent and above and (ii) 50 percent and above but below 60 percent in the aggregate shall be declared to have passed the examination in the FIRST and SECOND class, respectively. All other successful candidates shall be declared to have passed the examination in the THIRD Class.

8. RANKING

Candidates who pass all the examinations prescribed for the Course in the FIRST APPEARANCE ITSELF ALONE are eligible for Ranking / Distinction.

Provided in the case of Candidates who pass all the examinations prescribed for the Course with a break in the First Appearance due to the reasons as furnished in the Regulations 8 (iii) category are only eligible for Classification.

9. APPEARANCE FOR IMPROVEMENT

Candidates who have passed in a theory paper / papers are allowed to appear again for theory paper / papers only once in order to improve his/her marks, by paying the fee prescribed from time to time. Such candidates are allowed to improve within a maximum period of 4 semesters counting from his/her first semester of his / her admission. If candidate improve his marks, then his improved marks will be taken into consideration for the award of Classification only. Such improved marks will not be counted for the award of Prizes / Medals, Rank and Distinction. If the candidate does not show improvement in the marks, his previous marks will be taken into consideration. No candidate will be allowed to improve marks in the Practical, Project, Viva-voce, and Field work.

10. CONDONATION

Students must have 75% of attendance in each paper for appearing the examination. Students who have 74% to 70% of attendance shall apply for condonation in the prescribed form with the prescribed fee Rs.200/-. Students who have 69% to 60% of attendance shall apply for condonation in prescribed form with the prescribed fee along with the Medical Certificate. Students who have below 60% of attendance are not eligible to appear for the examination. They shall re-do the semester(s) after completion of the programme.

11. RETOTALING

Candidates are permitted to apply for retotaling within 10 days from the date of publication of results. The student should submit request for retotaling in the prescribed format and pay a fee of Rs. 100/- per paper.

12. PHOTOCOPY OF ANSWER SCRIPT

Candidates are permitted to apply for obtaining a photocopy of answer paper within 20 days from the date of publication of results. The student should submit request for photocopy of answer script in the prescribed format and pay a fee of Rs. 300/- per paper.

13. REVALUATION

Candidates are permitted to apply for revaluation after obtaining a photocopy of answer paper within 30 days from the date of publication of results. The student should submit request for revaluation in the prescribed format and pay a fee of Rs. 500/- per paper.

14. MALPRACTICE

Any malpractice by the students debars them from subsequent appearance based on the decision of the examination committee. In all cases of malpractice their conduct certificates will indicate malpractice.

15. EVALUATION AND GRADING SYSTEM

The performance of a student in each paper is evaluated in terms of percentage of marks with a provision for conversion to grade points (GP). Evaluation for each paper shall be done by a continuous internal assessment by the concerned paper teacher as well as by an end semester examination and will be consolidated at the end of the course.

The term grading system indicates a Ten Point Scale of evaluation of the performances of students in terms of marks obtained in the Internal and External Examination, grade points and letter grade.

Once the marks of the Internal and end-semester examinations for each of the papers are available, they will be added. The marks thus obtained will then be graded as per details provided in Table.

The sum of total performance in each semester will be rated by **Grade Point Average (GPA)** while the continuous performance from the second semester onwards will be marked by **Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA)**. These two are calculated by the following formulae.

$$\text{GPA} = \frac{\text{Sum of [Credits acquired x Grade points]}}{\text{Sum of Credits acquired}}$$

For the calculation of Grade Point Average (GPA), G_i is the grade point awarded; C_i is the credit units earned for the i^{th} paper.

$$\text{CGPA} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n C_i GP_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n C_i}$$

where ' C_i ' is the Credit earned for the paper i in any semester ; ' G_i ' is the Grade Point obtained by the student for the paper i and ' n ' is the number of papers **passed** in that or **CGPA = GPA** of all the papers starting from the first semester to the current semester.

Note: The GPA and CGPA shall be calculated separately for the following five parts:

Part I: Language Course; Part II: English Language Course and Part III: Core Cs, Allied Cs, Part IV: NME, SBC, ES, VE, Part V: Extension activities.

| Marks | Grade Point | CGPA | Letter Point | Classification of Final Result |
|----------|-------------|-------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| 91 -100 | 10 | 9.01 – 10.0 | O | Outstanding |
| 81 – 90 | 9.0 | 8.01 – 9.00 | A⁺ | Excellent |
| 71 – 80 | 8.0 | 7.01 – 8.00 | A | Very good |
| 56 – 70 | 7.0 | 5.51 – 7.00 | B⁺ | Good |
| 51 – 55 | 6.0 | 5.01 – 5.50 | B | Above Average |
| 46 – 50 | 5.0 | 4.51 – 5.00 | C | Average |
| 40 – 45 | 4.0 | 4.00 – 4.50 | P | Pass |
| Below 40 | 0 | Below 4.00 | F | Fail |

The grade card / mark sheet issued at the end of the semester to each student will contain the following:

- a. the marks obtained for each paper registered in the semester
- b. the credits earned for each paper registered for that semester
- c. the performance in each paper by the letter grade point obtained
- d. the Grade Point Average (GPA) of all the papers registered for that semester and
- e. from the second semester onwards, the Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of all the papers and
- f. the class and grade of the student in the final CGPA

16. TRANSITORY PROVISION

Candidates who have undergone the course of study prior to the academic year 2015-2016 will be permitted to appear for the examinations under those Regulations for a period of TWO years i.e. upto and inclusive of April - May 2017 Examinations. Thereafter, they will be permitted to appear for the examination only under the Regulations then in force.

17. MAXIMUM PERIOD FOR COMPLETION OF THE PROGRAMMES

The candidates shall complete the Bachelor Degree Programmes within 6 years from the date of admission by following the regulations available at the time of admission thereafter candidates should follow regulations prevailing then. The term completing the programmes means passing all the prescribed examinations of the programme to become eligible for the degree. No candidate shall be permitted to appear for the examinations after the prescribed period for completing the programme.

18. INSTANT EXAMINATION

Candidates who have passed all the theory papers upto 5th semester and failed in only one paper pertaining to the 6th semester can apply for Instant Examination. Application form with a demand draft for Rs.300/-, drawn in favour of “The Controller of Examinations, Sri Sankara Arts and Science College, Enathur” should be submitted on or before 10 days after the publication of results. The results are published within 15 days after the date of examinations.

SYLLABUS
(With effect from the academic year 2015-2016)
B.Sc. DEGREE COURSE IN SANSKRIT

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Common for all U.G. Courses and five year integrated degree
courses (With effective from the academic year 2015-2016
onwards)

Semester- I

Paper I Poetry and Grammar

Unit I - Introduction to Sanskrit- Definition of Mahakavya- Subhashitani (verses 1-15) -
Grammar: akarantahpullingahsabda-s.

Unit II - Pancamahakavya-s- Kalidasa'sMahakavya-s- Text: Raghuvamsa(Canto V) verses 1-
10

Unit III - Pancamahakavya-Bharavi's work- Text:Raghuvamsa (canto V) Verses
11-20.

Unit IV - Pancamahakavya-s- Magha's work- Text: Raghuvamsa (Canto V) verses 21-30.
Grammar- "Tat" sabdahtrilinga.

Unit V - Pancamahakavya-s- Sri Harsha's work- Text:Thirukkural in Sanskrit –
Madhurabhashanam - Select 20 Kural-s - Grammar: Latlakara-s – select roots.

Note: No translation for semester I

Reference Book:

- 1) SamskrtaGranthamala I -Sanskrita Academy, 84, Royapettah High Road, Mylapore,
Chennai – 600 004.
- 2) History of Sanskrit Literature – R.S. Vadyar& sons, Palakad.

Pattern of the paper

First Year: 1st Semester-Language-Sanskrit

Time: 3 Hrs.

Total marks: 75

The syllabus comprises **Grammar, Poetry and History of Sanskrit Literature**

Part A: Answer any TEN questions

Each question carries 2 marks

10*2 marks = 20 marks

Grammar: Q. Nos. 1 to 5

Poetry: Q. Nos. 6 to 9

History of Sanskrit Literature: Q. Nos. 10 to 12

Part B: Answer any FIVE questions

Each question carries 5 marks

5*5 marks = 25 marks

Poetry: Q. Nos. 13 to 15

Grammar: Q. Nos. 16 to 17

History of Sanskrit Literature: Q. Nos. 18 to 19

Part C: Answer any THREE questions

Each question carries 10 marks

3*10 marks = 30 marks

Poetry: Q. Nos. 20 to 21

History of Sanskrit Literature: Q. Nos. 22 to 23

Grammar: Q. Nos. 24

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Semester II

Paper II Prose

Unit I – Gadyakavyas in Sanskrit – Bana, Dandin, Subandhu - Sukanasopadesah – Grammar: ikarantah-Pullingah

Unit II – Campukavyas – Bhoja, Trivikramabhata, Venkatadvarin – Sukanasopadesah (contd) – Grammar – ukarantah – Pullingah

Unit III – Historical Kavya – Bana, Kalhana, Bilhana, Pravarasena – Sukanasopadesah (completion)

Unit IV – Didactic Prose – Pancatantra (selection) – Grammar – Irutlakara – select roots

Unit V – Didactic Poetry – Hitopadesah (selection) – Grammar – sarvanamaprayogah – asmadSabdah

Note: No translation for semester II

Reference Book:

- 1) SamskrtaGranthamala I -Sanskrita Academy, 84, Royapettah High Road, Mylapore, Chennai – 600 004.
- 2) History of Sanskrit Literature – R.S. Vadyar& sons, Palakad.

Pattern of the paper

First Year: 2nd Semester-Language-Sanskrit

Time: 3 Hrs.

Total marks: 75

The syllabus comprises **Grammar, Prose and History of Sanskrit Literature**

Part A: Answer any TEN questions

Each question carries 2 marks

10*2 marks = 20 marks

History of Sanskrit Literature: Q. Nos. 1 to 5

Grammar: Q. Nos. 6 to 7

Prose: Q. Nos. 8 to 12

Part B: Answer any FIVE questions

Each question carries 5 marks

5*5 marks = 25 marks

Prose: Q. Nos. 13 to 15

Grammar: Q. Nos. 16 to 17

History of Sanskrit Literature: Q. Nos. 18 to 19

Part C: Answer any THREE questions

Each question carries 10 marks

3*10 marks = 30 marks

Prose: Q. Nos. 20 to 21

History of Sanskrit Literature: Q. Nos. 22 to 23

Grammar: Q. Nos. 24

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Semester III

Paper III Drama

Unit I – Origin and Development of Sanskrit Drama – Madhyamavyayogah

Unit II – Characteristics of Sanskrit Drama - Madhyamavyayogah – Grammar – sarvanamaprayogah – yusmadsabdah

Unit III – Dramas of Bhasa - Madhyamavyayogah

Unit IV – Dramas of Kalidasa - Madhyamavyayogah

Unit V - Dramas of Bhavabhuti, Sri Harsha - Madhyamavyayogah – Grammar – Lang lakara (past tense) –elect roots

Note: No translation for semester III

Reference Book:

- 1) MadyamavyayogaH - – R.S. Vadyar& sons, Palakad2
- 2)) History of Sanskrit Literature – R.S. Vadyar& sons, Palakad.

Pattern of the paper

Second Year: 3rd Semester-Language-Sanskrit

Time: 3 Hrs.

Total marks: 75

The syllabus comprises **Grammar, Drama and History of Sanskrit Literature**

Part A: Answer any TEN questions

Each question carries 2 marks

10*2 marks = 20 marks

History of Sanskrit Literature: Q. Nos. 1 to 5

Grammar: Q. Nos. 6 to 7

Drama: Q. Nos. 8 to 12

Part B: Answer any FIVE questions

Each question carries 5 marks

5*5 marks = 25 marks

Drama: Q. Nos. 13 to 15

Grammar: Q. Nos. 16 to 17

History of Sanskrit Literature: Q. Nos. 18 to 19

Part C: Answer any THREE questions

Each question carries 10 marks

3*10 marks = 30 marks

Drama: Q. Nos. 20 to 21

History of Sanskrit Literature: Q. Nos. 22 to 24

(Or)

Drama: Q. Nos. 20 to 22

History of Sanskrit Literature: Q. Nos. 23 to 24

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Semester IV

Paper IV Alankara, History of Sanskrit Literature and Translation

Unit I – Alankarah I (upama, ananvaya, rupaka, ullekha) – Ramayana
Translation I – slokas (five)

Unit II - Alankarah II (utpreksha, kavyalinga, vyatireka, arthantaranyasa)
– Mahabharata – Translation II – slokas (five)

Unit III - Alankarah III (slesha, virodhabhasa, vyajastuti, svabhavokti) –
– Origin, Development & Influence of Epics – Translation: Prose passages I (five)

Unit IV – Alankarah IV (Tulyayogita, Dipaka, prativastupama) – Devotional
literature Jayadeva, SankaraBhagavadpada, Vedanta Desika,
– Translation: Prose passages II (five)

Unit V – Krishnakarnamrtam (select verses) - Devotional Literature
- Narayana Bhattathri, NilakanthaDikshita

Note: Translation passages not for explanation and annotations

Reference Book:

- 1) SamskrtaGranthamala I -Sanskrita Academy, 84, Royapettah High Road, Mylapore, Chennai – 600 004.
- 2) History of Sanskrit Literature – R.S. Vadyar& sons, Palakad.

Pattern of the paper

Second Year: 4th Semester-Language-Sanskrit

Time: 3 Hrs.

Total marks: 75

The syllabus comprises **Alankara, Poetry, History of Sanskrit Literature and Translation**

Part A: Answer any TEN questions

Each question carries 2 marks

10*2 marks = 20 marks

History of Sanskrit Literature: Q. Nos. 1 to 5

Translation: Q. Nos. 6 to 7

Alankara& Poetry: Q. Nos. 8 to 12

Part B: Answer any FIVE questions

Each question carries 5 marks

5*5 marks = 25 marks

Alankara& Poetry: Q. Nos. 13 to 15

Translation: Q. Nos. 16 to 17

History of Sanskrit Literature: Q. Nos. 18 to 19

Part C: Answer any THREE questions

Each question carries 10 marks

3*10 marks = 30 marks

Alankara& Poetry: Q. Nos. 20 to 21

History of Sanskrit Literature: Q. Nos. 22 to 24

(Or)

Alankara& Poetry: Q. Nos. 20 to 22

History of Sanskrit Literature: Q. Nos. 23 to 24