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FOURTH SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2024

(CBCSS-UG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

CC21U SKT4 A10 – SAMSKRITSAHITYASAMIKSHA - IV

(HISTORY OF SANSKRIT LITERATURE, KERALA CULTURE AND TRANSLATION)

(Sanskrit- Common Course)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 ½ Hours.

Maximum: 80 Marks

Credit: 4

(Answer may be written in Sanskrit, English or in Malayalam.

In writing Sanskrit Devanagari script should be used.)

I. लघुखण्डिकया उत्तरं लिखत ।

(Write short notes – 15 questions, carries 2 marks each, ceiling 25 marks)

1. Name of four Sanskrit authors of Kerala along with the famous text written by them?
2. What is Harivamasa?
3. How many kandas are there in Ramayana? What are they?
4. Who is known as Kerala Kalidasa? Why?
5. Name of any four Champukavyas along with their authors?
6. What is the subject matter of Purvabharatachampu.?
7. Explain *Chaturvidhabhinaya* .
8. Explain influence of Ramayana on Bhasa plays.
9. Name of four Prabandhas written by Melputhur Narayana Bhatta for Chakyarkuthu
10. Who wrote Rajatharangini? What is the subject matter of it?
11. Give a brief note on Ramayanachampu.
12. Name of four Mutts established by Sree Sankaracharya.
13. What is the difference between Natyadharmi and Lokadharmi?
14. Which work is known as Virakambarayacharitham? Why?
15. Translate to English or Malayalam

दानं भोगो नाशस्तिस्त्रो गतयो भवन्ति वित्तस्य।

यो न ददाति न भुङ्क्ते तस्य तृतीया गतिर्भवति।।

(Ceiling: 25 Marks)

II. एकया खण्डिकया प्रश्नानां उत्तरं लिखत ।

(Write short notes in paragraph, 8 questions, carries 5marks each, ceiling 35)

16. Arguments of Prof. Jacobi in the development of Ramayana.
17. Philosophical contributions of Sree Narayana Guru.
18. Krishnanattam.
19. Contributions of Ramapanivada to Sanskrit language and literature
20. Viswagunadarsachampu
21. The main reforms implemented by Svathi Thirunal.

Translate into English or Malayalam:

22. कस्मिंश्चिदधिष्ठाने देवशर्मा नाम ब्राह्मणः प्रतिवसति स्म। तस्य भार्या प्रसूता सुतमजनयत्। तस्मिन्नेव दिने नकुली नकुलं प्रसूता। अथ सा सुतवत्सला दारकवत्तमपि नकुलं स्तन्यदानाभ्यङ्गपोषणादिभिः पुपोषा। परं तस्य न विश्वसिति यत्कदाचिदेष स्वजातिदोषवशादस्य दारकस्य विरुद्धमाचरिष्यतीति।

23. Translate into Sanskrit

A crow is very thirsty. It roams about for water. It is summer. There is no water anywhere. The crow goes long distance with difficulty. There it saw a pot. The crow feels very happy. But there is only a little water in the pot. How do I drink water? Thus the crow thinks. It makes a plan. It brings small stones and fills the pot. The water rises up. The crow drinks water happily. Afterwards it goes.

(Ceiling: 35 Marks)

III. द्वयोरुत्तरं लिखत ।

(Write essays on any two, carries 10 marks each.)

24. Explain the origin and development of Mahabharatha.
25. Write an essay on Classical Performing Art Kootiyattam.
26. Origin and development of Champu literature with major Champuworks.
27. Write an essay on the Contributions of Ramapanivada and Svathi Thirunal.

(2 × 10 = 20 Marks)
