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FOURTH SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2021

(CBCSS-UG)

CC19U SKT4 A10 – SAMSKRITASAHITYASAMIKSHA - IV

(HISTORY OF SANSKRIT LITERATURE, KERALA CULTURE AND
TRANSLATION)

(Sanskrit - Common Course)

(2019 Admission - Regular)

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. लघु खण्डिकया उत्तरं लिखत ।

(Write Short notes – 15 questions, carries 2 marks each)

1. Which are the smallest Parvas in Mahabharatha?
2. Who is known as Keralapanini? Why?
3. Write a short note on Bharathachampu.
4. Why the Sage Vatmiki is known as Adikavi?
5. Write the names of any four Stotrakavyas of Sankaracharya.
6. Give a brief account of Rajatharangini.
7. Darshanamala.
8. Write a small description about Chakyarkuthu.
9. Mahakavyas of Ramapanivada.
10. Musical instruments of Kutiyatta.
11. Ramayanachampu.
12. Which are the four Abhinayas?
13. Which work is known as Virakamparayacharitha? Who is its author?
14. Write the names of any two plays based on Ramayana.
15. Translate to English or Malayalam

अर्था गृहे निवर्तन्ते श्मशाने मित्रबान्धवाः ।

सुकृतं दुष्कृतं चैव गच्छन्तमनुगच्छति ॥

(Ceiling: 25 Marks)

II. एकया खण्डिकया उत्तरं लिखत ।

(Write Short notes in a Paragraph, 8 questions, carries 5 marks each)

16. Importance of Mushikavamsha.
17. Depict the poetic excellence of Ramayana.
18. Purvabharathachampu.
19. Contributions of Punnasserri Nambi Sree Neelakantha Sarma.
20. Salient features of Nangyarkuthu.
21. Nalachampu.
22. Translate to English or Malayalam

कस्मिंश्चित्तरौ वायसदम्पती निवसतः। तयोरपत्यानि तत्कोटरस्थितेन कृष्णसर्पेण खाद्यन्ते ।
ततः पुनर्गर्भवती वायसी वायसमाह । “नाथ त्यज्यतामयं तरुः । अत्रावस्थितेन कृष्णसर्पेण आवयोः
सन्ततिः सततं भक्ष्यते, ससर्पे गृहे वासः मृत्युरेव इति ”। वायसः ब्रूते “ प्रिये न भेतव्यं, वारं वारं
मयैतस्य महापराधः सोढः। इदानीं पुनः न क्षन्तव्यः”।

23. Translate to Sanskrit.

A son should protect his parents in their old age. One should never leave a friend in grief. Those who die in battle shall attain heaven. Let us strive for the prosperity of our country. You should always keep company with wise man.

(Ceiling: 35 Marks)

III. द्वयोरुत्तरं लिखत ।

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

24. Historical Kavyas in Sanskrit.
25. Write a comprehensive description of the features of Krishnanattam.
26. Contributions of Melputhur Narayanabhatta to Sanskrit literature.
27. Influence of Mahabharatha on later Sanskrit literature.

(2 × 10 = 20 Marks)
