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**FOURTH SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2025**

(CBCSS-UG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

**CC21U SKT4 A10 – SAMSKRTASAHITYASAMIKSHA – IV**

**(HISTORY OF SANSKRIT LITERATURE, KERALA CULTURE AND TRANSLATION)**

(Sanskrit – Common Course)

(2021 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 ½ Hours

Maximum: 80 Marks

Credit: 4

**I. लघु खण्डिकया उत्तरं लिखत ।**

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

1. Which work is known as Adikaya? Who is its author?
2. What is the definition of Champukavya?
3. Name the supplementary book of Mahabharatha. Write its content.
4. Write a small description about Nangyarkuthu.
5. Give a brief account of Rajatharangini.
6. यदिहास्ति तदन्यत्र यन्नेहास्ति न तत् क्वचित्। - Expalin.
7. Which work is known as Virakamparayacharitham? Who is its author?
8. Who is known as Garbhasreeman? Why?
9. Write a short note on Bharathachampu.
10. Which work describes the British rule in India? Who wrote the work?
11. Write the names of any two Sanskrit works of Sree Narayana Guru.
12. Name any two works of Melputhur Narayana bhatta.
13. Which work is used to stage Krishnanattam? Who is the author?
14. Write about the art form in which humor is of much importance.
15. Translate to English or Malayalam

विद्या ददाति विनयं विनयाद्याति पात्रताम् ।

पात्रत्वाद्धनमाप्नोति धनाद्धर्मं ततः सुखम् ॥

**(Ceiling: 25 Marks)**

**II. एकया खण्डिकया उत्तरं लिखत ।**

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

16. Prasthanatrayabhashyas of Sankaracharya.
17. Influence of Ramayana on later Sanskrit literature.

18. Importance of Raghunathabhyudayam.
19. Champus of Trivikramabhata.
20. Write the ritual aspects of Krishnanattom.
21. Yashasthilakachampu.
22. Translate to English or Malayalam

कश्चित् शृगालः स्वेच्छया नगरोपान्ते भ्राम्यन् नीलीभाण्डे पतितः । ततः उत्थाय बहिर्गन्तुमशक्तः आत्मानं मृतवत् प्रदर्श्य स्थितः । अथ नीलीभाण्डस्वामिना रजकेन मृत इति मत्वा तस्मादुत्थाप्य दूरे विसर्जितः पलायितः । ततोऽसौ वनं गत्वा आत्मानं नीलवर्णमालोक्य सर्वान् शृगालान् आहूय अवोचत् – अहं भगवत्या वनदेवतया स्वहस्तेन अरण्यराज्ये अभिषिक्तः। तत् अद्य आरभ्य वनेऽस्मिन् ममाज्ञया सर्वे व्यवहाराः कर्तव्याः।

23. Translate to Sanskrit.

Rama gave his sandals to his brother Bharatha. Sita gave birth to twins in the Asrama of Valmiki. Ravana requested Maricha's help in carrying away Sita. Anjaneya carried Rama and Lakshmana on his shoulders. The monkeys praised Anjaneya's valour.

(Ceiling: 35 Marks)

### III. द्वयोरुत्तरं लिखत ।

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

24. Salient features of Koodiyattom.
25. Sanskrit Historical Kavyas written by Kerala poets.
26. Contributions of Melputhur Narayanabhata to Sanskrit literature.
27. The three stages in the development of Mahabharata.

(2 × 10 = 20 Marks)

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