

# West Bengal State University

SYLLABUS, QUESTION PATTERN AND DISTRIBUTION OF MARKS

*B.A. (General) in Sanskrit*

## PART I (GENERAL)

### **Paper I (Full Marks: 100)**

#### **Unit I: Chandomanjari:** Marks 10

Definition and Illustration 2x3=6

Scanning 2x2=4

#### **Recommended Books:**

Chandomañjarī: Anil Chandra Basu

Chandomañjarī: Gurunath Vidyanidhi

Chandomañjarī: Yudhisthir Gop

Chandomañjarī: Dilip Kummar Kanjilal

#### **II: Declension and Conjugation:** Marks 10

Declantion :5 (*nara, sādhu, piṭr, latā, mati, madhu, nādī, dhenu, badhū, phala, vāri, marut, asmad, yuṣmad, tad, yad*)

Conjugation:5 (*pat, pac,gam, kṛ,bhū,ad,as, han, hu, div, tan, tud, su, krī, sev,cur*)

#### **Recommended Books:**

Samagra-Vyākaraṇa-Kaumudī: Haralal Bandyopadhyay

#### **Unit III: a) Svapnavāsavadatta:** Marks 25

One broad question 12

Translation 6

Or two short notes 2x3=6

Explanation 7

#### **Recommended Books:**

Svapnavāsavadatta: Shanti Bandyopadhyay

Svapnavāsavadatta: Anil Chandra Basu

Svapnavāsavadatta: Yadupati Tripathi

Svapnavāsavadatta: Sheshraj Shama

#### **b) Kādambarī: Śukanāsopadeśa:** Marks 15

One broad question 10

Translation of one passage 5

#### **Recommended Books:**

Kādambarī (Śukanāsopadeśa): Amal Kumar Bhattacharya

#### **Unit IV: Paniniyan Grammar: Kāraka and Sandhi:** Marks 15

Kāraka 10

Sandhi 5

Recommended Books:

Pāṇinīya Śabdaśāstra: Satyanarayan Chakraborty

**Unit V: a) Translation from English or Bengali into Sanskrit: Marks 10**

**b) Comprehension: Marks 15**

Recommended Books:

Pāṇinīyam: Lahiri and Shastri

Samskṛta-Nibandhamālā: Sumita Basu

**PART II GENERAL)**

**PAPER II (Full Marks 100)**

**Unit I: Abhijñāna-Śakuntala: Marks 40**

One broad question 12

Four short notes 4x2=8

Translation (any two) 2x6=12

Explanation 8

Recommended Books:

Abhijñāna-Śakuntala: Anil Chandra Basu

Abhijñāna-Śakuntala: Satyanarayan Chakraborty

Abhijñāna-Śakuntala: Pranab Kumar Datta

Abhijñāna-Śakuntala: Ramendra Mohan Bose

**Unit II: Raghuvamśa: Canto I: Marks 30**

One broad question 12

Two short notes 2x2=4

Translation 6

Explanation 8

**Unit III: Paniniyan Grammar: Kṛt, Taddhita and Samāsa: Marks 20**

Kṛt Pratyaya 6

Taddhita Pratyaya 6

Samāsa 8

Recommended Books:

Pāṇinīyam: Lahiri & Shastri

Pāṇinīya Śabdaśāstra: Satyanarayan Chakraborty

**Unit IV: Translation from Sanskrit to English or Bengali: Marks 10**

Recommended Books:

Samagra-Vyākaraṇa-Kaumudī: Haralal Bandyopadhyay

**PAPER III (FULL MARKS: 100)**

**Unit I: History of Classical Sanskrit Literature: Marks 40**

Two broad questions 2x15=30

Two short notes 2x5=10

Recommended Books:

Samṣkṛta Sāhityer Ruparekhā: Biman Chandra Bhattacharya

Samṣkṛta Sāhityer Itihās: Dhirendranath Bandyopadhyay

Samṣkṛta Sāhityer Itihās: Jahnabi Charan Bhowmik

Samṣkṛta Sāhityer Itihās: Yadupati Triparhi

Samṣkṛta Sāhityer Itihās: Debkumar Das

**Unit II: Īśopaniṣad:** Marks 10

Translation (any one) 4

Explanation (any one) 6

Recommended Books:

Īśopaniṣad: Sitanath Goswami

Īśopaniṣad: Yadupati Tripathi

Īśopaniṣad: Ashok Kumar Bandyopadhyay

**Unit III: Rāmāyaṇa: Bālakāṇḍa (Cantos 1 & 2):** Marks 25

One broad question 12

Translation (any one) 5

Explanation (any one) 8

Or short questions (any four) 4x2=8

Recommended Books:

Vālmīkiyam Rāmāyaṇam (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Cantos): Jayashri Chattopadhyay

**Unit IV: Manusamhitā (Chapter VII):** Marks 25

One broad question 12

Translation (any one) 5

Explanation (any one) 8

Or short notes (any four) 4x2=8

Or short question (any four) 4x2=8

Recommended Books:

Manusamhitā (Chapter VII): Annadashankar Pahari

Manusamhitā (Chapter VII): Ashok Kumar Bandyopadhyay

Manusamhitā (Chapter VII): Anil Chandra Basu

Manusamhitā (Chapter VII): Ashoknath Shastri

**PART III (GENERAL)**

**PAPER IV (FULL MARKS: 100)**

**Unit I: Kāvya prakāśa: Ullāsa X:** Marks 25

(Selected Alaṃkāras: Upamā, Rūpaka, Utprekṣā, Samāsokti, Apahnuti, Vibhāvanā, Viśeṣokti, Dṛṣṭānta, Nidarśanā, Arthāntaranyāsa)

Definition and Illustration (any three) 3x5=15

Selection (any two) 2x5=10

Recommended Books:

Kāvyaṣṙakāṣa: Bijoya Goswami

**Unit II: Mahābhārata: Udyogaparvan (Chapter 33, Slokas 16-123): Marks 35**

One broad question 12

Explanation (any one) 8

Or Translation (any two) 2x4=8

Short questions (any five) 5x3=15

**Unit III: General acquaintance with Sanskrit works on Social, Scientific and Technical Literature: Marks: 25**

One broad question 15

Two short notes 2x5=10

Recommended Books:

Prācin Bhārater Saṣṙṙta Sāhitya: Uday Bandyopadhyay

**Unit IV: Comoposition in Sanskrit: Marks 15**

Recommended Books:

Saṣṙṙta-Nibandhamālā: Sumita Basu

Saṣṙṙta-Racanāñjali: Tarshankar Chakraborty