

BA (Prog.) with SANSKRIT as MINOR

Category-III

DSC 1: Sanskrit Grammar

Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course	Department Offering the Course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice			
Sanskrit Grammar	04	3	1	0	Class XII Pass	Nil	Sanskrit

Learning Objectives:

Sanskrit is much known for a long tradition of grammatical and semantic analysis of the language. Panini's grammar has always been highly respected for providing the best model for structural and semantic studies. This course intends to introduce to students the basic structure of Sanskrit language through the Laghusiddhantakaumudi, the premier text of Sanskrit grammar by Varadaraj.

Learning outcomes:

After completion of this course

- Students will understand the basic structural nuances of Panini's grammar.
- They will become familiar with fundamental sandhi and compounding patterns.
- They will also understand some most important primary and secondary suffixes of Sanskrit.
- The practice of the application of the rules learnt from the reading of the texts will further enhance their knowledge of the structural patterns of Sanskrit language.

SYLLABUS OF DSC-1

Unit I

(15 Hrs)

Laghusiddhāntakaumudī : Sañjñā Prakaraṇa

Mahesvar Sutra, Pratyahara, Uchcharana Sthan, Different types of Sound.

Unit II

(15 Hrs)

Laghusiddhāntakaumudī: Sandhi Prakaraṇa

ac sandhi: yaṇ, guṇa, dīrgha, ayādi, vṛddhi and pūrvarūpa.

hal sandhi: ścutva, ṣtutva, anunāsikatva, chhatva and jaśtva
visarga sandhi: utva, lopa, satva and rutva

Unit III

(15 Hrs)

Laghusiddhāntakaumudī: Vibhaktyartha Prakaraṇa

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Unit IV

(15 Hrs)

General introduction to Samasa based on Laghusiddhāntakaumudī.

Essential/recommended readings:

1. धरानन्द शास्त्री, लघुसिद्धान्तकौमुदी, मूल एवं हिन्दी व्याख्या, दिल्ली ।
2. भीमसेन शास्त्री, लघुसिद्धान्तकौमुदी भैमी व्याख्या (भाग-1), भैमी प्रकाशन, दिल्ली ।
3. चारुदेव शास्त्री, व्याकरण चन्द्रोदय (भाग-1,2 एवं 3), मोतीलाल बनारसीदास, दिल्ली ।
4. सत्यपाल सिंह, लघुसिद्धान्तकौमुदी: प्रकाशिका नाम्नी हिन्दी व्याख्या सहिता, शिवालिक पब्लिकेशन, दिल्ली, 2014 ।
5. V.S. Apte, The Students' Guide to Sanskrit Composition, Chowkhamba Sanskrit Series, Varanasi (Hindi Translation also available).
6. M.R. Kale, Higher Sanskrit Grammar, MLBD, Delhi (Hindi Translation also available).

Suggested readings:

1. चक्रधर नौतियाल हंस, बृहद् अनुवाद चन्द्रिका, मोतीलाल बनारसीदास, दिल्ली
2. कपिलदेव द्विवेदी – रचनानुवादकौमुदी, विश्वविद्यालय प्रकाशन, वाराणसी

Examination scheme and mode: Subject to directions from the Examination Branch/University of Delhi from time to time.