

2016

SANSKRIT — Paper I

Time Allowed—3 Hours

Full Marks—200

If the questions attempted are in excess of the prescribed number, only the questions attempted first up to the prescribed number shall be valued and the remaining ones ignored.

Group-A

Answers may be written either in English or in Bengali or in Sanskrit :

1. Discuss the contribution of Sanskrit in Linguistic studies. 30

Or,

Write a comprehensive note on the influence of Non-Aryan languages in Sanskrit.

2. Define and illustrate *any two* of the following: 10×2

- (a) Grimm's law
- (b) Law of Cerebralization.
- (c) Dissimilation

Group-B

3. Explain fully *any two* of the following sūtras in Sanskrit : 10×2

- (a) कर्तुरीप्सिततमं कर्म।
- (b) ध्रुवमपायेऽपादानम्।
- (c) साधकतमं करणम्।

4. Account for the case ending in *any five* of the underlined words in the following sentences citing relevant Pānini's sūtras in each case: 4×5

- (a) मयापि सुखेन गन्तव्यम्।
- (b) मनोरथसिद्धिरपि बाहुल्यान्मे भविष्यति।
- (c) तानसूयामि भाधव।
- (d) रामेण सर्पो लगुडेन शिरसि ताडितः।
- (e) बालकः मातुः स्मरति।
- (f) विप्रो भोजनाय आगच्छति।

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5. Name and expound the samāsa in *any five* of the following:

- (a) अधिहरि।
- (b) देशान्तरम्।
- (c) काकपेया।
- (d) पङ्कजम्।
- (e) त्रिभुवनम्।
- (f) केशाकेशि।

6. Justify *any two* of the following: (in Sanskrit)

- (a) उपर्युपरि बुद्धीनां चरन्तीश्वरबुद्धयः।
- (b) प्रणम्य शितिकण्ठाय।
- (c) वदन्त्यपर्णामिति तां पुराविदः।

Group-C

7. Translate into English or Bengali *any two* of the following:

- (a) अग्निः पुर्वेभिर्ऋषिभिरीड्यो नूतनैरुत
स देवाँ एह वक्षति॥
- (b) य आत्मदा बलदा यस्य विश्व
उपासते प्रशिषं यस्य देवाः
यस्य छायामृतं यस्य मृत्युः
कस्मै देवाय हविषा विधेम॥
- (c) अहं रुद्रेभिर्वसुभिश्चराभ्यहमादित्यैरुत विश्वदेवैः
अहं मित्रावरुणोभा बिभर्म्यहमिन्द्राग्नी अहमश्विनोभा॥

Group-D

8. Translate from English into Sanskrit:

According to our ancient culture the parents should always be considered as gods. They bring their children with infinite affection. Since this extraordinary affection is easily available, children mostly to realise this. It is unfortunate that sometimes sons and daughters do not take care of their parents in their age.

Or,

Translate from Sanskrit into English:

कोऽपि जनः कस्मिंश्चिद्ग्रामे तस्य भिन्नगृहं गच्छन्नासीत्। पथोः संयोगमागम्य स पन्थानं निर्णेतुं नाशक्नोत्। स कस्यपि वृद्धजनमपृच्छ-
'अपि भवान् हरिपुरं ग्रामं जानाति? जानाति चेत् कृपया निर्दिशतु' इति। वृद्धजन आह 'किमित्यलसः प्रतिमासि? कतिचित् पदानि गत्वा स्वयमेव त्वं
ज्ञास्यसि' इति।

Group-E

9. Write a paragraph in Sanskrit any one of the following topics :

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- (a) विश्वस्य ढष्णायनम्।
- (b) विद्वान् सर्वत्र पूज्यते।
- (c) प्राचीनभारते परिवेशभावना।