K J Somaiya Institute of Dharma Studies

Syllabus

Diploma in Ashtadhyayi

From
Academic Year 2022-23

Revision 2

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Faculty of Dharma Studies on 17.05.2022

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Bharatiya Sanskriti Peetham
K J Somaiya Institute of Dharma Studies
Somaiya Vidyavihar University,
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(Constituent College of Somaiya Vidyavihar University)

It is notified for the information of all concerned that the Board of Studies of Sanskrit, at its meeting held on 18th April 2022, revised the syllabus of Diploma in Paninian Grammar. This was further approved by the Faculty of Dharma Studies in its meeting held on 17th May 2022 and by the Academic Council in the meeting held on 6th July 2022. These changes are to be brought into force from the academic year 2022-23. The revised syllabus is uploaded on the website.

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Date: 6th July 2022   HOD (Bharatiya Sanskriti Peetham)

Preamble:

The K J Somaiya Institute of Dharma Studies was constituted by a resolution of the Governing Body of Somaiya Vidyavihar University, on 1st July 2020. It brings together three institutions that have been working independently in the field of Sanskrit and Yoga; Pali and Buddhist Studies and Jain Studies.

Of these, Bharatiya Sanskriti Peetham, under which this programme is currently offered, was inaugurated on 20th October 1989, by His Holiness Jagadguru Shankaracharya Jayendra Sarasvati. Until the Somaiya Vidyavihar University was constituted in August 2019, the Centre was affiliated to the Kavikulaguru Kalidas Sanskrit University and commenced activities by offering programmes in Sanskrit and Yoga. Bharatiya Sanskriti Peetham was the first academic institution to develop UG and PG programmes in Yogashastra in the city of Mumbai. The PhD programme in Sanskrit and Yogashastra. In addition, affiliation for Ph D in Philosophy, Sanskrit and History was also obtained under the University of Mumbai.

Research activities at the institute have resulted in numerous publications, which were the outcome of collaborations with national and international scholars of repute. One of the highlights of the institution's contribution has been the Programme for Interfaith Understanding, which resulted in seminal research, particularly the Hindu-Christian Dictionary: Essential Terms for Inter-religious Dialogue, which was the outcome of ten years of rigorous research with the Pontifical University, Urbaniana.

Eligibility: HSC or equivalent. Knowledge of basic framework of Paninian Grammar and sutra system of Ashtadhyayi is necessary.

Duration: The course will be conducted over two years and will engage students for 4 hours each week.

Programme Objectives:

The Ashtadhyayi, a text of Sanskrit grammar, was written by Panini more than 2500 years ago. This work consists of approximately 4000 Sutras which formalize every aspect of Sanskrit grammar, including but not limited to phonetics, euphony, derivation, inflexion, syntax and semantics. This text remains an unparalleled treatise of grammar in time as well as across languages and has been a subject of study of every linguistic scholar. Two traditions remain prevalent in studying the Ashtadhyayi. One is that which follows the Kashika-vrtti of Jayaditya and Vamana which explains Sutras in their original order, while the other is that which adopts an operation-based (prakriya) approach. The Vaiyakarana-Siddhanta-kaumudi of Bhattoji Dikshit has now become the standard prakriya-text. Both traditions have their advantages and it is necessary that the student familiarizes oneself with both these texts for a proper understanding of the Ashtadhyayi.

Acronyms used in Eight Digit Course code - example - 232N08C101

Acronym Serially as per code	Definition
2	SVU 2000 Second revision
32	College code
N	Alphabet code for type of programme
08	Programme code
C	Type of course
1	Semester I – semester number
01	First course of semester – course serial number It will be XX for the elective/choice based courses

Acronym for category of courses		Acronyms used in syllabus document	
Acronym	Definition	Acronym	Definition
C	Core Course	CA	Continuous Assessment
E	Elective Course	ESE	End Semester Exam
A	Audit Course	IA	Internal Assessment
W	Workshop	O	Oral
		P	Practical
		TH	Theory
		TUT	Tutorial
		TW	Term work
		CO	Course Outcome
		PO	Program Outcome
		PSO	Program specific Outcome

Codes for Types of Programme

Code	Name of the Programme	Key Alphabet To be used in Course/Paper code
01	UG Full time	U
02	UG Part time	U
03	PG Full time	P
04	PG Part time	P
05	Ph.D Full time	D
06	Ph.D Part time	D
07	PG Diploma Full time	I
08	PG Diploma Part time	I
09	Certificate course Full time	C
10	Certificate course part time	C
11	Diploma Full time	N
12	Diploma Part time	N

Programme Structure
Year 1

Credit Scheme

Course Code	Course Name	Teaching Scheme (Hrs.) TH – P – TUT	Total Hrs.	Credits Assigned TH – P – TUT	Total Credits*
232N08C101	Vaiyakarana-siddhanta-kaumudi	02 – 00 – 01	03	02 – 00 – 01	**06**
232N08C102	Kashika	02 – 00 – 01	03	02 – 00 – 01	**06**
Total		**04 – 00 – 02**	**06**	**04 – 00 – 02**	**12**

* Total credits are 6 as the programme is in annual format, taught over 10 months.

Examination Scheme

Course Code	Course Name	Examination Scheme & Marks			
		IA	TW	O	Total
232N08C101	Vaiyakarana-siddhanta-kaumudi	50	–	50	100
232N08C102	Kashika	50	–	50	100
Total		**100**	**–**	**100**	**200**

* Oral examination shall be conducted at the end of the Academic Year. It also includes presentations on the topics of Grammar.

Year 2

Credit Scheme

Course Code	Course Name	Teaching Scheme (Hrs.) TH – P – TUT	Total Hrs.	Credits Assigned TH – P – TUT	Total Credits*
232N08C201*	Vaiyakarana-siddhanta-kaumudi	02 – 00 – 01	03	02 – 00 – 01	**06**
232N08C202*	Kashika	02 – 00 – 01	03	02 – 00 – 01	**06**
Total		**04 – 00 – 02**	**06**	**04 – 00 – 02**	**12**

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		IA	ESE	TW	O	Total
132N08C201*	Vaiyakarana-siddhanta-kaumudi	50	--	–	50	100
132N08C202*	Kashika	50	--	–	50	100
Total		**100**	**--**	**–**	**100**	**200**

Detailed Syllabus
Year 1
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232N08C102	Kashika	02 – 00 – 01	03	02 – 00 – 01	**06**
Total		**04 – 00 – 02**	**06**	**04 – 00 – 02**	**12**

Selected Sutras of Ashtadhyayi from the Vaiyakarana-siddhanta-kaumudi and Kashika-vrtti shall be taught.

Year 1: Course Paper 1: Vaiyakarana-siddhanta-kaumudi

Paper / Course Code	Paper / Course Title			
132N08C101	**Vaiyakarana-siddhanta-kaumudi**			
	TH/Week	**W**	**TUT**	**Total**
Teaching Scheme(Hrs.)	**02**	**–**	**01**	**03**
Credits Assigned	**02**	**–**	**01**	**09**
Examination Scheme	**Marks**			
	IA	**TW**	**O**	**Total**
	50	**–**	**50**	**100**

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Course Objectives:
This course teaches the nominal declensions of various types of vowel-ending and consonant-ending nouns and pronouns through the Sutras of Panini's Ashtadhyayi.

Course Outcomes:
At the end of successful completion of the course the students will be able to decline various types of vowel-ending and consonant-ending nouns and pronouns.

Module No.	Unit No.	Topics	Hours
1.0		Nominal Declensions – Vowel ending Masculine words	25
2.0		Nominal Declensions – Vowel ending Feminine words	10
3.0		Nominal Declensions – Vowel ending Neuter words	10
4.0		Nominal Declensions – Consonant ending Masculine words	20
5.0		Nominal Declensions – Consonant ending Feminine words	05
6.0		Nominal Declensions – Consonant ending Neuter words	05
7.0		Indeclinables	05
		Total Hours	**80**

Recommended books:

Sr. No.	Name/s of Author/s	Title of Book	Name of Publisher with country	Edition and Year of Publication
1	Ram, Kanshi	The Laghusiddhantakaumudi of Varadaraja, 3 Vols.	Motilal Banarsidass Publishers Pvt. Ltd., Delhi, India	1st edi., 2011
2	Ballantyne, J. R.	Laghukaumudi of Varadaraja	Motilal Banarsidass Publishers Pvt. Ltd., Delhi, India	4th edi., 2005
3	शास्त्री, भीमसेन	लघु-सिद्धान्त-कौमुदी: भैमी व्याख्या, खण्ड १-६	भैमी प्रकाशन, दिल्ली, भारत	७ वा संस्क., २०१४
4	शर्मा, गोविन्द प्रसाद	लघु-सिद्धान्त-कौमुदी	चौखम्बा सुरभारती प्रकाशन, वाराणसी, भारत	२०१७
5	साठे, म. धा. आणि आठवलेकर, स. ल.	लघु-सिद्धान्त-कौमुदी	संस्कृत विद्या परिसंस्था, पुणे, भारत	१९९८
6	Vasu, S. C.	The Siddhanta Kaumudi, 2 Vols.	Motilal Banarsidass Publishers Pvt. Ltd., Delhi, India	2nd edi., 1962

7	Sharma, R. N.	The Ashtadhyayi of Panini, 6 Vols.	Munshiram Manoharlal Publishers, New Delhi	2nd edi., 2000
8	पं. ईश्वरचंद्र और सोमलेखा	वैयाकरण-सिद्धान्तकौमुदी, भाग १-४	चौखम्बा संस्कृत प्रतिष्ठान, दिल्ली, भारत	१ ला संस्क., २०१५
9	पं. ईश्वरचंद्र	काशिकावृत्ति, भाग १-३	चौखम्बा संस्कृत प्रतिष्ठान, दिल्ली, भारत	१ ला संस्क., २०१०

Year 1: Course Paper 2: Kashika

Paper / Course Code	Paper / Course Title			
132N08C102	**Kashika**			
	TH/Week	**W**	**TUT**	**Total**
Teaching Scheme(Hrs.)	02	–	01	03
Credits Assigned	02	–	01	09
Examination Scheme	**Marks**			
	IA	**TW**	**O**	**Total**
	50	–	50	100

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Course Objectives:
This course teaches the structure and scheme of the Ashtadhyayi. It also teaches the special arrangement of Varnas as well as concentrates in the Phonetics of the language. It then introduces various Samjnas - technical terms of grammar, Paribhashas - interpretational rules of Panini's meta-lanuguage, as well as Sutras relating to Sandhi - euphony in the original order of the Ashtadhayi. It also teaches Taddhitas - secondary nominal derivatives and compound formations as per the Sutras of Ashtadhyayi.

Course Outcomes:
At the end of successful completion of the course the students will be able to understand the Structure of the Ashtadhyayi along with its Samjnas and Paribhashas. Further one shall learn various Sutras that relate to Sandhis, Taddhitas and compounds.

Module No.	Unit No.	Topics	Hours
1.0		Pratyahara-sutras and Anuvrtti	02
2.0		Phonology of Varnas and Homogeneity	02
3.0		Samjnas	06
4.0		Paribhashas	03
5.0		Sandhi Prakarana – Vowels	10
6.0		Sandhi Prakarana – Prakrtibhava	04
7.0		Sandhi Prakarana – Consonants	10
8.0		Sandhi Prakarana – Visarga and Svadi	03
9.0		Taddhitas – upto Shaishika	20
10.0		Compounds	20
		Total Hours	**80**

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Year 2

Credit Scheme

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232N08C202*	Kashika	02 – 00 – 01	03	02 – 00 – 01	**06**
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Year 2: Course Paper 1: Vaiyakarana-siddhanta-kaumudi

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132N08C201	**Vaiyakarana-siddhanta-kaumudi**			
	TH/Week	**W**	**TUT**	**Total**
Teaching Scheme(Hrs.)	**02**	**–**	**01**	**03**
Credits Assigned	**02**	**–**	**01**	**09***
Examination Scheme	**Marks**			
	IA	**TW**	**O**	**Total**
	50	**–**	**50**	**100**

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Course Objectives:
This course builds upon the knowledge acquired by the student in the first year.. It teaches in great detail verbal declensions of roots in different Tenses and Moods.

Course Outcomes:
At the end of successful completion of the course the students shall be able to decline and use verbs in all their Tenses and Moods.

Module No.	Unit No.	Topics	Hours
1.0		Verbal Declensions – 1st Gana in all Tenses and Moods	20
2.0		Verbal Declensions – 2nd Gana in all Tenses and Moods	10

3.0		Verbal Declensions – 3rd Gana in all Tenses and Moods	10
4.0		Verbal Declensions – 4th Gana in all Tenses and Moods	06
5.0		Verbal Declensions – 5th Gana in all Tenses and Moods	04
6.0		Verbal Declensions – 6th Gana in all Tenses and Moods	06
7.0		Verbal Declensions – 7th Gana in all Tenses and Moods	06
8.0		Verbal Declensions – 8th Gana in all Tenses and Moods	06
9.0		Verbal Declensions – 9th Gana in all Tenses and Moods	06
10.0		Verbal Declensions – 10th Gana in all Tenses and Moods	06
		Total Hours	**80**

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<h3 align="center">Year 2: Course Paper 2: Kashika</h3>

Paper / Course Code	Paper / Course Title			
132N08C202	**Kashika**			
	TH/Week	**W**	**TUT**	**Total**
Teaching Scheme(Hrs.)	**02**	**–**	**01**	**03**
Credits Assigned	**02**	**–**	**01**	**09***
Examination Scheme	**Marks**			
	IA	**TW**	**O**	**Total**
	50	**–**	**50**	**100**

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Course Objectives:
The course then introduces the student to various other aspects of the Sanskrit language such as secondary verbal derivatives, primary and secondary nominal derivatives, syntax, etc.

Course Outcomes:
At the end of successful completion of the course the students shall be able to learn the Sanskrit syntax - karaka and vibhakti, as taught by Panini as well as become familiar with all components of the Sanskrit Language.

Module No.	Unit No.	Topics	Hours
1.0		Syntax - Karaka and Vibhakti	20
2.0		Secondary Verbal Derivatives – Causals	10
3.0		Secondary Verbal Derivatives – Desideratives	10
4.0		Secondary Verbal Derivatives – Intensives	04
5.0		Denominatives	10
6.0		Passive and Impersonal Voice	04

7.0		Primary Nominal Derivatives – Krdanta	16
8.0		Feminine affixal endings	06
		Total Hours	**80**

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