



UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL  
B.A. Honours 2nd Semester Examination, 2019

GE2-SANSKRIT

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 60

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.  
Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.*

Unit-I

1. Answer any **one** of the following questions: 12×1 = 12
  - (a) Write an essay on आयुर्वेदशास्त्र in ancient and mediaeval India.
  - (b) Write a detailed note on importance of व्याकरणशास्त्र in Sanskrit literature.
  
2. Write short notes on any **two** of the following: 6×2 = 12

अमरकोशः; संगीतदामोदरः; ब्रह्मगुप्तः।
  
3. Answer any **four** of the following questions: 3×4 = 12
  - (a) Name the books written by बराहमिहिर.
  - (b) Who was the propounder of वास्तुशास्त्र ? Write the name of two books on this शास्त्र.
  - (c) What are the two categories of architecture? Write the name of the famous architect of second category.
  - (d) Who was गङ्गादास ? What is his famous book on छन्दःशास्त्र ?
  - (e) Write the name of two authors and their works in the field of ancient Indian Alchemy.
  - (f) How many उपवेदs are there in Sanskrit literature? Name them.

Unit-II

4. Translate from Bengali to Sanskrit any **two** of the following: 6×2 = 12
  - (a) রবীন্দ্রনাথের 'গীতাঞ্জলি' বিভিন্ন ভাষায় অনূদিত হয়েছিল। পণ্ডিত অমরেন্দ্র মোহন সংস্কৃত ভাষায় এটি অনুবাদ করেন।
  - (b) স্বাধীনতা সকলের কাম্য। পিঞ্জরাবদ্ধ পশুরাও সুখী হয় না এবং তারা মুক্তির জন্য চেষ্টা করে।
  - (c) গ্রন্থই আমাদের সবচাইতে বড় বন্ধু। আমাদের বন্ধুদের পরিবর্তন বা মৃত্যু হতে পারে, কিন্তু গ্রন্থ সর্বদাই আমাদের সাথে কথা বলে।

Unit-III

5. Read any *one* of the following passages and answer the following questions in 12×1 = 12 Sanskrit.

(a) अस्ति काञ्चनपुरनाम्नि नगरे वीरविक्रमो नाम राजा। तस्य धर्माधिकारिणा कश्चिन्नापितो बध्यभूमिं नीयमानः कन्दर्पकेतुनाम्ना परिव्राजकेन साधुद्वितीयेन नायं हन्तव्य इत्युक्त्वा वस्त्राञ्चले धृतः। राजपुरुषा ऊचुः - किमिति नायं बध्यः। स आह - श्रूयताम्, अहं सिंहलद्वीपभूपतेर्जीमूतकेतोः पुत्रः कन्दर्पकेतुर्नाम। एकदा केलिकाननावस्थितेन मया पोतवणिङ्मुखाच्छ्रुतं यदत्र समुद्रमध्ये सर्वालंकारभूषिता लक्ष्मीरिव वीणां वादयन्ती कन्या काचिद् दृश्यत इति।

- (i) को नाम कन्दर्पकेतुः ?
- (ii) राजा कुत्रासीत् ? तस्य किं नाम ?
- (iii) नापितः केन बध्यभूमिं नीयमानः आसीत् ?
- (iv) कन्दर्पकेतुना पोतवणिङ्मुखात् किं श्रुतम् ?

(b) अस्ति ब्रह्मारण्ये कर्पूरतिलको नाम हस्ती। तमवलोक्य सर्वे शृगालाश्चिन्तयन्ति स्म-यद्ययं केनाप्युपायेन म्रियते तदास्माकम् एतद्देहेन मासचतुष्टयस्य स्वेच्छया भोजनं भविष्यति। तत्रैकेन वृद्धशृगालेन प्रतिज्ञातम् - "मया बुद्धिप्रभावादस्य मरणं साधयितव्यम्" इति। अनन्तरं स वञ्चकः कर्पूरतिलकसमीपं गत्वा साष्टाङ्गपातं प्रणम्योवाच- देव! दृष्टिप्रसादं कुरु। हस्ती ब्रूते-कस्त्वम् ? कुतः समायातः। सोऽवदत् जम्बुकोऽहम्। सर्वैर्वनवासिभिः पशुभिः मिलित्वा भवत्सकाशं प्रस्थापितः यत् "विना राज्ञावस्थातुं न युक्तं तदत्राटवीराज्येऽभिषेक्तुं भवान् सर्वस्वामिगुणोपेतो निरूपितः।" इति।

- (i) कर्पूरतिलकः कुत्र वसति ?
- (ii) हस्तिनं दृष्ट्वा शृगालैः किं चिन्तितम् ?
- (iii) वृद्धशृगालेन किं प्रतिज्ञातम् ?
- (iv) हस्तिनं प्रति वृद्धशृगालेन किम् उक्तम् ?

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