

RAMAKRISHNA MISSION VIDYAMANDIRA

Belur Math

An Autonomous College affiliated to University of Calcutta

Swami Vivekananda Research Centre

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Department of Sanskrit

Name of the Programme : M.Phil. Sanskrit

Programme Code : MPSAN

Full Marks : 800

Credit : 40

Syllabus

M.Phil. Sanskrit PROGRAMME

4 Semester Course

Mapping of Employability etc

Sl No	Name of the Course	Semester	Course Code	Employability
1	Research Methodology & Research Ethics	1	MPSANP1 New Course vide Bos dated : 10.05.2016	This course makes the learner capable in learning the research techniques and thus he becomes able to work in research institute like Sanskrita Sahitya Parishat, Traditional Tolls etc ; and aiming at this, the teachers offers them different assignments to equip them for this job.
2	Computer Application	1	MPSANP2 New Course vide Bos dated : 10.05.2016	This enables the learner to use the computer technology used in publication and other research houses and for this they are regularly given home assignments.
3	Rāmāyaṇa – Ayodhyākāṇḍa	1	MPSANP3 New Course vide Bos dated : 10.05.2016	
4	Unit -1 Mahābhārata – Selections (Sanat-Sujātīya-saṁvāda) Unit-2 Gītā – Selections (2nd chapter)	1	MPSANP4 New Course vide Bos dated : 10.05.2016	
5	Literature Survey : Project	2	MPSANP5 New Course vide Bos dated : 10.05.2016	This helps them for the work where manpower is hired by institutes like Sanskrita Sahitya Parishat, Asiatic Society where they are given the job to survey the literature resources and for this they are given direct project work.

6	Term Paper : Project	2	MPSANP6 New Course vide Bos dated : 10.05.2016	This is a skill training where they are earn the skill of writing an article in proper way and they can earn through publishing and for that they are given project work.
7	Book Review : Project	2	MPSANP7 New Course vide Bos dated : 10.05.2016	This is also a skill-based training where they are earn the skill of write book review as a free lancer for which they will be paid by the publication industries and for that they are given project work.
8	Dissertation	3&4	MPSANP8 New Course vide Bos dated : 10.05.2016	

SEMESTER 1

MPSANP1

Credit 4

Marks : 50

Revision vide Bos dated : 23.11.2017

A. Research Methodology - 35

Course Outcome : The course will introduce the researchers with the requisite methodology to do research in literature. It will further make them aware of different publication rules and techniques that make a quality research paper. The training in this course will also make them learn to identify the research questions.

- ❖ For Class Performance and Internal Assessment : Marks 25.
- ❖ There will be an End-course Examination : Marks 25
- ❖ Credit : 4 (Teaching-Learning Hours : 60 ; Teaching Hours – 30 ; Learning Hours – 30)

- (a) Text Editing
- (b) Textual criticism

- (c) Proof Reading
- (d) Handling of Manuscripts (General concept - elementary knowledge)
- (e) Preparation of Bibliography & Index

B. Research Ethics : 15

1. Concept of Research Ethics
2. Plagiarism
3. Regulations related to RE

MPSANP2

Credit 4

Full Marks : 50

Computer Application

Course Outcome : This is expected that after going through this course the research scholar will be able to handle computing tools as required for his research works. Further, this course will make him familiar with different online and digital techniques that are presently used in research activities.

- ❖ This is a Practical Paper.
- ❖ For Class Performance and Internal Assessment : Marks 25.
- ❖ There will be an End-course Examination : Marks 25
- ❖ Credit : 4 (Teaching-Learning Hours : 60 ; Teaching Hours – 30 ; Learning Hours – 30)
 1. Basic Ideas regarding Computer : CPU, RAM, UPS, Monitor, Mother Board, Hard Disc, External Disc, Pen Drive, CD, Printer (general & Multi-function), Scanner, Digital Projector
 2. Formatting, Installation of Software
 3. Open Source Software
 4. E-book and Online Journal
 5. MS Office Package
 6. Page Set-up and Endnote/Footnote

MPSANP3

Credit 4

Full Marks : 50

Course Outcome : This course will make the research scholar introduced with 1st group of some advanced texts that will be read in such a way that the research issues and problems may be identified.

- ❖ There will be an End-course Examination : Marks 50
 - ❖ Credit : 4 (Teaching-Learning Hours : 60 ; Teaching Hours – 30 ; Learning Hours – 30)
- Rāmāyaṇa – Ayodhyākāṇḍa

MPSANP4

Credit 4

Full Marks : 50

Course Outcome : This course will make the research scholar introduced with 2nd group of some advanced texts that will be read in such a way that the research issues and problems may be identified.

- ❖ There will be an End-course Examination : Marks 50
- ❖ Credit : 4 (Teaching-Learning Hours : 60 ; Teaching Hours – 30 ; Learning Hours – 30)

Unit -1	Mahābhārata – Selections (Sanat-Sujātīya-saṃvāda)	Marks 25
Unit-2	Gītā – Selections (2nd chapter)	Marks 25

SEMESTER-2

MPSANP5

Credit 4

Full Marks : 50

Literature Survey

Course Outcome : This course will make the research scholar search out the several other and allied research works that are being done all over the world. This will also help him to correctly identify and/or modify his own research issues.

- ❖ Credit : 4 ; Marks - 50
- ❖ Students will submit an essay in a project-article format reviewing one book or two articles as a literature survey
- ❖ This will be typed either in English or in Sanskrit. Word limit: 1500-2000.
- ❖ An Internal examiner will evaluate the project-article. Principal and the Departmental Committee will decide the name of the examiner for a particular project article.

MPSANP6

Credit 4

Full Marks : 50

Term Paper

Course Outcome : This course will make the research scholar learn the skill to write a research article and go into the depth of the research issues.

- ❖ Credit : 4 ; Marks - 50
- ❖ Students will submit an essay on a topic related to the theme on which the concerned student will write his M.Phil. thesis.
- ❖ This will be typed either in English or in Sanskrit. Word limit : 1000-1500.
- ❖ An Internal examiner will evaluate the project-article. Principal and the Departmental Committee will decide the name of the examiner for a particular project article.

MPSANP7

Credit 8

Full Marks 100

Book Review

Course Outcome : This course of Book Review will make the research scholar learn the skill to critically appreciate the literary texts and also finding out the research problems or issues that will help him to walk along the innovative avenues of his work.

- ❖ Credit : 8
- ❖ Students will submit an essay reviewing a book related to the theme on which the concerned student will write his M.Phil. thesis or of his choice (related to the subject) in typed format (minimum word limit 2000)
- ❖ An Internal examiner will evaluate the project-article. Principal and the Departmental Committee will decide the name of the examiner for a particular project article (Marks 50).
- ❖ There will be a viva voce on this paper. An external examiner will be invited for this viva voce (marks 50).

Semester 3 & 4

MPSANP8

Credit 8

M.Phil. Dissertation and Evaluation of dissertation (including viva voce on dissertation)

Course Outcome : The monograph writing under the guidance of an expert enhances the capability of researcher and adds to the knowledge domain of the broad arena of the concerned subject.

- ❖ Credit : 8 ; Marks : 400
 - ❖ Student should research on an original topic.
 - ❖ Thesis should be of minimum 20000 words.
 - ❖ After the first three months of the 2nd semester, the Departmental Committee in consultation with the Principal will convene a meeting of an Interview Board where all the faculty members and the Principal/Vice Principal will remain present. This board will decide the topic of M.Phil. thesis and the name of the concerned Supervisor.
 - ❖ By 30th April of the 4th semester students must submit the M.Phil. thesis at the SVRC after signing it from the Supervisor and the Principal with a submission fees of Rs 2000.00. If a student fails to submit his thesis by the above-mentioned date, he has to pay the late fine as per the notification, in case of late submission of the thesis.
 - ❖ After the evaluation of the thesis, the student will have to appear in a viva voce. Apart from the supervisor, one external expert, Principal or Vice Principal or a representative of the Principal (fulltime teacher of the college) will remain in the viva voce.
 - ❖ The evaluation of the thesis will be done out of 300 Marks and the viva voce will be of 100 Marks.
 - ❖ [Either in Sanskrit (in Devanagari script only) or in English]
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