

RAMAKRISHNA MISSION VIDYAMANDIRA

(Residential Autonomous College under University of Calcutta)

SECOND YEAR

B.A./B.SC. THIRD SEMESTER (July – December), 2012

Mid-Semester Examination, September 2012

Date : 10/09/2012

Time : 2 pm – 4 pm

SANSKRIT (Honours)

Paper : III

Full Marks : 50

1. Write a note on नान्दी or प्रस्तावना according to Sāhityadarpaṇa, chapter – VI [10]
2. Define and illustrate any three of the following figures of speech : [5×3]
उपमा, वक्रोक्तिः, प्रतिवस्तूपमा, रूपकम्, तुल्ययोगिता।
3. a) Write a note on the secular hymns of the ṚgVeda with special reference to the Akṣa-sūkta. [10]
b) Write short note on any one of the following : [5]
Bṛhaddevatā, Nirukta, Śukla-yayurveda.
4. Trace the vedic origin of the Ayurveda. Write an informative note on the Carakasamhita. [10]

OR

Trace the history of Ayurvedasastras in Sanskrit Literature.

