

2026

Sanskrit (Core)

Paper Code : SN-CE-6344

Paper Name : Poetics and Prosody

Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 70

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

1. Answer the following questions : 1×10=10
 - a) The Raghuvamsa is a Kandakavya/Mahakavya/Campukavya.
(Choose the correct option)
 - b) Give an example of Sanskrit Katha - (Gadya -Kavya).
 - c) To which category of Sanskrit Kavya does Meghaduta belong?
 - d) Who is the author of Sahityadarpana ?
 - e) How many types of Rupakas are there in Sanskrit literature ?
 - f) With which part of the वेद-पुरुष, छन्दः has been correlated ?
 - g) What is the famous work of गङ्गादास ?
 - h) Which गण represents a लघुवर्ण ?
 - i) What is meant by लघु and गुरु Syllables ?
 - j) How many syllables are found in each pada of अनुष्टुप छन्दः
(Anustubh) ?
2. Answer the following questions : 2×5=10
 - a) Write any two main features of Mahakavya.
 - b) Name the two broad divisions of Alankara.
 - c) What is Campu Kavya ?

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- d) Write the names of the ganas used in Sanskrit Prosody.
- e) Define इन्द्रवज्रा metre.

3. Answer the following questions (*any four*) : 5×4=20

- a) Write short on-Sahityadarpana.
- b) Write short on- Drsyā-kavya.
- c) Write short on- Khandakavya.
- d) Define and illustrate any two of the following :

मालिनी, उत्प्रेक्षा, अर्थान्तरन्यास, दृष्टान्त ।

- e) Define and illustrate any one of the following :
गायत्री, अनुष्टुप, वृहती ।

- f) What is अनुप्रास अलंकार ? Explain its types with suitable examples.

4. Answer *any three* of the following questions : 10×3=30

- a) What are the differences between कथा and आख्यायिका ? Explain with proper examples.
- b) Discuss in detail, the origine, development and classification of Vedic metres.
- c) What are the difference between उपमा and रूपक ? Discuss in brief.
- d) Write a note on either विभावना or निदर्शना अलंकार .
- e) Show the difference between त्रिष्टुप and जगती through proper examples.
- f) Explain in detail the classification of अलंकारः and describe their Main Differences with examples.

