

SRI VENKATESWARA UNIVERSITY
B.A. / B.Com. / B.Sc. DEGREE COURSE IN TAMIL
III - SEMESTER
(Revised Syllabus under CBCS w.e.f. 2021-22)

Paper-III :Ancient Literature, Language, Non-detail and History of
Tamil Literature and Grammar

Course objectives :

Introducing 1.various genre/types and trends in Ancient Literature with examples, 2. Language of the literature, 3. Structure of the literature, 4. Content of the literature, 5. Various external factors of the literature, 6. History of Tamil literatures and grammatical texts.

Course outcomes :

After studied the paper the students will be able to know 1. Aspects of the Ancient Tamil Literature, 2. Tamil Grammatical texts, 3. History of the Ancient Tamil culture through Literature, 4. Tamil language of the contemporary period, 5. Pass the competitive examinations in Tamil

Unit-1. Literature 4- Poetry: Teaching hours: 10, Tutorial hours :10

Sangam Literature

1. Paribaadal: tirumaal: aayiramviriththaanankudaiarunthalai .. (Pari.1) from the first feet to whole verse
2. PuRanaanuuRu: man tininthanilanum .. (Puram.2) - from the first feet to whole verse – Muranjyuumudinaaganaar
3. KuRuntokai: cenkalampadakkonRuavunarthteeyththa .. (Kuru.1)- Tippuththoozaar
4. NaRRinai: ninRachollarneedutoonRuiniya ... (Narr.1) – Kapilar
5. Kaliththokai :todankarkantoonRiyamutiyavan .. (Kali.1) – Perunkadunko
6. CirupaanaaRRuppadai :erimarinthannanavinilankueyiRRu (feet 196).. to nalliyakkoodanainayanthanircelinee (feet 269) –

Epic Literature

7. Cilappatikaaram : 20. Vazakkuraikaatai (whole) – Ilango Adikal
8. Kambaramayanam :AyothyaKaandam – Gukappadalam (whole/only)

Ethical Literature

9. Tirukkural : 2. Vaancirappu (10 couplets) – Valluvar
10. Aacaarakkoovai : First ten verses (1-10)- PeruvaayinMulliyaar

Unit-2. Tamil Language

Teaching hours:5,Tutorial hours :5

1. Dravidian Languages and Tamil
2. Lexicography and Tamil
3. Commentaries and Tamil
4. Computer and Tamil
5. Punctuation and Tamil

Text Books: Part/Chapter of the books

1. Akatthiyalinkam S., 2000, “TiraavidaMozikal” (essay no.1, pages. 13-27), TiraavidaMozikal- tokuthi-I, Chennai: ManivacakarPathippagam
2. Maathaiyan Pe., 1997, “AkarathiVaralaaru” (pages. 25-34), Akaraathiyiyal, Tanjore: Tamil University
3. Aravindan Mu Vai., 2008, “UraiynToorramumValarchiyum” (pages. 61-76), Uraiyaaciriyarkal, Chennai: ManivacakarPatippakam
4. Sivalinkam Mu., 2014, “KanithThamilainKaaladithThadankal” (pages. 217-229), Tamil NaviinaMayamaakkam, Su. Rajaram (Editor), Nagorkoil: Kalachuvadu Publishers
5. Subramanian Paa. Raa. And GnanasundaramVa.,(Editors), Nirutharkurikal (pages. 6-32), Tamil NadaikKaiyeedu, PuthaNatham: Adaiyalam

Unit-3. Tamil and other Disciplines (Non-detail) :

Teaching hours:2,Tutorial hours : 3

1. Archaeology : Place names in Indus and Tamilnadu
2. History : Primary Sources of Tamilnadu History
3. Philosophy : Indian- Tamil Philosophy
4. Linguistics :Linguistics and its Classifications
5. Folklore : Definition, Area and Research scopes

Text books : Part/Chapter of the books

1. Balakrishnan R. 2016,
“Cintuvelipputhirumidappeyaraayvutarumputholichchaandrukalam”
(pages. 19-34), CintuvelipPanpattinTraavidaAditthalam, Chennai :
Bharathi Puthakaalayam
2. Pillai K. K., 2004, “TamilakaVaralaarrukkaanaAdippadaiAatharankal”
(pages. 1-13), TamilakVaralaarumMakkalumPanpaadam, Chennai :
International Institute of Tamil Studies
3. Kandasamy So.Naa., 2003, “IntiyathThathuvam” (chapter no. 1),
IntiyathThathuvakKalanjam(Part-I), Chidamparam :
MeyyappanPathippagam
4. Paramasivam Ku., 2011, “MoziyiyalumThuraikalum” (pages. 1-11),
IkkaalaMoziyiyalArimukam, PuthaNatham: Adaiyaalam
5. LourduTe., 2000, “NaaTTaarVazakkaaRRiyal :CilaAdippadaikal”
(pages. 28-62), NaaTTaarVazakkaaRRiyal, PalayamKoTTai: St. Xavier
College

Unit-4. History of Tamil Literature -1: Tamil IlakkiyaVaralaru – Mu.Va.
(Chapters 1-5) :Teaching hours:4,Tutorial hours : 3

Unit-5. History of Tamil Grammar -3 : Tamil IlakkanaVaralaru – Ira.
Ilankumaran (Chapters. 24 - 50 with appendix, Pages. 343- 444) :Teaching
hours:4,Tutorial hours : 4

Text Books:

Varadaraajan Mu., 2015, Tamil IlakiyaVaralaaru, New Delhi: SakityaAkademy

IlankumaranIraa., 2009, IlakkanaVaralaaru, Chennai:
ManivaasakarPathippagam

Reference Books

1. MaanikkamVa.Suba., 2005, Tamilkkaadal, Chidambaram:
MeyyappanPatippakam
2. Kailaasapati Ka., 2006, Tamil
Viiranilaikkavitai,Translator:Ku.Ve.Balasubbiramaniyan, Chennai:
Kumaran Puththakallam
3. Amman KiliMurukadas, 2006,
SankakKavitaiyaakkamMarapumMaarramum, Chennai: Kumaran
Puttakallam

4. Raj Kautaman, 2008, Tamil SamuukaththilAramumAarralum, Koovai: VidiyalPatippakam
5. KandasamiSoo. Naa., 2004, UlakathTamililakkiyaVaralaaru(Ki.Pi.501-ki.Pi900), Chennai:UlakathTamilaraaychchiNiruvanam
6. Tamilannal, 2004, UlakathTamililakkiyaVaralaaru(ThonmaiMutal ki.Pi.500 Varai), Chennai: UlakathTamilaraaychchiNiruvanam

Exercises : Tutorial hours and other hours

Teaching Methods:

1. Text Materials should be collected and provided to students by HOD/teaching faculties of the department.
2. Teachers may organize workshop, seminar, group discussion, invited lectures.
3. Preparing course material for students
4. Conducting student's active participating classes.
5. Error analysis of the students learning and evaluation process.

Learning Methods:

1. Preparing word index, concept index, meaning index
2. Analyzing the language, content and structure of the prescribed texts
3. Converting the literature to another genres
4. Writing commentary to the poetry
5. Collecting various data from the text and reference books
6. Review the curriculum, syllabus, text books, reference books, teaching, learning process
7. Download e-material
8. Writing creative literature regarding prescribed texts and genre
9. Preparing question bank and answer materials
10. Organizing cultural programmers regarding textual content
11. Writing research\seminar papers with methodology aspects including hypothesis, review of literature, analyzes, classification of data, conclusion and bibliography

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MODEL QUESTION PAPER

Time: 3 hours

Marks: 75 marks

Note: This question paper contains two parts A and B.

Part A is compulsory which carries 25 marks. Answer any five of the following questions in Part A.

Part B consists of 5 Units. Answer any one full question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks

PART - A

Answer any *Five* of the following question.

(5X5=25M)

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