

SRI VENKATESWARA UNIVERSITY
B.A. / B.Com. / B.Sc. DEGREE COURSE IN TAMIL
FIRST YEAR - SECOND SEMESTER
(Revised Syllabus under CBCS w.e.f. 2020-21)

PAPER-II : MEDIEVAL LITERATURE, GRAMMAR, NON DETAIL, HISTORY OF TAMIL LITERATURE AND GRAMMAR

Course objectives :

Introducing 1. various genre/types and trends in Medieval 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 Medieval Tamil Literature, 2. Tamil Grammatical texts, 3. History of the Modern Tamil culture through Literature, 4. Tamil language of the contemporary period, 5. Pass the competitive examinations in Tamil

Unit-I. Literature 3- Medieval Poetry: Bakthi, Religious, Prabandam (Teaching hours:10, Tutorial hours:5)

1. Saivam :ThiruvaalangKaaTTuMuuththaThiruppathigam-(Starting from : ETTillavamIlkaiSuurai ..) – KaraikalAmmaiyaar
2. Saivam :KuuRRaayinavaaRuVilakkakalir ... pathigam- Thirunavukkarasar
3. Vainavam :Tiruvirutham (First ten verses 1-10) – Nammazvaar
4. Vainavam :Tiruppaavai (First ten verses 1-10) – Aandaal
5. Vainavam :PeriyaTirumozhi- MuthalTirumozhi – starting word : “Vadineen” pathigam – TirumangaiAazvaar
6. CiRRilakkiyam :KalinkathupParani : PeeyMuraippaadu (whole chapter)
7. CiRRilakkiyam: Pillaitthamizh : Meenakshi Amman Pillaithamiz : Ambulipparuvam (whole chapter)
8. Chiththar :CivaVaakiyaar (First 1-11 verses, pages. 44-45)
9. Chiththar :PaTTinathaar : KovilThiruakaval -1 (pages. 147- 48)
10. Chiththar :PaampaaTTichChiththar : UdampinThanmai (Verses numbers. 60-69, pages. 346-47)
11. Christian Literature :IratchanyaYaathrigam – AathiParuvam – varalaarruppadalam : (verse starting from (UlagamYaavumpurantharul) ten verses – H. A. Krishnap Pillai
12. Islam Literature- Ciiraappuraanam – Kadavulvaazzthuppadalam(First ten verses 1-10)- Umaruppulavar

Text books : Part/chapter of the books

ThirumuruganIraa., 2012, ChiththarPaadalkal, New Delhi :Sakitya Academy and any classical edition for other subunits.

Unit-II. Grammar-1 – Letter, Word, Phrase, sentence, Meaning Teaching hours: 10, Tutorial hours : 5

1. ஸ்-ள்-ழ், ண்-ண், ற்-ற்/ l – L- z, n – N, r – R : Phoneme changes and meaning changes
2. Grammatical Categories : Noun, Adjective, Verb, Adverb, Participle markers, Case, Tense, Person, number, Gender, Thinai, increment, plural
3. Morpho-phonemics : Assimilations(sandhi), Sandhi types, Sandhis in internal words and external words
4. Phrases : Subject, Predicate, Case phrases, verbal phrase, noun phrases, adjective phrases, Verbal phrases.
5. Sentences : type, differences: converting from one to another, Simple-compound- complex sentence.
6. Semantice: Homonyms, Synonyms, Antonyms, Negatives, Hyponymy, Hypernymy

Unit-III. Tamil Diaspora (Non-detail) Teaching hours:2, Tutorial hours : 3

1. Social Structure of Tamils
2. Tamil Tribes Definition and Types
3. Tamils in North India
4. Tamils in Abroad
5. Nomads in Tamilnadu

Text books : Part/ chapter of books

1. Paktavatcalaparati, 2019, “16. Sama kala tamilsamukam”, (pages: 446-472), TamilarManitaviyal, puttanattam: Ataiyalam. (Ed.3)
2. Paktavatcalaparati, 2017, “4. Palankuti: Varaiyaraikalumvakaipattukalum, 5. Tamizakapalankutikal: Samakalaparavalumparimanankalum” (pages 97-145), tamilappalankutikal, puttanattam: Adaiyalam. (Ed.3)
3. Somale, 1988, “vatamanilankaliltamilarayvuvarikkaimunnurai”(pages. 1-15), vatamanilankaliltamilarayvuvarikkai, Thanjavur: Tamilppalkalaikkalakam
4. S.Nakarasan, 1989, “ayalnatukaliltamilararimukam(pages. 1-17)” ayalnatukaliltamilar, Thanjavur: Tamilppalkalaikkalakam
5. Paktavatcalaparati, 2003, “naatotikal – natotiyam(pages. 1-34)” Tamilakattilnatotikal: Sagka kalam mutalsama kalam varai, paktavatcalaparati(patippaciriyar), putuvai: Vallinam.

Unit-IV. History of Tamil Literature -1: Tamil IlakkiyaVaralaru – Mu.Va. (Chapters 6-10, 12,13) :Teaching hours: 4, Tutorial hours : 3

Unit-V. History of Tamil Grammar -2 : Tamil IlakkanaVaralaru – Ira. Ilankumaran (Chapters 6-23, pages. 189-342) :Teaching hours: 4, Tutorial hours : 4

Text Books

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

IlankumaranIraa., 2009, IlakkanaVaralaaru, Chennai: ManivaasakarPathippagam

Reference Books

1. Veluppiḷḷai A., 1980, TamilarSamaya Varalaaru, Cennai: TamilPuttakaalayam
2. Arunaachalam Ba., 1969, BhakthiIlakkiyam, Cennai: Pari Nilaiyam

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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