

Type:	Compulsory
Course Code:	SANS 42563
Title:	Sanskrit Grammatical Traditions and Composition
Pre-Requisites:	Completion of the courses of Special Level II
Learning outcomes:	At the end of this unit, the students will be able to; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outline the Difference of Grammatical Tradition • Describe the Structure of Grammatical Texts • Recognize the development of Sanskrit Grammatical Tradition • Apply the Sanskrit language accurately

Course Content:

Inception of Sanskrit Grammatical tradition, Evolution and vaiṣṇava and śaiva schools, Pre-paninian's Grammar treatises, Structure of *aṣṭhādhyāyī*, *Pātanñjala* Mahābhāṣya, *Siddhāntakaumudī* and *Sārasvata*, Influence of *aṣṭhādhyāyī* on later Grammarians and Sanskrit composition.

Methodology:

Lectures, discussions, visual aids and presentations.

Scheme of Assessment:

Assignments, classroom tests, oral presentations and end the of semester examinations. (For written examination 60%, for assignments, Presentation, in class tests 40%)

Recommended Reading:

- Borrow, T., (1958). *The Sanskrit Language*, Oxford University Press.
- Bhandarkar, R. G., (2007). *Sanskrit Grammar*, Bharatiya Kala Prakashan, Delhi.
- Coulson, M., (2003). *Sanskrit Grammar*. Hodder Headline, London.
- Mishra, M., (2006). *An Introduction to Sanskrit, Sanskrit Grammar & Composition*, Parimal Publications, Delhi.
- Joshi, M. N., & Shastri, V., (2000). *New Sanskrit Grammar & Composition; For B.A.M.S. and other courses*, Roopa Publications, Dharwad, India.
- Krishna, I. D., (1968). *New model Sanskrit Grammar*, Sanskrit Education Society, Madras..
- Kāle, M. R., (1969). *A Higher Sanskrit Grammar, for the Use of Schools and Colleges*, Motilal Banarsidass, Delhi.
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