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## Notice

It is hereby informed that an Add-On Course entitled "Sanskrit – The Fountain-source of Indian Heritage" is going to be organized by the Department of Sanskrit, Victoria Institution (College) from October 06, 2023. The Inauguration programme of the Add-On Course will be held at 1pm on October 06, 2023.

Interested students from all the disciplines of our college are requested to enroll their names by October 03, 2023.

The syllabus and class-schedule are enclosed herewith.

*Suchismita Khanna* 30/9/23  
Head, Department of Sanskrit  
& Course-coordinator

  
[Dr. Maitreyi Ray Kanjilal]

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## Add-On Course entitled "Sanskrit – The Fountain-source of Indian Heritage"

Department of Sanskrit, Victoria Institution (College)

Course Duration – 30 hours [Theory – 18 hrs. + Practical – 12 hrs.]

(Students must attend at least 60% classes to receive the certificate)

### Syllabus

Module no.	Topic	No. of classes (=Hours)
I	a.Sanskrit as the Fountain-source of Indian Heritage – Introduction b. Philological Introduction to Sanskrit language	2+1=3
II	a. Basics of Sanskrit Pronunciation b. Recitation of Sanskrit Hymns ( <i>stotra</i> )	2+4=6
III	Vedic Chanting & Sanskrit Song	4
IV	Basics of Sanskrit Drama	6
V	Basics of Manuscriptology and an introduction to Paleography with special reference to Brāhmī Script	4
VI	Contribution of Sanskrit in the field of Indian Philosophy, Polity, Science & Technology	7

Coordinator: Dr. Suchismita Khanra (Joardar) SK

Joint Coordinator: Prof. Arijit Baidya Baidya

  
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## Class Schedule

Date	Time	Topic	Teacher
06.10.2023 (Friday)	2pm to 4pm (2hrs)	Sanskrit as the Fountain-source of Indian Heritage - An Introduction	Dr. Suchismita Khanra (Joardar)
07.10.2023 (Saturday)	7pm to 9 pm (2hrs)	a) Philological Introduction to Sanskrit Language b) Ancient Indian Polity: Post Vedic Period	Dr. Sulagna Pradhan
09.10.2023 (Monday)	7pm to 9 pm (2hrs)	Introduction to Manuscriptology and Paleography with Special Reference to Brāhmī Script	Dr. Sulagna Pradhan
10.10.2023 (Tuesday)	3pm to 5 pm (2hrs)	Practice of Brāhmī Script (Practical)	Dr. Sulagna Pradhan
11.10.2023 (Wednesday)	7pm to 9 pm (2hrs)	Basics of Sanskrit Pronunciation	Prof. Arijit Baidya
12.10.2023 (Thursday)	7pm to 9 pm (2hrs)	An Introduction to Sanskrit Literature	Prof. Madhulina Das
13.10.2023 (Friday)	7pm to 9 pm (2hrs)	Recitation of Sanskrit Hymns (Practical)	Prof. Arijit Baidya
14.10.2023 (Saturday)	7pm to 9 pm (2hrs)	Recitation of Sanskrit Hymns (Practical)	Prof. Arijit Baidya

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16.10.2023 (Monday)	7pm to 9 pm (2hrs)	Introduction to Sanskrit Drama and Dramaturgy	Prof. Madhulina Das
17.10.2023 (Tuesday)	3pm to 5 pm (2hrs)	Appreciation of Sanskrit Drama (Practical)	Prof. Madhulina Das
01.11.2023 (Wednesday)	7pm to 8 pm (1hr) 8pm to 9 pm (1hr)	a) Indian Polity as reflected in Vedic Literature b) Contribution of Sanskrit to Ancient Indian Astronomy and Mathematical Science	a) Dr. Suchismita Khanra (Joardar) b) Prof. Bhupali Bhattacharya
02.11.2023 (Thursday)	7pm to 9 pm (2hrs)	Vedic Chanting (Practical)	Dr. Suchismita Khanra (Joardar)
03.11.2023 (Friday)	7pm to 9 pm (2hrs)	Sanskrit Songs (Practical)	Dr. Suchismita Khanra (Joardar)
04.11.2023 (Saturday)	7pm to 9 pm (2hrs)	An Introduction to Indian Philosophy	Prof. Bhupali Bhattacharya
06.11.2023 (Monday)	7pm to 9 pm (2hrs)	The Contribution of Ancient India to Medical Science	Dr. Dipanwita Basu

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## **Add-on Course organised by The Department of Sanskrit from 06.10.2023 to 06.11.2023**

An Add-on Course entitled “Sanskrit – The Fountain-Source of Indian Heritage” was organised by the Department of Sanskrit at College premises for the interested students from all disciplines of the college. The inaugural session, presided over by our honourable Principal Dr. Maitreyi Ray Kanjilal, was held on October 06, 2023. Prof. Suchhanda Ghosh, Coordinator of All Add-on courses and all the faculty members [Joint Coordinators, Dr. Suchismita Khanra (Joardar), and Prof. Arijit Baidya as well as Prof. Madhulina Das, Dr. Sulagna Pradhan, Dr. Dipanwita Basu and Prof. Bhupali Bhattacharya] of the Department of Sanskrit were present too. The 30 hours (Theory 18 hours + Practical 12 hours) course was spread over 15 days from October 06 to November 06, 2023. The illuminating lectures delivered by the faculty members of the Department covered various aspects of the thrust area, i.e. Philological introduction to Sanskrit language, Basics of Sanskrit pronunciation, Introduction to Sanskrit literature, Role of Sanskrit in Ancient Indian Philosophy and Polity as well as in science and technology. The participants were most interested and excited to attend the practical classes on recitation of Sanskrit Hymns, Vedic chanting and Sanskrit songs, appreciation of Sanskrit drama and dramaturgy and Sanskrit Manuscriptology and Paleography as well. Twenty-four participants were awarded certificates on December 20, 2023 in the august presence of our Principal Dr. Maitreyi Ray Kanjilal and IQAC Coordinator, Dr. Sumallya Karmakar.



Inaugural speech by Honourable Principal Madam



Lecture given by a faculty member



Participants with their certificates