



VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE
(GOVT. SPONSORED) (NAAC ACCREDITED GRADE 'A')

DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT

LIST OF ADD-ON COURSES

1	BRAHMI SCRIPT
2	RESEARCH METHODOLOGY IN SANSKRIT
3	SPOKEN SANSKRIT

IQAC recommendation

IQAC, Vivekananda College, Thakurpukur, met on 04 May 2018, to envisage, formulate, and design Add-On Courses, beyond the prescribed Curriculum.

A. It was decided that all the departments of Humanities, Science and Commerce would design and formulate 30 hour Add-On Courses for 2018-19 Academic calendar, as per UGC guidelines.

B. It was decided that the Departments would be free to choose the Courses based on their (subject) relevance, practicality, and feasibility.

C. It was decided that the Departments would have a Course Coordinator, who would design the Course and Course material in consultation with all teachers of the Department.

D. It was decided that each Department would design its format.

E. It was decided that the Departments would be encouraged to use and utilize their resources while formulating the Add-On Courses, rather than relying on Outsourcing.

F. IQAC would send its recommendations to the Principal/TIC for perusal and implementation.


24/5/18
Coordinator
IQAC
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Date 10/05/18

Notice

It is hereby notified that Vivekananda College, Thakurpukur, will offer Add-On Courses to All Honours students for the Academic year 2018-19.

Each Department will offer an Add-On Course as per UGC guidelines. Each Course will be structured & overseen by a Course Coordinator, selected from the respective Department. Departmental Heads are requested to take up the matter on an urgent basis.

H. K. Das
10/05/18

Principal
Vivekananda College
Thakurpukur, Kol-60

**DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT
VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE, THAKURPUKUR**

NOTICE

Date: 11.05.2018

A departmental meeting will be held on 15.05.2018 at 10.30am to discuss the points mentioned below. All teachers are kindly requested to attend the said meeting.

Agenda of the meeting:

- i) Introduction of add-on course for UG Students.
- ii) Miscellaneous.

Sutapa Bhattacharya



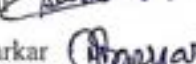
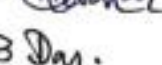

Dr. Sutapa Bhattacharya

Head of the Department of Sanskrit

DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT
VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE, THAKURPUKUR

Resolution of the departmental meeting held on 15.05.2018

A. Teachers present in the meeting;

1. Prof. Abhishek Das 
2. Dr. Sutapa Bhattacharya 
3. Prof. Sourav Mondal 
4. Prof. Manabendu Sarkar 
5. Prof. Baisali Das 

B. Minutes of the meeting

a. In the Departmental meeting dated 15.05.2018 the professors of the Department of Sanskrit cooperatively decided that the Honours students (1+1+1) would be provided a 30 hour Add-on course on 'Spoken Sanskrit'. It was also decided in the meeting that Dr. Sutapa Bhattacharya and Prof. Manabendu Sarkar of the Department of Sanskrit would be the Course Coordinators for the Add-on course on 'Spoken Sanskrit' for the Academic session 2018-19.

b. Certificates would be given to each student at the successful completion of the course.

This 30-hour add-on course is designed to introduce students to the basics of spoken sanskrit. The course aims to develop conversational skills, basic grammar understanding, and cultural insights associated with the language.

Course Structure and Syllabus

The course is divided into 10 sessions, each lasting 3 hours. Each session includes lectures, interactive activities, and practice exercises.

Day 1: Introduction to Sanskrit

1.1. Overview of Sanskrit

- Historical significance,
- Modern relevance

1.2. Sanskrit Alphabets and Pronunciation

- Vowels (स्वर),
- Consonants (वर्ण),
- Pronunciation practice.

Day 2: Basic Vocabulary and Greetings

2.1. Common Words and Phrases

- Greetings (नमस्ते, हरिः ॐ),
- Introductions (मम नाम...)

2.2. Numbers and Days of the Week,

- Numbers (१-१००),
- Days (दिनानि)

2.3. Conversational Practice

- Basic dialogues.

Day 3: Simple Sentence Structure

3.1. Nouns and Pronouns

- Gender (पुंलिङ्ग, स्त्रीलिङ्ग, नपुंसकलिङ्ग)
- Pronouns (अहं, त्वं, सः, सा)

3.2. Simple Sentences

- Subject-Verb agreement
- Common verbs (धातवः)

3.3. Conversational Practice

- Constructing simple sentences

Day 4: Verbs and Tenses

4.1. Introduction to Verbs

- Present tense (लट् लकारः)

4.2. Common Verbs

- Daily activities (गच्छति, पठति, लिखति)

4.3. Conversational Practice

- Role-play exercises

Day 5: Adjectives and Adverbs

5.1. Describing People and Objects

- Adjectives (विशेषणानि)

5.2. Adverbs

- Time and place (समये, स्थले)

5.3. Conversational Practice

- Descriptive dialogues

Day 6: Interrogative Sentences

6.1. Question Words

- What, who, where, why, how (किम्, कः, कुत्र, किमर्थम्, कथम्)

6.2. Forming Questions

- Sentence structure for questions

6.3. Conversational Practice

- Question and answer sessions

Day 7: Imperative Sentences

7.1. Giving Commands and Requests

- Imperative mood (लोट् लकारः)

7.2. Common Commands

- Sit, come, go, etc. (उपविशतु, आगच्छतु, गच्छतु)

7.3. Conversational Practice

- Command-based activities

Day 8: Negative Sentences

8.1. Forming Negatives

- Negative words (न, ननु)

8.2. Practice with Negatives

- Negative sentences and dialogues

8.3 Conversational Practice

- Expressing negation

Day 9: Complex Sentences

9.1. Compound Sentences

- Conjunctions (च, अथ, तु)

9.2. Relative Clauses

- Using relative pronouns (यः, या, यत्)

9.3. Conversational Practice

- Constructing complex sentences

Day 10: Cultural Context and Literature

10.1. Introduction to Sanskrit Literature

- Major texts (महाभारतम्, रामायणम्)

10.2. Cultural Insights

- Festivals, traditions

10.3. Final Practice Session

- Role-plays and situational conversations

Assessment and Evaluation

Participation in class activities and discussions (30%)

Oral presentations and role-plays (30%)

Final oral examination (40%)

Additional Notes

- Regular practice and participation are key to mastering spoken Sanskrit.
- Students are encouraged to form study groups for additional practice.
- This syllabus provides a comprehensive framework to introduce and immerse students in the basics of spoken Sanskrit.

Add-on Course Routine

Day 1 (08.09.2018): Introduction to Sanskrit. 3 Hours, AD, SB, MS

Day 2 (09.09.2018): Basic Vocabulary and Greetings. 3 Hours, SM, BD, AD

Day 3 (15.09.2018): Simple Sentence Structure. 3 Hours, MS, SM, SB

Day 4 (16.09.2018): Verbs and Tenses. 3 Hours, AD, SB, BD

Day 5 (22.09.2018): Adjectives and Adverbs. 3 Hours, SM, MS, SB

Day 6 (23.09.2018): Interrogative Sentences. 3 Hours, AD, SM, MS

Day7 (29.09.2018): Imperative Sentences. 3 Hours, MS, SM, AD

Day 8 (30.09.2018): Negative Sentences. 3 Hours, BD, SM, MS

Day 9 (06.10.2018): Complex Sentences. 3 Hours, AD, SM, SB

Day10 (07.10.2018): Cultural Context and Literature 3 Hours, AD, SB, MS

AD- ABHISHEK DAS

MS- MANABENDU SARKAR

SM- SOURAV MONDAL

SB- SUTAPA BHATTACHARYA

BD- BAISALI DAS

Date & Time:

Saturday (Offline): 2.30pm to 5.30pm

Sunday (Online): 11.30am-2.30pm of every week since 08/09/2018.

To,
The Principal
Vivekananda College,
Thakurpukur,
Kol-700063

Date: 12.06.2018

Sub: Request for the Consent to Organize a Basic Course on 'Spoken Sanskrit' for the UG Students in the Department of Sanskrit.

Respected Sir,

I, Dr. Sutapa Bhattacharya, Head of the Department of Sanskrit, would like to introduce a basic course on **Spoken Sanskrit** from 08.09.2018 onwards for the undergraduate students (1+1+1) considering its existing demand and immense potential in the field of spoken Sanskrit.

The detailed outline of the proposed course is being enclosed here with keeping a firm desire in our hearts that you won't turn down our request as on other occasion.

Thanking You.

Regards,

Sutapa Bhattacharya

(Dr. Sutapa Bhattacharya)

Head of the Department of Sanskrit

Enclosure:

1. Resolution of the departmental meeting held on 15.05.2018.

IQAC recommendation

IQAC, Vivekananda College, Thakurpukur, met on 03 May 2019, to envisage, formulate, and design Add-On Courses, beyond the prescribed Curriculum.

A. It was decided that all the departments of Humanities, Science and Commerce would design and formulate 30 hour Add-On Courses for 2019-20 Academic calendar, as per UGC guidelines.

B. It was decided that the Departments would be free to choose the Courses based on their (subject) relevance, practicality, and feasibility.

C. It was decided that the Departments would have a Course Coordinator, who would design the Course and Course material in consultation with all teachers of the Department.

D. It was decided that each Department would design its format.

E. It was decided that the Departments would be encouraged to use and utilize their resources while formulating the Add-On Courses, rather than relying on Outsourcing.

F. IQAC would send its recommendations to the Principal/TIC for perusal and implementation.


03/5/19
Coordinator
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Date 08-5-19

Notice

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Each Department will offer an Add-On Course as per UGC guidelines. Each Course will be structured & overseen by a Course Coordinator, selected from the respective Department. Departmental Heads are requested to take up the matter on an urgent basis.

H. K. Das
08-5-19

Principal
Vivekananda College
Thakurpukur Kol-63

DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT
VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE, THAKURPUKUR

NOTICE

Date: 28.05.2019

A departmental meeting will be held on 4.06.2019 at 1.45pm to discuss the points mentioned below. All teachers are kindly requested to attend the said meeting.

Agenda of the meeting:

- i) Introduction of add-on course for UG Students.
- ii) Miscellaneous.

Sutapa Bhattacharya

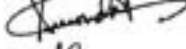

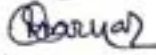

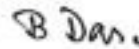
(Dr. Sutapa Bhattacharya)

Head of the Department of Sanskrit

VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE, THAKURPUKUR
DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT

Resolution of the departmental meeting held on 04.06.2019

A. Teachers present in the meeting:

1. Prof. Sourav Mondal 
2. Dr. Sutapa Bhattacharya 
3. Dr. Manabendu Sarkar 
4. Dr. Abhishek Das 
5. Prof. Baisali Das 

B. Minutes of the meeting

a. In the Departmental meeting dated 04.06.2019 the professors of the Department of Sanskrit cooperatively decided that the UG (1+1+1) & Semester- III Honours students would be provided a 30 hour Add-on course on 'Brahmi Script'. It was also decided in the meeting that Prof. Sourav Mondal and Dr. Abhishek Das of the Department of Sanskrit would be the Course Coordinators for the Add-on course on 'Brahmi Script' for the Academic session 2019-20.

b. Certificates would be given to each student at the successful completion of the course.

**PROPOSAL AND COURSE STRUCTURE FOR INTRODUCING ADD-ON COURSE
ON 'BRAHMI SCRIPT'**

The Brahmi Script is the earliest writing system developed in India after the Indus script. It is one of the most influential writing systems; all modern India scripts and several scripts found in Southeast and East Asia are derived from Brahmi. It is also found in Northern and Central India and represents the Prakrit and Pali languages. The Ashokan Inscriptions already show some slight regional variations of the Brahmi script.

Course Structure and Syllabus

Day 1: Introduction to Brahmi Script.

Day 2: Historical Development of Brahmi script.

Day 3: Relation of Brahmi script with other Indic scripts.

Day 4: Basic alphabets of Brahmi script

Day 5: Combination of the consonants and vowels

Day 6: Conjunction clusters

Day 7: Practice of reading and writing

Day 8: Palaeographic aspects of Brahmi

Day 9: Reading of the Ashokan inscriptions

Day 10: Review and Assessment

ADD-ON COURSE ROUTINE

Day 1 (03.08.2019): Introduction to Brahmi Script. 3 hours AD, SB, MS

Day 2 (04.08.2019): Historical Development of Brahmi Script. 3 hours SM, AD, MS

Day 3 (10.08.2019): Relation of Brahmi script with other Indic scripts. 3 hours MS, SM, SB

Day 4 (11.08.2019): Basic alphabets of Brahmi script. 3hours AD, SM, BD

Day 5 (17.08.2019): Combination of the consonants and vowels. 3 hours SB, SM, MS

Day 6 (18.08.2019): Conjunction clusters. 3hours AD, BD, SM

Day 7 (24.08.2019): Practice of reading and writing. 3 hours AD, SB, SM

Day 8 (25.08.2019): Palaeographic aspects of Brahmi. 3 hours BD, SM, MS

Day 9 (31.08.2019): Reading of the Ashokan inscriptions. 3 hours AD, MS, SB

Day 10 (01.09.2019): Review and Assessment. 3 Hours. BD, MS, AD

AD- ABHISHEK DAS

MS- MANABENDU SARKAR

SM- SOURAV MONDAL

SB- SUTAPA BHATTACHARYA

BD- BAISALI DAS

Date & Time: Saturday: 2.30pm to 5.30pm (Offline)

Sunday: 11.30am-2.30pm (Online) of every week since 03/08/2019.

To,

Date: 07.06.2019

The Principal

Vivekananda College,

Thakurpukur,

Kol-700063

**Sub: Request for the Consent to Organize a Basic Course on 'Brahmi Script'
for the UG Students in the Department of Sanskrit.**

Respected Sir,

I, Dr. Sutapa Bhattacharya, Head of the Department of Sanskrit and Course Coordinator of the above mentioned course, would like to introduce a Basic Course on 'Brahmi Script' from 3rd August, 2019 onwards for the undergraduate students considering its existing demand and immense potential in the field of the ancient manuscripts.

The detailed outline of the proposed course is being enclosed here with keeping a firm desire in our hearts that you won't turn down our request as on other occasion.

Thanking You.

Regards,



(Dr. Sutapa Bhattacharya)
Head of the Department of Sanskrit

Enclosure:

1. Resolution of the departmental meeting held on 04.06.2019.

IQAC recommendation

IQAC, Vivekananda College, Thakurpukur, met on 14/Sept/2021, to envisage, formulate and design Add-On Courses, beyond prescribed Curriculum

A. It was decided that all the departments of Humanities, Science and Commerce would design and formulate 30 hour Add-On Courses for the session 2021-22, Academic calendar, as per UGC guidelines.

B. It was decided that the Departments would be free to choose the Courses on the basis of their (subject) relevance, practicality and feasibility.

C. It was decided that the Departments would have a Course Coordinator, who would design the Course and Course materials, in consultation with all teachers of the Department.

D. It was decided that each Department would design its own format; and could follow a blended mode of instruction.

E. It was decided that the Departments would be encouraged to use and utilize their own resources while formulating the Add-On Courses, rather than relying on Outsourcing.

F. IQAC would send its recommendations to the Principal/TIC for perusal and implementation.


14/09/21
Coordinator
IQAC
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Ref. No.

Date. 21/9/21

Notice

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Principal
Principal Vivekananda College
Thakurpukur, Kol-63

**DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT
VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE, THAKURPUKUR**


NOTICE

Date: 22.09.2021

A departmental meeting will be held on 24.09.2021 at 1pm to discuss the points mentioned below. All the teachers are kindly requested to attend the said meeting.

Agenda of the meeting:

- i) Introduction of add-on course for UG students.
- ii) Miscellaneous.


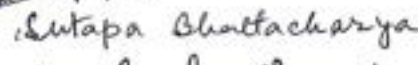
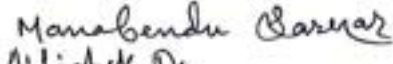
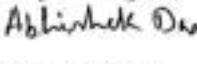
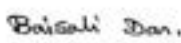
 22.9.21
(Sourav Mondal)

Head of the Department of Sanskrit

VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE, THAKURPUKUR
DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT

Resolution of the departmental meeting held on 24.09.2021

A. Teachers present in the meeting:

1. Prof. Sourav Mondal 
2. Dr. Sutapa Bhattacharya 
3. Dr. Manabendu Sarkar 
4. Dr. Abhishek Das 
5. Prof. Baisali Das 

B. Minutes of the meeting

a. In the Departmental meeting dated 24.09.2021 the professors of the Department of Sanskrit cooperatively decided that the Semester- III and V (Honours) students would be provided a 30 hour Add-on Course on Research Methodology in Sanskrit. It was also decided in the meeting that Dr. Abhishek Das and Dr. Manabendu Sarkar of Department of Sanskrit would be the Course Coordinator for the Add-on Course on Research Methodology in Sanskrit for the Academic session 2021-22.

b. Certificates would be given to each student at the successful completion of the course.

**PROPOSAL AND COURSE STRUCTURE FOR INTRODUCING ADD-ON PROGRAM
ON RESEARCH METHODOLOGY IN SANSKRIT**

Research methodology in Sanskrit involves a systematic and rigorous approach to the study of this ancient classical language and its associated literature. Scholars engaged in Sanskrit research employ a range of methodological tools to investigate the linguistic nuances, historical contexts, and cultural dimensions embedded in Sanskrit texts. This methodology encompasses comprehensive literature reviews to understand existing scholarship, critical analysis of manuscripts employing paleographic skills, and the exploration of Sanskrit inscriptions and epigraphy for historical insights. Researchers also navigate the intricate challenges of translating and interpreting Sanskrit texts, considering the linguistic subtleties and cultural connotations

unique to the language. Ethical considerations play a crucial role, emphasizing cultural sensitivity and respect for traditional knowledge systems.

Designing a course on Research Methodology in Sanskrit involves creating a structured outline or chapterization that covers key aspects of research methods specific to Sanskrit studies. Here's a chapterization of 30-hour add-on course:

1. Introduction to Sanskrit Research:

- 1.1. Overview of Sanskrit as a classical language
- 1.2. Importance of research in Sanskrit studies
- 1.3. Historical significance and current relevance

2. Literature Review in Sanskrit Studies:

- 2.1. Searching and accessing Sanskrit texts
- 2.2. Critical analysis of existing research
- 2.3. Identifying gaps and research questions

3. Sanskrit Manuscripts and Paleography:

- 3.1. Understanding Sanskrit manuscripts
- 3.2. Paleography and deciphering ancient scripts
- 3.3. Preservation and digitization of Sanskrit manuscripts

4. Research Design and Proposal Writing:

- 4.1. Formulating research questions
- 4.2. Defining objectives and hypotheses
- 4.3. Drafting a research proposal in the context of Sanskrit studies

5. Data Collection Methods in Sanskrit Research:

- 5.1. Conducting textual analysis
- 5.2. Fieldwork and interviews in Sanskrit communities
- 5.3. Utilizing digital tools for data collection

6. Sanskrit Epigraphy and Inscriptions:

- 6.1. Understanding Sanskrit inscriptions
- 6.2. Epigraphical methods and analysis
- 6.3. Incorporating epigraphical evidence into research

7. Translation and Interpretation Challenges:

- 8.2. Challenges in translating Sanskrit texts
- 8.3. Interpretation issues in Sanskrit research
- 8.4. Strategies for effective translation and interpretation

8. Ethical Considerations in Sanskrit Research:

- 9.1. Cultural sensitivity in Sanskrit studies
- 9.2. Respecting traditional knowledge systems
- 9.3. Ethical guidelines for research involving Sanskrit

9. Presentation and Publication of Sanskrit Research:

- 10.1. Crafting a scholarly presentation
- 10.2. Strategies for publishing in Sanskrit journals
- 10.3. Navigating the academic publishing landscape

10. Future Trends in Sanskrit Research:

- 11.1. Emerging areas of research in Sanskrit studies
- 11.2. Interdisciplinary approaches
- 11.3. Opportunities and challenges in the field

N.B.: Remember to adapt and customize this chapterization based on the specific focus and goals of the course, as well as the background and needs of the participants.

ADD-ON COURSE ROUTINE

Module 1: Introduction to Sanskrit Research. 3 hours: AD, SM & MS

Module 2: Literature Review in Sanskrit Studies. 3 hours: BD, SB & AD

Module 3: Sanskrit Manuscripts and Paleography. 3 hours: MS, SM & BD

Module 4: Research Design and Proposal Writing. 3 hours: MS, SB & BD

Module 5: Data Collection Methods in Sanskrit Research. 3 hours: AD, SM & MS

Module 6: Sanskrit Epigraphy and Inscriptions. 3 hours: SB, AD & MS

Module 7: Translation and Interpretation Challenges. 3 hours: AD, SM & BD

Module 8: Ethical Considerations in Sanskrit Research. 3 hours: MS, SM & SB

Module 9: Presentation and Publication of Sanskrit Research. 3 hours: AD, MS & BD

Module 10: Future Trends in Sanskrit Research. 3 hours: AD, MS, SM & SB

AD- ABHISHEK DAS
MS- MANABENDU SARKAR
SM- SOURAV MONDAL
SB- SUTAPA BHATTACHARYA
BD- BAISALI DAS

Date & Time

Saturday (Offline): 2.30pm-5.30pm

Sunday (Online): 11.30am-2.30pm of every week since 20.11.21.

To,
The Principal
Vivekananda College,
Thakurpukur,
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Date: 29.09.2021

Sub: Request for the Consent to Organize a Basic Course on 'Research Methodology in Sanskrit' for the UG Students in the Department of Sanskrit.

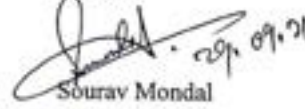
Respected Sir,

I, Sourav Mondal, Head of the Department of Sanskrit, would like to introduce a Basic Course on 'Research Methodology in Sanskrit' from 20.11.2021 onwards for the undergraduate students considering its existing demand and immense potential in the field of the ancient manuscripts.

The detailed outline of the proposed course is being enclosed here with keeping a firm desire in our hearts that you won't turn down our request as on other occasion.

Thanking You.

Regards,



Sourav Mondal

Head of the Department of Sanskrit

Enclosure:


1. Resolution of the departmental meeting held on 24.09.2021.

**DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT
VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE, THAKURPUKUR**

NOTICE

Date: 30.09.2021

It is hereby informed to all the departmental students that a 30 hours add-on course on 'Research Methodology in Sanskrit' will be conducted at the department from 20th November, 2021 onwards. The Students who are willing to join the course are asked to contact Dr. Abhishek Das and Dr. Manabendu Sarkar on or before 18th November, 2021.


(Sourav Mondal)
H.O.D.

IQAC recommendation

IQAC, Vivekananda College, Thakurpukur, met on 18/June/2022, to envisage, formulate and design Add-On Courses, beyond prescribed Curriculum. The IQAC has also decided to organise a program on staff training:

- A. It was decided that all the departments of Humanities, Science and Commerce would design and formulate 30 hour Add-On Courses for 2022-23, Academic calendar, as per UGC guidelines.
- B. It was decided that the Departments would be free to choose the Courses on the basis of their (subject) relevance, practicality and feasibility.
- C. It was decided that the Departments would have a Course Coordinator, who would design the Course and Course materials, in consultation with all teachers of the Department.
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- E. It was decided that the Departments would be encouraged to use and utilize their own resources while formulating the Add-On Courses, rather than relying on Outsourcing.
- F. IQAC would send its recommendations to the Principal/TIC for perusal and implementation.
- G. The IQAC would also organise a Staff Training programme - 'Effective Working Style' Conducted by IPE Of Professional Excellence On 25th June 2022 .



Co-ordinator
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Notice

It is hereby notified that Vivekananda College, Thakurpukur, will offer Add-On Courses to All Honours students for the Academic year 2022-23.

Each Department will offer an Add-On Course as per UGC guidelines. Each Course will be structured & overseen by a Course Coordinator, selected from the respective Department. Departmental Heads are requested to take up the matter on an urgent basis.


Principal

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Vivekananda College
Thakurpukur, Koi-53

DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT
VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE, THAKURPUKUR


NOTICE

Date: 25.06.2022

A departmental meeting will be held on 28.06.2022 at 2pm to discuss the points mentioned below. All the teachers are kindly requested to attend the said meeting.

Agenda of the meeting:

- i) Introduction of Add-on Course for UG Students.
- ii) Miscellaneous.


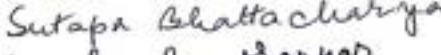
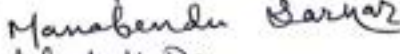


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VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE, THAKURPUKUR
DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT

Resolution of the departmental meeting held on 28.06.2022

A. Teachers present in the meeting:

1. Prof. Sourav Mondal 
2. Dr. Sutapa Bhattacharya 
3. Dr. Manabendu Sarkar 
4. Dr. Abhishek Das 
5. Prof. Baisali Das 

B. Minutes of the meeting

a. In the Departmental meeting dated 28.06.2022 the professors of the Department of Sanskrit cooperatively decided that the Semester- III Honours students would be provided a 30 hour Add-on course on Brahmi Script. It was also decided in the meeting that Sourav Mondal and Dr. Manabendu Sarkar of Department of Sanskrit would be the Course Coordinator for the Add-on Course on Brahmi Script for the Academic session 2022-23.

b. Certificates would be given to each student at the successful completion of the course.

**PROPOSAL AND COURSE STRUCTURE FOR INTRODUCING ADD-ON PROGRAM
ON BRAHMI SCRIPT**

The Brahmi Script is the earliest writing system developed in India after the Indus script. It is one of the most influential writing systems; all modern India scripts and several scripts found in Southeast and East Asia are derived from Brahmi. It is also found in Northern and Central India and represents the Prakrit and Pali languages. The Ashokan Inscriptions already show some slight regional variations of the Brahmi script.

Module 1: Introduction to Brahmi Script.

Module 2: Historical Development of Brahmi script.

Module 3: Relation of Brahmi script with other Indic scripts.

- Module 4:** Basic alphabets of Brahmi script
- Module 5:** Combination of the consonants and vowels
- Module 6:** Conjunction clusters
- Module 7:** Practice of reading and writing
- Module 8:** Palaeographic aspects of Brahmi
- Module 9:** Reading of the Ashokan inscriptions
- Module 10:** Review and Assessment

ADD-ON COURSE ROUTINE

- Day 1:** Introduction to Brahmi Script. 3 hours: AD, SB, MS
- Day 2:** Historical Development of Brahmi Script. 3 hours: SM, AD & MS
- Day 3:** Relation of Brahmi script with other Indic scripts. 3 hours: MS, SM & BD
- Day 4:** Basic alphabets of Brahmi script. 3hours: AD, SM & SB
- Day 5:** Combination of the consonants and vowels. 3 hours: SB, SM & MS
- Day 6:** Conjunction clusters. 3hours: AD, SB & SM
- Day 7:** Practice of reading and writing. 3 hours: AD, BD, SM
- Day 8:** Palaeographic aspects of Brahmi. 3 hours: BD, SM & MS
- Day 9:** Reading of the Ashokan inscriptions. 3 hours: AD, MS, SB
- Day 10:** Review and Assessment. 3 Hours: BD, MS, SM

AD- ABHISHEK DAS

MS- MANABENDU SARKAR

SM- SOURAV MONDAL

SB- SUTAPA BHATTACHARYA

BD- BAISALI DAS

Date and Time: Saturday, (Offline): 2.30pm-5.30pm

Sunday, (Online): 11.30am-2.30pm of every week since 5/11/22.

To,

Date: 30.06.2022

The Principal

Vivekananda College,

Thakurpukur,

Kol-700063

**Sub: Request for the Consent to Organize a Basic Course on 'Brahmi Script'
for the UG Students in the Department of Sanskrit.**

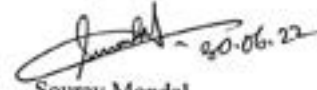
Respected Sir,

I, Sourav Mondal, Head of the Department of Sanskrit and Course Coordinator of the above mentioned course, would like to introduce a Basic Course on 'Brahmi Script' from 5th November, 2022 onwards for the undergraduate students considering its existing demand and immense potential in the field of the ancient manuscripts.

The detailed outline of the proposed course is being enclosed here with keeping a firm desire in our hearts that you won't turn down our request as on other occasion.

Thanking You.

Regards,



Sourav Mondal
Head of the Department of Sanskrit

Enclosure:


1. Resolution of the departmental meeting held on 28.06.2022.

DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT
VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE, THAKURPUKUR

NOTICE

Date: 05.07.2022

It is hereby informed to all the departmental students that a 30 hours add-on course on 'Brahmi Script' will be conducted at the department from 5th November, 2022 onwards. The Students who are willing to join the course are asked to contact Dr. Manabendu Sarkar and the undersigned on or before 2nd November, 2022.

 05.07.22
(Sourav Mondal)
H.O.D.