PGCSS

M G UNIVERSITY RESTRUCTURED SYLLABUS M A PROGRAMME IN SANSKRIT GENERAL SEMESTER IV –STUDY OF A SASTRAKAVYA – DHATUKAVYA OF NARAYANABHATTATIRI.

CREIDT :4 CONTACT HOURS :90

WEIGHT:30

Aim Of the course

To acquire knowledge in Sastrakavyas - the poetic works in Sanskrit literature which form an illustration of Sastras like vyakarana.

Objective:

1. To help the students get an awareness of the poetic beauty and literary merit of the poem Dhatukavya which deals with the story of Lord Krsna.

2. To help the students acquire knowledge so as to appreciate a grammatical poem through the study of the Dhatukavaya which forms a good example of Sastrakavya illustrating the roots according to Dhatupatha.

3. To make the students understand and appreciate Narayana Bhattatiri as an erudite scholar, a good poet and a great grammarian.

Course Outline

Module I	Intorduction to Sastrakavya, a General study of Sastrakavyas, Melputtur Narayana Bhattatiri and his works.
Mdule II.	Study of the first 25 verses of Dhatukavya- Canto I
Module III	study of the Verses from 26 to 50 of Datukavya Canto I
Module IV	Study of the krdanta or tinanta forms of the roots of Bhavadigana incorporated in the verses of the prescribed portion.
Essential reading:	Dhatukavya of Melputtur Narayana Bhattatiri I edited by DRS. Venkitasubrahmania Iyer published by

University of Kerala, Trivandrum,

Additional reading

Samskrita Sahitaya Charitram by Vatakkumkur Rajaraja Varma.

:Subhadraharana of Narayana with the commentary Vivarana edited by Dr. M. Sreedhara Menon and published by Mathrubhumi Printing and Publishing company Calicut.