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**B.A DEGREE (CBCS)) REGULAR/ IMPROVEMENT/ REAPPEARANCE / MERCY
CHANCE EXAMINATIONS, FEBRUARY 2025**

Fourth Semester

B.A Sanskrit Language and Literature Model I Sahithya

Core Course - SS4CRT04 - MANUSCRIPTOLOGY

2017 Admission Onwards

70E1A7EB

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Part A

*Answer any **ten** questions.*

*Each question carries **2** marks.*

1. What are the different periods of a language reflected in inscriptions and manuscripts?
2. Write an example for birchbark manuscript.
3. What are writing tools?
4. What is the combination of common type of ink?
5. What is 'nannanyaskradi'?
6. What is Andhra script?
7. What is the importance of manuscripts?
8. Name two divisions of manuscript custodians.
9. What is the use of temporary receipt in a manuscript collection?
10. What is haphazard transmission?
11. In Kashmir, how the manuscripts are protected?
12. What are the two types of machine laminations?

(10×2=20)

Part B

*Answer any **six** questions.*

*Each question carries **5** marks.*

13. Manuscript.





14. The processing of palmleaves.
15. Briefly discuss about the earliest inscriptions in India.
16. Name some Manuscript libraries in India.
17. The good qualities of a Manuscript collector.
18. The main difficulties in reading a manuscript.
19. Collation.
20. Briefly discuss about the important points in the determination of genealogical relationship.
21. How climatic conditions affected in the damage of documents?

(6×5=30)

Part C

*Answer any **two** questions.*

*Each question carries **15** marks.*

22. Illustrate the role of Manuscriptology for Higher learning and Research.
23. Explain the importance of language.
24. Discuss the manuscript characters.
25. Evaluate the important characteristics of emendation and higher criticism.

(2×15=30)

