

2017

SANSKRIT

( Major )

Paper : 5.4

Full Marks : 60

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

1. Answer the following questions : 1×7=7
- (a) What is the total number of Cantos in the *Kirātārjunīyam*?
- (b) What was the responsibility entrusted by Yudhiṣṭhira upon the वनेचर?
- (c) What is the meaning of the term 'किसखा'?
- (d) Mention the name of a commentator of the *Kumārasambhavam*.
- (e) Who is stated as 'वासव' in the *Kumārasambhavam*?

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(f) Why is Kāmadeva called as कुसुमायुध?

(g) Substitute another Sanskrit word for 'मघोनः'.

2. Answer the following : 2×4=8

(a) Substitute equivalent Sanskrit words (any two) :

महीम् ; सपत्नेन ; भूतः ; अमात्येषु।

(b) What are the two weapons of Indra as found in the *Kumārasambhavam*?

(c) "आज्ञापय ज्ञातविशेष पुंसाम्"

Who is the speaker here and to whom the address has been made by the speaker?

(d) असम्मतः \_\_\_\_\_ मुक्तिमार्गं \_\_\_\_\_ ।

Fill up the gaps.

3. Translate into English or Assamese any one of the following : 5

(a) केनाभ्यसूया पदकाङ्क्षिणा ते नितान्तदीर्घैर्जनिता तपोभिः।  
यावद्भवत्याहितसायकस्य मत्कार्मुकस्यास्य निर्देशवती ॥

(b) अध्यापितस्योशनसापि नीतिं प्रयुक्तरागप्रणिधिर्द्विषस्ते।  
कस्यार्थधर्मौ वद पीडयामि सिन्धोस्तटावोघ इव प्रवृद्धः ॥

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4. Elucidate the idea contained in any one of the following : 5

(a) वरं विरोधोऽपि समं महात्मभिः।

(b) शमेन सिद्धिं मुनयो न भूतः।

5. Quote from your memory the First Verse of the *Nīśatakam*. 5

Or

Elucidate the idea contained in the following :

"सत्संगतिः कथय किं न करोति पुंसाम्।"

6. Explain the following statement : 10

"भारवेरर्थगौरवम्"

Or

Present in your own words the speech of Draupadī as you find in the Canto I of the *Kirātārjunīyam*.

7. Prepare a note on the *Kumārasambhavam* as a Mahākāvya. 10

Or

Draw a pen-picture of Lord Śiva engaged in penance as depicted in the *Kumārasambhavam*.

8. Write a note on the works of भर्तृहरि. 10

Or

Prepare an extensive note on your prescribed portion of the *Nītīsatakam*.

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