

1.	Title of the course	Basic Course in Sanskrit
2.	Course number	HS104N
3.	Structure of credits	2-0-0-2
4.	Offered to	UG
5.	New course/modification to	Modification To HS1107/6
6.	To be offered by	Department of Humanities and Social Sciences
7.	To take effect from	July 2022
8.	Prerequisite	Nil
9.	Course Objective(s): The course is designed to introduce students to the common concepts of Sanskrit. The structure of the language and scientific aspects embedded in ancient Sanskrit Literature shall also be dealt. Further, the course aims to enable the students to understand, and savour the richness and variety offered by Sanskrit.	
10.	Course Content: Origin and Evolution of Sanskrit ; Introduction to Devanagiri Script ; Phonetics in Sanskrit Declensions (Nominal and Verbal); Conjugations (Vowel, Consonant and others) ; Various types of Conjugations ; Compounds and its various types ; Important Suffixes ; Karaka System and Case-endings ; Indeclinables	
11.	Textbook(s): 1. Govindan K E, <i>Ancient Indian Science and its Relevance to Modern World</i> , Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha (2005). 2. Katuri, and Siva Kumari, <i>Hitopadesa of Narayana Samskrta Vyakarana Sastra Pravesini</i> , Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha (2018).	
12.	Reference(s): 1. Kale M R, <i>Hitopadesa of Narayana</i> , Motilal Banarasidass (1976). 2. Shastri D N, <i>Sanskrit in 30 Lectures</i> , Bharatiya Vidya Samsthana (1976). 3. Varadaraja, <i>Laghusiddhantakaumudi</i> , Gita Press (2013).	