

BACHELOR OF ARTS EXAMINATION, 2023

(2nd Year, 3rd Semester)

SANSKRIT (GE)

COURSE – GE (3.8)

[Ancient Indian Political Thought]

Time : Two hours

Full Marks : 30

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

1. Answer any **four** of the following questions: 1×4=4

(নিম্নোক্ত প্রশ্নগুলির মধ্যে যে কোনও চারটির উত্তর দাও)

a) Write the meaning of the word — राजधर्म: ।

রাজধর্ম: — শব্দের অর্থ লেখো।

b) What do you mean by मात्स्यन्याय: ?

মাত্স্যন্যায়: — বলতে কী বোঝায়?

c) What is meant by the word ‘जाङ्गलो देश:’?

‘জাঙ্গলো দেশ:’— বলতে কী বোঝায়?

d) Disjoin all the *sandhis* and rewrite the following sentence.

संनिविच्छेदपूर्वकं वाक्यं पुनरार्यं लेखो।

अवशान्दियचित्तानां हस्तिस्नानमिव क्रिया।

e) Name at least two such kings whose arrogance brought about their ruin.

अविनयवशतः ध्वंसप्राप्तं अस्ततः दुजन राजार नाम कर।

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2. Discuss the origin and duties of the king according to Manu. 5
মনুর মতানুসারে রাজার উৎপত্তি ও কর্তব্য আলোচনা কর।
3. Explain any **one** of the following: 4
যেকোন **একটির** ব্যাখ্যা লেখো।
- a) यस्मादेषां सुरेन्द्राणां मात्राभ्यो निर्मितो नृपः ।
तस्मादभिभवत्येष सर्वभूतानि तेजसा ॥
- b) यदि न प्रणयेद्राजा दण्डं दण्ड्येष्वतन्द्रितः ।
शूले मत्स्यानिवापक्ष्यन् दुर्बलान् बलवत्तराः ॥
4. Describe the qualities of the kings of the सूर्यवंश (Solar Race). 5
সূর্যবংশের রাজাদের গুণাবলীর বর্ণনা দাও।

Or

Write short note on **any two** of the following:

যে কোন **দুটির** সংক্ষিপ্ত টীকা লেখো।

वैवस्वतो मनुः, षड्दोषाः, लोभः पापस्य कारणम्।

5. Whom (the king) should not believe? 3
(রাজার) কাদের বিশ্বাস করা উচিত নয়?
6. Translate the following verses into Bengali or English:4
বাংলা অথবা ইংরেজী ভাষায় অনুবাদ করো :
- a) यस्य प्रसादे पद्मा श्रीर्विजयश्च पराक्रमे ।
मृत्युश्च वसति क्रोधे सर्वतेजोमयो हि सः ॥

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- b) शोकस्थानसहस्राणि भयस्थानशतानि च ।
दिवसे दिवसे मूढमाविशन्ति न पण्डितम् ॥
7. Explain: ব্যাখ্যা করো। 5
क्व सूर्यप्रभवो वंशः क्व चाल्पविषया मतिः ।
तितीर्षुर्दुस्तरं मोहादुडुपेनास्मि सागरम् ॥
- अथवा
दातव्यमिति यद्दानं दीयतेऽनुपकारिणे ।
देशे काले च पात्रे च तद्दानं सात्त्विकं विदुः ॥