



UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL
B.A. General Part-I Examination, 2020

SANSKRIT

PAPER- III (NEW SYLLABUS)

Time Allotted: 1 Hour

Full Marks: 25

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

1. Answer any **one** of the following questions: 14×1 = 14
 - (a) Discuss the influence of the Mahābhārata on Indian culture and literature.
 - (b) Give an estimate of श्रीहर्ष as a dramatist.
 - (c) Discuss the influence of the Purāṇa on Indian society and literature.
 - (d) What is चम्पू ? Give an account of चम्पूकाव्यs in Sanskrit.

2. Write short notes on any **one** of the following: 6×1 = 6

हितोपदेशः ; रघुवंशम् ; राजतरङ्गिणी ; बुद्धचरितम् ।

3. Answer any **five** of the following questions: 1×5 = 5
 - (a) Name the works of भर्तृहरि .
 - (b) What is the प्रकरण written by भवभूति ?
 - (c) Who is famous for अर्थगौरव ? Write the name of his work.
 - (d) How many chapters are there in 'पञ्चतन्त्र' ? Write their name.
 - (e) Who wrote 'मुद्राराक्षस' ? What type of drama is it?
 - (f) What are the Rāmāyaṇa-based dramas of Bhāsa?
 - (g) Who is the author of 'कादम्बरी' ? What is the meaning of कादम्बरी ?
 - (h) How many stories are there in 'वेतालपञ्चविंशति'?

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