MAY 2024 **P/ID 36720/PSA4W**

Time : Three hours Maximum : 80 marks

PART A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer any TEN questions in 50 words each.

1. Write a note on the author of Mahābhāshya .

2. Write a short note on Mahābhāshya .

3. Who are called as "मुनित्रयम्" ?

4. Name any two commentaries on Mahābhāshya .

5. How many types of शब्दs are mentioned in Paspaśāhnika? Name them.

6. What is called as "आह्निकम्" ?

7. Write a note on "पस्पश" ।

8. What does "अथ" mean?

9. How many primary uses of Vyākarana are there? Name any two.

10. How many secondary uses of Vyākarana are there? Name any two.

11. What are the two words that first emanated from the mouth of Brahmā ?

12. Which does द्रव्य mean? Mention any two.

PART B — (5 × 6 = 30 marks)

Answer any FIVE questions in 250 words each.

13. अथ शब्दानुशासनम् – Explain.

14. Discuss the importance of "ऊह" in learning Sanskrit Grammar.

15. Elucidate the etymological meaning of "पस्पश" word.

16. Explain the two types of शब्दs with relevant examples.

17. What is the definition of भाष्य as mentioned in your text?

18. "यथेन्द्रशत्रुः स्वरतोऽपराधात्" – Discuss the importance of Pronunciation.

19. Enumerate the Secondary uses of learning Sanskrit Grammar.

PART C — (3 × 10 = 30 marks)

Answer any THREE questions in 500 words each.

20. Explain the discussion on शब्द as given in Paspaśāhnika.

21. Define and explain the following primary uses रक्षा, आगमः, लघुः as found in the prescribed text.

22. Summarize any three Secondary uses of learning Sanskrit Grammar.

23. Why is the knowledge of Sanskrit Grammar needed for performing a Sacrifice like "प्रयाज", etc.?

24. Write an essay on the importance of Mahābhāshya.