



KARNATAKA SAMSKRIT UNIVERSITY

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Regulations governing Certificate, Diploma and other courses in various faculties of Karnataka Samskrit University

(Framed under Chapter II, section 5, sub-section 1 & 2 of
Karnataka Samskrit University Act, 2009.)

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for Respective faculties i.e, Vedanta, Shastra and Language
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Preamble:

Karnataka Samskrit University has been formed exclusively for the development of Samskrit language, and to bring to light the vast treasure inherent in Samskrit. The wealth of Indian systems of thought lies in the vast expanse of Samskrit works. With a view to decipher the eternal truths of Indian philosophy and to offer advanced comparative studies with the counterpart systems of the West, **Certificate, Diploma and other courses in various faculties of Karnataka Samskrit University**, have been proposed in the Main Campus of the University. (Framed under Chapter II, section 5, sub-section 1 & 2 of Karnataka Samskrit University Act, 2009.)

OBJECTIVES:

1. To promote the knowledge of Philosophy and allied subjects in India & abroad by imparting standardized education in these areas.
2. To conduct scientific research on Philosophy and allied subjects on the basis of rare texts.
3. To promote ancient knowledge of Philosophy and Sanskrit in the country through Karnataka Sanskrit University.
4. To create new job opportunities in these fields.
5. To enhance skills in text-readings, paraphrasing techniques and analyzing.
6. To encourage text-based learning.

The following is the scheme for **Certificate, Diploma and other courses for Vedanta and other Faculties:**

1. Individual inculcation:

Students are given individual attention unlike a classroom atmosphere. One-to-one teaching to students shall be done by the respective faculty

2. Specialized texts:

Specialized texts in the respective subject shall be taken up for intense study. The text shall be taught with the allied commentaries.

3. Singular texts:

Advanced singular texts of the Shastras may even be taken up for inculcation.

4. Hyper advanced texts:

Beginning with the commentorial tradition to several high Vada Granthas, any text may be taken up as per the sole discretion of the faculty and Dean

5. Excellence building:

By inculcation advanced texts, excellence in the respective subject shall be built. This is in contrast with wider teaching where only elementary aspects can be touched upon.

6. Knowledge-Generation:

Knowledge-Generation is the key aspect of the Varsity. This is felicitated by this concentrated approach to teaching

7. Felicitation high end and original research:

Research is the backbone of the University. At the end of the course, the students shall be asked to make a presentation and present a paper in the subject taught to them.

With these objectives, these Regulations are framed for offering courses in Vedanta and other Faculties:.

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1. TITLE

These Regulations shall be called as “Karnataka Samskrit University **Regulations governing Certificate and Diploma and other courses for Respective faculties i.e, Vedanta, Shastra and Language -2012** under Karnataka Samskrit University ACT 2009”

2. COMMENCEMENT

These Regulations shall come in to the force from the date of approval by the Chancellor.

3. DEFINITIONS

1. University means, “Karnataka Samskrit University” as specified under section 3 of the KSU Act – 2009.
2. Faculty means “Respective Faculties i.e, Vedanta, Shastra and Language, and even those that are formed time to time, of KSU”.
3. Dean means “Dean of Respective faculties i.e, Vedanta, Shastra and Language, and even those that are formed time to time, of KSU” as specified above.
4. Faculty member means “Dean, Associate Professor and Assistant Professor of Respective faculties i.e, Vedanta, Shastra and Language, and even those that are formed time to time, of KSU”

4. APPLICATION

These Regulations shall apply to:

4.1 All the courses in Respective Faculties i.e, Vedanta, Shastra and Language conducted **directly** under the Deans and other faculty members of respective faculties i.e, Vedanta, Shastra and Language, and even those that are formed time to time, of Karnataka Samskrit University.

4.2 All the schemes of examinations in Respective faculties i.e, Vedanta, Shastra and Language, and even those that are formed time to time, of Karnataka Samskrit University: and

All such other schemes/courses as may be notified by the Respective faculties i.e, Vedanta, Shastra and Language, and even those that are formed time to time, of Karnataka Samskrit University, Directly, **with the sole approval of the Dean. The Dean shall have the sole authority to forward the proposal to begin the respective course. The course can be begun at any time of the year. The proposal shall be forwarded by the Dean to the Vice-Chancellor. It is obligatory on the part of the all higher authorities to the Dean to approve the start of a particular course, unless technical reasons are called for. .**

5. COURSE NAME

5.1 Certificate Course in Specific Texts (as decided from time to time by concerned Faculties)

Model-Scheme for Courses

Courses in Vedanta* (*and others as well)

<i>Course Name</i>	<i>Subject</i>
1. Certificate	Vedanta
2. Diploma	Vedanta
3. P.G. Diploma	Vedanta

Courses in Shaivism

<i>Course Name</i>	<i>Subject</i>
1. Certificate	Shaivism
2. Diploma	Shaivism
3. P.G. Diploma	Shaivism

Courses in Jainism

<i>Course Name</i>	<i>Subject</i>
1. Certificate	Jainism
2. Diploma	Jainism
3. P.G. Diploma	Jainism

Courses in Buddhism

<i>Course Name</i>	<i>Subject</i>
1. Certificate	Buddhism
2. Diploma	Buddhism
3. P.G. Diploma	Buddhism

Courses in Comparative Philosophy

<i>Course Name</i>	<i>Subject</i>
1. Certificate	Comparative Philosophy
2. Diploma	Comparative Philosophy
3. P.G. Diploma	Comparative Philosophy

6. ELIGIBILITY FOR THE COURSE

Shastric background: Those with either a formal pre-qualification or even a traditional Shastric background, certified by a competent scholar shall be entertained. Discretionary eligibility: Dean shall have the authority to either accept the eligibility or reject it, as the case may be. The minimum strength is one and maximum as capped by the respective Dean. The admissions are at the sole discretionary powers of concerned faculty.

6.1 10+2 and above for seeking admission to certificate in relevant subject course.

6.2 Those who have passed certificate in relevant subject are eligible to take admission to Diploma in relevant subject.

6.3 Pass in U.G. and P.G. courses from any stream of studies for the current course, with sufficient Samskrit or Philosophical and allied background.

7. COURSE FEE

7.1 Certificate Course in Philosophy Rs. 1500/- plus Tution fee.

7.2 Diploma Course in Philosophy Rs. 2000/- plus Tution fee.

Note: University may increase the fees from time to time with the approval of the Syndicate.

8. MEDIUM

1. Samskrit
2. English
3. Kannada

9 DURATION

1. Certificate course - (minimum three months and maximum six months)
2. Diploma course (minimum six months and maximum 2 years)
3. Advanced Diploma (minimum one year and maximum 2 years)

10. RULES & REGULATIONS

10.1 The certificate and Diploma Courses in specific texts of philosophy and other subjects shall be purely on the sole decision of the concerned Faculty. It shall follow the Credit System (Vide 13)

10.2 The academic year starts in the any month of the academic year. It is envisioned as an open-ended course throughout the year. The final examinations are generally held during at the end of the course. The examination shall be in the form of written test. Viva-voce and Paper Presentation. These courses will be conducted in the university only.

10.3 On successful completion of the certificate & Diploma courses respectively students getting a minimum of 60% and above are placed in the “FIRST CLASS” and those getting minimum of 50% in “SECOND CLASS”. To pass the course, students should secure a minimum of 35%.

11. NOTE:

1. Admission is restricted to a specific number of seats in each class as well as in each institute.
2. False declaration of age/qualification, etc., by the applicant will disqualify him/her for admission to the certificate/diploma courses.
3. The final decision to select or reject a candidate for admission rests with the Board of the Karnataka State Samskrit University.
4. No correspondence will be entertained regarding selection/rejection by the University.
5. No fee concession will be allowed to anyone & also once fee paid by the Student will not be **refunded at any cost.**
6. All students will be issued Identity Cards & the same is required to be preserved carefully till the end of the course. The same will be checked by the concerned authorities at the time of inspection.
7. The Karnataka Samskrit University conducts special lecturers by eminent scholars wherever necessary during the course.
8. Student registration shall confer to the course to which they have been admitted & will not confer any other rights.

9. All the students who ever join for the course has to maintain the classroom discipline and diary.
10. If any student passing any other similar courses in any institutions wanted to join this institute, he/she will be examined before admitting to that course by the authorities.
11. If the Karnataka Samskrit University finds any negligence, misbehavior etc. by any discipline, he/she will be removed from the university.

12. Credit System

The number of 'Contact Hours' in a week of a particular course determines its credit value. The [GPA](#) is calculated on a 10 point scale, with weighted average of the grades received in the respective course. The GPA is calculated by taking the number of grade points a student earned in a given period of time. The grades awarded are; A+,A,B+,B,C+,C,D & E(Fail). This GPA is also known as CGPA (Cumulative Grade Point Average). The thesis submitted at the end of the course is generally given 20 credits. On an average, students in India need to complete 100 credits for eligibility for Bachelors Degree. 200 credits shall make the student directly eligible for Masters Degree in the respective branch of study

Certificate course may consist of 2 to 3 individual courses (papers) in a given subject or interdisciplinary subject. In the given period, one has to study particular 2 or 3 texts. Contact hours per day may vary from minimum two to five hours and credits from certificate courses may vary from 10 to 15. Similarly, credits from diploma courses may vary from 20 to 25. Credits from advanced diploma may vary from 30 to 40 credits.

13. DISPUTE JURISDICTION

- 13.1 Any dispute in this matter shall be resolved within the University. Vice-chancellor shall be the chair of the committee appointed for this purpose.
- 13.2 The jurisdiction of the dispute shall be Bangalore only.

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE, DIPLOMA AND PG DIPLOMA COURSES IN

VEDANTA AND OTHER FACULTIES

1. **NAME OF THE APPLICANT:**
2. **ADDRESS:**
3. **AGE**
4. **MALE/FEMALE**
5. **QUALIFICATION**
6. **APPLYING FOR: CERTIFICATE, DIPLOMA AND PG DIPLOMA**
7. **TEXT UNDER STUDY**
8. **DETAILS OF TEXT**
9. **DEAN OF THE FACULTY**
10. **FACULTY UNDER WHOM THE STUDY IS TAKEN UP**
11. **PROPOSED DATE OF COMMENCEMENT**
12. **PROPOSED DATE OF COMPLETION**
13. **DURATION**
14. **AGENDA OF STUDY**
15. **SPLIT OF CURRICULUM MONTH-WISE**
16. **CERTIFICATION BY DEAN AND FACULTY MEMBER**
17. **CARRY-OVER, IF OPTED FOR**