

PG DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT

**DEPARTMENTAL
PROFILE**

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Evaluative Report of the Department PG Department of Sanskrit

1. Faculty Profile –

Name & designation	Qualification	Specialization
1. Dr Dinesh Pandey Reader & Head	Ph.D.	Sanskrit Literature
2. Dr MP Srivastava Reader	Ph.D.	Sanskrit Literature
3. Dr Sudumnya Arya Reader (Retired)	D.Phil. Vyakarnacharya	Sanskrit grammar, Comparative Study of Sanskrit, Science & Mathematics
4. Dr YP Misra Reader	Ph.D.	Sanskrit Literature

The Sanskrit department of this institution, started in 1957 as a UG department and elevated to PG level in 1972, has earned a good name and fame as a result of the devotedness and talent of its faculty members. The department has conducted two research projects. The department has also organized Non formal Sanskrit education programme. Symposia and lectures of great dignitaries like Pt. Raghunath Sharma, Rama natha Sharma (Honolulu America), Prof AC banerjee, Prof Karunesh Shukla, Prof VK Verma, Dr ram Shanker Tripathi, Prof Umesh Chandra Pandey etc have been organized by the department. The department also organizes tutorials for students.

Dr Dinesh Pandey has published about ten research papers. He is renowned Radio talker on All India Radio, and has given about six radio talks. Dr Pandey has done remarkable work on Sanskrit literature. Dr Pandey has produced two Ph.Ds and five Scholars are enrolled.

Dr Mahanth Prasad Srivastava, another renowned Sanskrit Scholar has guided three research students and another six are enrolled under his supervision. Dr

Srivastava has produced three Ph.Ds and six scholars are currently enrolled under his supervision.

Dr Sudumnya Arya, just retired, but actively involved in research work in the department, is an internationally renowned scholar of Sanskrit. He has had an extraordinary academic record, with all round first class, **six gold and two silver medals.**

Dr Arya has produced two Ph.Ds and five scholars are enrolled. He has written 12 books in Hindi, English and Sanskrit on

- (i) Indian Philosophy and physical science under 5 volumes
- (ii) Ancient and modern mathematics
- (iii) Sanskrit grammar and linguistics

Dr Arya has further edited 10 books on the subject

- (i) Indian Literature
- (ii) Lexicography and etymology
- (iii) Ancient mathematics

Dr Arya has published about 100 articles and research papers, is member of a number of societies, and has participated in a number of national and international seminars, including one in Vienna.. Dr Arya has won several awards and honors, as listed below-

- (i) Awarded felicitation from Hon'ble President of India
- (ii) Awarded A.I. Prizes and honors from various institutions of India
- (iii) Awarded prizes 8 time from UP Sanskrit sansthan, Lucknow
- (iv) Included into 5000 personalities of the world for distinguished contribution to Sanskrit scholarship by ABI of America

Dr YP Misra has done remarkable work on Kalidas and Bhagvadgita. Three research scholars are registered with him.

2. Student Profile:

Most of the students admitted here are from UP and Bihar. They come from different social and economic sectors of society. However, their performance is many a time outstanding.

3.Changes in Courses:

The syllabus of Sanskrit at under-graduate level was last revised in 2003 following the recommendations of UGC.

4.Success rate and drop out rate:

The department has maintained a good success rate of students. The success rate of UG and PG students is more than 90% .The drop out rate is almost negligible.

5.Learning Resources of the department:

There is a Central library in the institution with a rich archive of books on different aspects of Sanskrit. However, the faculty members also have their own spectrum of books in the department. The departmental library is enriched with books donated by some faculty members. Two journals are subscribed by the department.

- 6. Modern teaching methods:** Apart from classroom teaching, we promote learning by personal discussions and tutorials. We organize guest lectures of renowned scholars of the subject too.
- 7. Academic and personal Counseling:** The staff members are always interested in providing academic and personal counseling to our students.
- 8. Faculty development programmes:** All the faculty member have attended the required number of orientation and refresher courses.
- 9. Participation in academic activities:**

All the faculty members are regularly involved in teaching, consultancy and research, as is evinced by their profiles given above.

Other Academic Activities-

Our faculty members are routinely involved in other college/university activities, like proctorship, admission, examination, evaluation, etc. Dr Dinesh Pandey has served as Convener, Board of Studies for two terms. He is director of PG Sanskrit Parishad and member of many administrative bodies of college.

Dr MP Srivastava has served as Student Welfare Officer, Convener and Programme officer, NSS; Chief Proctor and member of many other administrative bodies.

10. Collaboration with other departments and institutions: Dr Sudumnya Arya has worked in collaboration with many other institutions.

11. Priority Areas of Research and Publications of last two years- Priority areas of research are mentioned in the faculty profiles. Some of their important publications are listed below-

Dr Dinesh Pandey

Ayam Yajno Bhuvanasya nabhih

Muhurtam Prajvalitam Shreyah

Satyam Shivam Sundaram

Malti madhav: Ek Prakaran

Vaidic Aryon ka pey: Som-Sura

Dr Sudumnya Arya

As given in faculty profile

Dr YP Misra

Sri Bhagvad Gita me Karm Mimansa

12. Placement record of Students- We have a good placement record of students in different fields. A list of some of the alumni is given below-

Dr Lila Singh- Reader SBPG College, Jaunpur

Dr RA Pandey-Reader- KD Bajoria Degree College, ballia

Dr Urmila Singh- Reader, Mathura degree college

Dr KK Pandey- Reader

Dr SD Singh- Reader

Sri CP Ojha- Religious teacher in Army

13. Plan of action of the department for the next five years:

The future plan of action of the department is to establish a departmental library and ICT facilities in the department.