

Optional Course for Other than SCTS (PG)
Course Title: INTRODUCTION TO TAMIL LANGUAGE

Course Type: GE-1 CREDIT: 04
LANGUAGE COURSE CODE: TS 501 L

Objectives:

Introducing Tamil Language to Non-Tamil students for comparative research in future.

There are Four units in the course: Medium of teaching: English.

Unit-I : Tamil Alphabet- Vowels and consonants, Numerals.

Unit-II : Tamil Morphology: Word formation, Number, Gender, Case, Tense.

Unit-III : Various types of Sentences: Simple, Compound& Complex.

Unit-IV : Reading of Selected texts: Newspaper or Magazine.

Assessment method:

Class Test	Term Paper	Seminar Paper	End Semester Exam
10 Marks	20 Marks	20 Marks	50 Marks

Additional Resources:

Albert D.C.(Tr.), 1985 .*Tolkappiyam: Phonology and Morphology : English Translation* , Chennai:
International Institute of Tamil Studies.

Ganesan S.N., 1975. *A Contrastive Grammar of Hindi and Tamil*, Chennai : University of Madras.

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Rajaram, S. *An Intensive course in Tamil: dialogues, drills, exercises, vocabulary, grammar and word index*.
CIIL, 1979, Mysore.

Ramanujan, A.K. *The Interior Landscape: Classical Tamil love poems*. New York review books, 2014,
USA.

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Optional Course for Other than SCTS (PG)
Course Title: INTRODUCTION TO TAMIL LITERATURE

Course Type: GE-2 CREDIT: 04
LANGUAGE COURSE CODE: TS 502 L

Objectives:

Introducing Tamil Literature to Non-Tamil students for comparative research in future.

There are Four units in the course: Medium of teaching: English.

Unit-I : Short Stories: Puthumaipiththan short story (any one)

Unit-II : Bharathiyar poem (Vande Maaatharam Enbom)

Unit-III : Thirukkural Poem No 972

Unit-IV : Kurunthogai Poem No 40 , Purananuru Poem No 192

Assessment method:

Class Test	Term Paper	Seminar Paper	End Semester Exam
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Zvelebil K.V.,1974. *History of Tamil Literature (A History of Indian Literature vol 1 ,*

Ed by Jan Gonda), Ott Harrassowitz – wiesbaden.

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