

राष्ट्रीयसंस्कृतविद्यापीठम्

(विश्वविद्यालयानुदानायोगस्य 1956 धारायाः तृतीयानुभागेन स्थापितः विश्वविद्यालयः)

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PROSPECTUS

cum

ADMISSION RULES — 2007-08

RASHTRIYA SANSKRIT VIDYAPEETHA

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TIRUPATI - 517 507 (A.P.)



Sahitya Class-Room



Nyaya Class-Room



Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan being elicited on the rare Manuscript collections of Vidyapeetha's Library during his visit to Vidyapeetha campus in 1962



Computer Laboratory



Language Laboratory

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PROSPECTUS CUM ADMISSION RULES for the Academic year 2007-08

I. REGULAR COURSES

1. Under Graduate courses :

- (1) Prak-Sastri (eq. to Intermediate) (2) Sastri (eq. to B.A.)
(3) Sastri Vedabhashya (eq. to B.A.) (4) B.A.

2. Post Graduate courses :

- (1) Acharya (eq. to M.A.) in 15 Sastras
(2) Master Course in Sabdabodha Systems & Language Technology

3. Research Courses

- (1) M.Phil. (8 Sastras) (2) M.Phil. (Education) (3) Vidyavaridhi (eq. to Ph.D.)

4. Professional Courses

- (1) Siksha Sastri (eq. to B.Ed.) (2) Siksha Acharya (eq. to M.Ed.)

5. P.G. Diploma Courses :

- (1) Research Methodology & Manuscriptology (2) Yoga Vijnana

II. EVENING COURSES

1. Certificate Courses :

- (1) Temple Culture (2) Pourohitya (3) Functional English (4) Jyotisha

2. Diploma Courses :

- (1) Temple Culture (2) Pourohitya

3. P.G. Diploma Courses (Part time Dual Degree course for Acharya & Vidyavaridhi students of R.S.Vidyapeetha only)

- (1) P.G.Diploma in Web Technology (2) P.G. Diploma in Yogavijnan
(3) Natural Language Processing

4. (1) Diploma in Sanskrit & Law

- (2) Diploma in Management with Oriental Orientation

5. The Vidyapeetha offers the following Career Oriented Programmes as Add-on courses with the financial support of U.G.C.

- (1) DTP in Indian Languages (3) Puranetihasa
(2) Web Technology (4) Vastu Sastra

Last Date for submission of applications : 15-06-2007

Faculties and Departments

Faculty of Vedavedanga

1. Dept. of Vyakarana
2. Dept. of Jyotisha
3. Dept. of Dharmasastra
4. Unit of Computer Applications/Science
5. Unit of History
6. Unit of Mathematics

Faculty of Darsana

1. Dept of Nyaya
2. Dept. of Advaita Vedanta
3. Dept. of Visistadvaita Vedanta
4. Dept. of Dvaita Vedanta
5. Department of Agama
6. Department of Mimamsa
7. Dept. of Sankhya Yoga

Faculty of Sahitya & Samskriti

1. Dept. of Sahitya [UGC Speical Assistance Programme - DRS-1]
2. Dept. of Puranethihasa
3. Units –
(a) English (b) Telugu (c) Hindi

Faculty of Education

Dept. of Education (Pedagogy)

Dept. of Research and Publications

Unit of Physical Education

Prof. HAREKRISHNA SATAPATHY
Vice-Chancellor

Prof. K.E. GOVINDAN
Dean, Academic Affairs

Prof. K. RAVISANKARA MENON
Dean, Faculty of Education

Prof. K. RAMASURYANARAYANA
Dean, Faculty of Sahitya & Samskriti

Prof. K.E. DEVANATHAN
Dean, Faculty of Darsana

Prof. R.K. THAKUR
Dean, Faculty of Vedavedanga

Prof. A. GURUMURTHI
Registrar

Introduction.

Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, a University established under section 3 of the U.G.C. Act, 1956 is a premier institution in the field of higher learning in Sanskrit studies, Traditional Sastras and Pedagogy. It is funded by the Ministry of Human Resource Development through UGC. The Vidyapeetha has a long history in the service of Sanskrit education.

The Vidyapeetha was established at Tirupati(A.P.) in 1961 by the Govt. of India on the recommendations of the Central Sanskrit Commission as an autonomous body under the name of **Kendriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, Tirupati society**. Dr. S. Radhakrishnan, the then Vice President of India laid the foundation stone of the Vidyapeetha on 4th January 1962. The basic objectives of setting up the Vidyapeetha is to impart and improve Sanskrit pedagogy, to accelerate the pace of higher Sanskrit learning and to combine the traditional Sanskrit education with modern scientific research.

Later, Kendriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, Tirupati came under the administrative control of Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan as an autonomous body under the Ministry of Education in April 1971. **In the year 1987, the Vidyapeetha was declared as a Deemed University by the Government of India**, considering its progress in the past 25 years. It was formally inaugurated by the President of India Sri R. Venkataraman on 26th of August 1989. Considering its progress all these years, this Vidyapeetha was given the status of **Center of Excellence in Traditional Sastras** during the X Plan period, for its development and research activities in Traditional Sastras and Sanskrit studies.

The students from different parts of India are studying various Sastras as well as modern subjects like Computer Science, Maths, History etc., in this university. A unique feature of the Vidypaeetha is that the medium of instruction for imparting Traditional Sastras is Sanskrit.

Location.

The Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha having a sprawling campus of 42 acres is located at the foot of the Tirumala Hills the abode of Lord Sri Venkateswara (Balaji) near Alipiri. The Vidyapeetha campus, adjacent to SVIMS (Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences), is at a distance of 4 k.m. away from Railway Station and A.P.S.R.T.C. Bus stand. It can be approached through Reservoir Road or Balaji Colony.

Emblem.

The Motto on the emblem “*tamaso ma jyothirgamaya*” speaks of the vision and idealism for which the Vidyapeetha was established. The emblem comprises a circle, a rectangular base, two lamps on either side, a bunch of palm leaves, the petals of a lotus, each of which are of immense significance. Besides these, it includes the rays of the sun which are considered as a perennial source of creative thoughts.

Vidyapeetha — Centre of Excellence in Traditional Sastras.

The Vidyapeetha has achieved a rare honour of being recognised as a Centre of Excellence in Traditional Sastras by the UGC after considering its achievements, potential for future development and academic excellence earned in the field of teaching and research in Traditional Sastras.

Under this scheme, the following activities have been undertaken by the Vidyapeetha.

1. Post-Acharya Training in Sastric Studies (Sastravaridhi course).
2. Publications.
3. Preparation of Sanskrit - Self Learning Kit.
4. Lipi - Vikasa Pradarsini.
5. Extension of Sansk-Net activity.
6. Master of Natural Language Processing.

7. Audio-Video documentation of Sastric discourses.
8. Audio - Video Recording Centre.
9. Digitalisation of Manuscripts.
10. Tools for ancient script learning.
11. Documentation of Artefacts used in rituals.
12. Yoga, Stress Management and Healing Centre.

3. Vidyapeetha Accredited at the A+ Level by NAAC.

The National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) has accredited the **Vidyapeetha with A+ grade** in August, 2003.

SALIENT FEATURES

Teaching and Learning Facilities.

The Vidyapeetha feels proud to have introduced various centres of learning viz., Functional Sanskrit Centre, Computer Laboratory, Language Laboratory etc. The computer laboratory exposes the staff and students to computers. The Functional Sanskrit Centre has played a major role in preparing a comprehensive curriculum and in imparting training to the learners on various aspects of functional sanskrit. The new multimedia language laboratory offers an opportunity to the students to learn the English language through the use of software. These centres encourage learning and corresponding in Sanskrit as well as learning other languages simultaneously. Learning becomes a tapasya at the lotus feet of Lord Venkateswara, the Lord of Seven Hills.

Research and Publications.

The Research and Publications Department of the Vidyapeetha has brought out more than 130 valuable publications on Veda, Vedanta, Agama, Jyotisha, Nyaya, Vyakarana, Sahitya, Education, Sanskrit-Science and other subjects. A research journal *Mahasvini* is being published bi-annually. The Vidyapeetha is putting its best efforts to bring out rich scientific knowledge hidden in Sanskrit literature through *Sanskrita Vijnana Vaibhavam Series*. The Vidyapeetha has a well equipped Computer Unit and Offset Printing Press to handle all DTP and printing works.

Career opportunities.

The courses in the Vidyapeetha are so designed as to offer job opportunities not only in Sanskrit institutions but also in other general universities and educational institutions such as Sainik schools, Kendriya Vidyalayas and Navodaya Vidyalayas all over India.

The Vidyapeetha has been offering several Career Oriented Programmes with the assistance of UGC and also other Dual Degree programmes. These programmes provide necessary training and technical skills to the students in building up their careers apart from providing job opportunities. There is lot of scope for self-employment for these students.

Earn while you learn.

The Vidyapeetha has been providing opportunities to its students to do some part-time jobs in the scheme of '**Earn while you learn**'. Most of the students of Vidyapeetha having computer and other technical skills are engaged in several research projects and other university programmes and thus providing opportunities to earn sufficiently to meet their expenses. It is also contemplated to provide more opportunities in the coming years to the students and Research Scholars of the Vidyapeetha under this scheme to earn for their maintenance while continuing their regular studies.

All India Sanskrit Students' Talent Festival.

The University has achieved a unique distinction of organising the All India Sanskrit Students Talent Festival for 4 days inviting participants from Sanskrit institutions all over India in order to encourage and bring to light the hidden talents/skills among the students by holding competitions in curricular, co-curricular, cultural, literary aspects etc. The students of this Vidyapeetha have the reputation of participating in the said National Level Competitions and also winning cash prizes Gold/Silver/Bronze medals. The Vidyapeetha also organises so many other competitions and the students are awarded medals and cash prizes.

Bridge Course.

The University has been conducting 'Bridge Courses' to the students admitted into different programmes. Apart from conducting special training programmes and bridge courses, the university conducts remedial coaching in communication through Sanskrit, spoken English and Traditional Sastras.

The Vidyapeetha has the literary and cultural organisations of the students namely *Vagvardhini parishad* and *Max Mullers Club*. The students of Vidyapeetha through Vagvardhini Parishad conduct several literary and cultural programmes in Sanskrit, thus providing scope and avenue for presenting the hidden talents and skills of the students. This also helps in improving the communication skills in Sanskrit language. In the same way, Max Muller club provides scope for participating in the essay writing and elocution competitions and thus helping the students in developing their talents in communication and other skills in English language.

Gold Medals.

To encourage merit among the students, the Vidyapeetha has been presenting Gold Medals to the best graduates at Sastri, Siksha Sastri and for the students securing highest marks at Acharya level in all the Sastras including Siksha Acharya. All these Vidyapeetha gold medals are presented during the convocation every year.

Apart from these, the Vidyapeetha has been presenting Gold Medals endowed in the name of great personalities by donors, Endowment Prizes, Cash Prizes to the meritorious students every year during the Convocation

UGC Special Assistance Programme to Sahitya Department.

The UGC has sanctioned Rs.30.50 lakhs plus two Project Fellows to the Dept. of Sahitya of this Vidyapeetha under its Special Assistance Programme (SAP). The Dept. of Sahitya of the Vidyapeetha was selected for sanction of the SAP on the basis of their work, academic achievement and viable potential for further development. The essence and primary aim of this UGC scheme is a combination of teaching and research to encourage group research efforts in pursuit of excellence. The special assistance for the Dept. of Sahitya is for a period of five years. The thrust area of Sahitya identified under this programme is "Comprehensive encyclopaedia of Sanskrit Poetics basing on some standard texts i.e. *Kavyaprakasa, Sahityadarpana and Dhvanyaloka*".

Sanskrit Science Exhibition.

Sanskrit-Science Exhibition aims at highlighting the scientific wisdom preserved in the Sanskrit literature. As a part of this project, nearly 140 concepts on Ayurveda, Chemistry, Astronomy, Aeronautics, Geology, Physics, Botany, Mathematics, Meteorology, Metallurgy, Economics, Management, Gemmology and Acoustics have been prepared and exhibited in different places all over India besides the one organised at St. Petersburg, Russia, at the invitation of the International Centre of the Reoerichs.



**Hon'ble Chancellor of Vidyapeetha
presenting Gold Medal in Convocation**



**Release of Budharanjani 2007 - Literary &
Cultural Magazine of the Vidyapeetha**



**All India Sanskrit Students' Talent Festival - 2007
Vidyapeetha students with Rolling Shield**



Vidyapeetha Students in Scout Camp



Max-Muller Club - Valedictory Session

Orissa Chair.

The Government of Orissa has established the Orissa Chair in the Vidyapeetha with the seed grant of Rs. 50 lacs to do intensive and extensive research, to bring out publications on Lord Jagannatha and to highlight the contributions made by Sri Chaitanya Mahaprabhu and poet Sri Jayadeva to the cultural heritage of our country. The Chair was formally inaugurated by Justice Sri Ranganath Misra, Former Chief Justice of India and Chairman, Central Sanskrit Board, Government of India on 14th October, 2000.

Yogavijnana Centre.

Vidyapeetha has established a *Yogavijnana Centre* with the assistance of UGC to provide an opportunity to students, staff and general public for Yoga Education and Practice. The Vidyapeetha has introduced an optional Yoga paper with practical orientation in the three years Sastri Course. The Centre has started a P.G. Diploma course in Yogavijnana under regular system.

The Alphabet Gallery (Lipi Vikasa Pradarsini).

The gallery arranged in the Vidyapeetha aims to trace the origin, growth and development of the Indus alphabetic writing from 3000 B.C. to 1500 B.C. and further into Brahmi Script of 300 B.C. from which other Indian regional scripts had evolved. The early phase of this writing is illustrated with the help of inscribed Indus seals and seal impressions of Lothal displayed in the Alphabet Gallery. The methodology adopted in deciphering the Indus script is explained through charts.

Co-Curricular Activities.

- ⇒ **NSS** : The students form part of the National Service Scheme to channelise their energies to perform selfless service to the society.
- ⇒ **Vagvardhini Parishad** which forms part of the Vidyapeetha engages itself in allowing students to take part in elocutions, debates, seminars, quiz etc. week after week.
- ⇒ **Max Muller English Club**, a voluntary organisation run by the students themselves, under the guidance of the staff of the English Unit, aims at developing the oratory and communicative skills of English in the Sanskrit students and
- ⇒ The creation of a **Kalaparishad** encourages improvement of cultural talents in the students.

In addition to these the students participate in many co-curricular activities including Music, Drama, Sports and other Literary competitions conducted in other Universities also. Gold medals are bagged by the students every year in Inter-University competitions in various academic, literary and cultural competitions besides winning prizes in sports and games activities.

Extension Activities.

- ❖ **Sanskrit Day Celebrations** : Every year the Vidyapeetha celebrates Sanskrit Day on *Sravana Purnima* by organising various functions like *Kavi Goshti*, *Antyakshari*, *Ashtavadhanam* etc. in a colourful manner for a week.
- ❖ **Spoken Sanskrit Courses** : The Vidyapeetha conducts *Sanskrit Sambhashana Sibirams* every year for the benefit of the public who are interested to learn Sanskrit language. Each *Sibiram* will be for a period of 10 days to enable them to learn & speak in simple Sanskrit.
- ❖ **Organizing Meetings of Traditional Scholars and Modern Scientists** : The Vidyapeetha has become a common platform for interaction among traditional scholars and modern scientists. The interactions result in unravelling of various scientific and technological concepts hidden in our ancient Sanskrit scriptures.

COURSES OFFERED

The University offers traditional courses in Sahitya, Puranetihasa, Vyakarana, Veda Bhasya, Jyotisha, Dharmasastra, Nyaya, Vedanta, Mimamsa, Agama, Sankhya Yoga, etc., along with modern subjects like Computer Science, Mathematics, History etc.

The Professional Courses offered in the university are Siksha Sastri (B.Ed.) and Siksha Acharya (M.Ed.) monitored by National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE). Other courses leading to Diploma, P.G.Diploma and Research Degrees are also available under various faculties.

REGULAR COURSES.

The following are the regular courses offered by the Vidyapeetha :-

I. Undergraduate Courses.

1. PRAK SASTRI (Eq. to INTERMEDIATE/+2)

Duration : Two years course ; Age : 15 to 18 years as on 01-06-2007. No upper age limit for ladies.

Scheme of study :

Part-1 : 1st Language : English

2nd Language : Hindi/Telugu/Sanskrit

Part-2 : Paper-1 : Sanskrit (Compulsory)

Optional Sastra of Sahitya/Vyakarana/Darsana/Jyotisha will be taught during second year syllabus.

Paper-2 : Sanskrit (Compulsory)

Paper-3 : Sanskrit (Compulsory)

Paper-4 : Mathematics/History (optional)

Paper-5 : Computers

Eligibility : Pass in one of the following examinations of 10 years study with minimum five or six papers. The maximum marks should be 500 and above with English as one paper.

- (a) S.S.C./CBSE/NOS with Sanskrit or without Sanskrit and pass in ABHIJNA of Samskrita Bhasha Pracharini Sabha, Chittoor.
- (b) Purva Madhyama of (1) Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan, New Delhi.
(2) Sampurnananda Sanskrit University, Varanasi
- (c) Sanskrit Entrance Examination conducted by the Govt. of A.P with English.
- (d) Any examination recognized as equivalent to X class with Sanskrit.
- (e) S.S.C without Sanskrit. In such cases the candidate will be eligible to join the course subject to passing the entrance test in Sanskrit conducted by the R.S.Vidyapeetha, Tirupati.

2. **SASTRI** (Eq. to B.A.) No. of seats = 15 seats in each Sastra × 9 sastras =135

Duration : Three years

Age : Minimum 17 years (as on 01-06-2007)

Scheme of study : Part I - I. Language- English
II Language – Telugu/Hindi/Sanskrit

Part II - Three Electives :

1st elective : One from the following sastras :

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| 1. Sahitya | 2. Vyakarana | 3. Phalitha Jyotisha |
| 4. SiddhantaJyotisha | 5. Nyaya | 6. Advaita Vedanta |
| 7. Visistadvaita Vedanta | 8. Dwaita Vedanta | 9. Mimamsa |
| 10. Agama | | |

2nd and 3rd electives : Any two from the following one from each group :

Group A

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| 1. English Literature | 2. Telugu Literature |
| 3. Hindi Literature | |

Group B

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| 1. Mathematics (150) | 2. Archakatva & Pourohitya |
| 3. Yoga & Meditation | |

Group C

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| 1. Computer Applications | 2. Computer Science |
| 3. History | |

Special Note : Those who are opting Mathematics and Computer Science, should have passed the qualifying examination with Mathematics.

No. of seats in Computer Science & Applications – 20 each

Eligibility : Pass in any one of the following examinations as in 10+2 pattern.

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| (a) | Uttara Madhyama of | 1) Sampoorananda Sanskrit University, Varanasi,
2) Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan, New Delhi. |
| (b) | Prak-Sastri of | 1) Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha , Tirupati
2) Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan, New Delhi |
| (c) | Madhyama of | Kasi Hindu Viswavidyalaya, Varanasi. |
| (d) | Varishtopadhyaya of | Rajasthan Board of Intermediate Education, Ajmer. |
| (e) | Upasastris of | 1) Sree Jagannatha Sanskrit University, Puri.
2) Kameshwar Singh Sanskrit University, Darbhanga |
| (f) | Sahitya of Karnataka State. | |
| (g) | (1) | Intermediate or equivalent examination with Sanskrit or Vichakshana of Samskrita Bhasha Pracharini Sabha, Chittoor of + 2 stage in 10+2+3 Pattern conducted by a State Board/University/Institute recognized by Vidyapeetha. |
| | (2) | Equivalent course without Sanskrit at plus 2 stage but studied Sanskrit at school level(10 th class) subject to the passing of the entrance test conducted by the Vidyapeetha |

3. **SASTRI** Vedabhashya (Eq. B.A.) No. of seats – 15

Duration : Three years

Age : Minimum 17 years (as on 01-06-2007)

Eligibility : Those who have passed/completed Samhita (Rigveda or Yajurveda) and have some knowledge of Sanskrit are eligible, subject to the passing of entrance test conducted by the Vidyapeetha in Samhita of respective Veda and Sanskrit.

Pass in +2 or knowledge of English is not compulsory.

Note : In Sastri/B.A., Sanskrit will be taught in Sanskrit medium only and medium of Examination will also be Sanskrit. For other subjects medium of instruction and Examination will be in English and respective language for languages.

4. **B.A.**

Duration, Age, Eligibility - as specified in the Sastri course.

No. of seats : 40 (20 seats of Computer Science/Applications and 20 for other combinations)

Scheme of study : **Part I** : (a) 1st Language – English

(b) 2nd Language – Telugu/Hindi/Sanskrit,

(c) History of Vedic & Classical Sanskrit Literature.

Part II : I Elective: Sanskrit (Compulsory)

II & III Electives: Any two from the following one from each group :

Group A

1. English Literature

2. Telugu Literature

3. Hindi Literature

Group B

1. Mathematics (150)

2. Archakatva & Pourohitya

3. Yoga & Meditation

Group C

1. Computer Applications

2. Computer Science

3. History

(a) Yoga & Meditation OR

(b) Archakatva & Pourohithya
(Audio-visual laboratory facility)

II. Post Graduate Courses.

1. ACHARYA (eq.M.A.) : In one of the following sastras (subjects)

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| 1. Sahitya (60) | 6. Advaita Vedanta (20) | 11. Dharma Sastra (15) |
| 2. Vyakarana (30) | 7. Visistadvaita Vedanta (15) | 12. Sankhya Yoga (15) |
| 3. Phalitha Jyotisha (15) | 8. Dwaita Vedanta (15) | 13. Puranetihasa (15) |
| 4. Siddhanta Jyotisha (15) | 9. Agama (15) | 14. Vedabhashyam (15) |
| 5. Nyaya (15) | 10. Mimamsa (15) | |

No. of seats indicated in brackets against each sastra.

Duration : 4 semesters in Two years.

Age : Minimum 20 years as on 01-06-2007

Eligibility : (a) Pass in 3 year degree course / Sastri / any Graduate from a recognised University with Sanskrit as second language or as an elective subject.

(b) Two years degree course with Bridge course of

- Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, Tirupati.
- Sri Lal Bahadur Sastri Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, New Delhi.
- Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan, New Delhi.

(c) Siromani Final examination of

- Madras University, Madras.
- Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar.

(d) Siromani final examination of S.V. University, Tirupati

(e) Sastra Bhushana Final examination of Kerala Government.

(f) Vidyapraveena final examination of Andhra University, Waltair.

(g) Vidyalankara and Vedalankara examinations of Gurukula Kangeri Viswavidyalaya, Haridwar.

(h) Vidwat Madyama examination of Karnataka Government.

(i) B.A.(O.L)/B.A.(L),B.A./B.A(Hons.)/B.O.L/M.A/equivalent examinations with Sanskrit of all recognized universities.

(j) Any other examination recognized by the Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth as equivalent to Sastri/Acharya.

RULES TO SELECT THE SUBJECT.

- Those who want to join the Acharya course may select any one of the above mentioned Sastras.
- Generally the main subject opted in Sastri/B.A.(O.L.) course can be taken at Acharya level.
- If any candidate wants to opt a subject other than the main subject opted in Sastri B.A level, he has to produce a certificate of evidence from a traditional scholar that he has studied the subject under him privately. A candidate can be admitted in any branch without such a certificate also if the admission committee is satisfied with his performance in the interview and recommends for admission.

4. Those who have passed B.A. or equivalent examination of any university with Sanskrit for 200 marks are allowed to opt Sahitya only at Acharya level.
5. Those who have passed B.A. or equivalent examination of any university with Sanskrit as a subject and Darsana as main subject can opt Advaita/Visistadvaita/Dvaita Vedanta at Acharya level.
6. Those who have passed Vedalankara or Vidyalankara are eligible to opt for Sahitya only.
7. Those who have passed B.A. or B.Sc. with Astronomy as main subject and Sanskrit are eligible to opt for Siddhanta Jyothisha only.
8. Those who have passed Acharya/M.A. with one subject can opt for any subject in the Acharya course, subject to the approval of the Admission Committee and Vice-Chancellor.
9. The Admission Committee is empowered to accept or reject the option of any subject at the time of interview. The decision of the Vice-Chancellor on the assignment of subject to the candidates on the recommendation of the admission Committee shall be final.

2. M.A. in Sanskrit - Sabdabodha Systems & Language Technology.

- * An Interdisciplinary Course of Unique Type Under Credit based Semester System of Education.
- * A blend of Computer Science, Modern Linguistics and Sabdabodha Systems like Vyakarana, Nyaya and Mimamsa.
- * An Avenue for a new area of research in Sanskrit.
- * An opportunity for good placements.

Duration : 4 semesters in 2 years

No of Seats : 10

Admissions will be given based on merit and performance in the interview.

Medium of Instruction : Sanskrit, English and Hindi.

Eligibility Criteria.

1. Sastri/B.A./ any other equivalent degree (Preferably in Nyaya, Vyakarana, Mimamsa or Darsana.) with Computer Science/Computer Applications or sufficient Computer background.
2. B.A./B.Sc./BCA/ any other equivalent degree with Sanskrit and Computer Science or Mathematics background.

Supporting bridge courses will be offered to the admitted students before starting the actual course to strengthen their knowledge in Computer Science, Sanskrit and Mathematics so that the students will be brought under a uniform plane.

Support.

Selected students will be provided with Scholarship on par with other Master Courses in the Vidyapeetha.

Fees : Rs. 600/- Library Deposit refundable (Rs. 200/-).

Website : www.rsvidyapeetha.ac.in/nlp.html

E-mail : nlpdept@yahoo.co.in

III. Research Programmes.

1. M.Phil. in one of the following Sastras.

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| 1. Sahitya | 4. Nyaya | 7. Dvaita Vedanta |
| 2. Vyakarana | 5. Advaita Vedanta | 8. Agama |
| 3. Jyotisha [Phalitha&Siddhanta] | 6. Visistadvaita Vedanta | |

Duration : Two Semesters in One Year.

Eligibility : Acharya or equivalent degree in the concerned subject with atleast 55% marks, where as for Scheduled Caste and Schedule Tribe candidates the minimum marks required is 50% only.

2. M.Phil. in Education.

Duration : Two Semesters in One Year.

Eligibility : M.Ed., or Siksha Acharya with a minimum of 55% marks, whereas the minimum will be 50% for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe candidates. Proficiency in Sanskrit is a must.

Selection : Selection will be made on the basis of merit. Applicant's writing skills in Sanskrit will be assessed by way of a brief write-up half an hour before the interview. Marks in the qualifying examination and performance in the write-up and also interview shall be the criteria for selection. Separate merit list will be prepared for different sastras.

Medium : Sanskrit only (for Dissertation writing also).

3. VIDYAVARIDHI (Doctor of Philosophy).

In Sahitya/Vyakarana/Jyotisha(Phalita, Sidhanta)/Nyaya//Advaita Vedanta/ Visista-dvaita Vedanta/Dvaita Vedanta/Vedabhashya/Agama//Education.

The Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, Tirupati will award the degree of Vidyavaridhi to the students admitted as per rules of the Vidyapeetha, after completion of their research work duly evaluated by the examiners appointed by the Vidyapeetha for this purpose.

The Sanskrit version of the degree will bear the name Vidyavaridhi and the corresponding English version of the degree will be **DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**.

Eligibility.

Acharya or M.A.(Sanskrit) degree or equivalent degree/oriental title recognized by the Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth, Tirupati with a minimum of 55% marks, whereas the minimum will be 50% for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe candidates.

Candidates who have passed Acharya I year and appeared/appearing for II year are also eligible to appear for Vidyavaridhi entrance test. They will be admitted to the Vidyavaridhi course on passing of the entrance test and the two years Acharya course as per the existing rules. (The hall-ticket of Acharya II year examination and Xerox copy of the I year marks statement should be enclosed along with their application).

Candidates who are appearing in M.Phil. (Skt.) P.G.Diploma in Research Methodology and Manuscriptology/ any other Post-M.A.(Skt.) course of one year duration will be given exemption from the entrance test provided the candidate applies through this prospectus and submits provisional certificate etc., by 15th August 2007.

An aptitude test for entrance to Vidyavaridhi, *on the abridged pattern of UGC NET* will be conducted and the candidates declared to have passed the test/ exempted from the test under rules, shall approach the Vidyapeetha for a guide or an outside scholar approved by the Vidyapeetha as a Research Guide and submit his formal approval in writing to guide them and get it forwarded in the proforma to the Registrar.

Unless exempted under the rules, all applicants are required to qualify in the Vidyavaridhi Entrance Test to be eligible for interview for the selection of topic. Candidates who have passed NET/SLET accredited by UGC, M.Phil.in the related Sastra and subjects/ P.G.Diploma in Research Methodology and Manuscriptology and university/ college teacher who would like to join the course under faculty improvement programme of UGC are exempted from the entrance test conducted by the Vidyapeetha and they may apply directly for admission.

The Vidyavaridhi Entrance Test will be held : On 02-07-2007

The syllabus of UGC NET Examination will be broadly followed for Part A and Part B of Vidyavaridhi Entrance Test.

PART - A (50 Objective questions)

50×1=50 marks

The following subjects are specified with a maximum of 4 marks each and each question asked in the paper will carry one mark.

Subjects / Areas.

Vedas ; Jyotisha ; Vyakaranam (Sandhi, Samasa, Karaka, Kriyapada, Vakya-rachanam); Sahitya Sastra ; Advaita Vedanta; Dvaita Vedanta ; Vishitadvaita Vedanta ; Sankhya Yoga ; Dharma Sastra; Mimamsa ; Purnanetihasa ; Nyaya ; Research aptitude ; Kavi ; Kavyas and Education.

Question Pattern.

The pattern of 50 Objective questions will be as shown below.

- (1) 20 Questions -fill in the blanks (without giving alternatives)
- (2) 20 Questions -as multiple choices marking a, b, c, d.
- (3) 10 Questions - Single sentence answers.

Part - B (Descriptive)

5×10=50

This part will consist of Question no. I & II.

- (a) Question No. I will be **COMPULSORY** for all and will consist of questions on A) *History of Vedic Literature* B) *History of Classical Sanskrit Literature* C) *Vedangas* and D) *Darsanas*. In all, there will be **FOUR** questions, one from each of the above branches. Students are required to answer **ONE** question at their discretion from any branch. 10×1=10
- (b) Question No. II will be **SPECIALISED** in a particular Sastra. There will be **FIVE** questions in each of the following branches and the student is required to answer **FOUR** only from a particular Sastra, studied at the post-graduation level. 10×4=40

Subjects / Areas.

Phalita Jyotisha ; Siddhanta Jyotisha ; Vyakarana Sastra; Sahitya Sastra ; Advaita Vedanta; Dvaita Vedanta ; Visistadvaita Vedanta; Nyaya ; Mimamsa ; Dharma Sastra ; Sankhya Yoga; Puranetihasa ; Vedic studies, General Sanskrit Studies, Sabdabodha Systems and Education.

1. The fee for the entrance test for Vidyavaridhi Course is Rs. 200/- only. The amount may be paid by Demand draft in favour of the Registrar, Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth, Tirupati. The D.D. should be enclosed along with the prescribed application form.
2. The entrance test will be conducted at Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, Tirupati only.
3. Fees once paid will not be refunded.

Research Scholars admitted under (a) Regular and (b) Part-Time programmes.

1. Regular students will pursue the course working fulltime in the Vidyapeetha, under the guides on all working days of the Vidyapeetha for a minimum period of *three years* (or two years as mentioned below at Sl.No. 4) securing 75% total attendance.
2. The candidates admitted as regular scholars shall continue as regular scholars till the completion of one year or till the end of Pre-Vidyavaridhi Test (PVVT) whichever is earlier. No change will be allowed before the completion of such period.
3. The part-time research scholars will pursue the course for a minimum period of *three years* (or two years as mentioned below at Sl.No. 4) with a stipulation to complete 90 days of attendance.
4. The minimum period will be two years in case of holders of P.G.Diploma in Research Methodology and Manuscriptology /M.Phil. in Sanskrit/Vidyavaridhi (Ph.D.) in the related subject or area. In such cases the private Research Scholars shall have to work for 60 days under the guide.
5. Any qualified employee of the Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, Tirupati or a teacher in any recognised school or college having *three years of experience* certified by the competent authority will be eligible to register as Part time Research Scholar and will have to pursue the research under his guide. Such candidates have to attend 30 days *Compulsory Personal Contact Programme* in the First Year of the course and undergo instructions on the Pre-Vidyavaridhi courses. He has to complete remaining 60 days of attendance in the next two years under his guide. Then only he will be considered eligible to submit thesis.
6. Regular as well as private Research Scholars shall present 2 Research papers on the proposed final thesis during the last 90 days of the Vidyavaridhi Period to make themselves eligible to submit the thesis.
7. After the expiry of three years, if required a candidate will be considered for an extension for one year subject to the approval of the Vidyapeetha Research Committee. Maximum permissible extension will be for two years only from the date of registration.
8. In case, the candidate is unable to submit his thesis within five years, he will have to apply for re-registration.
9. After the completion of 10 months but within 15 months from the date of registration, the scholar is required to appear in the Pre-Vidyavaridhi (PVVT) Test consisting of three papers, 100 marks each.
10. If any regular or private candidate joins in any regular full time degree course either in the Vidyapeetha or outside the registration stands cancelled forthwith. No break period shall be allowed during the Vidyavaridhi (Ph.D.) course to join in any regular course or employment or service.
11. The rules framed by University Grants Commission (UGC) shall apply to all JRFs / SRFs.

PROCEDURE FOR ADMISSION.

- a) In consultation with the Guide, the candidates will submit an abstract of his proposed thesis in FIVE copies with the certificates that the topic proposed is a new one and will be his original contribution to knowledge. It will be a new interpretation of a text, topic or critical edition of hitherto unpublished work or bringing out a fresh edition by applying principles of higher criticism to a work/text effecting further improvements on the texts along with elaborate introduction and critical notes *provided the proposed guide endorses the work for higher textual criticism*. The medium of presentation of the thesis shall be Sanskrit in Devanagari Script.
- b) Normally, a student will be eligible to pursue his research in the field/ Sastra in which he has passed ACHARYA examination or equivalent. In special circumstances, the candidates can be allowed to work in allied subjects such as within Darsanas, Puranas, Vedas, Branches of Vyakarana, Nyaya and Jyotisha with reference to the field of his specialization at the Acharya level or its equivalent.
- c) In order to promote interdisciplinary research, the Research Committee, if considered necessary may allow a candidate to take approved Co-guide from within the Vidyapeetha or other recognized institutes/universities.

IV. Professional Courses.

1. **Siksha Sastri (eq. to B.Ed.)**
2. **Siksha Acharya (eq. to M.Ed.)**

For admission into these courses, a separate notification was issued which can be seen in the Vidyapeetha website.

V. P.G. Diploma Courses.

1. **Post Graduate Diploma in Research Methodology and Manuscriptology**

Duration : One Year Regular Course [Annual Examination]

Eligibility : Acharya or M.A.(Sanskrit) degree or equivalent degree/oriental title recognized by the Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth, Tirupati with a minimum of 55% marks, whereas the minimum will be 50% for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe candidates.

Selection : Selection will be made on the basis of number of applications received subject to availability of seats [Other conditions same as specified in M.Phil. (Sanskrit) vide page no. 17].

No. of Seats : Ten only

No. of Papers : 5 (4+1 Proj & Practicals)

Total Marks : 500

Medium : Sanskrit only

Fees : Rs. 600/- Library Caution Deposit (refundable) Rs.200/-

2. **Post Graduate Diploma in Yoga Vijnana.**

Number of seats : 40 ; **Duration of the Course** : One year

Number of Papers :

Five theory papers followed by two practical papers consisting of 100 marks each.
Total marks will be 700.

Medium of Instruction : Sanskrit/English ;

Eligibility : A pass in Degree examination from any recognized University, studied under 10+2+3 pattern.

Scheme of Examination.

the University will conduct the examinations at the end of Academic year, after completion of the course.

A medical fitness certificate from Civil Asst. Surgeon should be enclosed along with application.

Fee payable for the course: Rs. 600/- Caution Deposit (Rs.200/-) refundable and a sum of Rs. 500/- towards refreshments, payable at one time at the time of admission.

3. P.G. Diploma in Natural Language Processing.

Eligibility.

Acharya/any Masters Degree with Sanskrit preferably in Nyaya, Vyakarana and Mimamsa.

Duration : 2 semesters (one year)

Fee : Rs.600/- Library Caution Deposit (Rs.200/-) refundable.

EVENING COURSES.

Name of the course	1. Certificate in Temple Culture	2. Diploma in Temple Culture
Duration :	1 year (3 days in a week)	1 year (5 days in a week)
Timing :	5-30 to 7-30 P.M	5-30 to 7-30 P.M
Medium	English/Sanskrit/Telugu	English/Sanskrit/Telugu
No. of seats:	40	40
Eligibility :	Graduate/equivalent Examination	P.G or Equivalent Examination/ should have Passed the Certificate Course in Temple Culture.
Fees payable :	Rs. 250/-	Rs. 350/-
Reservation :	50% of the seats for T.T.D Employees	50% of the seats for TTD Employees

Note : The employees of T.T.D who want their cases to be considered under TTD Quota should send their applications through the Devasthanam Educational Officer, TTD, Tirupati on or before the last date for submission.

Name of the course	3. Certificate in Pourohitya	4. Diploma in Pourohitya
Duration :	1 year (3 days in a week)	1 year (5 days in a week)
Timing:	5-30p.m. to 6-30 p.m.	5-30p.m. to 6-30 p.m.
Medium :	Sanskrit & Telugu	Sanskrit & Telugu
No. of seats:	40	40
Eligibility:	10 th pass with Sanskrit	Pass in Certificate course in Pourohitya / Sastri. (Preference will be given to candidates with Certificate course in Pourohitya)
Fees payable :	Rs. 250/-	Rs. 350/-

5. Diploma in Sanskrit & Law.

Duration : 1 year ; **Eligibility :** Any graduate with proficiency in Sanskrit

6. Diploma in Management with Oriental orientation.

Duration : 1 year ; **Eligibility :** Any graduate with proficiency in Sanskrit

7. Certificate Course in Functional English.

Total number of seats : 30

Duration : Six Months **Timings :** 5.30p.m. to 7.30p.m.

Eligibility.

Those who have completed Sastri/B.A. or any other equivalent degree provided they had studied English as a Second language at the degree level at least for two years.

Fees : Rs. 250/-

8. Certificate course in Jyotisha.

Duration : 6 months ; **Eligibility :** 10th Pass

Career Oriented Programmes.

The Vidyapeetha offers the following Part-time courses for Sastri and B.A. Students with the assistance of UGC.

1. DTP in Indian Languages
2. Web Technology
3. Puranetihasa
4. Vastu Sastra

Part-Time Dual degree Programmes

1. P.G.Diploma in Web-Technology : (Evening Course)

Total number of seats : 20

Duration of the Course : Two Years Timings : 5.30p.m. to 7.30p.m.

Number of Papers : 7 Theory + 1 Practical + 1 Project

Medium : English

Eligibility : Those who are studying Acharya or doing Vidyavaridhi.

Fees : Rs. 500/- per annum

2. P.G.Diploma in Yoga-Vijnana : (Evening Course)

Total number of seats : 20

Duration of the Course : Two Years

Timings : 6.00a.m. to 7.00 a.m. and 5.30 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.

Number of Papers : Theory - 5, Practicals - 2.

Medium : English

Eligibility : Those who are studying Acharya or doing Vidyavaridhi.

Mode of admission : Merit in the qualifying examination.

Fees : Rs. 400/- per Course

How to apply.

Candidates seeking admission into any of the above courses offered by Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, Tirupati can obtain the prescribed application form along with prospectus by paying an amount of Rs.100/- through Demand Draft from any Scheduled / Nationalised Bank drawn in favour of the Registrar, Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, payable at Tirupati along with a requisition indicating the course in which he intends to seek admission. The candidates who wish to obtain the application by post have to pay an amount of Rs.150/- through Demand Draft drawn in favour of the Registrar, Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, payable at Tirupati. The application form and prospectus can also be downloaded from the Vidyapeetha's

websites <http://rsvidyapeetha.ac.in> or <http://geocities.com/rsvidyapeeth>

The candidates using the downloaded applications have to submit their filled in applications along with a DD for Rs.100/- drawn in favour of the Registrar, Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, payable at Tirupati. The payment through Cheques/Money Orders/Indian Postal Orders will not be accepted. The candidates should write their name, course applied for on the back side of the Demand Draft. The envelopes containing the filled

in applications should be superscribed as “**Application for admission into Prak Sastri/Sastri/Acharya/ M.Phil/Vidyavaradhi course for 2007-08**”. Filled in applications should be sent to the following address.

**The Dean, Academic Affairs
Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha
Tirupati - 517507 (A.P.)**

Last date for receipt of filled in applications is 15-6-2007.

For Kashmiri migrants, the last date for receipt of filled in applications is 01-7-2007

GENERAL RULES GOVERNING ADMISSION

1. The candidates seeking admission should send the application in the prescribed form. The application form should be filled in by the applicant in his/her own hand and signed. The declaration must be signed by the candidate and by the parent or guardian.
2. The candidates must enclose the following documents along with the application, failing which the application will be summarily rejected.

(a) Duly attested Xerox copies of the following certificates.

- i. Provisional/Original pass certificates of the last qualifying examination.
- ii. Marks obtained in each examination right from Matriculation/SSC/OSLC to the last qualifying examination.
- iii. Transfer certificate.
- iv. Date of birth certificate
- v. Study certificate
- vi. Caste certificate
- vii. Conduct certificate

(b) Self-addressed registration card with Rs. 6/- postage stamp.

(c) Self-addressed interview card with Rs. 6/- postage stamp

3. Incomplete applications or those received after the due date will be rejected. The office of the Vidyapeetha will not be held responsible for delay of application forms sent by post.
4. Students will be admitted to the Vidyapeetha in accordance with the rules governing eligibility, merit, good conduct etc., as determined by the Vidyapeetha from time to time and as per the rules existing on the date of actual admission after interview.
5. The candidates must attend in person and produce the **original documents** listed below at the time of interview to be conducted on a specified date and time failing which he/she will not be considered for admission. If the admission is offered, he/she shall pay the fees immediately failing, which he/she will forfeit the seat. The next candidate in the merit list will be considered for admission.
 - i) Provisional pass certificates of the last qualifying examination for admission.
 - ii) Marks obtained in each examination right from Matriculation/SSC/OSLC to the last qualifying examination.
 - iii) Transfer certificate
 - iv) Date of birth certificate
 - v) Caste & Income certificates for SC,ST and OBC Students
 - vi) Study certificate
 - vii) Conduct certificate
 - viii) Migration certificate

6. All the **original certificates** have to be deposited in the office at the time of admission, and these certificates will not be returned in the middle of the course. Hence candidates are requested to retain sufficient (10 sets) xerox copies of their certificates with them in case they require in the future. No request for the return of such certificates shall be entertained later.
7. Admission will be confirmed after personal interview and/or the written test of candidates, as the case may be.
8. No student will be permitted to appear for any other university examination during the period of study in the Vidyapeetha.
9. The name of the student will be removed from the rolls or he/she may be expelled, if he/she participates in illegal, antinational activities, anti-social activities, strikes etc.
10. Students will not be allowed to change the optional subject after one month from the date of joining.
11. The candidates should submit two copies of recent passport size photographs duly attested by a Gazetted Officer at the time of admission.
12. The students who have discontinued the studies during the II or III year courses(Prak Sastri/Sastri/BA/Acharya courses) may complete their course by way of private study and there is no provision for taking admission in the respective year where they have discontinued.
13. The Vidyapeetha reserves the right to run the course or not to run the course during the year depending on the number of applications received for a particular course.

Examinations & Attendance.

- (a) **Medium of Instruction & Examination :** All Sastras in all courses will be taught in Sanskrit medium only and the medium of examination will also be Sanskrit. For modern subjects the medium of instruction and examination will be English and for other languages, the respective language will be the medium of instruction and examination.
- (b) **Examinations :** The University adopts the Semester system of examinations for the Post-Graduate courses which are generally held in November and April. The examinations for the Non-Semester system adopted for other courses are held in March/April.
- (c) **Attendance:** 75% of attendance is compulsory for all courses.

RESERVATIONS.

Rule of reservation will be made applicable for admission into Vidyapeetha Courses as per the existing norms of UGC/Government of India. 30% of seats in B.A course are reserved for ladies. A few seats are also reserved for the children of the employees of the Vidyapeetha.

TUITION AND OTHER FEE PARTICULARS FOR ALL COURSES

Every student should pay the whole fee in one instalment at the time of admission. The fees once paid will not be refunded. Admission and other fees payable for all courses are as detailed below.

Particulars	Prak-Sastri/ Sastri	B.A.	Acharya	M.Phil/ Vidyavaridhi
Admission fee	50-00	50-00	50-00	50-00
Tuition fee	380-00	380-00	450-00	700-00
Library caution Deposit (refundable)	100-00	100-00	200-00	400-00
Computer fee per annum at the time of admn.	—	2,900-00	—	—
Total fee payable at the time of admission	530-00	3430-00	700-00	1150-00

1. Second and Third year students including Vidyavaridhi students have to pay the tuition fee at the commencement of each Academic Year.
2. *The students admitted in P.G. Diploma in Yoga Vijnana have to pay an amount of Rs.500/- towards refreshments in addition to regular fee.

SCHOLARSHIPS : 25 for Prak-Sastri, 5 for each Sastra at Sastri level and 15 for each Sastra at Acharya level will be awarded as per rules. (Scholarships will be awarded to students on the basis of their percentage of marks, merit obtained in the last qualifying examination). Scholarship will be given only for 10 months in a year and scholarship will be sanctioned in the beginning of the year only.

1. All the students who have been admitted into various courses of the Vidyapeetha such as Prak-Sastri, Sastri, Acharya, M.Phil. and Vidyavaridhi courses should open the Savings Bank Account with Andhra Bank, S.V. Arts College Branch, Tirupati in order to have any transactions in connection with Vidyapeetha.
2. The admitted students should remit their admission fee/examination fee pertaining to that course in the Andhra Bank, S.V. Arts College Branch, Tirupati through Challan Form available in the Vidyapeetha.

HOSTELS

The Vidyapeetha has been maintaining Three Hostels for Men students, namely, Seshachala, Vedachala and Garudachala. The Garudachala Hostel is exclusively meant for P.G.students. In these Hostels, two separate messes with attached kitchens preparing and serving exclusively North Indian and South Indian cuisine are being maintained for the benefit of the students hailing from different parts of the country.

Sri Padmavati Mahila Chhatravas.

The Vidyapeetha has a separate hostel namely Sri Padmavati Chhatravas for Women students. All the women students from PrakSastri to Vidyavaridhi are being accommodated in the Hostel. A mess with a kitchen is also maintained in the Women's hostel.

There is limited provision for hostel accommodation. No student can claim a seat in the Hostel as a matter of right, nor can he/she continue to stay in a particular room all the time. The decision of the Warden/Deputy Warden in the allotment of the room is final.

The students seeking admission for a second course at Sastri/Acharya/M.Phil./Vidyavaridhi level (horizontal moment) are not eligible either for hostel accommodation or for scholarship of the Vidyapeetha and social welfare department. The students will be required to give an undertaking to abide by the rules in force in the hostels.

Medical facility.

1. All the students of the Vidyapeetha including full-time research scholars are entitled to utilise the Free Medical Service facility provided by the University.
2. Medical services are offered to all students only during the academic session. The doctor authorised by the Vidyapeetha will treat the sick students. However, medicine prescribed must be purchased by the students at their own cost.
3. University will not take any responsibility if a student consults a physician other than the one who is authorised.
4. A student suffering from any chronic illness cannot be treated under this facility and he will be referred to local government hospital for treatment.
5. The service offered is only medical counselling and no other liability is devolved on the part of the University.
6. Any student found misusing the services so offered shall not be allowed to avail the medical facility further.

Mm. PATTABHIRAMA SASTRI GRANTHALAYA

The University Library is named after the first Chancellor, Mahamahopadhyaya Sri Pattabhirama Sastri. It has a precious collection of about 86,000 books and more than 5500 manuscripts in different languages like Sanskrit, Telugu, Tamil, and different scripts such as Devanagari, Grantha, Telugu, Kannada, Tigalari etc. The library has following sections viz. Circulation, Maintenance, Technical, Periodical, Manuscripts, Reference, Acquisition, Administration, INFLIBNET and Reprographic Service. Every year about 150 journals and periodicals are being subscribed. 380 titles of back volumes have been preserved.

The Library has become the member of INFLIB-NET by which it would be providing information and reference data about Sanskrit studies through net-working and also about national and international Sanskrit scholars. In future, any one can access the Library and collect required information through INFLIB-NET.

Physical Education.

An exclusive indoor stadium caters to the needs of the students for Games and Sports. A special feature is the addition of a gym with 16 equipments to enable students to improve their physical strength. The students have the opportunity to play Cricket, Hockey, Volley ball, Foot ball, Tennicoit, etc. in the playground of the Vidyapeetha.



Tentative Academic calender for the year 2007-08

Date of admission Notification.....	15-05-2007
Sales of application Forms.....	15-05-2007
Last date for receipt of applications.....	15-06-2007
(For Kashmir migrants).....	01-07-07
Re-Opening.....	21-06-2007
Interview for all regular Courses.....	2-7-07 to 4-7-07
Semester and continuous Classes begin.....	21-06-2007
Vidyavaridhi Entrance Test (VVET).....	02-07-2007
Classes for newly admitted students.....	5-07-2007
Announcement of VVET results.....	17-7-2007
Last date for all admissions	20-07-2007
Inauguration of Vagvardhini Parishad.....	1-8-2007
Vidyavaridhi Interview date	17-8-2007
Inauguration of Mm. Pattabhirama Sastri Vyakhyanamala.....	20-8-07
Dasara Holidays.....	15-10-07 to 19-10-07
Commencement of next Semester classes	26-11-2007
Mid Term Vacations.....	01-01-08 to 16-01-08
Re-Opening after Mid Term Vacations.....	17-01-2008
Semester & Annual Exams begin.....	7-4-2008
Summer vacations.....	1-5-2008 to 22-6-2008





Sansk-Net Building



MM. Pattabhirama Sastri Library

Indoor Stadium



Sri Padmavathi Mahila Chhatravas



Garudachala Hostel



Administrative Building