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## Circular

**Sub: Continuous Professional Development of Sanskrit Teachers**

State Council of Education Research and Training Delhi [SCERT-Delhi] and Samskrit Promotion Foundation [SPF], Delhi have signed an MoU for collaboration and cooperation in mutual area of interest under the framework of National Education Policy 2020 [NEP 2020]. In particular, the emphasis is on enhancing the language, leadership and technical skills of Sanskrit Teachers through "Continuous Professional Development" programs. This training program for Sanskrit Teachers is designed specially for SCERT-Delhi based on the guidelines of NEP 2020.

As per Clause 5.15 of NEP 2020 reg. Continuous Professional Development (CPD), teachers will be given constant opportunities for self-improvement and to learn the latest innovations and advances in their profession. Developmental opportunities will be offered in multiple modes, including in the form of local, regional, State, National, and international teaching and subject workshops as well as online teacher development modules. Each teacher will be expected to participate in at least, say, 50 hours of CPD opportunities every year for their own professional development. CPD opportunities will, in particular, systematically cover the latest pedagogies regarding foundational literacy and numeracy, formative and adaptive assessment of learning outcomes, individualized and competency-based learning, and related pedagogies, such as experiential learning, arts-integrated, sports-integrated, and storytelling-based approaches, etc.

When the language to be taught is neither the regional language nor the mother tongue, it throws a challenge to the teacher. The teacher has to create an environment in the classroom which will facilitate natural acquisition of the language. For that the teacher must be proficient in all four basic language skills via (Listening, Speaking (& Pronunciation), Reading & Writing). Hence, Sanskrit Teachers need training on all these four language skills.

For the Continuous Professional Development of Sanskrit Teachers of DoE in an efficient manner SCERT in collaboration with SPF developed a dedicated website https://scertdelhi.adhyapanam.in/ that covers the overall training needs of the Sanskrit teachers in one platform.

It is planned to cover the following areas for Continuous Professional Development of Sanskrit Teachers:

a. Language skills via Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing [LSRW]
b. Teaching skills & Pedagogy

It is mandatory for all the TGT and PGT Sanskrit teachers of DoE to visit the website through the given link or QR Code and get themselves registered at the portal, step by step instructions for the year long Capacity Building Process is mentioned below:

**Step 1: Log in to the website using the following link or QR Code**



https://scertdelhi.adhyapanam.in/

**Step 2: Get yourself registered: follow below mentioned instructions.**

Click on the button "Register Now" on the right top of the screen.
Fill the following details:
1. Personal Details
2. One Time Password (OTP) received through Email
3. Academic Details
4. Institutional Details
5. Finish

**Step 3: Take a Self Assessment test, "Aatmaavalokanam".**

About Aatmaavalokanam
This is a Sanskrit language listening or communication skill test. It will take approx. 45 minutes to complete the test, hence you need to plan accordingly and spare time to undertake the test.
Total of 65 audio based questions (not in written form) are there divided in following categories
1. Questions based on illustration.
2. Matching the pictures with spoken sentences
3. Questions after listening dialogues or conversation
4. Questions after listening to a story
5. Questions based on Subhashitas or quotations.

**The last date for Aatmaavalokhanam is 20/10/2022**.

**Step 4: On the basis of your performance in Aatmaavalokanam you will proceed to the Need Based Training Programme/ Courses**

Training programme is designed in two modes:

1. Offline (In-Person Mode) : Circulars regarding the same will be shared later by SCERT
2. Online Mode : Available on the dedicated website

You have to login to your account and access the available course in "Enrolled Courses" tab in "My Account".

The Online Continuous Development Programme has 3 Courses for now, which needs to be completed in a step by step manner. You will proceed to Level 2 only after completing Level 1 and Level 3 after completion of level 2.

1. Sanskrita Sabhashanam Level – 1
2. Abhyasasarini Sanskrita Sambhashanam Level - 2
3. Abhyasasarini Sanskrita Vyakaranam Level - 3

Note: Certificate will be issued for completing these courses. Course completion certificates will be generated within a few days from the date of completion of course and reflect on the user profile.

The participants are advised to enroll and complete the programme, as per their convenience by the respective completion date of the programme without disturbing their school routine work & will do the programme at their own pace at any day and time. For more information, please contact: Dr V K Pathak, Assistant Director (Trainings), SCERT (email-drvkpathak.scert@delhi.gov.in).

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