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Name of the Department: ECONOMICS

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ASSIGNMENT (2026 – 2027)

UNIT 1

- 1) Explain the concept of IKS & discuss its significant aspects.
- 2) Write about the famous old repositories of the manuscripts of the IKS and explain how the manuscripts are preserved there.
- 3) Explain the methods to study the “Shashtra” in the IKS.
- 4) Discuss the importance of the Sanskrit language in the Indic knowledge system.
- 5) State the famous manuscript Repositories.

UNIT 2

- 1) Explain the various yoga postures & discuss the significance of asanas & Pranayama for health.
- 2) Explain the concept of the Indic Economy as described in the IKS.
- 3) Discuss Forest management techniques during IKS.
- 4) State the various Water management techniques during IKS.
- 5) Discuss the types of performing arts during IKS.

Answer in Brief:

- 1) Which epics are included in Indian Literature?
- 2) Which (Rasa) emotions express love and beauty?
- 3) Who is the most renowned playwright of Sanskrit literature?
- 4) To which god is the Kailash temple of the Ellora caves dedicated?
- 5) Which part of ancient India was important for International Trade?
- 6) Which language is considered the “Mother of all languages”

- 7) Which Veda contains prose, mantras and instructions for performing rituals and sacrifices?
- 8) Which materials were commonly used for writing manuscripts in the ancient period?
- 9) Where is the Sarasvati Mahal Library located?
- 10) What is Kathakali known for?
