



Department of Linguistics  
University of Kashmir

Prescribed Syllabus for the Entrance Test for  
Admission in Two-Year M. A. Linguistics  
Programme -2026

No. of Units = 12

01. English Grammatical Skills

- a) Parts of speech and their identification
- b) Grammatical Use of parts of speech
- c) Usage of tense, modal and aspect
- d) Use of definite article

02. Basic Knowledge of Linguistics

- a) Definition of Linguistics
- b) Branches of Linguistics
- c) Basic history of Linguistics
- d) Applications of Linguistics
- e) Word formation
- f) Homonymy and polysemy
- g) Antonymy and Synonymy
- h) Idioms and phrases

03. Current events of Regional, National & International Importance

- a) Regional events- Kashmir valley
- b) Regional events- Jammu & Ladakh
- c) National events
- d) International events

04. History of Kashmir

- a) Ancient Period
- b) Medieval Period
- c) Modern Period upto 1947
- d) Events after 1947

05. Sociocultural and Political Profile of J&K

- a) Ethnic composition
- b) Linguistic composition
- c) The constitution of J & K
- d) Cultural dimensions

06. Knowledge of Kashmiri language & Literature

07. General science

- a) Physics (basics)
- b) Chemistry (basics)
- c) Zoology (basics)
- d) Botany (basics)

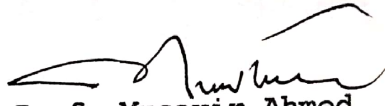
08 Mass Media

- a) Television
- b) Radio
- c) Newspaper
- d) Internet

09-12. Mental Ability and Reasoning

- 09) Odd man out
- 10) Data interpretation
- 11) Verbal and Numerical reasoning
- 12) Abstract reasoning

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