

**DETAILED SYLLABUS FOR THE POST OF HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOL  
TEACHER (JUNIOR) IN TAMIL  
HIGHER SECONDARY EDUCATION DEPARTMENT**

**(Cat.No.: 490/2019)**

**PART I**

**Module – I (7 Marks)**

**Ancient Literature**

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|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Kurunthokai        | - 1 to 100 kavithaikal    |
| 2. Ainkurunooru       | - Marutha Thinai Padalkal |
| 3.Kalithokai          | - Paalaikali              |
| 4.Purananooru         | - Avvaiyar Padalkal       |
| 5.Pathittupathu       | - 7 th Pathu              |
| 6. Mullai Pattu       | - Full                    |
| 7.Chirupaanaatupadi   | - Full                    |
| 8. Thirukkural        | - Arathupaal              |
| 9.Naladiyar           | - Kalvi                   |
| 10.Kaarnarpathu       | - Full                    |
| 11. Kalavazhinarpadhu | - Full                    |

**Module – II (7 Marks)**

**Epic Literature**

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|-----------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1.Chilappathikaaram   | - Madurai Kaandam               |
| 2. Manimekalai        | - First three Kaathaigal        |
| 3.Jeevaka Chinthamani | - Suramanchariyaar<br>Elampakam |
| 4. Perumkathai        | - Magatha Kaandam               |
| 5.Kamparamayanam      | - Sundara Kaandam               |
| 6.Periya Puranam      | - Appudhi Adigalar              |

	Naayana Puranam
7.Thempavani	- Valan chanitha Padalam
8.Seera Puranam	- Alima Mulaiyutu
	Padalam

### **Module – III (7 Marks)**

#### **Medieval and Bhakthi Literature**

1.Nanthikkalampakam	- Full
2.Kalingkathu Parani	- Full
3.Mukkoodal Pallu	- Full
4.Kuttala Kuravanchi	- Full
5.Meenakshi Ammai Pillai Tamil	- Full
6.Thevaram(Appar Thevaram)	- Thiruvathigai  Veerattanam Pathigam (1,2,10,24,25,26,27,28,104)
7.Thiruvasagam	- Thirukothumpi,  Thiruchazhal,  Thiruthellenam
8.Naalayira Divya Prabandam	- Perumal Thirumozhi  (Kulasekara Azhvaar)
9. Thiruppaavai	- Aandaal
10.Mastan Sahib Padalkal	- Ananthapathu
11.Paraaparakanni	- Thayumanavar

### **Module IV (7 Marks)**

#### **Modern Literature**

##### **1.Poetry**

- (i) Paanchali Sabatham - Bharathiyan
- (ii)Azhakinchirippu - Bharathidhasan
- (iii)Kaattu Vaathu - Na. Pichamoorthy
- (iv) Aalaapanai - Abdul Rehman
- (v)Akathinai - Kanimozhi

**2. Novel**

- (i) Kamalaambaal Sarithiram - Rajamaiyar
- (ii) Thalaimuraikal - Neela Padmanabhan
- (iii) Kaadu - Jeyamohan

**3. Short Story**

- (i) Puthumaipithan Kathaikal
- (ii) Ambai Kathikal

**4. Prose**

- (i) Yen Charithiram - U. Ve. Sa
- (ii) Pennin Perumai - Thiru. Vi. Ka

**5. Drama**

- (i) Avvai - Inqulab
- (ii) Rajaraja Chozhan - Aru. Ramanathan

**Module V (7 Marks)****Grammar**

- 1. Tolkappiyam - EZhuthu, Chol, Porul
- 2. Nannool - EZhuthu, Chol
- 3. Yapparungalakkarakai - Except Ozhibiyal
- 4. Nampi Akapporul - Except Ozhibiyal
- 5. Thandiyalangaram - Except Chollaniyal

**Module -VI (7 Marks)****Linguistics and comparative Grammar**

- 1. Ikkala mozhiyiyal - Dr. Muthu Shanmugam
- 2. Mozhiyiyal - Ra. Seenivasan
- 3. Pothu Mozhiyiyal - Dr. Porko

### **Module – VII (7 Marks)**

#### **Criticism**

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|---------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1.Thiranaaivukkalai       | - T. S. Natarajan              |
| 2. Elakiyamum Thiranaaivu | - K. Panchagam<br>Kotpadukalum |
| 3.Elakiyakalai            | - Ganaspandan                  |

### **Module – VIII (7 Marks)**

#### **History of Literature & History of Tamil Language**

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|--------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1.Tamil Ilakiya Varalaru | - T. P. Meenakshi<br>Sundaram      |
| 2.Tamil Ilakiya Varalaru | - M. Varatharajan                  |
| 3.Puthiya Nookil Tamil   | - Thamizhannal<br>Ilakiya Varalaru |
| 4.Tamil Mozhi Varalaru   | - S.Sakthivel                      |

### **Module – IX (7 Marks)**

#### **Comparative Literature**

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|------------------------|-------------------|
| 1.Oppiyal Ilakkiam     | - K. Kailasapathi |
| 2.Oppilakkiya Arimugam | -Thamizhannal     |
| 3.Oppilakkiyam         | - Sachithananthan |

### **Module – X (7 Marks)**

#### **Folklore & Mass Communication**

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|-------------------------|-------------------|
| 1.Naattar Vazhakkatiyal | - Lourdu          |
| 2.Naattupuraviyal Aaivu | - S.Sakthivel     |
| 3.Ithazhiyal Kalai      | - Ma.ba. Kurusamy |

## **PART II**

### **II (a). TEACHING APTITUDE – 5 Marks**

- Teaching: Nature, objectives, characteristics and basic requirements;
- Learner's characteristics;
- Factors affecting teaching;
- Methods of teaching;
- Teaching aids;
- Evaluation systems.

### **II (b) RESEARCH APTITUDE – 5 Marks**

- Research: Meaning, Characteristics and types;
- Steps of research;
- Methods of research;
- Research Ethics;
- Paper, article, workshop, seminar, conference and symposium;
- Thesis writing: its characteristics and format.

## **PART III**

### **(a) Salient Features of Indian Constitution – 5 Marks**

Salient features of the Constitution - Preamble- Its significance and its place in the interpretation of the Constitution.

Fundamental Rights - Directive Principles of State Policy - Relation between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles - Fundamental Duties.

Executive - Legislature - Judiciary - Both at Union and State Level. - Other Constitutional Authorities.

Centre-State Relations - Legislative - Administrative and Financial.

Services under the Union and the States.

Emergency Provisions.

Amendment Provisions of the Constitution.

### **(b) Social Welfare Legislations and Programmes – 5 Marks**

Social Service Legislations like Right to Information Act, Prevention of atrocities against Women & Children, Food Security Act, Environmental Acts etc. and Social Welfare Programmes like Employment Guarantee Programme, Organ and Blood Donation etc.

## **PART IV**

### **(a) Renaissance in Kerala – 5 Marks**

#### **TOWARDS A NEW SOCIETY**

Introduction to English education - various missionary organisations and their functioning-founding of educational institutions, factories.printing press etc.

#### **EFFORTS TO REFORM THE SOCIETY**

##### **(A) Socio-Religious reform Movements**

SNDP Yogam, Nair Service Society, Yogakshema Sabha, Sadhu Jana Paripalana Sangham, Vaala Samudaya Parishkarani Sabha, Samathwa Samajam, Islam Dharma Paripalana Sangham, Prathyaksha Raksha Daiva Sabha, Sahodara Prasthanam etc.

##### **(B) Struggles and Social Revolts**

Upper cloth revolts.Channar agitation, Vaikom Sathyagraha, Guruvayoor Sathyagraha, Paliyam Sathyagraha. Kuttamkulam Sathyagraha, Temple Entry Proclamation, Temple Entry Act .Malyalee Memorial, Ezhava Memorial etc. Malabar riots, Civil Disobedience Movement, Abstention ovement etc.

#### **ROLE OF PRESS IN RENAISSANCE**

*Malayalee, Swadeshabhimani, Vivekodayam, Mithavadi, Swaraj, Malayala Manorama, Bhashaposhini, Mathrubhoomi, Kerala Kaumudi, Samadarsi, Kesari, Al-Ameen, Prabhatham, Yukthivadi, etc*

#### **AWAKENING THROUGH LITERATURE**

Novel, Drama, Poetry, *Purogamana Sahithya Prasthanam, Nataka Prashtanam*, Library movement etc

#### **WOMEN AND SOCIAL CHANGE**

Parvathi Nenmenimangalam, Arya Pallam, A V Kuttimalu Amma, Lalitha Prabhu.Akkamma Cherian, Anna Chandi, Lalithambika Antharjanam and others

## **LEADERS OF RENAISSANCE**

Thycaud Ayya Vaikundar, Sree Narayana Guru, Ayyan Kali.Chattampi Swamikal, Brahmananda

Sivayogi, Vagbhadananda, Poikayil Yohannan(Kumara Guru) Dr Palpu, Palakkunnath Abraham

Malpan, Mampuram Thangal, Sahodaran Ayyappan, Pandit K P Karuppan, Pampadi John Joseph,

Mannathu Padmanabhan, V T Bhattachirippad, Vakkom Abdul Khadar Maulavi, Makthi Thangal,

Blessed Elias Kuriakose Chaavra, Barrister G P Pillai, TK Madhavan, Moorkoth Kumaran, C. Krishnan, K P Kesava Menon, Dr.Ayyathan Gopalan, C V Kunjuraman, Kuroor Neelakantan Namboothiripad, Velukkutty Arayan, K P Vellon, P K Chathan Master, K Kelappan, P. Krishna Pillai, A K Gopalan, T R Krishnaswami Iyer, C Kesavan. Swami Ananda Theerthan , M C Joseph, Kuttipuzha Krishnapillai and others

## **LITERARY FIGURES**

Kodungallur Kunhikkuttan Thampuran, KeralaVarma Valiyakoyi Thampuran, Kandathil Varghese

Mappila. Kumaran Asan, Vallathol Narayana Menon, Ulloor S Parameswara Iyer, G Sankara Kurup,

Changampuzha Krishna Pillai, Chandu Menon, Vaikom Muhammad Basheer. Kesav Dev, Thakazhi

Sivasankara Pillai, Ponkunnam Varky, S K Pottakkad and others

## **(b) General Knowledge and Current Affairs      (5 Marks)**

General Knowledge and Current Affairs

**NOTE: - It may be noted that apart from the topics detailed above, questions from other topics prescribed for the educational qualification of the post may also appear in the question paper. There is no undertaking that all the topics above may be covered in the question paper**