QUESTION PAPER DESIGN (Code-232)

Subject: Malayalam (232)

Level: Secondary

Maximum Marks (Theory): 100 Time: 3 Hours

1. Weightage by Objectives

Objectives	% of Total Marks	Marks
Knowledge	35	35
Understanding	35	35
Application	30	30
	100 %	100 %

2. Weightage by type of Questions

Type of Questions	No of Questions	MARKS
Objective type questions of		
1 mark each -		
• MCQ	20 (+10 internal choice)	20
One Word	5 (+2 internal choice)	5
Fill in the blanks	5 (+3 internal choice)	5
True / False	5 (+2 internal choice)	5
 Match the column 	5 (+3 internal choice)	5
 Word meaning/ synonyms 	5 (+2 internal choice)	5
Join words (Make single word)	5 (+3 internal choice)	5
Very short answers (VSA)	10 (+5 internal choice)	20
(20-25 words) of 2 marks each		
Short answers (SA)	5 (+3 internal choice)	15
(40-45 words) of 3 marks each		
Long answers (LA)	3 (+3 internal choice)	15
(100-150 words) of 5 marks each		

3. Distribution of Objective type questions

Objective type questions	Poem	Fiction	Essay
MCQ	9	4	7
One Word	2	2	1
Fill in the blanks	1	2	2
True / False	1	3	1
Match the column	2	2	1
Word meaning/ synonyms	4	0	1
Join words (Make single	2	2	1
word)			

4. Weightage by Contents

SI.No	Modules	Marks
1.	കവിത (Poem)	39
2.	கம் (Fiction)	26
3.	ലേഖനം (Essay)	35
	Total	100

5. Difficulty Level of the Question Paper

Level	Percentage	Marks
Difficult	18	18
Average	42	42
Easy	40	40
Total	100	100