

DANCE (KATHAKALI) CODE-061
SAMPLE QUESTION PAPER
CLASS XII (2022-23)

One Theory Paper – 2 hrs

Total Marks – 30

General Instructions

- Section-A
Attempt all Questions (Each Question will carry 1 mark)
- Section-B
Attempt all Questions (Each Question will carry 2 Marks)
- Section-C
Attempt any two Questions (Each Question will carry 6 Marks)

Q.No.	Section-A	Marks
1.	Who is the author of Natya Shastra? (a)Agastyamuni (b)Chyavana Rushi (c)Bharata Muni (d)Valmiki	1
2.	Who is the Creator of Kathakali Dance? (a)Kottayam Thampuran (b)kottarakkara Thampuran (c)Irayimman Thampi (d)Swati Thirunal	1
3.	How many Rasa's are in Classical Dance? (a)8 (b)9 (c)10 (d)11	1
4.	Origin of Kathakali Dance is from _____ (a)Krishnanattam (b)Koodiyattam (c)Yakshagana (d)Ramanattam	1
5.	Which one of these percussion is used in Kathakali? (a)Thavil (b)Chanda (c)Mridangam (d)Tabla	1
6.	Bharatanatyam is the traditional dance form of _____ state. (a)Andhra Pradesh (b)Kerala (c)Maharashtra (d)Tamilnadu	1

7.	Which one of these character does Ashtakalaasam portray? (a) Hanuman (b) Krishna (c) Yudhishtira (d) Lakshmana	1
8.	Which one of these used for Kathakali Make-up? (a) Manayola (b) Pan Stick (c) Rangoli (d) Sandal Paste	1
Section-B		
9.	How many types of Eye Exercises are there in Kathakali dance form? (OR) Who is the founder of Kerala Kalamandalam?	2
10.	What are the 8 Indian Classical Dance forms? (OR) List the names of Navarasa according to Natya Shastra.	2
11.	What are the Atta Katha's (Plays) written by Iriyamman Thampi? (OR) How many types of Vesham (Attire) are in Kathakali Dance?	2
12.	What all percussion instruments are used in Kathakali Dance? (OR) Who are the brothers of Lord Rama?	2
13.	How many Thala (Rhythm) are used in Kathakali dance? (OR) Which other dance forms are related or influenced by Kathakali?	2
SECTION-C		
14.	Write in detail the Story line of Pothanmoksham in Kathakali?	6
15.	Write in detail the History of "Kerala Kalamandalam"?	6
16.	Write the Shloka of Hastalakshana Deepika and names of the Hand gestures?	6