

DANCE (BHARATANATYAM) CODE-057
SAMPLE QUESTION PAPER
CLASS XII (2017-18)

One Theory Paper– 3 hrs.

TotalMarks – 30

General instructions:

- **Please write down the serial number of the question before attempting it.**

1. Describe in brief the history and repertoire of Kuchipudi. Mention two items from the repertoire that are similar in name in the Bharatanatyam recital. 4+1

2. Give a brief account of the life history and the contribution of one of the following: 5
 - a. Rukmini Devi Arundale
 - b. Tanjore Quartet

3. Which chapter of the Abhinaya Darpan deal with gestures of the hand and feet? Name the slokas relating to pre-performance preparation. 2+3

4. Give short notes on the following: 2½ + 2½
 - a. Lokadharmi and Natyadharmi
 - b. Sancharibhava and Sthayibhava

5. Write the definitions of the following: 1+1+1+1+1
 - a. Korvai
 - b. Shollu
 - c. Jaati
 - d. Taalanga
 - e. Arangetram

6. Write a korvai of two avartanam in Aditalam using adavu syllables. 5