

Course Number and Name	SUPE 005	Basic Tamil
Intended Learning Outcomes	At the end of this course the students will be able to identify the Tamil alphabetical system and the Variations of Letters: vowels and consonants and their phonetic pattern, write simple sentences, read simple Tamil, and communicate in Tamil.	
Course Contents	Tamil writing system - order of the alphabet and phonetics; noun: grammatical categories: person, number and gender; Basic vocabulary of nouns; verbs – categories of verb and tense; adjective, adverbs and particles; interrogative and negative expression; basic sentence structure; methods of daily communication.	
Assessment Strategy	i. Time of Assessment - End of the Year ii. Assessment Method - Written and oral examinations Assigned Percentage Marks for each Component - Oral examination 40%, written examination 60%	
Recommended References		