

**Scheme and Syllabus for Diploma in Russian
Effective from academic session-2012**

I) Objectives

- a) To attain reading and writing skills, comprehension and ability to converse in given and everyday situations
- b) To have a general idea of the culture and civilization of the country where the language is spoken.

II) Hours of instruction:

Six hours of teaching per week in classroom and language laboratory.

III) Evaluation and Examination:

a) Internal assessment (200 marks)

There will be an internal assessment of 200 marks comprising 4 sessional tests.

Each test will comprise one oral and one written part of equal weight age.

Three best tests will be counted.

b) Scheme of examination:

The examination at the end of the year will comprise two papers of 100 marks each.

Paper I (written) by an external examiner of three hours duration.

Paper II (Oral) by one external and one internal examiner.

Paper I written 100

- 1. Functional Grammar based on the text book 50
- 2. Comprehension of texts on general topics 15
- 3. Essays writing and letter writing 15
- 4. Translating of passages into the foreign language and vice-versa. 20

Paper II oral 100

- 1. Listening comprehension.
- 2. Reading and answering question on text.
- 3. Expressing opinion and discussing issues of general interest.

Prescribed Text books:

- 1. Russian for Everybody , Russian Language Publishers, Moscow, (Lesson 21-40)
- 2. V.N. Wagner-Russian pub P P H New Delhi (Lessons 26-50)