**Our Mission**

 Following is the mission of Shree Somnath Sanskrit University –

* dissemination of true knowledge based on Indian Knowledge Tradition
* indoctrination of Indian values preaching well-being of all through education
* ensuring easy access to Sanskrit education for women and the down trodden
* nation building through creation of educated citizens
* quality enhancement in Shastric learning
* making all the necessary infrastructure available for learning Sanskrit Shastras
* creating excellent Shastric Scholars and utilizing their scholarship to produce meaningful research work
* propagation of Vedic knowledge and traditional learning
* bringing about widespread progress, understanding and development of Sanskrit language and its literature
* correlating ancient Indian knowledge with modern streams of learning
* creating highly employable citizens by demonstrating the relevance of Sanskrit Shastras in modern circumstances and teaching the practical aspects of Shastras

The wise ancestors of India proclaimed “सा विद्या या विमुक्तये (the knowledge that leads to liberation is the real knowledge)”. Only if this knowledge is used for disciplining life and comprehending Dharma, Artha, Kama and Moksha, can it become useful for the society, nation and for securing the well-being of the entire world. The University is striving to realize this very vision about knowledge. The University constantly strives to disseminate such knowledge through its various academic activities.

It is well-known that Indian approach towards knowledge is the one that desires for well-being of all. Hence, the University is confident that indoctrination of Indian values into students would lead to creation of Universal citizens that would strive for the well-being of each and every living being.

Only that knowledge and those values which descends into practice can lead liberation. That is why, rather than class room teaching, the University believes more in behavioral learning of students through the behavior of their Acharyas. Similarly, the University also strives to bring Sanskrit everywhere in its campus so that the language of Indian Shastras also becomes a part of the daily life of the students. The University also lays emphasis on modern subjects like History, English, Computers, Linguistics etc. so that the ability to express the import of Shastras in modern context and that to relate the ancient knowledge with the modern develops in them.

The University also gives importance to women education in order to ensure that it produces numerous female Shastric Scholars through its various activities and schemes. Valmiki, Vyasa and Kalidasa are unparalleled stars in the galaxy of Sanskrit writers. Shree Somnath Sanskrit University therefore pays special attention to the students coming from tribal and the backward societies. It believes that India will get its modern Valmikis, Vyasas and Ambedkars from these very students. The University therefore strives in various ways to ensure that they have easy access to Sanskrit education.

Through the education of its present students the University intends to create an environment in future India which is quality-focused, nation-centered and which ensures the well-being of one and all. It therefore ensures that it maintains such an environment on its campus that all its stake holders including students can experience similar work culture in all of its endeavors.

The scholarly Acharyas on the campus train their students in such a way that they become capable to convey the exact import of Shastras to their future generations. The University believes that Sanskrit will reach various strata of the society through these very students. Acordingly, the students of this University have taken Sanskrit to areas such as education, research, Paurohitya, Yoga, defense, sports, arts music etc.