

**CORE COURSE I – POETRY – NAISADHAM (CANTO I)**

- Unit I** Introduction to Mahakavyas – Sriharsa, the author & his specialty.  
Verses 1 - 25
- Unit II** Verses 26 – 50
- Unit III** Verses 51 – 75
- Unit IV** Verses 76 – 100
- Unit V** Verses 101 – 146  
(Annotations, Explanations of passages, figures of speech, method,  
Literary merits, critical appreciation & character study).