The following are the main points to be noted in the scheme of transliteration followed in this work:

**Vowels:** The vowel sounds occurring in initial syllables or associated with consonants are written as:

- a, i, u, o, r, e, ai, o, au, ə, h

**Consonants:** (Basic form to which vowels are added).

- **Gutturals:** k, kh, g, gh, n
- **Palatals:** c, ch, j, jh, ṭ, ṭh, t, th, d, dh, n, p, ph, b, bh, m, s, š, s, h.