

**First Semester FYUGP Degree (Reg) Examination (Deficiency
Credit) April 2026**

KU1MDCPHL101 - WHY HUMANITIES

2024 Admission onwards

Time : 1.5 hours

Maximum Marks : 50

Section A

Answer any 6 questions. Each carry 2 marks.

1. Give four examples for humanities disciplines.
2. What is science?
3. How does language reflect culture?
4. Define language.
5. How does Sartre define bad faith?
6. What is the first principle of effective compassion, according to Marvin Olasky?
7. Define Diegesis.
8. What is the notion of hypertextuality.

Section B

Answer any 4 questions. Each carry 6 marks.

9. Explain Sartre's concept of "existence precedes essence" and its implications for human freedom.
10. How is freedom and responsibility interconnected in existentialism?
11. How does compassion influence moral and ethical behaviour? Explain with examples from personal, social, or professional life.
12. How is the logical mode of thinking different from the narrative mode of thinking?
13. Illustrate the concept of intertextuality.
14. Bring out the nature of texts.

Section C

Answer any 1 questions. Each carry 14 marks.

15. How do cultural, social, or personal perspectives influence the interpretation of facts?
16. How does language determine our identity and subjectivities?