

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

KU1DSCPHL101 - INVITATION TO PHILOSOPHY

2024 Admission onwards

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Section A

Answer any 6 questions. Each carry 3 marks.

1. Write a note on ontology.
2. Give an account of the nature of materialism.
3. Distinguish between material logic and formal logic.
4. Give a note on applied ethics.
5. Briefly explain the postmodern stage of western philosophy.
6. Define Philosophy and describe its subject matter.
7. Write a note on the etymological meaning of the term 'Darsana'.
8. What is meant by metaphysics? Give the etymological meaning.

Section B

Answer any 4 questions. Each carry 6 marks.

9. Define ethics. Give a brief note on following ethical concepts. a) Good b) Right c) Duty d) Virtue
10. Induction and deduction are complementary process. Comment.
11. Examine the scope of applied ethics in the contemporary world.
12. Analyse the relevance and uses of studying philosophy.
13. How is religion related to philosophy?
14. Philosophy develops through the criticism of the approved beliefs, customs and rules. Comment on it.

Section C

Answer any 2 questions. Each carry 14 marks.

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15. Examine the different norms of classification of philosophy. Explain the classification of Indian philosophy.
16. Explain Rationalism and empiricism in detail.
17. Explain the following. a) Materialism b) Realism c) Idealism d) Critical naturalism