QP CODE: D1BFE2501	**(Pages: 2)**	**Reg. No**	**:**	**.....**
		Name	**:**	**.....**

FIRST SEMESTER FYUGP (Regular) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2025

Discipline Specific Core (DSC) Courses - Major

FEN1CJ102 : Introduction to Functional English

(Credits: 4)

Time: 2 Hours **Maximum Marks: 70**

Section A

Answer the following questions. Each carries 3 marks (Ceiling: 24 marks)

1.	What is the typical structure of blog content?	BL1	CO1, CO2, CO4
2.	Describe the pulmonic egressive air-stream mechanism briefly.	BL4	CO2, CO3, CO4
3.	Who is the central character in "Prayers," and what is his social context?	BL1	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4
4.	What is the first key step in starting an investigative report?	BL2	CO1, CO2, CO4
5.	Define vocabulary and explain its role in speaking.	BL1	CO1, CO3, CO4
6.	Name the three main systems involved in speech production.	BL2	CO1, CO2, CO4
7.	Write down three words that include this sound -/i:/ .	BL3	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4
8.	What is the primary purpose of a title in article writing?	BL6	CO2, CO3, CO4
9.	List three key elements necessary for a persuasive editorial.	BL1	CO1, CO2, CO4
10.	Explain the importance of attention in active listening.	BL3	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4

Section B

Answer the following questions. Each carries 6 marks (Ceiling: 36 Marks)

11.	Explain the differences among spoken, written, and non-verbal forms of communication.	BL6	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4
12.	Analyze the role of oral and nasal cavities in sound production.	BL3	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4

(PTO)

13.	Examine how Shakespeare contrasts physical beauty and true love in Sonnet 116.	BL6	
14.	Analyze how structured storytelling highlights key moments in a sports event coverage.	BL4	CO1, CO2, CO4
15.	How does non-verbal communication influence verbal interaction?	BL3	CO1, CO2, CO4
16.	Analyse the major barriers in communication. How can they be overcome to ensure clarity and accuracy in message delivery?	BL3	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4
17.	List out the twelve pure vowel sounds.	BL2	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4
18.	Explain how Maya Angelou uses metaphor and simile to convey hope and empowerment in the poem "Still I Rise."	BL5	CO1, CO3, CO4
	Section C		
	Answer any one question. Each carries 10 marks (1 x 10 = 10 Marks)		
19.	Explore how Narayanan's "Thenvarikka" uses the symbol of the jackfruit tree to critique the loss of tradition and the impact of modernization on rural life. Support your discussion with references to the character relationships, ecological themes, and use of memory in the story.	BL6	CO1, CO3
20.	Examine how Khushwant Singh's "Karma" critiques colonial mimicry and the dangers of losing one's identity. How does the story use irony and character portrayal to highlight the effects of British colonial attitudes on Indian society?	BL6	CO1, CO3, CO4
	CO : Course Outcome		
	BL : Bloom's Taxonomy Levels (1 – Remember, 2 – Understand, 3 – Apply, 4 – Analyse, 5 – Evaluate, 6 – Create)		