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Second Semester (FYUGP) Degree Examination April 2026				
(Regular/Improvement/Supplementary)				
Multi-Disciplinary Courses (MDC) (Credits: 3)				
FEN2FM106 : PUBLIC SPEAKING AND DEBATING SKILLS				
Time: 1.5 Hours		Maximum Marks: 50		
Section A. Answer the following questions. Each carries 2 marks (Ceiling: 16 marks)				
1.	Why is clarity important in effective communication?	BL2	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4, CO5, CO6	
2.	If cultural differences create misunderstandings in a conversation, how can you modify your communication style to adapt to your audience?	BL3	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4, CO5, CO6	
3.	Evaluate the impact of emotional intelligence on adapting communication to different audiences.	BL5	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4, CO5, CO6	
4.	Why is it important to organize and outline a speech before delivering it?	BL2	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4, CO5, CO6	
5.	How does the role of an affirmative speaker differ from that of a negative speaker in terms of argument strategy?	BL4	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4, CO5, CO6	
6.	Examine the role of audience analysis in preparing a speech for a formal occasion versus an informal occasion.	BL4	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4, CO5, CO6	
7.	Define extemporaneous speech delivery.	BL1	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4, CO5, CO6	
8.	What is meant by self-confidence in communication?	BL2	CO1, CO2, CO3	
9.	What is a debate?	BL2	CO1, CO2, CO3	
10.	Give one example of non-verbal communication.	BL2	CO1, CO2, CO3	
Section B. Answer the following questions. Each carries 6 marks (Ceiling: 24 Marks)				
11.	Imagine you are conducting a workshop on effective communication. Create a step-by-step guide that includes three activities to help participants improve their verbal and non-verbal communication skills.	BL6	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4, CO5, CO6	
12.	What are the main characteristics of effective communication? Explain any three.	BL1	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4, CO5, CO6	
13.	Describe three strategies that can help overcome communication barriers and explain how they improve communication effectiveness.	BL2	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4, CO5, CO6	
14.	Describe the three main types of speeches: informative, persuasive, and online speeches.	BL1	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4, CO5, CO6	
15.	What is the role of clarity and simplicity in effective communication?	BL2	CO1, CO2, CO3	
Section C. Answer any one question. Each carries 10 marks (1 x 10 = 10 Marks)				
16.	Debate competitions require speakers to adapt their language and delivery to different audiences. Critically analyze the importance of audience awareness in determining the success of a debate speech.	BL5	CO1, CO2, CO3, CO4, CO5, CO6	
17.	In the digital age, do you think communication has become more effective or more complicated? Give your opinion with relevant examples.	BL6	CO4, CO5, CO6	
CO : Course Outcome BL : Bloom's Taxonomy Levels (1 – Remember, 2 – Understand, 3 – Apply, 4 – Analyse, 5 – Evaluate, 6 – Create)				