

JAYPEE UNIVERSITY OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, WAKNAGHAT

TEST -2 EXAMINATIONS- 2026

PhD-I Semester (JBSW/HSS)

COURSE CODE (CREDITS): 23P1WHS102

MAX MARKS: 25

COURSE NAME: Essentials of Academic Writing

COURSE INSTRUCTOR: Dr Deler Singh

MAX. TIME: 1 Hour 30 Min

Note: (α) All questions are compulsory.

Q. No	Question	CO	Marks
Q1	How can reading be conceptualized as an active meaning-making process? Discuss with reference to reflection, self-reflection, and interpretation.	02	05
Q2	Critically examine the impact of digital media on reading practices. Briefly refer to Naomi S. Baron's arguments on screen reading.	02	05
Q3	Explain how different kinds of passages require different reading strategies. Illustrate with suitable examples.	02	05
Q4	What is Critical Discourse Analysis (CDA)? Discuss its role in uncovering power relations in language with reference to Norman Fairclough.	03	05
Q5	Differentiate between coherence and cohesion in writing. How do macrofeatures and microfeatures contribute to effective discourse	03	05