

JAYPEE UNIVERSITY OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, WAKNAGHAT

TEST -3 EXAMINATIONS- 2026

PhD-II SEM (JBSW-HSS) (TAMANA PAL – 256805)

COURSE CODE (CREDITS): 23P1WHS103

MAX MARKS: 35

COURSE NAME: CONTEMPORARY LITERARY THEORY

COURSE INSTRUCTOR: ASA, DLR, AKS

MAX. TIME: 2 Hours

Note: (a) All questions are compulsory.

(c) Use of calculator is not allowed

Q.No	Question	CO	Marks
Q1	How has the field of ecological studies interacted with the subject of posthumanism? Discuss using key theoretical ideas/scholars from these fields.		7
Q2	In what specific ways scholars such as Bhiku Parekh have added to the understanding of multiculturalism. How have they facilitated an Indian political thought to have a direct engagement and dialogue with the western political thought?		3+4=7
Q3	Discuss the contributions of Bernard Cohn and Benedict Anderson to how nationalism and colonisation are understood in the present time.		7
Q4	Elaborate on the significance and uniqueness of ecofeminist theory within the bracket of contemporary literary theory.		7
Q5	Comparing early days of literary theory in the twentieth century with the models of literary theory at our disposal in the twenty-first century, outline the evolution and transformation of the discipline, highlighting what has been an extension of previous ideas and what has been a shift away from the early principles of the field.		7