



Jamshedpur Women's University

Jamshedpur Women's University Hosts Interdepartmental 'Language Quiz & Trivia'

March 2026, Jamshedpur

The event was held under the guidance of our honourable Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) Anjila Gupta and saw enthusiastic participation from students and faculty across departments.

The entire event was hosted and coordinated by the NEP Saarthies of Jamshedpur Women's University. Taking full responsibility for planning and execution, the NEP Saarthies ensured active interdepartmental participation and the smooth conduct of all segments.

Their leadership and student-driven efforts were key to making the Language Quiz & Trivia a grand success and in line with the spirit of NEP 2020.



Faculty Presence and Guidance

Many senior faculty members who led the February Mother Language Day program were also present to mentor students during this event. Their continued involvement highlighted the university's consistent focus on linguistic heritage.

The program had active participation and support from:

- Dr. D.R.S. Dayal, Retd. Head, Department of English, Kolhan University
- Dr. Sudhir Sahu, Dean, Faculty of Humanities
- Dr. Nupur Anvita Minj
- Dr. Manisha Titus
- Dr. Rupali Patra
- Dr. Kamini Kumari
- Ms. Amrita Kumari
- Ms. Ayesha, Research Scholar and Program Coordinator



Interdepartmental Participation and Student Energy

This was a fully student-driven interdepartmental event with participation from Humanities, Social Sciences, Commerce, and Science departments.

Every segment witnessed strong student involvement under constant monitiation of NEP Saarthies:



- **Literature & Poetry Recitation:** Students recited poems and excerpts in Hindi, Bengali, Odia, Santali, Bhojpuri and other Indian languages, reflecting the diversity celebrated in February.



- **Debate Round:** Topics included "Role of Mother Tongue in Higher Education" and "Preserving Dialects in the Digital Age", directly building on the discussions from the February program.



- **Cultural Facts & Trivia:** The most energetic round. Questions covered dialects, famous poets, folk traditions, and linguistic history. Teams from different departments competed with great enthusiasm.



Aligned with NEP 2020

- Speaking during the event, Dr. Sudhir Sahu said, *"In February we spoke about the importance of saving our mother tongues. In March, our students showed how those languages live through literature, debate and culture."*
- Dr. Nupur Anvita Minj and Dr. Manisha Titus also addressed the students and encouraged them to take pride in multilingualism as promoted under NEP 2020.
- The program concluded with prize distribution to the winning departmental teams and a vote of thanks by Dr. Manisha Titus.



With back-to-back initiatives in February and March, under the leadership of Prof. (Dr.) Anjila Gupta, Jamshedpur Women's University continues to set an example of moving from awareness to active engagement in preserving India's linguistic diversity.



