

# FIRST QUARTERLY TEST AUGUST 2025

CLASS : I PUC

SUBJECT : ENGLISH (02)

Max. Marks : 40

TIME : 1 Hr. 30 Mins.

## Instructions :

- 1) Follow the prescribed limit while answering the questions.
- 2) Write the correct question number as it appears on the question paper.
- 3) One mark questions attempted more than once will be awarded zero.
- c) For multiple choice questions, choose the correct answers and rewrite it.

## PART-A

### I Answer the following questions by choosing the right option:

4x1=4

- 1) Match the column 'A' with column 'B' related to "The Gentlemen of the Jungle".

#### A

- i. Elephant
- ii. Lion
- iii. Fox

a) i-b, ii-c, iii-a

c) i-c, ii-a, iii-b ✓

#### B

- a. Wanted peace and tranquility
- b. Chairman to the commission
- c. Honourable minister of Jungle Kingdom

b) i-c, ii-b, iii-a

d) i-a, ii-b, iii-c

- 2) Complete the following analogy about 'The School Boy'.

Skylark : \_\_\_\_\_ :: School : cage

a) Summer

b) Delight

c) Sweet company ✓

d) Sorrow

- 3) According to Mara, the medicinal creeper had been cursed by \_\_\_\_\_

a) a plant Pathologist

b) a Malayali Sadhu

c) a sage ✓

d) native doctors

- 4) Statement : The narrator used to wake up at 4 p.m usually

Reason : He wanted to save the expenses on morning tea and noon meal.

a) Only the statement is true.

b) Only the reason is true.

c) Both the statement and the reason are true. ✓

d) Both the statement and reason are not true.

- 5 Fill in the blanks with appropriate articles:

2x1=2

The man went out and built a bigger and better hut a little distance away from the jungle.

## OR

He ate an apple and drank a glass of milk before going to school.

- 6 Fill in the blanks with appropriate prepositions given in the brackets:

3x1=3

The Republic Day was celebrated on 26<sup>th</sup> January 2025. After the completion of flag hoisting and national anthem at 8 a.m, the stage function was held in the college auditorium from 8.30 a.m to 10.30 a.m. (in, on, at, for)

## PART-B

### II. Answer any Three of the following questions in one or two sentences each : 3x2=6

7. Who was the king of the Jungle? What did he command his ministers? ✓
8. Name any two seasons that are mentioned in the poem 'The School Boy'.
9. Who had got boils all over his body? And who had treated him? ✓
10. Mention any two of the daily occurrences in the big city according to the narrator. ✓

### III. Answer any Two of the following questions in about 60 words each :

2x3=6

11. How did the elephant justify his act of occupying the hut in the lesson "The Gentlemen of the Jungle"? ✓
12. Describe the experience of the boy in the school with reference to the poem 'The School Boy'. ✓
13. What was the story behind Mara's loss of teeth? ✓
14. What happens in the restaurant that leads to a critical moment in the story "Oru Manushyan"? ✓

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IV Answer any one of the following questions in about 80-100 words. : 1x4=4

15. Explain briefly the trial and the Judgement of the case between the man and elephant in the lesson 'The Gentlemen of the Jungle'. ✓

OR

16. What was the reaction of the owner of the restaurant when the narrator was not able to pay the bill in the lesson 'Oru Manushyan'? ✓

PART-C

17. A. Choose the correct form of the verb that agrees with the subject: 4x1=4  
Neither the teacher nor the students \_\_\_\_\_ (was/were) aware of the schedule change.  
Everyone \_\_\_\_\_ (was/were) surprised by the announcement. Some of the students \_\_\_\_\_  
(has/have) already made plans for the day. The principal \_\_\_\_\_ (is/are) working to ensure  
everything goes smoothly.

OR

- B. Fill in the blanks with suitable form of verbs given in the brackets:  
Maya -s (live) in a small village, she -s (own) a beautiful garden with many flowers.  
Her neighbours often \_\_\_\_\_ (visit) her to admire the garden. Maya -s (spend) most of  
her time taking care of the plants.

PART-D

18. A. Rearrange the segments to form a meaningful sentence: 2x1=2  
i. gave a loud guffaw / startling every one around / the owner ✓  
ii. the books / from / why / the library/ did / he / borrow? ✓

OR

- B. i. regarded it as my duty / I have always / of my friends / to protect the interest. ✓  
ii. to a party / not / we / tonight / going / are ✓  
19. Correct the following sentences and rewrite them: 3x1=3  
i. Physics are an interesting subject.  
ii. Animals are our most best friends.  
iii. I did not went to college yesterday.

PART-E

- VII. 20. A. Frame a question so as to get the underlined word as answer: 2x1=2  
i) He left early because he was sick.  
ii) The college day was celebrated on 12<sup>th</sup> February 2025.

- B. Change into a question beginning with right form of 'do': 2x1=2  
i) They visited Paris last year. ✓  
ii) Rajesh sings melodiously. ✓ <https://www.karnatakaboard.com>

- C. Add a suitable question tag: 2x1=2  
i) It is raining isn't it?  
ii) Ram doesn't like coffee does he?

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