



JAIN COLLEGE, JAYANAGAR

II PUC Mock Paper -1

Subject : English (02)

Duration: 3 hrs 15 minutes

Max. Marks: 100

**INSTRUCTIONS :**

Follow the prescribed limit while answering the questions.

Write the correct question number as it appears on the question paper.

**I. Answer the following in one word, a phrase or a sentence each. (12x1=12)**

1. What does “circus feat” refer to in the poem “WATER”.
2. Who was responsible for including mobility as a part of the literacy drive?
3. What post did Marcus Ibe hold in the outgoing government?
4. State one factor that determines the length of one’s bowing in Japan.
5. How does the poet create heaven on earth in the poem, ‘Heaven If You are not here on Earth ‘?
6. What is the most astounding invention of man, according to Borges?
7. Why does the child’s feet feel defeated?
8. Describe the appearance of the person who comes to seek work in the lesson “The Gardener”.
9. How is the “one man” different from the many others who loved the lady in the poem” When you are old”.
10. Why were Dona Laura and Don Gonzalo reluctant to reveal their secret?
11. What does forest teach us as a principle of Equity in the lesson “Everything I need to know I learned in the forest”.
12. Which bird Romeo compares Juliet to, when he sees her for the first time?

**II. Answer any eight of the following (choosing any two from the poetry) in a paragraph of 80 -100 words. (8x4=32)**

13. Tammanna’s disease was Basavaiah’s health. Elucidate.
14. What does the Earth University teach?
15. How does Pablo Neruda brings out the plight of a human in the poem “To the foot from its child”.
16. “Love is Blind” elaborate this statement with reference to the extract from “Romeo and Juliet”.
17. Describe the kingdom of Monaco and about the people of the kingdom.
18. Discuss Khalil Gibran’s views about the roles and responsibilities of parents towards their children.
19. Dona Laura and Don Gonzalo were not truly in love.Elaborate.
20. In the poem ‘To the foot from its child, how does the poet portray the child’s journey to adulthood’?
21. Water is omniscient, it contains the world. How does the poet prove this point in the poem “Water”.
22. How did cycling become a metaphor for freedom in Puddukottai?

**III. Answer the following in about 200 words. (1x6=6)**

23. “Heaven lies all over”. How is this brought out in the poem “ Heaven,if you are not on Earth”.

OR

The conservation of Biodiversity is the answer to the food and nutrition crisis,Discuss.

OR

The poem “ Water ” demonstrates the disparity and discrimination of the society.Justify.

**IV. Read the following passage and answer the questions set on it. (10x1=10)**

Peter Drucker always hated being called a “Management Guru”. Yet till the very end, management thinkers looked upon him as their ultimate leader. In the world of management there weren’t too many philosophers, writers and teachers like Drucker.For more than half a century the world of businessand public policy was influenced by ‘The father of management’.

Yet ironically,his entry into management was purely accidental. In his twenties, Drucker had to flee Nazi Germany.When one of his essays was banned by the regime. He began his career in the U.S Universities teaching politics, economics and philosophy. In 1946, his writings attracted the interest

of General Motors, America's biggest car company. His portrait of the company 'The Concept of the Corporation' became the best seller. This was followed by another work 'Practice of Management' which combined two schools of management – scientific and humanistic. Drucker's work gained public recognition for two reasons. He expressed his ideas in simple terms and he integrated different disciplines.

In his death, the words of Azim Premji, chairman, Wipro, 'Drucker is to management, what Einstein is to science'.

24. 1) One title given to Drucker was that of 'Management Guru', what was the other title given to him?  
2) Who banned one of his essays?  
3) Mention any two subjects taught by Drucker?  
4) 'The Concept of the Corporation' is the name of a \_\_\_\_\_  
1. Book      2. Company      3. Car      4. University  
5) Which company was attracted by his writings?  
6) What are the two schools of Management?  
7) Mention any one reason for the popularity of his books?  
8) The last word in Para 2 'Discipline' means  
1. Punishment      2. Obedience      3. Control      4. Branches of learning  
9) Azim Premji compared Drucker with \_\_\_\_\_.  
10) Pick out the phrase from the passage which means 'fifty years'.

**25. Read the following lines and answer the questions set on it. (3x1=3)**

A little fairy comes at night  
Her eyes are blue, her hair is brown,  
With silver spot upon her wings;  
And from the moon she flutters down.

- 1) When does the fairy make her appearance?  
2) Describe the fairy?  
3) From where does the fairy flutters down?

**26. Complete the following by filling the blanks using the right form of the verb given in the brackets. (3x1=3)**

The criminal \_\_\_\_\_ (sentence) for life. A guard \_\_\_\_\_ (place) over him. Every day the food \_\_\_\_\_ (bring) by the guard from the palace kitchen.

**27. Report the following conversation. (5x1=5)**

Dona Laura: Wait a moment.  
Petra: What does the senora wish?  
Dona Laura: Give me the bread crumbs.  
Petra: I don't know what is the matter with me.  
Dona Laura: I do.

**28. Complete the following dialogue. (4x1=4)**

(Anitha is Vinutha's new neighbour. They meet and introduce themselves)  
Anitha : Good morning ! I am Anitha your next door neighbor. May I come in?  
Vinutha : \_\_\_\_\_  
Anitha: \_\_\_\_\_  
Vinutha: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anitha: \_\_\_\_\_

**29. Fill in the blanks with appropriate expression given in brackets. ( 2x1=2)**

(in a soup, landslide victory, in full swing)  
The election campaign in Umofia was \_\_\_\_\_. All knew that the honourable minister would have a \_\_\_\_\_.

**30. Fill in the blanks with right linkers.**

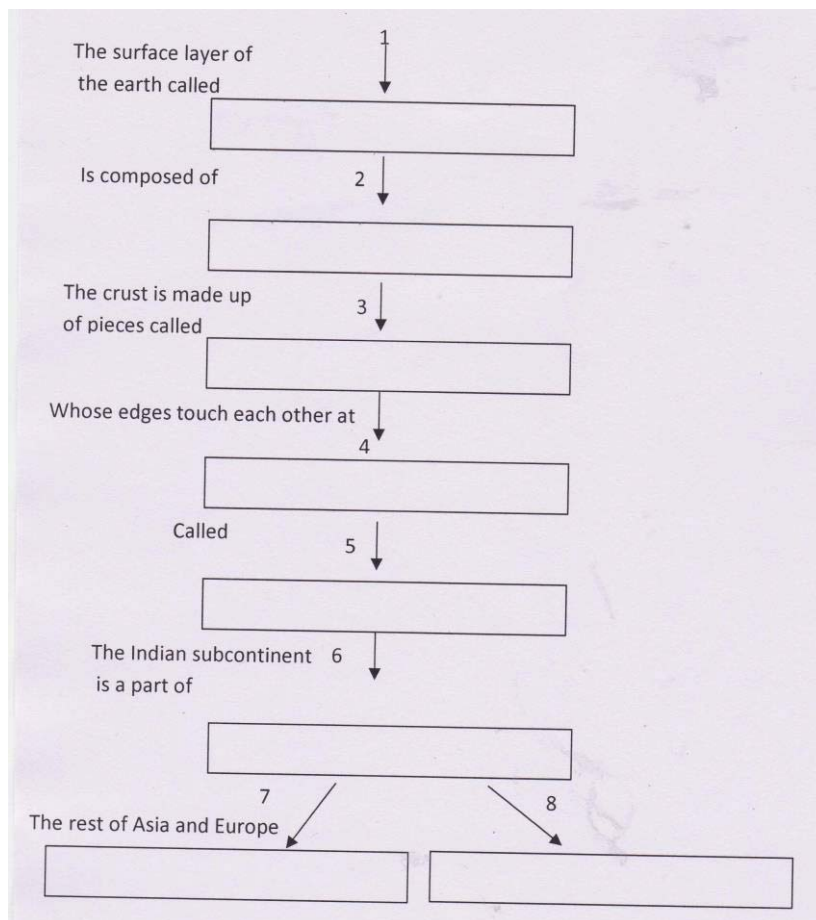
**(4x1=4)**

(but, and, at last, then, where)

The young man took refuge in Don Gonzalo's house. From there he went to Seville, \_\_\_\_\_ then he came back to Madrid. He wrote many letters to Laura, \_\_\_\_\_ they were intercepted by her parents. \_\_\_\_\_ in despair he joined the army \_\_\_\_\_ he met a glorious death in the war.

**31. Read the following passage and make notes by drawing and filling the Boxes. (8x1/2= 4)**

The surface layer of earth, the crust is composed of rock and an average thickness of 35kms. The crust is made up of smaller pieces called plates, whose edges touch each other at junction's called faults. The Indian subcontinent is part of a plate known as the Indian Plate. The rest of Asia and Europe forms parts of European and Arabian Plates.



**32. Write a letter of application in response to the following advertisement which appeared in 'The Deccan Herald' dated 18<sup>th</sup> Dec 2017.**

**Wanted Receptionist**

**Qualification:** Any Graduate with 60% marks and above.  
Computer literate.  
Good communication skills in English, Hindi and Kannada.  
Candidates with experience will be given preference.

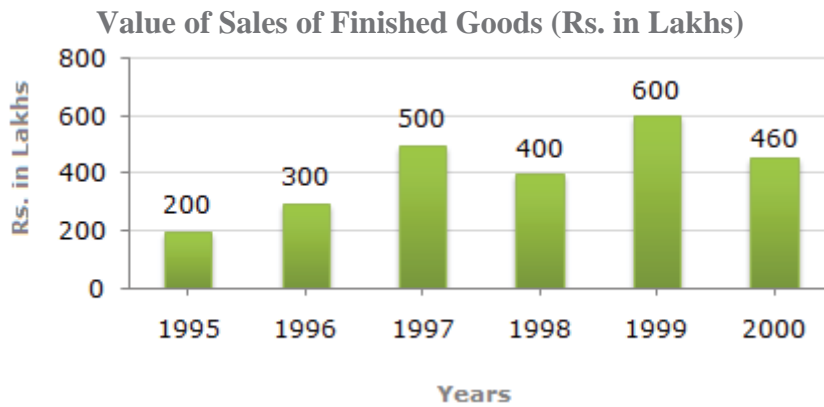
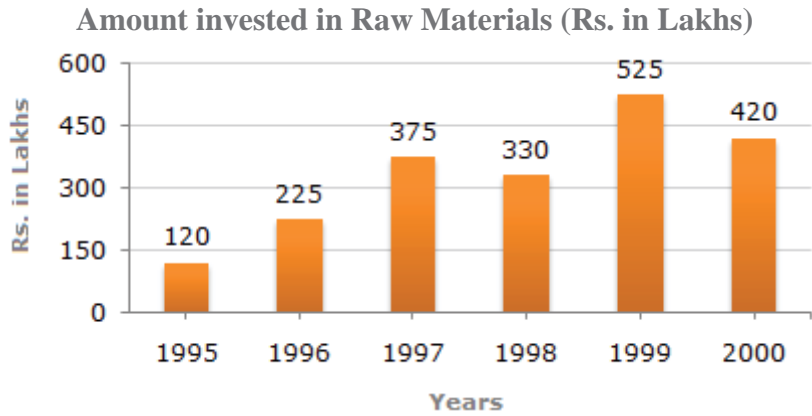
Apply to : The Manager (HRD)  
Sindhu Technologies  
Vijaynagar, Bangalore.

33. Your college is conducting 'Kannada Rajyotsava'. You have to speak about the importance of this day being the student president of your college. (5marks)

- Kannada Rajyotsava' celebrated on 1<sup>st</sup> November
- Government announces awards.
- State Flag is displayed

OR

Out of the two bar graphs provided below, one shows the amounts (in Lakh Rs.) invested by a Company in purchasing raw materials over the years and the other shows the values (in Lakh Rs.) of finished goods sold by the Company over the years. Using this information, write a report in about 120 words.



VII.

34. What do underlined words in the following extract refer to. (4x1=4)

Maria became the first woman who graduated from the university of Rome. After her medical education she was made incharge of The Institute for Mentally Retarded Children. People believed that mentally retarded children could not be taught anything. So no one taught them anything. Maria adopted a method of training which was very effective.

Who:

Her:

Them:

Which:

35. Rearrange the jumbled segments to form a meaningful sentence. (1x1=1)

Fifty mopeds/UNICEF/Arivoli/for/women activists/sanctioned