

English - Telugu Medium

PAPER-I

Time: 2 ½ Hrs.

Parts A & B
Max.Marks: 50

Instructions:

- 1) Answer all the questions under Part-A on a separate answer sheet.
- 2) Write the answers to the questions under part- B on the question paper itself.
- 3) Start answering questions as you read them.

Part -A

Time: 1 ½ Hrs

Marks: 20

Note: Use a separate book to answer the questions in this part.

(1-10) Answer any Five of the following questions in one or two sentences each. 5 × 2=10

1. Why did the spirits of the trees beg the God to forgive the King?
(The King and the Tamarind Drum)
2. How did Polya feel after the reading the letter?
(Polya)
3. Why is Bahuguna so keen on preventing deforestation on Himalayas?
(Chipko)
4. Why do you think the narrator try to look like a man with a quick temper?
(My Financial Career)
5. Lieutenant Blandford did hesitate. What did he not hesitate to do? Why did he not hesitate?
(ATest of True Love)
6. Egyptian Director of antiquities didn't want Tutenkhamen's treasures to be sent to France. Why?
(The curse of Tutenkhamen)
7. Why is the wanderer always thin-king about his true identity?
(A Story that can be true)
8. Why do you think the neighbours quarrel for so long over a petty matter?(Dog is mans best friend)
9. Gandhiji hated being late. Why was he late for the prayer meeting?
(Death before Prayers)
10. Why did Death drive slowly his carriage? What had the lady put away? And Why?
(Because I could not stop for Death)

11. Complete the following poem.

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You've loved..... and endures.

(OR)

They miss..... I'm a king.

12. Read the following passage carefully.

3 × 1 = 3

A. But on January 28,when she asked me the usual question, I didn't say anything I just touched her feet! It was my tribute to a great artist".

Now answer the following questions.

1. Who is 'I' referred to?
2. Why do you think the speaker touched her feet?
3. What was the usual question she asked to the speaker?

13. Read the following lines.**2X1=2**

"Hope you don't mind the books,miss,but my husband won't give them away, and there's no where else to put them. We charge a bit less for the room for that reason.?"

Now answer the following questions?

1. Who is the speaker in the above lines speaking to?
2. Why do they charge less rent for that room?

PART - B**Time: 1 Hr.****MARKS: 30****Note:**i) Answer the questions in this part on the question paper itself.

ii) Candidates must use capital letters while answering the multiple choice questions.

14. Complete the following passage u-sing appropriate words. Each blank is numbered. Choose the correct answers from the four choices given . P-ut a,b,c or d in the blanks**5 × 1/2 =2 1/2**

T.V. is one of the wonders-----1) the modern World. It is not -----2) idiot box. It is a magic carpet. It -----3) us to all corners of the world. How many of you -----4) travel to Paris or New York or London everyday? Of course some programmes ----- 5) bad. But no body forces you to watch them.

1. a) off b) of c) to d) in
2. a) the b) an c) a d) one
3. a) takes b) take c) taking d) taken
4. a) could b) can c) would d) might
5. a) were b) is c) was d) are

15. Match the parts of sentences un-der 'A' with those in 'B'. Write the letter of the sentence Part in 'B' against the sentences Part in 'A'**Marks 5 × 1/2 = 2½**

A	B
1.They write. to each other....	A.....if it rains.()
2 We can't play cricket.....	B.....as if she is a heroine.()
3.Kumari speaks so fast...	C...that we can't understand her()
4.I didn't attend your birthday...	D...though they are neighbours()
5. She dresses.....	E.....as you didn't invite me. ()

16. Study the following pairs of sentences and answer the question.**1**

- a. The medical shop was closed on Sunday.
 - b. The wine shop was closed down on Sunday.
- Which shop is likely to open on Monday?

17. Students must not bring phones into the examination room.**(Re-write in Passive voice)****1**

Ans:.....

18. Mr. Rao left for home early. He wanted to rest.**(Combine using "so that")****1**

Ans:.....

19. Krishna said to Kumari, "Where have you gone?"

(Change into Reported Speech)

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Ans:.....

20. Fill in the blanks with correct forms of the verbs.

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- i) Radha fell asleep while she(watch) T.V.
- ii) The patient..... (die) before the ambulance.....(come).

21. Fill in the blanks, choosing the right words from those given in the brackets.

4 × 1/2 = 2

- a) Three candidates have turned ____ for the interview (up, out, on)
- b) My car broke ___ on the way. We had to walk. (down, up, into)
- c) It has not rained _____ two years. (since, from, for)
- d) Rajesh is good _____ Mathematics, but he interested in Geography. (with, at, in)

22. Choose the right words from those given in brackets and fill in the blanks. 4 × 1/2 = 2

- a)Wearing Bangles is a _____ in our country. (custom, tradition, habit)
- b. My application for the job was ____ (denied, refused, rejected)
- c. Naina is 43 years old and unmarried. She is a _____ (Bachelor, Widow, Spinster).
- d. Your shoes are torn. Please get them.....(repaired, mended, corrected)

23. Fill in the blanks with words opposite in meaning to the under lined.

4 × 1/2 = 2

- a. Always eat fresh _____ food spoils your health.
- b. The King pardon the barber, he didn't _____ him
- c. Who likes _____? None. Everybody enjoys success
- d.Children are generally dependent but now a days they want to be--

24. Fill in the blanks with right forms of the words underlined.

4 × 1/2 = 2

- a. It is foolish to question his _____. He is an honest person.
- b.Tansen was a famous _____ people loved his music.
- c. Trains in India never depart before their _____ time.
- d.The students assemble in the _____ hall.

25. Put the following words under correct headings.

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Screw-driver, Butcher, Scientist, Hammer, Electrician, Test-tube, Knife, Mason

Persons	Tools they use
1.	1
2	2
3	3
4	4

26. Fill in the blanks using ei ie ea ae ee ia ai.

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- 1. Sl _ _ve. 2 rel- - f.

27. Complete the following words with the letter given in the brackets.

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- 1. rum___ (our/ur)
- 2. secret___ (ary/ery)

28. One word in each list is spelt wrongly. Underline the wrongly spelt word.

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- a) cheque success chemiistry kerosene
- b) commercial costume cupboard controll

29. In the sets of four words given below the italic parts of two words are pronounced in the same way. Find the words and copy them out.

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- a) *thumb* *earth* *mother* *mouth*
- b) *Physics* *enough* *pupil* *psychology*

Ans:.....

30. Arrange the following words in alphabetical order.

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responsible reason remember reported

Ans:.....

31. Your friend usually takes sleeping pills. You think this is harmful to his health. Advise him to avoid taking those pills.

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Ans:.....

32. What do the following sentences mean. Put (✓) mark against the right answer.

1. If I were you I would plant some trees around my house.

a) a request b) a suggestion c) an advice d) a warning.

2. "How about having a cup of coffee?"

a) an advice () b) a question () c) a suggestion () d) complaint ()

33. Change the following into a polite request.

You to a stranger, "show me the way to the State Bank."

Ans:.....

34. Your cousin is going abroad for higher studies. What do you say to him/her?

a) Have a nice time! b) wish you best of luck! ()

c) Congratulations! d) Bon voyage!