

# Karnataka 2nd PUC English 2024 Question Paper

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[ಸಮಯ: 3 ಗಂಟೆ 15 ನಿಮಿಷಗಳು] [ಒಟ್ಟು ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ : 30] [ಗರಿಷ್ಠ ಅಂಕಗಳು]  
[Time : 3 Hours 15 Minutes] [Total No. of questions : 30] [Max. Marks]

**Instructions :**

1. Follow the prescribed limit while answering the questions.
2. Write the correct question number as it appears on the question paper.
3. For Part A questions, only the first written answers will be considered for evaluation.
4. Answers to question numbers 25 (a to j), 26 (i to viii) should be in sequence and at one place.

PART - A

Answer the following questions by choosing the right option : (10 ×)

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_ teaches the torches to burn bright.  
a) Rosaline  
b) Juliet  
c) Romeo  
d) Sun
- 2) The criminal could not be executed because  
a) There were only seven thousand inhabitants in Monaco  
b) People played roulette  
c) Monaco had neither guillotine nor an executioner  
d) There was no guard to keep him

- 3) The souls of children dwell in the house of \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) tomorrow ✓                      b) today
- c) yesterday                          d) dreams

- 4) Which is the learning centre started by Tagore?
- a) Organic farming
- b) Navdanya farm
- c) Shantiniketan in West Bengal ✓
- d) Monocultures of the mind

- 5) Match column 'A' with column 'B' with reference to the play "A Sunny morning", and choose the correct option.

A	B
i) Petra	a) Gonzalo's servant
ii) Juanito	b) Villa
iii) Maricela	c) Laura's maid
a) i-c, ii-a, iii-b ✓	b) i-a, ii-b, iii-c
c) i-b, ii-a, iii-c	d) i-c, ii-b, iii-a

- 6) Identify the sequence of events which made Tammanna the best poet of his times.
- a) Tammanna composing Ballads – critics analysing and translating his songs – Basavaiah forcibly acquired Tammanna's land – quarrel between them.
- b) Critics analysing and translating his songs – Basavaiah forcibly acquired Tammanna's land – quarrel between them – Tammanna composing ballads.
- c) Critics analysing and translating his songs – Tammanna composing Ballads – quarrel between them – Basavaiah forcibly acquired Tammanna's land.
- d) ✓ Basavaiah forcibly acquired Tammanna's land – quarrel between them – Tammanna composing Ballads – critics analysing and translating his songs.

- 7) The child's foot is defeated and condemned to live in a shoe means \_\_\_\_\_
- It wants to be a butterfly
  - It wants to be an apple
  - It takes the form of eyeless reptiles
  - Society crushes childhood dreams and forces people into rigid moulds
- 8) What are the streets of Copacabana decorated with in Brazil?
- Beautiful black mosaics
  - Little food bags
  - Cars
  - Motor vehicles
- 9) Roof had spent two years as a bicycle repairer's apprentice in \_\_\_\_\_
- Umuofia
  - Port Harcourt
  - Mbanta
  - Village
- 10) \_\_\_\_\_ was Arivoli central Coordinator.
- Sheela Rani Chankath
  - Avakanni
  - N. Kannammal
  - Pudukkottai
- 11) Fill in the blanks by using the right form of the verb given in the bracket.

(2 × 1 = 2)

The criminal refused to runaway from the prison. A pension of 600 francs per annum was fixed (fix). The prisoner was given (give) one third of his annuity in advance.

- 2) Fill in the blanks with the right linker.

(3 × 1 = 3)

[To begin with, However, also]

If Tammanna bought four acres of land, Basavaiah also followed suit. To begin with all this looked like healthy competition. However gradually it rose to such a pitch that there was no land left in the village.