



VIVEK **TUTORIALS**

Mathematics

Unit Test

ENGLISH LITERATURE

Max Marks: 60

A. Answer the following:-

1. Who is the poet asking the questions in the first line? List any two things, according to the extract, that man will do by planting a tree? (3m)
2. In what ways are the trees friends of sun and sky? How can a man plant the flag of breezes free?(3m)
3. Give 2 examples of metonymy. How is it used in the poem? (3m)
4. Comment on the title of the poem The heart of the trees. (4m)
5. Was Holmes really ill? (4m)
6. Where does Culverton Smith usually live? (4m)
7. Where did Watson hide and why did Holmes need him there? (4m)
8. What clues are there in the story that Holmes was not really ill? (4m)
9. How does Holmes make sure that Watson does not guess that he is pretending? Why do you think he needs Watson to believe he is very ill? (4m)

B. Reference to context:-

1. "The best way of successfully acting a part is to be it". (4m)
 - a. Who is speaking?
 - b. What part has he been acting?
 - c. In what way was he 'being it'?
 - d. What did the person want to do soon after this?
2. "Have you come from Holmes?" (3m)

- a. Who is the speaker?
- b. Who is speaking to whom?
- c. What is the reference to the above line?

3. What do the below lines mean? (4m)

- a. He plants a home to heaven anigh.
- b. The shaft of beauty, towering high.

4. For song and mother-croon of bird,
In hushed and happy twilight heard
The treble of heaven's harmony
These things he plants who plants a tree.

- a. What do the above lines mean? (2m)
- b. What is twilight? Why is it a happy twilight? (2m)
- c. What role does the treble play in heaven's harmony? (1m)

C. Give meanings of the following:- (5m)

- 1. Cab-
- 2. Grudge-
- 3. Incessantly-
- 4. Malicious-
- 5. Spasmodic-

D. Complete the poem:- (5m)

- 1. What does he plant who plants a tree?
He plants cool shade—————shall see

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