

# 1<sup>st</sup> SEM Communicative English (TH1)

## Unit 1: Literature Appreciation.

**Q.1.** The ruler of our street ... was a boy of about sixteen who was nicknamed Red. Red was big and broad-shouldered beyond his years. Red walked masterfully up and down our street, legs wide and with a slightly rolling gait, like a seaman on his deck. From under his cap, its peak always at the back of his head, his forelock tumbled down in a fiery cascade, and, out of his round pock-marked face, green eyes, like a cat's, sparkled with scorn for everything and everyone. Two or three lieutenants in peaked caps back to front like Red's, tripped at his heels. Red could stop any boy and say impressively the one word 'money'. His lieutenants would turn out the boy's pockets, and if he resisted they beat him up hard. Everyone was afraid of Red. So was I. I knew he carried a heavy metal knuckle-duster in his pocket.

- a) What made Red look older than he really was?
- b) How did Red roam in the streets?
- c) Why did his lieutenants also wear their caps back to front?
- d) Make sentences using the following words.  
Tumble down , Afraid
- e) What was his way of forcing money out of other boys ?
- f) Write down the meaning of these words.  
Deck, Tripped
- g) Describe the character Red in own words.
- h) Make a note of the above passage.

## Q.2. Answer the followings:

- I. Describe the Inchape Rock.
- II. The text is more about Mr. Chaudhary than Khairi. Explain.
- III. 'This was my first remuneration as a poet' explain.
- IV. How can the right kind of teams be created?
- V. What is 'crab mentality'?

## Unit II : Vocabulary

- a) Give two Antonyms to each of the words below:  
Beautiful, Cruel
- b) Supply one-word substitute to the following:
  - I) Fear of water
  - II) Study of Human Mind
  - III) Study of plants

### **Unit III : Application of Grammar**

#### **Q. 4. Do as directed.**

##### **A. Fill in the blanks with appropriate choices given in the brackets.**

- I. She is ..... well-known dancer. ( a/an)
- II. .... Boy in ..... corner is my brother. (the/the/a)
- III. The club ..... Of five members. (Consist/Consists)

##### **B. Change the voice.**

- I. She loves cold drinks.
- II. The house was painted last week.

### **Unit IV: Formal writing skills**

#### **Q.4. A. Write a paragraph in about 120 words on any one of the following topics:**

- I. My Institute
- II. Road Accident

##### **B. Answer Any one of the followings:**

- I. Write a report on climate change.
- II. You have lost your library card in institute. Write a letter to the library to issue a duplicate card.

##### **C. Answer any two of the followings:**

- I. You could not attend your sessional exam as you had fever. Draft an application to your H.O.D to allow a chance.
- II. Draft a complaint letter to electricity department for power cut.
- III. write an application to the principal asking permission to attend your sister's wedding.

**D.** Enosis Software, Sector- 7, Bhubaneswar has invited applications for the post of Electrical Engineer from diploma holders in Electrical Engineering. (I) Apply for the post and (II) enclose your C.V. or Bio-data.

### **Unit V: Elements of Communication**

#### **Q.5. I. Define Communication. Describe the process of communication with diagram.**

- II. Define "Kinesics". Explain different areas of "Kinesics"
- III. Describe on importance of gestures and postures in non-verbal communication.

