

## English (New Book) - ICS Part 1 English Chapter 19 Short Questions Test

Q1. What will happen when it stops raining.

**Ans 1:** When the rain is over the bright sun rises . It illuminates every drop of water with its glowing light. It makes the whole atmosphere lovely and bright.

Q2. What is meant by rich and poor leaves.

**Ans 1:** The rich leaves denote " Fresh , healthy and green leaves" While the poor leaves mean feeble and weak leaves as described in the poem " The Rain".

Q3. Why does the poet call the upper leaves the rich leaves.

**Ans 1:** The " Rich leaves" mean " fresh, healthy and green leaves". As the upper leaves have the same properties therefore the poet call them the " Rich Leaves".

Q4. What is the theme of the poem " The Rain"?

**Ans 1:** The theme of the poem " The Rain" is that " every cloud has a silver lining . " In other words, when a short period of that is over, the prosperity spreads every where.

Q5. How does rain fall on poor leaves.

**Ans 1:** Rain falls on poor and feeble leaves drop-by- drop. It first falls on fresh leaves than it passes to the poor leaves drop by drop.

Q6. How does the poet feel when he hears the rain falling on the leaves.

**Ans 1:** The poet says that the noise of the rain falling on the leaves is sweet and lovely to hear

Q7. Why does the poet mean by the " Poor leaves"?

**Ans 1:** In this poem, poor leaves means the weak and young leaves on the other hand, it also means poor people who depend on rich people to give them what God has given them.

Q8. How can rainy day be enjoyed?

**Ans 1:** We can enjoy a rainy day by observing the beautiful scene. It creates joy and pleasure in the hearts of the people. It gives life, joy and pleasure to plants and humans.

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Q9. What is the effect of rain on poor.

**Ans 1:** As an effect of rain on poor, the rich leaves on top of the plant gives drops of water to lower leaves . In other sense, poor people can also enjoy the blessings of nature and become happy.

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Q10. What does the poet hear in the poem, " The Rain".

**Ans 1:** The poet hears the sound of rain -drops on the leaves.

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