

SSLC QUARTERLY EXAM-2017**ENGLISH PAPER I****ANSWER KEY****SECTION-I – VOCBULARY****1. Synonyms (5x1=5)**

- i-b) saved ii-b) valued
 iii-a) talked iv-c) disrespected
 v- b) wastes

2. Antonyms (5x1=5)

- i- c) friendliness ii-b) refined
 iii-d) contempt iv-a) insufficient
 v-c) apt

Vocabulary Any 10 out of 12: (10x1=10)

- 3. UAE - c) United Arab Emirates**
4. b) I found this credit card on the upper berth
5. lorry-truck 6. door - d) way
7. innings - a) innings 8. circle - c) encircle
9. publishes - b) brings out
10. a) recreation- re-cre-a-tion- 4 syllables
b) pursuit - pur-suit- 2 syllables
c) integral – in-teg-ral - 3 syllables
11.b) affected
12. Any meaningful sentence without grammatical error
13. There is a vacancy in our office (or) Any meaningful sentence
14 a) You have cooked more food than necessary.

SECTION-II – GRAMMAR

- 15. c) she could find (10x1=10)**
16. b) ASVO 17. b) does she?
18. a) more comfortable
19. c) Every rose has a thorn
20. c) for want of 21. b) touch
22. a) to pencil 23. a) an 24. c) in

PART II (5x2=10)

- 25. Though he is tall and strong, he is timid by nature. / He is tall and strong but he is timid by nature.**
26. A mistake has been done by her. It is regretted by her
27. Lily thanked me and told that she would never forget my help.
28. If you eat fatty food, you will gain weight.
29. Ravi is the toppest rank holder of all. (or) Ravi has got better rank than other students. (or) Ravi is the best student in this group.

- 30. Punctuation 5**
Peter said to Govind, “ Are you ready? I’ll get ready in a minute.”

SECTION-III – PROSE

- 31 – 37 : Refer Way to Success (5x2=10)
38. a) Character sketch of Hugie (1x5=5)
 b) Daily routine of Chaya and her family
 c) Duties of students. (Refer Way to Success)

SECTION-IV – POEM

- 39. Refer book or Way to Success (5x1=5) (5x1=5)**
40. Crystal means valuable stones / a kind of gem / The mineral in the geode
41. Poet is reminded of his childhood memories.
42. Pearls are compared to water drops.
43. The strong ‘will power’ keeps one going on inspite of being confronted by failures.
44. The poet is the speaker.

PART III (5x1=5)

- 45. Rhyming words: song-belong, outside-guide**
46. Words in Alliteration words: Piles-purple
47. Rhyme scheme: abcb
48. Figure of Speech: Simile / hyperbole
49. c) Metaphor

PART IV (1x5=5)

- 50. a) Appearances can be deceptive.**
 b) Essential qualities to face the challenges
 c) The visit of the children to the woods.
 (Refer Way to success)

SECTION-V – LANGUAGE FUNCTIONS

- 51. Comprehension (5x2=10)**
 a) (iii) surprised
 b) During American civil war
 c) To raise a beam.
 d) He was standing aside and shouting. / He was supervising the work.
 e) Commander-in-chief (Washington)
- 52. Error Spotting (5x1=5)**
 a) Let me play the guitar for a while.
 b) Shankar has a car
 c) He went to the temple on foot.
 d) The inspector along with detectives has reached the spot.
 e) He is not eligible for promotion
- 53. Picture comprehension. (5x1=5)**
 a) A building caught fire / Fire accident.
 b) The fire will spread and they will be affected.
 c) No.
 d) Fire department.
 e) The causes may be carelessness, electric short circuit, gas leak or cracking fireworks.