

**APRIL 2014 - SSLC PUBLIC EXAM****ENGLISH I ANSWER KEY**

1. i – refused, ii – burst, iii – stead fast, iv – extinguishing, v – forsaken.
2. i – unpopular, ii – released, iii – fair, iv – kindness, v – often.
3. International Labour Organisation.
4. The colour of your hair is black.
5. sink.
6. fast food.
7. strata
8. ultra violet.
9. get on.
10. a) beau-ti-ful → 3 b) as-tro-no-my → 4  
c) ap-pli-ca-tion → 4 syllables
11. spattered.
12. He is very popular. (or) He is popularly know as babu. (or) His popularity is known to all.
13. Your performance was graceful
14. Will we ever forget those happy days?
15. I would buy a BMW car
16. SVIODO 17. am'I?
18. as expensive
19. Buses do not stop here often.
20. In spite of
21. Writing
22. the matter.
23. an
24. In
25. Maran is too tired to finish the work
26. Cartoon serials are enjoyed by children very much and these programmes are watched by them for a long time.
27. The teacher said to me, “Are you going to join the Medical course or the Engineering course?”
28. If the bus breaks down, I won't be able to attend the class. / If the bus didn't break down, I would be able to attend the class.
29. Nivetha's ribbon is longer than Neethu's ribbon.
30. “ Oh ! For this I get two thousand pounds . ”  
1 2 3 4 5
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40. Geode is a spherical rock which has sparkling crystals inside
41. 'she' refers to the poet's mother.
42. Triumph and disaster
43. the migrant bird

44. Because of the Shilpi's sleepless hard work
45. kin – begin - din
46. sinews - steady
47. a b a b
48. Simile
49. Simile
50. Refer Way to Success
51. a) An environment with rich biological diversity is the basis for human existence.  
b) Balance in nature is established by maintaining the equilibrium status of living and non living factors in an environment.  
c) storm, flood, pests, outbreak of diseases and fire..  
d) Wild life Protection Act has been passed in our country to protect the forests. It was passed in 1980.  
e) Deforestation
52. a) Neither the doctor nor the nurse is available.  
b) The dog fell into the river.  
c) Apples are not so sweet as mangoes.  
d) Helen is junior to me.  
e) I have two brothers- in- law.
53. a) I see a boy, a fish tank and a wall clock in the picture.  
b) Yes. It gives pleasure  
c) I would pour some fish food in the tank daily.  
d) Usually we find fish in ponds, tanks, lakes, seas and oceans.  
e) If we take our fish out of the fish tank, it will die.

**ENGLISH I I ANSWER KEY****1. Fill in the blanks:**

- i) swept along under water ii) mouthfuls of filthy liquid iii) drowning to death iv) she could breathe again v) about 10 metres from the manhole

**2. Character/speaker:**

- i) Shelly ii) Rob's father iii) Bonnie Chamberlain / the narrator iv) Kumar v) Rex coker's brother

**3. Match:**

- a) changed Kumar's heart b) a little boy of fourteen  
c) Celine's husband d) positioned in the living room  
e) Goldy

**4. Choose: (5 x 1 = 5)**

- i) a traffic accident ii) Sicilian iii) sneezed  
iv) Catholic v) 32

**5. Comprehension :**

- Lunel town stands only a few metres above sea level. So it was susceptible to frequent floods.
- Serge was a council worker.
- Celine was wife of Serge, a home help.
- Lunel town had been flooded frequently. This is the second time in the year.
- On 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 2003 Lunel had been battered by violent storms since mid morning.

**6. Mind map :**

- was watching Television.
- coffee, pakkoda, dosa, snacks etc.
- striding to work.
- home work.
- to all the members of the family.

**7. Paragraph:** Refer Way to Success Guide**8. Note making Summary Writing:**

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**9. Dialogue Completion:**

- What for?
- have a rain coat.
- Really? Can't you use it further?
- Why do you want to buy a new one?
- Adjust for few weeks? I will get a bonus soon.

**10. Dialogue Writing:**

Write your own

**11. Letter Writing:**

Write your own

**12. Advertisement:**

Write your own

**13. HeadLines Expansion :**

Write your own

**14. Pie-chart:**

- sleeping
- playing
- in the library
- 1 hour
- False

**15. Developing Hints:**

Write your own

**16. Match the slogans:**

- Passing of days
- handle with care
- Make your travel easy
- The cup that cheers
- Sharp time for sharp people

**17. Road Map:**

- Go (Walk) straight
- Turn Left**
- Go (Walk) straight along the Main Road
- Turn Left**
- Go (Walk) straight
- After few minutes' walk, you will reach State Bank of India on your **right** side.

**18. Paraphrasing a poem :**

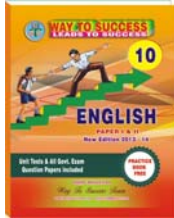
- impurities
- gold
- true worth
- our weakness
- hope

**19. Translation:**

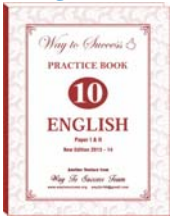
- Go straight along Mahatma Gandhi road from the bus stop.
- There is a big post office in the right side.
- Cross the road opposite on post office.
- Enter the narrow lane near the Indian Bank
- The second building on the left side is Malar

**b) . Picture Composition:**

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