

SSLC QLY 2018 – ENGLISH PAPER- I**Time: 2½ hours****Marks: 100****SECTION – A (VOCABULARY : 20 MARKS)**

PART - I

I. Choose the appropriate Synonyms:**5X1=5**

- i) a) looked dried up
- ii) b) piece of paper
- iii) d) sad
- iv) c) rough
- v) a) offerings

2. Choose the appropriate antonyms:**5x1=5**

- i) a) brightness
- ii) b) fact
- iii) d) brave
- iv) c) wide
- v) c) underneath

II. Answer any ten of the following: 10x1=10

3. d) Tractor and Farm Equipment
4. a) Sit **here** and listen to what I have to tell.
5. post box – mail box
6. c) **wind** screen
7. a) termini
8. c) **ultra**violet
9. b) throw out
10. a) ex-tra-va-gan-za - 5 syllables
b) mag-na-ni-mous - 4 syllables
c) sur-plus - 2 syllables
11. a) waste
12. a) continually - It is raining continually.*
b) continuity - The continuity of rain suffers everyone.*
c) continue - The rain continues.*
13. He **wrote** legibly.
14. a) He hardly listens to me.

SECTION – B (GRAMMAR: 25 MARKS)**PART – I Answer all the following: 10x1=10**

15. a) The light will shine.
16. c) SVOC
17. a) have they?
18. a) so tall as
19. a) Everything is possible in life.
20. c) in spite of
21. a) filling
22. c) the matter
23. b) an
24. c) against

II. Answer all. Rewrite as directed. 5x2=10

25. The tea is too hot for him to drink.
26. The culprits must be arrested by them.
27. Nagaraj asked his father if he allowed him to go on an excursion to Kerala.
28. If Rama studies well, he will pass the exam.
29. Nirmala is taller than Radha.

PART – III 30. Punctuate the following sentence: 5

30. “**H**ow much does a model get for sitting?” asked **H**ughie.

SECTION – C (PROSE : 15 MARKS) PART - I

31. Colonel demanded – 10,000 pounds – to marry Laura – unable to fulfill Colonel’s condition – glum and curse
32. Compose music – ‘Quartet for the end of time’
33. Music - **Basic need - express feelings - gives meaning**
34. Obedience to parents, Respect for teachers.
35. Loyal acceptance.
36. Bread, lentil stew.
37. Exodus

PART - II

38. a) Hughie / b) Chaya / c) How character is important

SECTION – D (POETRY : 20 MARKS) PART- I

39. a) The barren boughs.....to hiding new
b) If you cansinew.

PART – II Read the poetic lines and answer 5x1=5

40. ‘**External Appearance**’ is superficial gaze. Superficial gaze means ‘**shallow looking**’.
41. **A child** is sitting under the piano
42. **Success and failure / Triumph and disaster**
43. Gnomes mean **Dwarfs**
44. We refer to **Children**

PART – III .Read the poem lines and answer 5x1=5

45. a b c b
46. Rhyming words: me-see, strings-sings
47. pile – purple
48. tinkling
49. Simile

PART – IV

50. a) Geode b) Manliness c) Going for water

SECTION –E (LANGUAGE FUNCTIONS: 20 MARKS)

51. a) **On 1st January 2002**, Euro came into worldwide acceptance.
b) **False**
c) **Dollar, Lira, Sterling** are the sibling rivalry in the family of Euro
d) Euro now enjoys the place of pride among all the currencies in the world and almost everyone accepts it freely.
e) **Sterling** is Euro’s sister.

52. Identify and correct the errors 5x1=5

- a) If I were a bird, I **would** fly in the sky.
- b) I walked fast **but** I missed the bus.
- c) The dog fell **into** the river.
- d) **An** American lives near my house.
- e) Though he was poor, **_**he was happy. (or)
He was poor **but** he was happy.

53. Look at the picture and answer the questions 5

- a) Cat, fish tank, baby.*
- b) There is only one fish.
- c) The cat may like to eat the fish.*
- d) The child may enjoy seeing it.*
- e) Fish*