

**WAY TO SUCCESS**  
**SSLC MODEL PUBLIC EXAMINATION –2017**  
**ENGLISH PAPER – I - ANSWER KEY**  
**SECTION – I (VOCABULARY: 20 MARKS)**

**PART - I**

- 1. Synonyms:** **5x1=5**  
i) b) to fear  
ii) d) unjust  
iii) b) carefulness  
iv) a) respect  
v) c) not often
- 2. Antonyms:** **5x1=5**  
i) b) ordinary  
ii) d) awful  
iii) c) increasing  
iv) b) fact  
v) c) small

**PART – II**

- Answer any 10 :** **10x1=10**
3. a) **International Organisation for Standardisation**
4. a) The **tyre** of the cycle is very weak
5. marks - **grades**
6. post - **d) lamp** post
7. **potato** – a) **potatoes**
8. social - a) **antisocial**
9. respect - a) **look up to**
- 10.a) scratched-**1 syllable** / monosyllabic word (or)  
b) va-ri-e-ty- **4 syllables** / tetra syllabic word (or)  
c) cham-pi-on-**3 syllables** / tri syllabic word
11. a) **had**
12. \*Award mark for any meaningful sentence using the words given below  
a) think  
b) thoughtfully  
c) thought
13. My mother always gives me **careful** attention.\*  
(\*Award mark for any meaningful sentence.)
14. a) **Kamala was very submissive.**

**SECTION II ( GRAMMAR: 25 MARKS )**

**PART – I**

- Answer all:** **10x1=10**
15. c) you wouldn't be so tired.
16. a) S V O A
17. b) do they
18. a) farther
- 19) b) She didn't say everything clearly.
20. a) by means of
21. c) thinking
22. b) in poverty
23. a) the
24. a) in

**PART – II**

- Answer all :** **5x2=10**  
(\*Award 1 mark for partially correct answers)
25. Unless Kumaran pay the fees, he will be punished. / Kumaran should pay the fees **otherwise** he will be punished. / **If** Kumaran **doesn't** pay the fees, he will be punished. (any meaningful correct answer)
26. He was shown around town by a friend of ours / Town was shown around to him by a friend of ours
27. Amar said to Abdul, "I met your father two months ago."
28. If John wrote the exam well, he would get good marks.
29. Bindu woke up earlier than Manu (any meaningful comparison)

**PART - III**

- 30. Punctuate:** **5**  
“ What are you doing there? ” cried a rough voice             
1 2 3 4 5

**SECTION – III (PROSE: 15 MARKS)**

**PART – I**

- Answer briefly any five:** **5 x 2 = 10**
31. Model millionaires - very generous and kind - Millionaire models - not so noble.
32. **Water scarcity** - causes tension - political disputes - lead the world to violence.
33. **Hughie mistook Baron - for a real beggar - gave him a sovereign** - When came to know - truth - feared
34. Students - **generous mind and simple heart** - give way to emotions easily.
35. Domestic workers - **usually in debt** - to masters - have to work like slaves
36. **Acquiring knowledge - acquiring character**
37. Birds migrate - winter **to escape from bitter cold and to find food** - in summer **to escape from heat and drought** - in spring - for **nesting sites.**

**PART – II**

- Answer any one:** **1 X 5 = 5**
- a) Domestic workers sweep, wash, cook - take care of our children, our elderly, our pets - suffer a lot - called as 'Servants'- unseen – undervalued, denied rights – sorrows, sufferings - not noticed by society – invisible - Majority – women, girls – abused, tortured by employers - Sonu - sadistically tortured, killed - June 2006 - invisible world - came to light.
- (OR)**
- b) Art - essential part of life - part of human survival, human spirit - gives meaning to life – Messiaen - captured by Germans - Second World War - imprisoned - concentration

camp - live without basic needs - couldn't live without art - wrote music composition - **'Quartet for the end of time'** - one of the most profound musical compositions - Music found - concentration camps.

(OR)

- c) Brihadeesvarar temple - 1000 years old - built by king Raja Raja Chola - structure of Brihadeesvarar temple - majestic - timeless architectural marvel - stands - symbol of our culture - total area - 3,00,000 sq.foot - surrounded - fort - Vimanam - stones with bonding and notching - without the use of mortar - topmost stone - weighs about 80 tons - lifted that height - without modern machines - baffles engineers - sculptor, architect - create an abode for lord Shiva - echoes Mount Kailash - unbeatable - geometry, distinct clarity of lines.

#### SECTION – IV (POETRY: 20 MARKS)

##### PART – I

39. **Quote from memory any one:** 1x5=5  
a) And treat those two impostors just the same;  
If you can force your heart, and nerve, and sinew  
To serve your turn long after they are gone;  
And so hold on when there is nothing in you  
Except the will which says to them, "Hold on".  
b) No walls for me, no vigil gates,  
No flags, no machine guns that blast  
Citizens of those border states-  
Brothers of her brother's sons.  
No maps, no boundaries to block

##### PART – II

- Read and answer:** 1x5=5  
40. **good qualities** or virtues  
41. **They would** drop and **sleep** in the meadows.  
42. **The shilpi's**  
43. dislike / hate / aversion / unwilling / against / opposed  
44. The **boundaries of the** divided **nations**

##### PART – III

- Read lines from poems, and answer:** 5X1=5  
45. Onomatopoeic word: **tinkling**  
46. **Apostrophe / Personification**  
47. **'a b b b'**  
48. **Metaphor**  
49. **Past-last**

##### PART – IV

- Answer in a paragraph any one:** 1x5=5  
50. (a) One evening, poet D.H.Lawrence - hears - song of woman - plays piano - reminds - childhood - mother - playing

piano, singing - sits under piano, listens - touches feet - mother smiles - Sunday evenings - family members - sing hymns - music, warmth - fill him joy - mind flooded - childhood memories - grown up - weeps like child - longing for past

(OR)

- (b) Migrant bird - speaks - journey - considers - globe - world - clouds - relatives - never cares - where skies begin - . Without fear , fly - no wall, authority, country or power to stop - guns - never stop - not bound by maps or boundaries - stay - unknown country - plays happily, lays eggs - never thinks - meaner things - never stops journey - closes eyes - to dream

(OR)

- (c) Inner beauty - important than - outer appearance - not judge a person - appearance - proverb 'appearances are deceptive' insists - see only - outer appearance - can't perceive - enjoy the glittering crystals of a geode - split by water - enjoy inner beauty - If observe - modest, simple persons - find lot virtues - beautiful, benevolent heart - priceless treasure - cherish - virtues reveal - inner beauty

#### SECTION – V

##### (LANGUAGE FUNCTIONS – 20 MARKS)

51. **Read the passage and answer:** 5x2=10  
a) Reading  
b) i) self respect  
c) books  
d) Yes  
e) ..... (any relevant answer) \*
52. **Identify and correct the errors :** 5x1=5  
(a) One of them **was** very lazy.  
(b) My cousin married **to** a doctor.  
(c) They have increased the bus **fee.(fare)**  
(d) If she **were** rich, she would buy a hotel.  
(e) We bought new **stationery** last night.
53. **Look picture and answer questions:** 5x1=5  
(a) Yes / No\*  
(b) Fair / Exhibition / village festival / entertainment \*  
(c) Giant wheel / Circus \*  
(d) Rural area  
(e) Buying and selling goods / purchasing / enjoying themselves / entertaining themselves \*  
(\*Award mark for other relevant answers.)

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**ENGLISH PAPER – II - ANSWER KEY**  
**SECTION – I**  
**(NON- DETAILED: 35 MARKS)**

**1. Fill in the blanks: (5x1=5)**

- (i) e) not so lucky
- (ii) d) fast to stop
- (iii) b) under his chin
- (iv) a) a flip off
- (v) c) to help him

**2. Identify the character / Speaker (5x1=5)**

- i) Shelly
- ii) Model of Judas / drunkard / young man
- iii) Rob Reilly
- iv) Jack Poderoso
- v) Rex Cocker's brother

**3. Match the following: (5x1=5)**

- (a) Judas model
- (b) when he got a job
- (c) Rex Coker's brother
- (d) offered him food
- (e) Kumar

**4. Choose the correct answer (5x1=5)**

- (i) c) to guide Diane
- (ii) c) excitement
- (iii) c) Determination
- (iv) b) Chevy
- (v) b) cry of horror

**5. Answer the Questions: (5x1=5)**

- i) He **blew the snuff** into the cupboard and then there emerged a storm of sneeze. He performed his trick by using snuff.
  - ii) **Hubert blow the snuff** into the cupboard and then there **emerged a storm of sneeze**. \*
  - iii) **With the help of servants / snuff**, the thieves were vanquished.\*
  - iv) **No**, Wisdom did not seek only the Aged.
  - v) Hubert is **an intelligent boy**.\*
- (\*Award marks for other correct answers also.)

**6. Mind Map: (5x1=5)**

- (i) flat
- (ii) his mother
- (iii) for half an hour
- (iv) grew rarer
- (v) he decided to return India

**7. Paragraph: (1x5=5)**

- a) Shelly - school boy - saw wounded dog - paw hurt - nursed - named Goldy - keep it with him - mother didn't permit - put a notice in newspaper - No one came, claimed - played Frisbee and football -

followed school - One day - blind lady - real owner - called it 'Sam' - ran into her arms - looked so happy - needed it - returned

b) Serge, Celine - husband and wife - house - flood - stepped out - street - fell manhole - she - swept away - grasp a plastic pipe - fireman shone torches - shouted for help - not hold on the pipe - through tunnel - open air - felt - out from the drain - rescued by Jack Poderoso - teacher - under water for five hours - determined

c) Rex Coker's brother - tinker - blue printed his ideas - modifying a cycle - electric bike - Schwinn bike - DC electric motor - battery - Chevy car - switch - on the cross bar - science fiction - test run - behind the house - rushed through double gate - clothes line caught - rider under his chin - help his brother - started fight - incident positively

**SECTION – II (Language Functions)**

**8. Note making:(5+5= 10)**

Words with sub titles (or) hyphen. – 5 Marks

**Summary:**

- Title - 1 mark
- Rough draft - 2 marks
- Fair draft - 2 marks

**( The passage is about 'Demerits of Tobacco and Alcohol)**

**9. Complete the Dialogue: (5x1= 5)**

- (i) Teacher : How do you prepare for the exam?
  - (ii) Teacher : Have you revised the portions ?
  - (iii) Student: English is ( It's ) difficult for me.
  - (iv) Student : Will you help me to understand grammatical points?\*
  - (v) Student : Meet me in the evening.\*
- (\* Award marks for other relevant answers also.)

**SECTION – III (Communicative Skills)**

- 10. Any relevant **five utterances** between **bank manager** and the **student** who wants to **open a bank account**. (5x1=5)
- 11. **Sreeja** celebrated her **birthday** last week. Her **uncle Ranjan** had **presented** her a **watch**. Sreeja wants to **thank him for the gift**- letter -**about 100 words**- relevant to the matter given. (5)

**12. Prepare an advertisement: (5)**

- a) **New carb) clothes shop**
- Outline - 1 mark
- Pictures - 1 mark
- Any relevant caption- 2 marks
- Address - 1 mark

**SECTION – IV (Expansion of Ideas)**

**13. Expand the headlines: (5x1=5)**

\* Relevant sentence for each will be given one mark.

**14. Pie - chart** (5x1=5)

- (i) (b) 12
- (ii) (c) 75%
- (iii) (b) 20
- (iv) (a) 40%
- (v) (d) 4

**15. Write a paragraph** (5x1=5)

**a) Duties of students\***      **b) Ganga\***

- Title - 1 mark
- Content - 3 marks
- Moral - 1 mark

**16. Match the following:** (5x1=5)

- A) You are what you wear
- B) Long and Strong
- C) Sweet Gift To Your Friend
- D) Keeps you on time
- E) Smooth cure

**17. Road Map(5)**

1. Go straight along the road.
2. Turn left and Go straight
3. Turn left again.
4. Go straight along the main road.
5. You can see the Sangam Hotel on your right
6. It's opposite to a school.

**18. Poem – Paraphrase** (5x1=5)

- i. oval orbits
- ii. far away
- iii. top
- iv. over rocky cliffs
- v. twisting valleys where they run.

**19. Translation** (5)

a) Caution: Don't dig the ground here. Optical Fiber Cable Passes here.

(or)

b) \* Any five relevant sentences about the picture.