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# **ENGLISH PAPER - II**

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**ENGLISH PAPER II – QUESTION PATTERN**

Marks: 90

Time: 2.30 hrs

**PART-A (1 MARK)****Answer all the questions :** 20 X 1 = 20

- I. 1-10. (Supplementary Reader) Choose the best answer
- II. 11-15. (Supplementary Reader) Choose - Identify Who Said to Whom
- III. 16-20. Choose - Complete the proverbs

**PART-B (2 MARKS)****Answer any -7; Question No.25 –Compulsory\*** 7 X 2 = 14

- 21-30. General Learning Questions (Text-15, 20, 29, 30, 55, 104, 105)

**PART-C (3 MARKS)****Answer any -7; Question No.38 –Compulsory\*** 7 X 3 = 21

31. Road Map
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36. Complete the dialogue
37. Compose short poem of 4 lines (Text-74, 75)
38. Expand the headlines
39. Reshuffle the Jumbled Parts of Given Sentences
40. Explain the proverb in 30 words

**PART-D (5 MARKS)****Answer all the questions :** 7 X 5 = 35

41. a) to e) (Supplementary Reader) Comprehension (**or**)  
a) to e) (Supplementary Reader) Rearrange the jumbled sentences
42. a) to e) (Supplementary Reader) paragraph (**either..or..type**)
43. Paraphrase the poem (**or**) Poem Comprehension
44. Letter Writing (**either..or..type**)
45. Make notes (**or**) Write Summary
46. General Paragraph (**either..or..type**)
47. Frame a dialogue (**either..or..type**)

**QN. NO**  
**1 - 20**

**PART - A**  
**ONE MARK QUESTIONS**

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**Answer all the questions :**

**20 X 1 = 20**

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**1 - 10 Supplementary – Choose:**

**(Supplementary section)**

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**Model Question-2017:**

**I. Complete each of the following by choosing the correct option.**

**(10x1=10)**

- Phatik's friends rolled up their sleeves and began to push the .....  
a) half-sunk boat    b) broke down carriage    c) **sal tree log**    d) jammed door
- Mme.Forestier was Matilda's rich .....  
a) **school mate**    b) relative    c) neighbour    d) college friend
- The Magi were the wise men who brought gifts to the .....  
a) Santa Claus    b) **Babe in the Manger**    c) Messengers of God    d) Guardian Angels
- Ambi's mother suffered from .....  
a) **asthma**    b) diabetes    c) joint pains    d) migraine
- When appa returned from Bombay, he bought a .....  
a) mobile phone    b) palmtop computer    c) pager    d) **calculator**
- Dick Fawcett's life underwent a transformation, when the little cat walked in on him ....ago.  
a) eleven months    b) five weeks    c) **six years**    d) forty days
- .....was the title of the English book that Pudumaipithan was reading.  
a) Hidden Figures    b) **Historical Documents**    c) The Art of war    d) The Canterville Ghost
- Phatik was considered as .....by his aunt.  
a) a lucky charm    b) an arch enemy    c) a lifesaver    d) **an evil star**
- The description '.....' applied to both- the fob chain and Jim.  
a) richness and glory    b) grandness and elegance    c) greatness and splendour    d) **quietness and value**
- Mr. James Herriot was a .....by profession.  
a) **veterinarian**    b) physician    c) surgeon    d) oncologist

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**Lesson-1**

- Makhanlal was Phatik's .....  
a) elder brother    b) **younger brother**    c) cousin    d) friend
- Phatik Chakrabarti was very -----  
a) **playful**    b) naughty    c) intelligent    d) arrogant
- Phatick lost his ----- in Calcutta.  
a) money    b) cap    c) **school bag**    d) sleep
- One day of his departure Phatik gave Makhan his---  
a) books    b) fishing-rod    c)kite    d) **fishing-rod, kite and reel**

5. The black-grey gentleman asked Phatik about-----  
 a) the log                      b) the river                      **c) the Chakrabarti's house**    d) his health
6. When Makhanlal fell down from the log, Phatik was .....  
 a) happy                      **b) embarrassed**                      c) jubilant                      d) sad
7. At school Phatik was.....  
 a) very clever                      b) playful                      **c) stupid and inattentive**    d) mischievous
8. Phatik ..... to go to Calcutta with his uncle.  
**a) loved**                      b) hated                      c) hesitated                      d) denied
9. At the end of the story Phatik....  
 a) dies                      b) returns to school                      **c) returns to his native place**
10. Phatik's aunt considered him as ....  
 a) good boy                      **b) unwelcome guest**    c) a blessing                      d) a son
11. Phatik's uncle took him to ....  
**a) calcutta**                      b) Delhi                      c) Chennai                      d) Mumbai

**Lesson-2**

1. Matilda allowed herself to marry....  
 a) an ambassador                      **b) a clerk**                      c) a coolie                      d) an officer
2. Matilda's husband saved 400 francs in order to buy...  
 a) dress for matilda    b) a house                      **c) a gun**                      d) a necklace
3. Though the dress was ready, Mme. Loisel looked sad because she had no.....  
 a) Vehicle                      b) money                      **c) jewel**                      d) friends
4. ....had invited Loisel and Matilda to the party  
 a) Mme. Forestier                      b) Matilda's friend  
**c) The minister of public instruction**    d) The chief minister
5. Loisel's father had left him ....  
 a) 500 francs                      b) 20000 francs                      **c) 18000 francs**                      d) 10000 francs
6. Mme. Forestier's jewel had...diamond  
**a) false**                      b) real                      c) costly                      d) genuine
7. The necklace which Matilda gave to Mme. Forestier was worth....francs  
 a) 40000                      b) 50000                      **c) 36000**                      d) 34000
8. Matilda and her husband had to work hard for .... years to buy the diamond necklace  
 a) 7 years                      b) 8 years                      **c) 10 years**                      d) 9 years
9. Matilda borrowed a diamond necklace from ....  
**a) Mme. Forestier**    b) relatives                      c) neighbor                      d) friends
10. Matilda attended the party but she lost the .... there  
 a) car                      b) chain                      **c) diamond necklace**    d) property

**Lesson-3**

1. Della wanted to present a ... to her husband.  
 a) birth day                      **b) Christmas gift**                      c) wedding day gift
2. Della's saving was....  
**a) one dollar and eighty seven cents**                      b) two dollar and fifty cents  
 c) one dollar and sixty cents
3. Della's valuable possession was her....  
 a) house                      b) jewel                      c) children                      **d) long hair**
4. Jim's valuable possession was his .....  
 a) old house                      b) money                      c) car                      **d) gold watch**



**Lesson-2**

- |   |                            |
|---|----------------------------|
| 1. Oh! The good potpie.                           | – Mr.Loisel to Matilda     |
| 2. Here is something for you.                     | – Mr.loisel to Matilda     |
| 3. What do you suppose I want with that?          | – Loisel to Matilda        |
| 4. What is the matter?                            | – Loisel to Matilda        |
| 5. Very well, I will give you four hundred francs | – Loisel to Matilda        |
| 6. I would prefer not to go to this party.        | – Matilda to Loisel        |
| 7. You can wear some natural flowers.             | – Loisel to Matilda        |
| 8. How stupid we are?                             | – Loisel to Matilda        |
| 9. Choose my dear-Mme.                            | – Forestier to Matilda     |
| 10. Have you anything more?                       | –Matilda to Mme.Forestier  |
| 11. I don't know what will please you.            | – Mme.Forestier to Matilda |
| 12. Could you lend me this?                       | – Matilda to Mme.Forestier |
| 13. Why? yes certainly.                           | – Mme.Forestier to Matilda |
| 14. You will catch cold out there.                | – Loisel to Matilda        |
| 15. What is the matter?                           | – Loisel to Matilda        |
| 16. Did you take the member?                      | – Loisel to Matilda        |
| 17. I am going.                                   | –Loisel to Matilda         |
| 18. Good morning, Jeanne.                         | – Matilda to Mme.Forestier |
| 19. How have you changed.                         | – Mme.Forestier to Matilda |
| 20. Because of me? How is stat.                   | – Mme.Forestier to Matilda |
| 21. I returned another to you exactly like it.    | –Matilda to Mme.Forestier  |
| 22. Oh! My poor Matilda! Mine were false.         | – Mme.Forestier to Matilda |

**Lesson-3**

- |   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| 1. Will you buy my hair?                                  | – Della to Mme.Sofronie  |
| 2. I buy hair.  | – Mme. Sofronie to Della |
| 3. Give it to me quick.                                   | – Della to Mme.Sofronie  |
| 4. It will grow out again- You won't mind will you?       | – Della to Jim           |
| 5. What a beautiful! Nice gift I've got for you.          | – Della to Jim           |
| 6. You've cut off your hair?                              | – Jim to Della           |
| 7. Nobody could ever count my love for you.               | – Della to Jim           |
| 8. Don't make any mistake.                                | – Jim to Della           |
| 9. My hair grows so fast.                                 | – Della to Jim           |
| 10. Give me your watch. I want to see how it looks on it. | – Della to Jim           |
| 11. I sold the watch to get the money to buy your combs.  | – Jim to Della           |

**15 - 20 Completing proverb – Choose:**

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**Model Question-2017:****III. Complete the Proverbs with the suitable options.****(5x1=5)**

16. ....is the mother of invention.  
a) Conversation    **b) Necessity**    c) Retention    d) Scarcity
17. The pen is mightier than the .....  
**a) sword**    b) dagger    c) spear    d) spade
18. Fortune favours the .....  
a) poor    **b) rich**    c) virtuous    d) bold

19. Never look a gift .....in the mouth.  
a) box                      b) article                      **c) horse**                      d) mule
20. ....speak louder than words.  
**a) Actions**                      b) Microphones                      c) Thoughts                      d) Sentences

**Exercise:****Complete the Proverbs with the suitable options.**

1. ....vessels make much noise.  
a) Complete                      **b) Empty**                      c) Pot                      d) Kettle
2. ....is the index of the mind.  
**a) Face**                      b) Nose                      c) Eye                      d) Soul
3. ....of water make a mighty ocean.  
a) Lot                      b) Heavy                      c) Ful                      **d) Little drops**
4. All that glitters is not .....  
a) diamond                      b) ruby                      **c) gold**                      d) silver
5. ....is wealth.  
**a) Health**                      b) Wealth                      c) Money                      d) Good
6. Barking dogs seldom .....  
a) cry                      b) sob                      **c) bite**                      d) run
7. ....is the best policy.  
a) Necessity                      b) Humility                      c) Curiosity                      **d) Honesty**
8. ....home is best.  
**a) East or west**                      b) North or west                      c) East or south
9. Failure teaches .....  
a) moral                      **b) success**                      c) legal                      d) virtues
10. ....wins the race.  
**a) Slow and steady**                      b) Slow and fast                      c) Confidence
11. ....is better than cure.  
a) Precaution                      **b) Prevention**                      c) Perception                      d) Conception
12. ....is the best help.  
a) Self-esteem                      b) Self-concept                      **c) Self help**
13. ....while the iron is hot.  
**a) Strike**                      b) Beat                      c) Hit                      d) Blow
14. ....is the the best teacher.  
a) Opportunity                      b) Possibility                      **c) Experience**
15. ....never fails.  
a) True love                      **b) True friendship**                      c) Kindness
16. Make hay while the .....shines.  
**a) sun**                      b) moon                      c) Jupiter                      d) star
17. ....always triumphs.  
a) Lie                      **b) Truth**                      c) Honest                      d) Moral
18. Look .....you leap.  
a) after                      b) and then                      **c) before**                      d) at
19. ....makes waste.  
a) Cast                      b) Cassette                      **c) Haste**                      d) Past
20. ....makes many things.  
a) Property                      b) Honey                      c) Beauty                      **d) Money**

**QN. NO**  
**21 - 30**

**PART - B**  
**TWO MARK QUESTIONS**

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**21 - 30 General Learning Questions:**

**Answer any -7; Question No.25 –Compulsory\***

7 X 2 = 14

ஏதேனும் 7 பொதுஅறிவு வினாக்களுக்கு விடை எழுத வேண்டும்.

**Model Question-2017:**

**Answer any seven of the following questions in brief. (Question No 25 is compulsory) (7x2=14)**

21. Mention any two methods of skimming?
22. What is scanning?
23. Write two important features of a slogan.
24. How should a report be written?
25. Why did the e-mail become so popular?
26. What is cohesion?
27. Name the two systems based on which the books are classified in libraries.
28. What are the important sections of a library?
29. What are the most common ways of locating a book using the online catalogue?
30. Mention any two spelling strategies that can help one spell words correctly.

**Answers:**

**21. Two methods of skimming**

- i) The words in bold type, italics, digits, or capitalised words.
- ii) We should read the title, subtitles, subheading, and illustrations.

**22. Scanning**

Scanning is going through a text quickly with a view to looking or searching for a specific piece of information.

**23. Two important features of a slogan. (any two points)**

- i) Slogan conveys a message in nut-shell.
- ii) It is catchy so as to draw immediate attention.
- iii) It is brief and to the point.
- iv) It promotes a product or a movement and employs pun / word-play

**24. A report should (any two points)**

- i) A report should be in the form of a narrative
- ii) It should be in the past tense
- iii) It should include all relevant details
- iv) It should focus on one particular event only
- v) It should mention the date and time of occurrence, the venue, the facts, the cause, result, etc

**25. E-mail become so popular**

- i) Because it makes communication almost instant.
- ii) It is less laborious to write.

**26. Cohesion**

Cohesion refers to the links or connection between successive clauses and sentences in a text.

**27. Two systems - classified in libraries.**

1. Dewey Decimal System
2. The American Library of Congress System.

**28. Important sections of a library**

- Reference section
- stacks
- journal section
- electronic section
- and reprography

**29. Common ways - online catalogue:**

First type the name of the author with the surname.

Eg: Milton , John.

At once all the works of John Milton will be displayed. Then select the title of the book which you want to read and you will see all the details of the book.

**30. Two spelling strategies (any two points)**

- i) Look at the word carefully and pronounce it clearly.
- ii) Cover the word, and write it from memory. Try to see the word in your head.
- iii) Look up spellings of words in a good dictionary.
- iv) Syllabification: Break the word into suitable units, usually syllables. E.g. ca-ra-van

கீழ்க்கண்ட வினாக்களுக்கான விடைகளை நன்கு படித்துக்கொள்ளுங்கள்.

**1. What is Scanning? \***

Scanning is going through a text quickly with a view to looking or searching for a specific piece of information.

**2. What is Skimming? \***

Skimming involves looking through a text quickly to derive the gist something.

**3. What is Cohesion? \***

Cohesion refers to the links or connection between successive clauses and sentences in a text.

**4. What is Coherence? \***

Coherence is the reader's understanding or peception that a text (paragraph or essay) is logical and meaningful.

**5. How should a report be written? Mention any three of them. (any three) \***

A report should....

- i) be in the form of a narrative
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- iv) focus on one particular event only
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- vi) mention the venue
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**6. Mention any two methods of skimming? \***

- i) The words in bold type, italics, degits, or capitalised words.
- ii) We should read the title, subtitles, subheading, and illustrations.

**7. Why did the e-mail become so popular? \***

- i) Because it makes communication almost instant.
- ii) It is less laborious to write.

**8. Mention any two spelling strategies that can help one spell words correctly. (any two) \***

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vi) Uses proverbs/sayings in a modified version.

**10. What do you mean by encoding and decoding? \***

Encoding is the process by which data (facts, figures) is presented in a non-verbal form. (ie as tables, graphs)

Decoding is the process by which graphic representations such as tables and graphs are interpreted. The data is made meaningful to the readers.

**11. What is editing and drafting?**

Editing and drafting is a process which involves correcting spelling/grammatical/punctuation errors, simplifying/refining the language and leaving out unnecessary details. While writing.

**12. What are the two most widely used major systems of classification of library books?**

1. Dewey Decimal System

2. The American Library of congress system.

**13. What are the different sections in a modern library?**

- Reference section
- stacks
- journal section
- electronic section
- and reprography

**14. What does the reference section contain in a modern library?**

In the reference section, we find Indexes, Bibliographies, Collection of Abstracts, Dictionaries, Encyclopaedias, Yearbooks, Atlases, Gazetteers and rare important books in each discipline.

**15. What does the stacks section contain?**

1. In the stacks section, all books except those in the reference section are stored.
2. Only library staff are allowed in the stack section.

**16. What does the journal section contain?**

The journal section contains journals and periodicals.

**17. What does the Electronic section a library contain?**

Electronic section contains audio / video cassettes, computer facilities with the database, micro film, micro fitch and the internet.

**18. What is reprography?**

Reprography is the facilities for photocopying or xeroxing in a library.

**19. What are the ways in which you can search for a book in the library?**

Author index, title index and computer search are the three ways in which one can search for book in the library.

**20. What is the difference between the Author Index and the Title Index?**

Under the Author Index, books are arranged according to the names of authors alphabetically. Under the Title Index, books are arranged according to the titles alphabetically.

QN. NO  
31 - 40

PART - C  
**THREE MARK QUESTIONS**

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Answer any -7; Question No.38 –Compulsory\*

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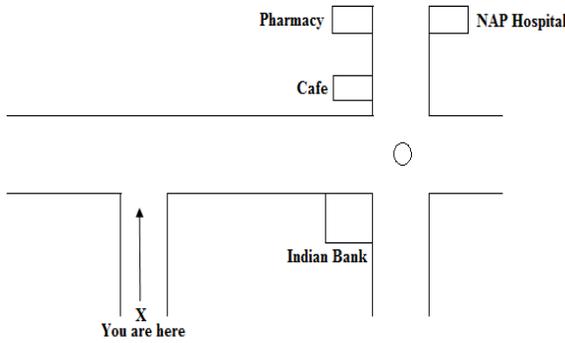
### 31. Road Map:

வரைபடம் பார்த்து வழிசொல்ல வேண்டும்.

**Model Question-2017:**

31. A stranger approaches you and requests you to direct him to the nearby pharmacy. Write three instructions by way of helping him. Use the road map given below.

**Answer:**



- Walk along the road and turn left.
- Walk along the main road and reach the roundabout.
- Turn left and Walk few minutes.
- You will find the Pharmacy on your left side, opposite to NAP Hospital.

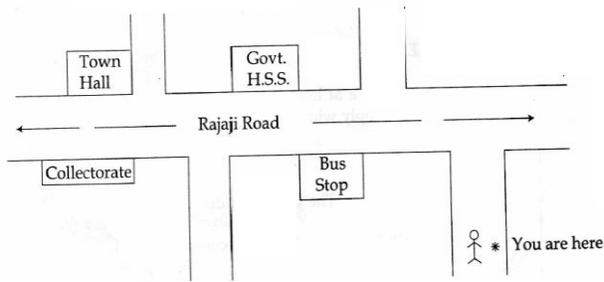
You are here என்ற பகுதியிலிருந்து வினாவில் குறிப்பிட்டுள்ள இடத்திற்கு எப்படி செல்லவேண்டும் என்பதை 3 அல்லது 4 வாக்கியங்களில் குறிப்பிட வேண்டும்.

**குறிப்புகள்:**

- \* கொடுக்கப்பட்ட சாலை வரைபடத்தை புரிந்துகொண்டு கீழ்க்கண்ட வார்த்தைகளை பயன்படுத்தி விடை எழுதவும்.
- \* **Go straight along the (Gandhi) road.**  
- (காந்தி) சாலையில் நேராகச் செல்க.
- \* **Skip / Walk past/ cross the park** - பூங்காவை கடந்து செல்க.
- \* **Turn Right** - வலதுபக்கம் திரும்புக.
- \* **Turn Left** - இடதுபக்கம் திரும்புக.
- \* **You will find the place.** நீங்கள் அந்த இடத்தைப் பார்க்கலாம்.
- \* **It is opposite to / near the \_ \_** - அது\_ \_ க்கு எதிரில்/அருகில் உள்ளது.

**Exercise-1:**

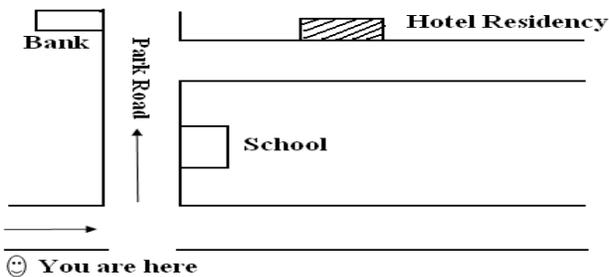
An old man requests you to direct him to reach the collectorate. Write three instructions by way of helping him.

**Instructions to the old man:**

1. Go straight and turn left.
2. Walk along the road and skip the crosses.
3. You will reach the Collectorate opposite to Town Hall.

**Exercise-2:**

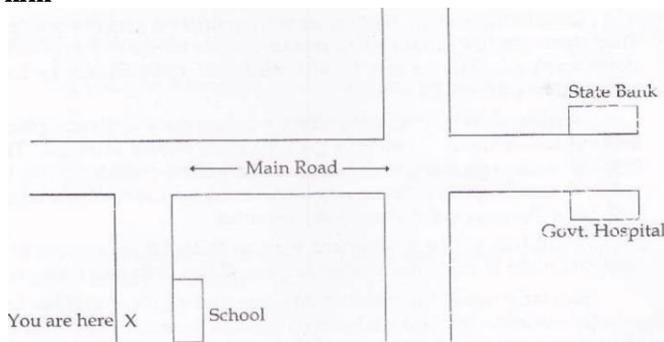
Guide an old man to the near by Hotel Residency. Here you find the road map. Write three instructions by way of helping him.

**Instructions to reach the Hotel Residency:**

1. Go straight and reach the Park road.
2. Turn left and go along the Park Road.
3. Turn right and go along the first cross.
4. You can find Hotel Residency on your left.

**Exercise-3:**

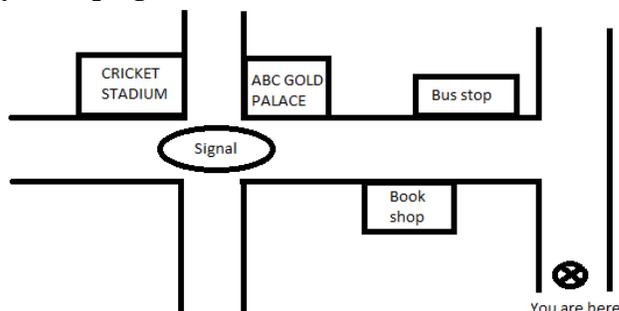
A man approaches you to direct him to a bank. Here you find a road-map. Write three instructions to help him

**Instructions to the man:**

1. Go straight and turn right.
2. Move along the Main Road.
3. Skip the cross road and you will find the state bank opposite to Government Hospital.

**Exercise-4:**

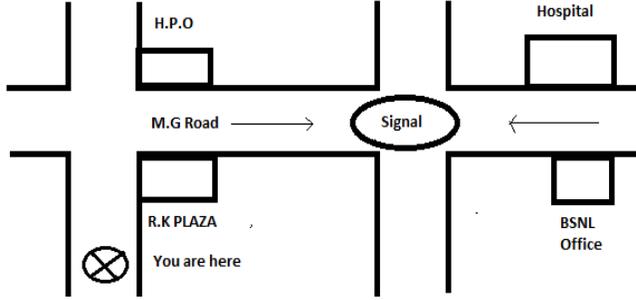
Guide Mr. Williams to the Cricket Stadium. Here you find the road map. Write three instructions by way of helping him.

**Instructions to reach the Cricket Stadium:**

1. Go straight and turn left.
2. Skip the bus stop, book shop, ABC gold palace and signal.
3. You will find the cricket stadium on your right.

**Exercise-5:**

An old man wants to go to a nearby hospital. Here you find a road map. Guide him. Write three instructions to help him.

**Instructions to reach the Hospital:**

1. Go straight and turn right.
2. Go along the road and skip the signal.
3. You can find a hospital opposite to BSNL office.

**32. Describe the process:**

ஒரு குறிப்பிட்ட செயல்பாட்டை விவரிக்க வேண்டும்.

**Model Question-2017:**

**32. How will you remove grease stains on a dress? Describe the process briefly.**

- Answer:**
1. Cover the grease stain with the dish soap or few drops of lemon juice.
  2. Rub it gently.
  3. Then, wash your cloth.
  4. Your clothing should be grease-free.
  5. If it's not, You can repeat the process again.
  6. Use a dry cleaning solvent.

கீழ்க்கண்ட செயல்பாடுகளுக்கான விவரங்களை படித்துக்கொள்ளுங்கள். நீங்களாகவே சில செயல்பாடுகளுக்கான விவரங்களை தயாரித்துவைத்துக்கொண்டு அவற்றையும் படித்துக்கொள்ளுங்கள்.

**1. How will you prepare coffee? Describe the process briefly.**

1. Start boiling a cup (250 ml) of milk.
2. Add 2 teaspoonsful of coffee powder.
3. Add 1 teaspoon of sugar
4. Stir your coffee and serve it.

**2. How will you prepare Tea? Describe the process briefly.**

1. Start boiling some water.
2. Add 2 teaspoonsful tea powder and let it boil.
3. Add a cup (250 ml) of milk.
4. Add sugar and spices.
5. Stir your tea and serve it.

**33. Writing Slogans for 2 things:**

(Text book – 29,191)

கொடுக்கப்பட்ட 2 பொருட்களுக்கு கொடுக்கப்பட்ட காரணங்களுக்காக slogan எழுத வேண்டும்.

**Model Question-2017:**

**33. Write slogans: a) to advertise the product – a deodorant b) to highlight the risks of obesity**

**Answer:**

- Deodorant – More Fresh, More Active
- Obesity – A threat to your immunity.

இங்கு முதல் வினாவுக்கு deodorant என்ற பொருளை விளம்பரப்படுத்த slogan எழுத வேண்டும்  
இரண்டாம் வினாவுக்கு உடல்பருமனால் உடலுக்கு ஏற்படும் பிரச்சனைகளை விளக்க slogan எழுதவேண்டும்.

சில பொருட்களும் அவற்றுக்கான Slogan-களும் இங்கு கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ளன.

**Slogan**

- ◆ Save Planet Earth!
- ◆ Calling all bookworms!
- ◆ Moonwalk in comfort
- ◆ NIC is the best policy
- ◆ The sunbeam in your hand
- ◆ ‘Owner’s pride and neighbour’s envy’
- ◆ ‘Why be in line, when you can be on-line’
- ◆ ‘Stronger than the strongest’
- ◆ ‘Speed thrills but kills.’
- ◆ ‘Be Indian, Buy Indian.’
- ◆ ‘One family, One child.’
- ◆ ‘Arise, Awake and stop not till the goal is reached.’
- ◆ ‘Workers of all nations, unite;  
you have nothing to lose but your chains;  
You have a world of freedom to win...’

**Product/movement**

- Environmental awareness
- Opening of a circulating library
- Footwear
- Insurance
- Torchlight
- Television
- Internet Banking
- My Teeth
- Bike Riding
- Swadesi Movement
- Family Planning
- Swami Vivekananda
- Karl Marx

No	Product	Slogan
1	Air conditioner	Bring Switzerland into your room / Keeps cool
2	Ball-point pen	Flawless writing
3	Camera	Let’s capture the (happy) moment
4	Cell phone	Connectivity on the move / World in your hand
5	Chocolates	A sweet gift of love
6	Clothes	You are what you wear
7	Computer	Doorstep (key) to knowledge / Technology at your door step
8	Credit card	Buy now, pay later
9	Detergent	Washes white
10	Diapers	Dry babies
11	Digital camera	Catches / Captures / Keeps the moments/ Say cheese and freeze
12	Dress	For elegant look / For dashing and smashing looks
13	Encyclopedia	Storehouse of knowledge
14	Eraser	Erases everything but the past
15	Fairness cream	Silky glow
16	Family planning	One family, One child
17	Five-star hotel	Live in the lap of luxury
18	Footwear	For smooth walk
19	Gum	Fixes everything except broken hearts
20	Hair oil	For long hair
21	Health drink	Keeps you light and brisk / Gives you strength
22	Hill resort	Home away from home
23	Home theatre	Armchair viewing
24	Hotpacks	Warmth for hours
25	Ice cream	No more summer, chillers are here / Melts in your mouth
26	Inner wear	So soft and smooth and comfortable
27	Insurance	LIC is the best policy
28	Internet banking	Why be in a line, when you can be online

29	Jeans clothes	Rough and tough
30	Jewellery	Dazzle and sparkle
31	Lens	Gives clear vision
32	Lipstick	Choose the colour of your smile/ Smile in style
33	Match box	Make fire in a rare way
34	Micro-tip pen	Flawless writing flows
35	Mirror	Clear reflection
36	Motorbike	For extra mile and smile / Ride with pride / Races like a horse
37	Mouse	The world at a click
38	Music system	Hear more, enjoy more
39	Pens	The magic of words /Thought transmitter / Glides on the paper
40	Refrigerator	Keep fresh, stay fresh
41	Scooter	For smooth riding
42	Seat belts	Tuck yourself into safety
43	Shampoo	Silky and smooth
44	Shoes	Put your best foot forward / A comfortable sole in a cosy hole
45	Silk sarees	Blooms from the looms
46	Slippers	Get, set, go / To take in your stride
47	Soap	Soup to your skin
48	Steel rods	Long and strong
49	Switches	Click for flick
50	Telescope	Add a new scope to your life
51	Toothpaste	For a confident smile
52	Torchlight	The sunbeam in your hand
53	Trade union	The world of freedom
54	Washing machine	remove dirt from clothes
55	Watch / Wrist watch	Sharp time for sharp people/on your guard

### 34. Write 3 sentences about the given data:

கொடுக்கப்பட்ட அட்டவணை அல்லது வரைபடங்கள் தெரிவிக்கும் தகவல்கள் தாங்கிய ஏதேனும் 3 வாக்கியங்கள் எழுத வேண்டும்.

#### Model Question-2017:

34. Study the following table pertaining to the monthly expenditure of two families and write three sentences on your inference about the data.

Heads of Expenses	The Sridharans	The Hariharans
Food	35%	30%
Transport	10%	5%
Education	25%	20%
Recreation	15%	10%
Savings	10%	25%
Miscellaneous	5%	10%

Answer:

- Sridharan family's expenditure on food is more than Hariharan's.
- Hariharan family's expenditure on transport is less than Sridharan's.
- Hariharan family's expenditure on education is less than Sridharan's.

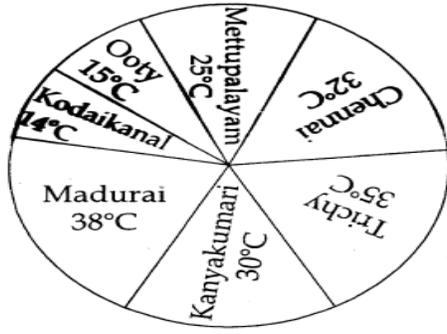
#### Ex.No:01

HOTEL	TYPE OF ROOM	RENT (Per day)	Distance from Central Bus stand (in kms.)
Hotel Meera	Single / Non.A.C.	400	5
Hotel Kannagi	Single/ A.C.	600	3
Hotel Opal	Double /Non.A.C.	450	2
Hotel Mid-way	Double Deluxe /A.C	750	4

Answer:

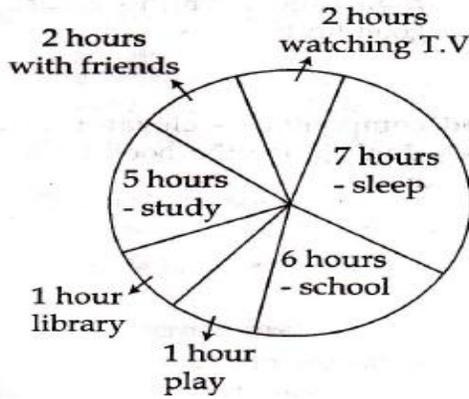
1. Hotel Opal is the nearest to the bus stand.
2. Hotel Mid-way is the costliest hotel.
3. Hotel Opal is the cheapest hotel.

Ex.No:02

**Answer:**

- 1.Kodaikanal is the coolest place of all.
- 2.Kodaikanal is cooler than Ooty.
- 3.Madurai is hotter than Trichy.

Ex.No:3

**Answer:**

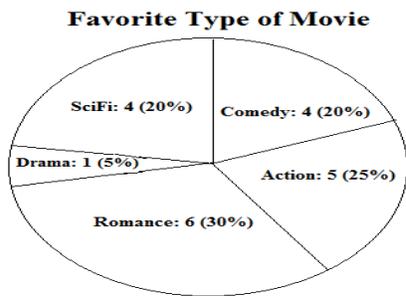
1. The time spent for sleeping is 7 hours.
2. The time spent for studies is 5 hours.
3. The time spent for watching TV is 2 hours.

### 35. Non-verbal Charts:

கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ள வரைபடத்தை நன்கு கவனித்து கேட்கப்பட்டுள்ள வினாக்களுக்கு விடையளிக்க வேண்டும்.

**Model Question-2017:**

35. Study the pie-chart given and answer the question that follow.

**Questions:**

- a) What are the two types of movies liked by equal percentage of people?
- b) Which type of movie is preferred by most number of people?
- c) Which type is least enjoyed and favoured by people?

**Answers:**

- a) Science Fiction and Comedy
- b) Romance
- c) Drama

**குறிப்புகள்:**

- \* கொடுக்கப்பட்ட படத்தையும், தலைப்பையும் எல்லா விவரங்களும் தெளிவாகப் புரியும் வரை கூர்ந்து நோக்கவும்.
- \* பின்னர் கேள்விகளைப் படித்து புரிந்துகொள்ளவும்.
- \* வட்ட வரைபடம் (Pie diagram) என்றால் எந்தெந்த பிரிவிற்கு எத்தனை சதவீதம் (%) மதிப்பு கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ளது என்பதை கூர்ந்து நோக்கவும்.
- \* பட்டை வரைபடம் (Bar diagram) என்றால்  $x$  அச்சு என்ன தகவலை எவ்வளவு அளவுகளில் கொண்டுள்ளது என்பதையும்  $y$  அச்சு என்ன தகவலை எவ்வளவு அளவுகளில் கொண்டுள்ளது என்பதையும் ஒப்பீடு செய்து கூர்ந்து நோக்கி விடையளிக்கவும்.

- ✳ **Greater than, Less than** – கேள்விகளில் Subject-ஆக உள்ள பொருள் ஒப்பிடப்படும் பொருளை விட எத்தனை மடங்கு அதிகம் அல்லது குறைவு என்பதை கவனமாக கண்டுபிடித்து எழுதவும்
- ✳ கேள்வியில் **highest / more / most / maximum / first** என்ற வார்த்தைகள் வந்தால் பெரும்பாலும் அது படத்தில் கொடுக்கப்பட்ட விவரங்களில் அதிக மதிப்புள்ளவற்றை / அதிக எண்ணிக்கையைக் கொண்ட **விடையாக** இருக்கும்.
- ✳ கேள்வியில் **lowest / less / least / minimum / last** என்ற வார்த்தைகள் வந்தால் பெரும்பாலும் அது படத்தில் கொடுக்கப்பட்ட விவரங்களில் குறைந்த மதிப்புள்ளவற்றை / குறைந்த எண்ணிக்கையைக் கொண்ட **விடையாக** இருக்கும்.
- ✳ கேள்வியில் **total** என்ற வார்த்தை வந்தால் பெரும்பாலும் அது படத்தில் கொடுக்கப்பட்ட விவரங்களில் ஏதேனும் 2 அல்லது அதற்கு மேற்பட்ட புள்ளிவிவரங்களை **கூட்டி எழுதும் விடையாக** இருக்கும்.
- ✳ கேள்வியில் **difference** என்ற வார்த்தை வந்தால் பெரும்பாலும் அது படத்தில் கொடுக்கப்பட்ட விவரங்களில் ஏதேனும் 2 புள்ளிவிவரங்களை **கழித்து எழுதும் விடையாக** இருக்கும்.
- ✳ கேள்வியில் **same/equally** என்ற வார்த்தை வந்தால் அதற்கு படத்தில் கொடுக்கப்பட்ட விவரங்களில் சமமான மதிப்புடைய 2 அல்லது அதற்கு மேற்பட்ட புள்ளிவிவரங்களை குறிப்பிட வேண்டும்.

### Exercises: Study the pie-chart and answer the questions given below:

#### Exercise-1:

Study the tabulation and answer the questions:

#### THANJAVUR TO TRICHY

No.	Time	Bus	Car	Lorry	Bike
1	6.30 to 9.00	25	75	65	80
2	10.00 to 12.00	30	20	10	30
3	13.00 to 15.30	75	70	65	90
4	18.00 to 20.00	90	110	65	80
5	21.00 to 22.30	45	75	65	40

#### Questions:

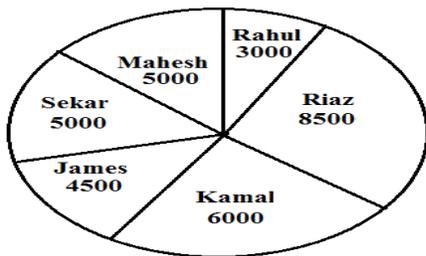
- Find out the total number of vehicles passed between 6.30 and 9.00.
- Find out the No.of cars passed between 18.00 to 20.00.
- When was the traffic was very heavy?

#### Answers:

- 245
- 110
- The traffic was very heavy between 18.00 and 20.00

#### Exercise-2:

Six persons working in some IT firms rent a house for Rs.32,000 per month. The monthly contribution towards rent by each person is depicted in the pie- chart.



#### Questions:

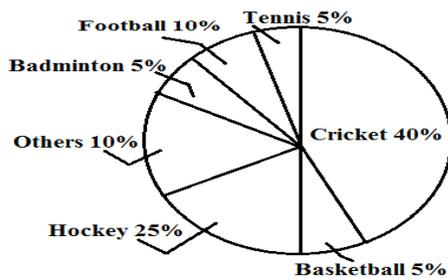
- Who contributes the second highest amount?
- Who contributes Rs. 1500 more than Rahul?
- Which two persons totally contribute Rs. 14,500?

#### Answers:

- Kamal
- James
- Kamal and Riaz

#### Exercise-3: (Jun-2016)

Expenditure of a country on various sports

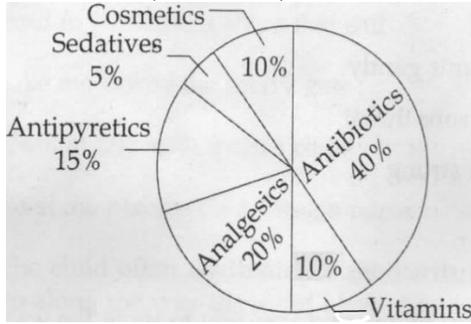


#### Questions:

- The maximum expenditure is on .....
- The expenditure on Hockey is five times that of.....
- What is the total percent of expenditure on Tennis, Badminton and Basketball?

#### Answers:

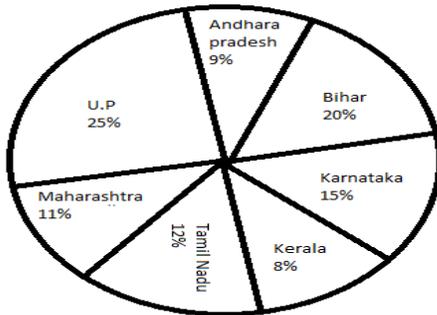
- Cricket
- Badminton
- 15%

**Exercise-4: (Mar-2016)****Questions:**

- There is an equal demand for vitamins and .....
- The medical shop records the highest sale of.....
- The difference between the sale of cosmetics and sedatives is....  
..... that of Antibiotics.

**Answers:**

Cosmetics  
Antibiotics  
less than

**Exercise-5: (Sep-2015)****DATA IN RESPECT OF POPULATION OF DIFFERENT STATES IN THE YEAR 1992.****Questions:**

- The data are in respect of the population of .....
- The difference between the most populated state and the least populated state is .....
- The most populated state has ..... of people.

**Answers:**

- different states of India
- 17%
- 25%

**36. Complete the dialogue:**

உரையாடலில் விடுபட்ட பகுதிகளை கண்டுபிடித்து நிரப்ப வேண்டும்.

**Model Question – 2017:****36. Complete the following dialogue between Venkat and the Police Inspector.**

- Venkat : Good morning. I want to report a break-in happened last night.  
Inspector : Good morning, Sir. ....?  
Venkat : My old parents were there sleeping in the bedroom.  
Inspector : Did they hear anything or see anyone?  
Venkat : .....  
Inspector : What is missing?  
Venkat : .....  
Inspector : Right, Sir. Please fill and sign this form. We'll do our best.

**Answers:**

Inspector : Where were your old parents sleeping? / Who were in the house?

Venkat : No, they did not hear anything or see anyone. / Yes sir, but they ignore it.

Venkat : 10 sovereign of gold jewels are missing. /Rs.1 lakh worth jewels and Rs.50,000/-currency

நினைவில் கொள்ளவேண்டியவை:

- \* உரையாடல் பொதுவாக கேள்வி பதிலாகத்தான் இருக்கும். கேள்விக்குப் பிறகு ..... கொடுத்திருந்தால் அங்கே பதில் எழுத வேண்டும். பதிலுக்கு முன் ..... கொடுத்திருந்தால் அங்கே பதிலுக்குரிய கேள்வியை கேட்க வேண்டும்
- \* May I come in?.. என வந்தால் Yes, come in.
- \* I am going to.. என வந்தால் Where are you going?
- \* I want to.... என வந்தால் What do you want?
- \* The fare is.... என வந்தால் What is the fare?

- \* It costs.... என வந்தால் How much does it cost?
- \* It is Rs.50. என வந்தால் What is the price?
- \* My name is.. என வந்தால் What is your name?
- \* பொதுவாக பதிலில் I வந்தால் கேள்வியில் you என மாற்ற வேண்டும்.  
My வந்தால் your எனவும் me வந்தால் you எனவும் மாற்ற வேண்டும்.
- \* கேள்வியிலோ பதிலிலோ He, she, it, they வந்தால் மாற்றத் தேவையில்லை.

**Exercises: Complete the following dialogue appropriately.**

**Exercise – 1:**

- TTR : Ticket please.  
 Traveller : Sorry sir, somehow I have lost my ticket.  
 TTR : ... (i).....?  
 Traveller : Yes, Sir. I have bought it.  
 TTR : Then ... (iii).....?  
 Traveller : Just a minute sir... (iv).....?  
 TTR : Be quick.

**Answers:**

- i) Have you really bought the ticket?  
 ii) where is it?  
 iii) Shall I search it ?

**Exercise – 2: (Sep -2016)**

- Madan : Could I meet the Headmaster, please?  
 Clerk : Sorry, (i).....  
 Madan : May I know when he will be back?  
 Clerk : (ii) ..... Why do you need to see him?  
 Madan : (iii)..... I have brought a letter from my father  
 and my sister's wedding invitation too.

**Answers:**

- i) He is on leave.  
 ii) He will be back tomorrow.  
 iii) Because .....

**Exercise – 3: (Jun -2016)**

- Father : Your school van had left. Why are you still at home?  
 Son : (i).....  
 Father : Can you go on your own by bus?  
 Son : (ii) Yes, Dad.....  
 Father : (iii).....?  
 Son : No, Dad. I will reach school by 8.40 a.m.

**Answers:**

- i) I missed the school van.  
 ii) I shall/will/can go on my own by bus.  
 iii) Will you reach your school by 8 a.m.?

**Exercise – 4: (Mar -2016)**

- Teacher : Where can we see zebra?  
 Student : We can see them in the zoo, Sir.  
 Teacher : ..... (i).....?  
 Student : Yes Sir, I have visited it in Chennai.  
 Teacher : ..... (ii).....?  
 Student : I visited it last year.  
 Teacher : ..... (iii).....?  
 Student : I visited it with my uncle.

**Answers:**

- i) Have you visited it?  
 ii) When did you visit it?  
 iii) With whom did you visit it?

**Exercise – 5: (Sep -2015)**

- M.D. : What are your qualifications?  
 Candidate : ..... (i).....  
 M.D. : ..... (ii).....?  
 Candidate : I completed my schooling at a Matriculation school in  
 Puducherry.  
 M.D. : Why didn't you study further?  
 Candidate : My father lost his job suddenly.  
 So (iii) .....

**Answers:**

- i) I have completed my 12<sup>th</sup> std, but  
 could not study further.  
 ii) Where did you complete your school  
 education?  
 iii) I can't continue my studies further.

**37. Compose short poem of 4 lines:**

(Text book – 74, 75)

கொடுக்கப்பட்ட தலைப்பில் நான்கு வரிகளில் ஒரு கவிதை எழுத வேண்டும்.

**Model Question:2017****37. Compose a short poem of 4 lines on the topic 'My Grandpa'****Answer:**

The smiling face, I adore  
 The strong patience, I amaze  
 The inborn wisdom, I admire  
 Will I forget all I love?  
 Oh! My Grandpa, Tell me now.

கீழ்க்கண்ட கவிதைகளை மாதிரியாகக் கொண்டு சில கவிதைகளை தயாரித்துவைத்துக்கொள்ளுங்கள்.

**Compose a poem on "A Rose"**

A rose bloomed in my garden.  
 Red and lovely it was  
 Nodding its head gently.  
 It is God's gift to me?

**Compose a poem on "My mother"**

No better person can there be!  
 Mother, you are our life-giver.  
 In you we place all our hope  
 And certainly see God in you.

**Compose a poem on "Rain"**

Blowing breeze is cool and soft  
 In wavy motion kisses oft  
 Earth is parched and land is dry  
 Living things for water cry.

**Compose a poem on "A Plane Crash"**

Mercilessly blasted by heartless terrorists  
 Crashed the Boeing into the quiet sea  
 With all three hundred and twenty nine on board-  
 Men and women, young and old, with innocent children

**38. Expand the Headlines:**

கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ள தலைப்புச் செய்திகளை சற்று விரித்து எழுத வேண்டும்.

**Model Question:2107****38. Expand the following news headlines.**

- 40% of seats in private engineering colleges vacant
- Fire breaks out at ATM kiosk, none hurt
- Hero injured while performing stunt sequence.

**Answers:**

Chennai, July-20: In Tamilnadu, 40% of seats in Private Engineering Colleges went vacant.

Chennai, July-20: Last night, fire broke out at an ATM kiosk near Egmore junction. Fortunately no one got hurt.

Chennai, July-20: In a cinema shooting near Ooty, The cinema hero Ram got injured while performing stunt sequence.

**குறிப்புகள்:**

- \* விடை குறைந்தபட்சம் 2 வாக்கியங்களாக இருக்க வேண்டும்.
- \* முதலில் சம்பவம் நடந்த இடம், தேதி குறிப்பிடப்பட வேண்டும்.
- \* பொதுவாக செய்தி என்பது கீழ்க்காணும் வினாக்களுக்கான விடையாக அமைந்திருக்கும்.

**What happened?** என்ன நடந்தது?**Where it happened?** எங்கே நடந்தது?**When it happened?** எப்பொழுது நடந்தது?**Who are involved?** யாரெல்லாம் தொடர்புடையோர்?**Why it happened?** ஏன் நடந்தது?**How it happened?** எப்படி நடந்தது?

- \* கேள்வி Present tenseல் இருந்தால் (verb உடன் s இருந்தால்) அதை Past tense (verbஐ Past form) ஆக மாற்றி எழுதவும்.  
**Ex :** India **wins** 70 medals at Asian Games.  
**Ans:** India **won** 70 medals at Asian Games in New Delhi. Our Indian Prime Minister greeted all the winners.
- \* கேள்வி Past tenseல் (பெரும்பாலும் verb உடன் ed இருந்தால்) பதிலில் அதை Passive voice (அதாவது verbக்கு முன்னால் is அல்லது are அல்லது was அல்லது were) சேர்த்து எழுதவும்.  
**Ex :** 4 policemen **selected** for Anna Medal.  
**Ans :** Four Policemen **were selected** for Anna Medal for their best services. Tamil Nadu Government announced yesterday.
- \* கேள்வியில் Infinitive verb(verb க்கு முன்னால் to வந்திருந்தால்) பதிலை Future Tenseல் (அதாவது verbக்கு முன் will போட்டு) எழுதவும்.  
**Ex :** Committee **to monitor** new policy on Education  
**Ans :** A Committee was appointed by the Central Government. It **will monitor** new policy on Education
- \* கேள்வியில் Abbreviation வந்தால் பதிலில் அதை விரிவாக்கி எழுதவும்  
**Ex :** Rain **delays AI** flight landing.  
**Ans :** Rain **delayed Air India** flight landing yesterday at Trichy. The passengers suffered a lot.
- \* Articles (a, an,the) தேவையான இடங்களில் போடவும்  
**Ex :** Govt. declare 2 day holiday  
**Ans :** **The** Tamil Nadu Government declared **a** two-day holiday for schools on account of the by-election in Pudukottai
- \* கூடுதல் தகவல்களாக (சம்பவம் நடந்த இடம் - Trichy, Salem, Chennai மற்றும் நேரத்தை - yesterday, tomorrow) குறிப்பிடவும்.

**Expand the following headlines:****Exercise-1:**

- a) PM appeals for peace in the country.
- b) Committee to monitor new policy on education
- c) Five teachers selected for Best Teacher award.

- a) **New Delhi, March-16:** Indian Prime Minister appealed for peace in the country. He asked the people not to support any terrorist activities.
- b) **New Delhi, March-16:** Indian Government has set up a committee to monitor new policy on education.
- c) **New Delhi, March-16:** Five teachers from Tamil Nadu were selected for Best Teacher award. Education Minister announced this in a press meet.

**Exercise-2:**

- a) Surgeon removes 25 steel pins from child's stomach.
- b) Cameras to track speeding vehicles.
- c) Japanese Prime Minister visits India.

- a) **Chennai, March.15:** In Surya Hospital, a Surgeon removed 25 steel pins from a child's stomach, who was admitted with acute pain.
- b) **Chennai, March.15:** Chennai city police commissioner has planned to fit CCTV Cameras to track speeding vehicles at important city traffic signals.
- c) **New Delhi, March.15:** Japanese Prime Minister will visit India next Sunday. Indian Prime Minister will receive him at the airport.

**Exercise-3:**

- a) Pakistan test fires nuclear missile.
- b) SBI introduced new scheme for farmers.
- c) Petrol, diesel prices cut.

- a) **New Delhi, March -15:** Pakistan test-fired a nuclear missile last night. It can hit a place from a distance of more than 5000 kilometres.
- b) **New Delhi, March -15:** State Bank of India has introduced a new scheme for farmers 'Kisan Yojana'. Farmers can get an additional insurance coverage by using this scheme.
- c) **New Delhi, March -15:** Due to the price reduction of crude oil, petroleum agencies have cut Petrol and diesel prices by 5%

**Exercise-4:**

- a) Google to invest more in India.
- b) Australia launches Hindi website.
- c) New idols discovered at temple near Erode.

- a) **Delhi, March-29:** The Internet Giant Google is going to invest more in India. Google CEO Sunder Pitchai announced it in a conference.
- b) **Sydney, March-29:** Australia launched Hindi website. Indian Prime Minister thanked Australian Prime Minister for this.
- c) **Erode, March - 29:** Five new idols were discovered at a temple near Erode. Archeologists said that they were 5<sup>th</sup> century idols.

**Exercise-5:**

- a) Rain delays AI flights landing
- b) Road Safety Campaign held
- c) Southern Railway to run special trains

- a) **Chennai, Sep – 27:** Heavy rain in Meenambakkam Airport delayed Air India flights landing. Four flights were redirected to Bengaluru.
- b) **Trichy, Sep – 27:** Road Safety Campaign was held in Trichy. Trichy city police commissioner inaugurated the campaign.
- c) **Chennai, Sep – 27:** Southern Railway is going to run special trains for Kumbakonam Mahamaham. 5 Special trains will run from tomorrow.

**Sample Exercises**

1. +1 students to receive laptops soon.  
**Chennai, March-25:** Tamil Nadu Government is going to issue free laptops to +1 students of Government Schools soon. The Education Minister announced it.
2. 108 service welcomed by the poor.  
**Chennai, April 2:** State Government of Tamil Nadu has introduced Emergency Ambulance Service for poor people in every Block. People can dial 108 to make use of this service.
3. Andhra XI beat Viva to enter football cup semi-finals.  
**Chennai, June 5:** Andhra XI team beat Mumbai Viva team yesterday. They are going to meet Tamilnadu XI in the Football Cup semi-finals.
4. Bird census commences in TN.  
**Chennai, March-25:** The Government of Tamilnadu has planned to conduct Bird census this year. The work starts from Vedanthangal in Chengalpet.
5. Bus driver prevents major accident  
**Madurai, June 20:** Bus driver Raja averted a major bus accident in Madurai last evening. He has saved the lives of nearly 100 passengers.
6. Business campaign launched in China.  
**Delhi, April 2:** A Business campaign was launched in China. Our Indian Finance Minister inaugurated the function.
7. Chennai celebrates Madras Week.  
**Chennai, Oct.19:** Chennai people celebrated Madras Week. Various cultural programmes were conducted during this ceremony.
8. Diabetic day celebrated with Free check up.  
**Trichy, June 20:** The World Diabetic Day was celebrated in Trichy Diabetic Care yesterday. They had organised a free diabetic check up . Nearly 500 people got benefited.
9. Diminishing water supplies - farmers worried.  
**Chennai, Nov-25:** Geologists identified that water supplies are diminishing. Farmers express their grief over this situation. The authorities assured help to the formers.
10. Earthquake in Turkey – over 250 dead.  
**Istanbul, June 20:** There was a heavy earthquake in Turkey yesterday. Reporters said that over 250 people died and many were injured.

11. Egypt army apologises for attack on innocent people.  
*Cairo, March-25: The Egyptian army attacked some innocent people of Palestine last week. So the army apologized for it.*
12. Film Stars come forward for Tsunami victims.  
*Chennai, March-25: Tamil film stars came forward to organise a celebrity cricket league in Chennai. The funds collected by them would be used for Tsunami victims of Tamil Nadu.*
13. Free cycles colour to change.  
*Chennai, March-25: Tamil Nadu Government has been distributing free green colour bi-cycles to the students of Government Schools so far. Now the Government decided to change the colour into Maroon.*
14. Heart surgery for Children at low cost.  
*Chennai, April 2: Chennai Medical College Hospital doctors have successfully done a major heart surgery for a child at low cost. Honourable Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu congratulated the doctors.*
15. Heavy floods in Bihar, crops ruined.  
*Patna, April 2: Heavy rain lashed Bihar. More than 60 percent of the crops were ruined.*

### 39. Reshuffle the jumbled parts of given sentence:

இடம் மாற்றி கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ள சொற்றொடர்களை சரிசெய்து அர்த்தமுள்ள வாக்கியங்களாக மாற்றவேண்டும்.

#### Model Question:2017

#### Reshuffle the jumbled parts and frame meaningful sentences: (Retain the first part)

- a) Greed is / of human make up / and is the / behind corruption / an essential part / driving force
- b) One of the / effectively / is looking for/ important techniques / for reading / key words
- c) Scientists are / as much harm / sunscreen products / as good / worried that / may do

#### Answers:

- a) Greed is an essential part of human make up and is the driving force behind corruption.
- b) One of the important techniques for reading is looking for key words effectively.
- c) Scientists are worried that sunscreen products may do as much harm as good.

#### Exercises: Reshuffle the jumbled parts and frame meaningful sentences: (Retain the first part)

1. A soldier of /as soon as / the tenth legion / the ship touched shore / leaped into the water
2. We / with money as well as / all well-trained and experienced /a body of workers, / have helped them
3. Mr.Smith/ Jane is the prettiest / member of the family / and of her four daughters / is the wisest
4. The difficulty / devised for the occasion / by means of a special service/ was solved
5. The lady / by the doctor / all but killed by him / that she was / was compelled / to drink such vile medicine
6. You / as I am / with these affairs / are already as well acquainted
7. Besides / has a private income / he also / having a salary,
8. His parents / that he might earn/ to send him abroad / his own living / were compelled by poverty
9. He /but my opinion / has discovered new facts / and advanced new arguments, / is unchanged
10. It / he will come back / that /is probable

#### Answers:

1. A soldier of the tenth legion leaped into the water as soon as the ship touched shore
2. We have helped them with money as well as a body of workers, all well-trained and experienced
3. Mr.Smith is the wisest member of the family and of her four daughters Jane is the prettiest.
4. The difficulty was solved by means of a special service devised for the occasion.
5. The lady was compelled by the doctor to drink such vile medicine that she was all but killed by him
6. You are already as well acquainted with these affairs as I am
7. Besides having a salary, he also has a private income.
8. His parents were compelled by poverty to send him abroad that he might earn his own living
9. He has discovered new facts and advanced new arguments, but my opinion is unchanged.
10. It is probable that he will come back

**40. Explain the proverb in 30 words:**

கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ள பழமொழிகளை விளக்கி 30 வார்த்தைகளில் ஒரு பத்தி எழுத வேண்டும்.

**Model Question:2017**

**40. Explain the meaning of the proverb ‘Slow and steady wins the race’ in about 30 words.**

**Answer:** **‘Slow and steady wins the race’**

This proverb is a reference to the fable of the hare and the tortoise. While the hare, confident of success, took things too easy, the slow tortoise plodded steadily on and managed to win the race. We should not be discouraged by the size of the task we have to do. If we do it little by little and steadily, we can achieve success. The following quotation from Ovid sums up the ideas: “What is harder than rock, or softer than water? Yet soft water hollows our hard rock. Only persevere.”

கீழே கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ள பழமொழிகளுக்கான பத்திகளை படித்துக்கொண்டு குறைவாக அதாவது தோராயமாக 30 வார்த்தைகள் கொண்ட பத்தியாக எழுதவும்.

**Honesty is the best policy**

It has been truly said “Honesty is the best policy”. We should always be sincere in the work we do. It is, nevertheless, very difficult to accept honest means of livelihood. Gandhiji always preached us to lead a happy and contented life by being truthful. At present, our society has been trapped by fraudulent people, who in just few years want to become rich. Thus, we can see it is really difficult to lead an honest life among the fraudulent people all around. In spite of so many fraudulent people, honest men still thrive and lead their life with honest means of livelihood.

**Hard work is the key to success / Work is worship**

An active person depends too much on luck and opportunity. If we continue to work hard and have full faith in God, nothing can stop us from going ahead and touching the sky. We can very well see how hard work has helped men to achieve great heights. We can see the lives of various eminent scientists, who with their hard work have achieved success and received nob prizes for their work. It has been truly said that a person who works hard is always blessed with success. Thus, if we have to attain success in our lives we must work hard.

**Prevention is better than cure**

The famous proverb ‘Prevention is better than Cure’ means that we should take necessary steps to keep ourselves healthy. Often, people ignore their health, fall sick and then go for treatment. In order to avoid illness, we should take proper care of our health. We should regularly go for exercise, eat fresh fruits, drink boiled water and keep our house clean and hygienic by cleaning it everyday with antigerm cleaning agents. Thus, by maintaining all these we can surely fight against illness and remain healthy.

**A friend in need is a friend indeed**

It is an old saying that a ‘friend in need is a friend indeed’. Friends are important part of our lives. They influence us very much. Their influence is so much that a good friend always show the path of goodness, whereas a friend with bad qualities teaches bad qualities to his fellow member. One must be careful while choosing a friend.

**Where there’s a will there’s a way**

If you have the determination to do something, you are sure to find a way of doing it. There is usually nothing that is impossible to do. Napoleon, who rightly believed nothing to be impossible, ordered the army to march into Italy. “Sire, the Alps” said general. “There shall be no Alps”, said the Emperor composedly. And no Alps came in his way. What may seem impossible will turn out to be easy to accomplish, if you go on to do it with determination.

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**PART - D**  
**FIVE MARK QUESTIONS**

**ENGLISH**  
**PAPER II**

7 X 5 = 35

**Answer all the questions :**

41. a) to e) (Supplementary Reader) Comprehension (**or**)  
a) to e) (Supplementary Reader) Rearrange the jumbled sentences
42. a) to e) (Supplementary Reader) paragraph (**either..or..type**)
43. Paraphrase the poem (**or**) Poem Comprehension
44. Letter Writing (**either..or..type**)
45. Make notes (**or**) Write Summary
46. General Paragraph (**either..or..type**)
47. Frame a dialogue (**either..or..type**)

**41. Supplementary – Comprehension & Jumbled Sentences:**

கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ள இரண்டு பகுதி வினாக்களில் ஒன்றை எழுதவேண்டும். முதல் பகுதியில் துணைப்பாடத்திலிருந்து ஒரு பத்தி கொடுத்து அதிலிருந்து 5 வினாக்கள் கொடுத்திருப்பார்கள். அவற்றுக்கு சரியான விடைகளை எழுதவேண்டும். இரண்டாம் பகுதியில் 5 வாக்கியங்களை இடம் மாற்றிக் கொடுத்திருப்பார்கள். அவற்றை சரியாக இடம் மாற்றி பொருள் தொடர்ச்சியாக சரியாக வருவதுபோல் செய்யவேண்டும்

**Model Question:2017**

**41. Read the following passage and answer the questions given below.**

There were celebrations for several days. At length, a couple of days before his departure. Bhishvambar questioned his sister about the schooling and progress of her two sons. In reply, he was given a description of Phatik's uncontrollable wildness and inattention to study; while Makhan, by contrast, was perfectly behaved and a model student. Bhishvambar then proposed that he take Phatik to Calcutta, keep him with him and supervise his education. The widow easily agreed to this. "Well, Phatik", he asked the boy, "how would you like to go to Calcutta with your uncle?" "I'd love to", said Phatik, jumping up and down.

**Questions:**

- a) What were the celebrations for?
- b) Why did Bhishvambar offer to take Phatik to Calcutta?
- c) How was Makhan different from Phatik?
- d) Who is the widow referred to and how is she related to Bhishvambar?
- e) What was Phatik's reaction to Bhishvambar's suggestion?

(or)

**Rearrange the jumbled sentence.**

- a) So, she sold her hair and bought a platinum fob chain.
- b) Jim said that he had sold his watch to buy her a set of combs.
- c) Jim returned from office and was shocked to see Della.
- d) Della did not have enough money to buy her husband a gift.
- e) Della held out to Jim, her Christmas gift and asked him for his watch.

**Supplementary Reader – Passage – Answers:**

- a) The celebrations were for Bhishvambar, who had come to see his sister after many years.
- b) Phatik's uncontrollable wildness and inattention to study were the reasons for Bhishvambar's offer to take Phatik to Calcutta
- c) Makhan, by contrast, was perfectly behaved and a model student. Thus Makhan was different from Phatik.
- d) The widow is the mother of Phatik. She is the sister of Bhishvambar
- e) Phatik jumped up and down. This was Phatik's reaction to Bhishvambar's suggestion

(or)

**Rearrange the jumbled sentence.**

- d) Della did not have enough money to buy her husband a gift.
- a) So, she sold her hair and bought a platinum fob chain.
- c) Jim returned from office and was shocked to see Della.
- e) Della held out to Jim, her Christmas gift and asked him for his watch.
- b) Jim said that he had sold his watch to buy her a set of combs.

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**Unit-1. HOLIDAY****Comprehension:**

1. He stuggled and kicked helplessly as Bagha picked him up bodily and carried him home. His mother shouted furiously when she saw him: ‘You’ve beaten up Makhan again!’

‘I didn’t beat him up.’

‘How dare you lie to me?’

‘I did not beat him up. Ask him.’

When Makhan was questioned he stuck to his earlier accusation saying, ‘He did beat me up.’ Phatik could not stand this any more. He charged at Makhan and thumped him hard, shouting, ‘So who’s lying now?’ His mother, taking Makhan’s part, rushed and slapped phatik’s back several times heavily. He pushed her away. ‘So you’d lay hands on your own mother?’ she screamed.

- Questions:**
- 1) Who had beaten Makhan?
  - 2) Why was mother angry?
  - 3) Who was Bagha?
  - 4) Who beat Phatik on behalf of Makhan?
  - 5) Who was really lying?

**Answers:**

1. Phatik had beaten Makhan.
2. Mother thought that Phatik had beaten Makhan. So she was angry.
3. Bagha was a servant.
4. The mother beat Phatik on behalf of Makhan.
5. Makhan was really lying.

2. There were celebrations for several days. At length, a couple of days before his departure, Bishvambhar questioned his sister about the schooling and progress of her two sons. In reply, he was given a description of Phatik’s uncontrollable wildness and inattention to study; while Makhan, by contrast, was perfectly behaved a model student. ‘Phatik drives me mad’ she said.

Bishvambhar then proposed that he take Phatik to Calcutta, keep him with him and supervise his education. The widow easily agreed to this. ‘Well, Phatik’, he asked the boy, ‘how would you like to go to Calcutta with your uncle?’ ‘I’d love to, said Phatik, jumping up and down.

- Questions:**
- 1) What were the celebration for?
  - 2) What did Bishvambar enquire?
  - 3) Who was Bishvambar?
  - 4) Who was a well behaved model student?
  - 5) What did Bishvambar’s proposal?

- Answers:**
1. Bishvambar who had come to see his sister after many years.
  2. Bishvambar enquired his sister about the schooling and progress of her two sons.
  3. Bishvambar was Phatik’s uncle.
  4. Makhanlal was a well behaved model student.
  5. Bishvambar proposed to take Phatik to Calcutta with him.

**Rearrange the jumbled sentences:**

1. - Phatik agreed to go to Calcutta with his uncle ----(5)
  - He offered to take phatik to Calcutta---(4)
  - Phatik was a mischievous boy and his mother could not control him in the village ---(1)
  - Phatik's mother told him about Phatik ----(3)
  - Phatik's uncle came to their village from Calcutta---(2)
2. - Phatik was fond of mischief---(3)
  - His friends and he assembled near the river ----(4)
  - He had a kid brother, called Makhan---(2)
  - They noticed a long sal log lying on the river bank ----(5)
  - Phatik Chakrabarthi is thirteen years old boy----(1)
3. - The police found him and brought him back---(5)
  - His uncle searched for him ---(3)
  - He informed the police ----(4)
  - Phatik decided to go back to the village ---(1)
  - He did not come home from school ----(2)

**Unit-2. THE NECKLACE****Comprehension:**

1. She was simple, not being able to adorn herself; but she was unhappy as one out of her class; for women belong to no caste, no race; their grace, their beauty, and their charm serving them in the place of birth and family. Their inborn fineness, their instinctive elegance, their suppleness of wit are their only aristocracy, making some daughters of the people the equal of great ladies.

She suffered incessantly, feeling herself born for all delicacies and luxuries. She suffered from the poverty of her apartment, the shabby walls, the worn chairs, and the faded stuff. All these things, which another woman of her station would not have noticed, tortured and angered her.

**Questions:**

- 1) Why was the woman referred to in the story unhappy?
- 2) What qualities of a woman make her equal in status to great ladies?
- 3) Why did the woman suffer?
- 4) What were the things she was unhappy about?
- 5) How did she differ from any other woman of her status?

**Answers:**

1. She had nothing to adorn herself. The woman was simple. So she was unhappy.
2. The inborn fineness of women, their instinctive elegance and their wit make a woman equal in status to great ladies.
3. The woman thought that she was born for all delicacies and luxuries. But there was poverty in her apartment. So she suffered.
4. She was unhappy about the poverty of her apartment, the shabby walls, the worn chairs and the faded stuff.
5. Any other woman of her status would not have noticed the poverty around her. But she noticed the poverty and it tortured and angered her.

**Rearrange the jumbled sentence:**

1. - They attended that party with the borrowed necklace----- (5)
  - Mr. Loisel got an invitation for a party in his office----- (2)
  - Mr. and Mrs. Loisel belonged to a middle class family----- (1)
  - Mr. Loisel suggested to borrow a necklace from her friend Mme. Forestier ---- (4)
  - Matilda was willing to attend the party but she had no royal dress and jewels---- (3)
  
2. - She searched for it but could not find it --- (2)
  - The necklace was not around her neck --- (1)
  - He came back disappointed---- (4)
  - Her husband trekked all the way to the ball room---- (3)
  - Husband and her wife promptly decided on a remedial action ---- (5)
  
3. - Matilda told her about the loss of the borrowed necklace --- (3)
  - The rich woman could not recognize her friend--- (2)
  - It had taken her ten years of hard work to repay the loan --- (5)
  - She had paid thirty six thousand francs for it --- (4)
  - Mme. Forestier and Matilda met on the roadside one day. ---- (1)

**Unit-3. THE GIFT OF THE MAGI****Comprehension:**

1. One dollar and eighty-seven cents. That was all. And sixty cents of it was in pennies. Pennies saved one and two at a time by bulldozing the grocer and the vegetable man and the butcher until one's cheeks burned with the silent imputation of parsimony that such close dealing implied.

Three times Della counted it. One dollar and eighty-seven cents. And the next day would be Christmas.

There was clearly nothing left to do but flop down on the shabby little couch and howl. So Della did it. Which instigates the moral reflection that life is made up of sobs, sniffles, and smiles, with sniffles predominating.

While the mistress of the home is gradually subsiding from the first stage to the second, take a look at the home. A furnished flat at \$8 per week. It did not exactly beggar description, but it certainly had that word on the lookout for the mendicancy squad.

In the vestibule below was a letter-box into which no letter would go, and an electric button from which no mortal finger could coax a ring. Also appertaining thereunto was a card bearing the name 'Mr. James Dillingham Young'

The 'Dillingham' had been flung to the breeze during a former period of prosperity when its possessor was being paid \$30 per week. Now when the income was shrunk to \$20, the letters of Dillingham looked blurred, as though they were thinking seriously of contracting to a modest and unassuming D. But whenever Mr. James Dillingham Young came home and reached his flat above he was called 'Jim' and greatly hugged by Mrs. James Dillingham Young, already introduced to you as Della. Which is all very good

**Questions:**

- 1) How were the precious pennies saved?
- 2) Why did Della count the money thrice?
- 3) Were the Dillinghams leading a life of comfort?
- 4) Did the decrease in income upset the couple ?
- 5) What is the author's reflection life?

**Answers:**

1. The precious pennies were saved by bargaining with the grocer, butcher and vegetable man.
2. The money was in pennies. She wished to buy a Christmas gift for her husband. So, she counted it three times.
3. No, the Dillinghams were not leading a life of comfort.
4. No, the decrease in income did not upset the couple.
5. Life has sobs, sniffles and smiles.

**Rearrange the jumbled sentence:**

1. - Jim came to his house late but he was shocked to look at Della ---(3)  
 - Della gave Jim the platinum fob chain---(4)  
 - Jim gave her a set of costly combs---(5)  
 - Della had no money to buy a Christmas gift her husband---(1)  
 - She sold her long golden hair and bought a platinum fob chain----(2)
2. - She returned home in high spirits and quickly put on her curlers ---(4)  
 - Della reached madame sofronie's shop ----(1)  
 - With this money she bought lovely fob chain for her husband----(3)  
 - Della sold her lovely brown hairs for twenty dollars ----(2)  
 - She looked like a school boy --- (5)
3. - Cent by cent she put by a dollar and eighty seven cents ----(3)  
 - An idea occurred to her --- (4)  
 - She had bargained with the grocer, the butcher to compile the lot---(2)  
 - Della wanted to buy a gift for her husband---(5)  
 - It was Christmas evening ----(1)

**42. Supplementary – Paragraph Question:**

கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ள இரண்டு பத்தி வினாக்களில் ஒன்றுக்கு மட்டும் விடையளிக்க வேண்டும்.

**Model Question:2017****42. Answer in a paragraph of about 150 words.**

How did the mystery of Frisk's illness get solved? (or) Present a character sketch of Matilda.

**Answers:****The mystery of Frisk's illness got solved**

Dick was a quiet, kindly man. He had lost his wife and he was living alone. His cat Frisk came to him six years ago. One day Dick brought his cat Frisk in a box. It was unconscious and it looked as if it were dead. The veterinarian examined the animal. The heart beat was very light but he was still breathing. The doctor gave him a stimulate injection. The next day Frisk was all right and playful as ever. After three days Dick brought the cat to the doctor with the same complaint. The doctor gave the same injection. The next day cat was normal. After one week, Mrs.Duggan rang up the doctor said that the cat was ill. The doctor went there and gave same injection. Dick was dying to cancer. The nurse gave him a mixture of heroin and pethidine to relieve the pain. As Dick's hand was so shaky, he poured the mixture into a saucer and took it. The doctor understood that the cat had licked the medicine in the saucer and it became unconscious. So the doctor advised him to put the saucer at the cupboard. Thus Frisk's illness got solved.

(OR)

**Present a character sketch of Matilda.**

Mr.Loisel was a clerk in the ministry of education. His income was very low. Matilda was his wife. She was a pretty young lady. She had a rich friend namely Mme.Forestier. She wanted to live a luxurious life like her friend.One day Mr. Loisel got invitation for a party in his office. Matilda had no royal dress and ornaments to attend the party. So, she was unhappy. So Mr. Loisel suggested her to borrow the jewel from her

friend. So Matilda met her friend and told her about her distress. Finally Mme. Forestier gave her a nice diamond necklace. Matilda and her husband attended the party. Matilda was appreciated by all the members of the party. She was very happy and she was the most prettiest woman in the party. When she returned home she lost the necklace. Mr. & Mrs. Loisel searched for the necklace. But they couldn't find everywhere. At last, they got loans from many persons and bought a similar necklace for 36000 francs. Then she returned it to her friend Mme. Forestier. They had to work very hard for ten years to repay their loans. One day Matilda met her friend and told her the truth. Mme. Forestier told her that the last necklace was a fake one. It costed only 500 francs.

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### Unit-1. HOLIDAY

#### 1. How was Phatik's life in Calcutta different from his life in the village? (or)

Write a paragraph about Phatik's life in his village and his plight in Calcutta.

'Holiday' is a story which was written by Rabindranath Tagore. In this story, we find the characters Phatik, Makhanlal, their mother, Bishvambar, servant and aunt. Phatik Chakrabarthi was living with his mother and brother. Phatik was a mischievous boy. And he was the leader of the gang in his village. When he was a little boy, his father died. Makhan behaved well. Phatik was inattentive in his studies. So his mother and phatik did not like phatik. One day Bishvambar came to his house after long years to see his sister. His uncle enquired his sister about phatik's schooling and progress. Mother told his brother about phatik's behaviour. She worried about phatik's future. Bishvambar asked phatik whether he could come to Calcutta. Phatik agreed to go with his uncle. Then his uncle took him to Calcutta. In Calcutta, his aunt did not like his arrival. He did not study well. His classmates and cosines mocked at him. One day phatik lost school book at school. His aunt scolded him for this. Totally his life in Calcutta was a miserable one. One day phatik was affected by fever. But he did not like to tell it to his aunt. The next day, he went to school but he did not return from the school in the evening. His uncle searched for him for whole day and complained to the police. Finally, he was found. He was shivering with heavy fever. He said that he was going home as his holiday had come. Finally his mother came from village to see phatik

### Unit-2. THE NECKLACE

#### 1. How the necklace changed the life of Matilda? (or)

Present a character sketch of Matilda.

Mr. Loisel was a clerk in the ministry of education. His income was very low. Matilda was his wife. She was a pretty young lady. She had a rich friend namely Mme. Forestier. She wanted to live a luxurious life like her friend. One day Mr. Loisel got invitation for a party in his office. Matilda had no royal dress and ornaments to attend the party. So, she was unhappy. So Mr. Loisel suggested her to borrow the jewel from her friend. So Matilda met her friend and told her about her distress. Finally Mme. Forestier gave her a nice diamond necklace. Matilda and her husband attended the party. Matilda was appreciated by all the members of the party. She was very happy and she was the most prettiest women in the party. When she returned home she lost the necklace. Mr. & Mrs. Loisel searched for the necklace. But they couldn't find everywhere. At last, they got loans from many persons and bought a similar necklace for 36000 francs. Then she returned it to her friend Mme. Forestier. They had to work very hard for ten years to repay their loans. One day matilda met her friend and told her the truth. Mme. Forestier told her that the last necklace was a fake one It costed only 500 francs.

### Unit-3. THE GIFT OF THE MAGI

#### 1 Describe the true love and sacrifice of the couple Jim and Della.

Jim was a man of twenty two and his wife Della was twenty. His income was very low of 20 dollars per week. So they could not save much. Jim and Della had love and affection with each other.

Jim wanted to present a nice gift to his beloved wife Della. Similarly, Della also wished to present to her beloved husband Jim. But They did not have enough money to buy a nice gift. Their savings was very low. Della had saved only one dollar and eight seven cents with this little amount she couldn't buy a nice gift. So she sold her long golden hair at madame sofronic for twenty dollars. She bought a platinum fob chain for twenty one dollars. Jim sold his watch and bought a set of lovely combs. When Jim saw Della without hair, he was shocked. Similarly, when Della saw Jim's hand without the precious watch she was shocked. However, they understood their deep love with each other. Thus, we know from this story, Jim and Della's Personal sacrifices for their life partners.

### 43. Poem Paraphrasing & Comprehension:

முதலில் கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ள பாடலின் பொருளை பத்தியாக எழுத வேண்டும். அல்லது இரண்டாவது பாடலிலிருந்து கேட்கப்படும் 5 வினாக்களுக்கு விடை எழுத வேண்டும்.

**Model Question:2017**

43. Paraphrase the following poem.

Here's an example from A Butterfly  
That on a rough, hard rock  
Happy can lie;  
Friendless and all alone  
On this unsweetened stone  
Now let my bed be hard  
No care take I;  
I'll make my job like this  
Small butterfly  
Whose happy has power,  
To make a stone a flower.

(or)

Read the following poem and answer the questions given below.

Power of kindness is great and grand,  
Makes dumb speak and deaf hear,  
And the blind see things quite clear,  
Through the rays of the light of heart.  
If kindness lives in words alone.  
Seldom will it serve at all,  
Turn they should as deeds of love,  
To find a place in the hearts of war.  
World has shrunk from what't was,  
For war to meet across the globe,  
Is not kindness a golden girdle,  
To bring all mankind into the fold?

**Questions:**

- Where does the light of kindness come from?
- When will kindness be rendered useless?
- How can one find a place in other's heart?
- Why is kindness called a golden girdle?
- Give a suitable title to the poem.

**Paraphrase the poem – Answer:**

In this poem the poet says happiness lies in hard work. He shows an example from a butterfly. The butterfly has no friends. It is alone. And it can make us feel the stone which it sits on as a flower. So the poet wants to make his job like the butterfly.

(OR)

**Poem Comprehension Answers:**

- The light of kindness comes from the light of heart.
- Kindness will be rendered useless, when it lives in words alone.
- One can find a place in other's heart by his/her deeds of love.
- Kindness is called a golden girdle because it can bring all mankind into one fold.
- Power of Kindness / Kindness / Golden Girdle etc.

**43A. Paraphrasing a poem:**

கவிதை வரிகளைப் படித்து புரிந்துகொண்டு அதனை ஒரு பத்தியாக எழுத வேண்டும்.

**Paraphrase the following poem.****Exercise-1:****NIGHT**

The sun descending in the west,  
The evening star does shine,  
The birds are silent in their nest,  
And I must seek for mine,  
The moon, like a flower,  
In heaven's high bower  
With silent delight,  
Sits and smiles on the night.

**Answer:**

**Paraphrase:** The time referred to here is evening and the evening star is in the sky. The birds are taking rest in their nests. The poet wants to seek himself The moon seemed to be silent and delightful like a flower

**Exercise-2:****MY FAVOURITE TREE**

When life is getting hard for me,  
I climb up in my favourite tree  
and look down on the world below  
where grass is green and flowers grow.  
I start to feel good sitting there,  
secure within my branchy chair.  
Up high, the things that made me frown  
look way too small to bring me down  
The sky's more blue; the sun's more bright,  
and all my dark clouds turn out white  
when I climb up my favourite tree  
Oh, what a friend he is to me!  
- Susan Noyes Anderson

**Answer:**

**Paraphrase:** The narrator climbs up her favourite tree whenever life grows complicated. She feels good when sitting on the branches. From her high position she finds the unpleasant things that made her frown look way too small to bring her down. The sky and the sun are bright when she is up on the tree. The tree becomes a good friend to her

**Exercise-3:****NINE GOLD MEDALS**

The athletes had come from all over the country  
To run for the gold, for the silver and bronze  
Many weeks and months of training  
All coming down to these games  
The blocks were all lined up for those who  
would use them  
The hundred- yard dash was the race to run  
There were nine resolved athletes in back  
of the starting line  
Poised for the sound of the gun.

**Answer:**

**Paraphrase:** The athletes had come from all over the country. They run for gold, silver and bronze. They had undergone many weeks and months of training The blocks were ready for those who would use them. Nine athletes stood waiting for the sound of the gun.

**Exercise-4:****A WISH**

I often sit and wish that I  
 Could be a kite up in the sky  
 And ride upon the breeze and go  
 Whatever way it chanced to blow;  
 Then I could look beyond the town,  
 And see the river winding down,  
 And follow all the ships that sail  
 Like me before the merry gate

Until at last with them I came  
 To some place with a foreign name

**Answer:**

**Paraphrase:** The child often wished to be a kite (up in the sky). She wanted to ride upon the breeze and go along the way the wind blew. She wished to look beyond the town and see the river winding along. She wanted to follow all the ships that sailed against the strong wind. She wanted to fly until she reached a place with a foreign name

**Exercise-5:****ANGER**

Oh! anger is an ugly thing  
 And spoils the fairest face  
 It cometh like a rainy cloud  
 Upon a sunny place  
 One angry moment often does  
 What we repent for years  
 It works the wrong we ne'er make right  
 By sorrows or by tears

The hand of peace is frank and warm  
 And soft as ringdove's wing  
 And he who quells an angry thought  
 Is greater than a king.

**Answer:**

**Paraphrase:** Anger comes like a rainy cloud and spoils our day. One angry moment may cause lifetime agony. The wrong caused by anger can never be made right. Unlike anger, the hand of peace is gentle and kind. One who can control anger is a king

**43B. Poem - Comprehension:**

கவிதை வரிகளைப் படித்து அதன்பின் கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ள வினாக்களுக்கு விடையளிக்க வேண்டும்.

**Read the following poem and answer the questions given below:**

**Exercise-1:****A NATION'S STRENGTH**

Not gold but only man can make  
 people great and strong  
 Men who for truth and honour's sake  
 stand fast and suffer long  
 Brave men who work, while others sleep  
 who dare, while others fly-  
 They build a nation's pillars deep  
 And lift them to the sky.

2. Which is the strength of the nation?
3. Who work, while others sleep?
4. Is gold a nation's strength?
5. Mention the pillars of a nation.

**Answer:**

1. A man can make the people great and strong.
2. Truth and honour are the strength of the nation.
3. Brave men work, while others sleep.
4. No, Gold is not a nation's strength.
5. Great men, brave men are the pillars of a nation.

**Questions:**

1. Who can make the people great and strong?

**Exercise-2:****MY DOG**

Have you seen a little dog anywhere about?  
 A raggy dog, a shaggy dog, who's always looking out  
 For some fresh mischief which he thinks he really ought to do  
 He's very likely to do at this minute, biting someone's shoe.  
 If you see that little dog, his tail up in the air,  
 A whirly tail, a curly tail, a dog who doesn't care  
 For any other dog he meets, not even for himself;  
 Then hide your mats, and put your meat upon the top-most shelf.  
 If you see a little dog barking at the cars,  
 A raggy dog, a shaggy dog, with eyes like twinkling stars,  
 Just let me know, for though he's bad, as bad as he can be,  
 I wouldn't change the dog for all the treasures of the sea! -E.Lewis

**Questions:**

1. Which animal is referred to in this poem?
2. Is dog a pet animal?
3. How is the dog?
4. What doesn't the poet want?
5. Which is compared to the dog's eye?

**Answer:**

1. The dog is referred to in the poem.
2. Yes, a dog is a pet animal.
3. The dog is a raggy and slaggy.
4. The poet does not want to change the dog, though it is bad.
5. The dog's eye is compared to the twinkling star.

**Exercise-3:****THE POET WANTS**

I want to climb the highest tree  
 Study stars and their mystery  
 I want to touch clouds above  
 Finds someone I can talk to, now!  
 I want to be a designer-  
 Make dreams that just don't disappear  
 I want to be an artist too-  
 Paint pictures of me and you  
 There are lots of things on this Earth  
 New ideas that are taking birth  
 But before I discover what I want to be  
 I must discover me!

**Questions:**

1. What does the poet want?
2. What does the poet want to touch?
3. Does the poet want to be a designer?
4. What can be disappeared?
5. What does he want to discover?

**Answer:**

1. The poet wants to climb the highest tree.
2. The poet wants to touch the clouds.
3. Yes, the poet wants to be a designer.
4. Dreams can be disappeared.
5. He wants to discover himself.

**Exercise-4:****THE FATHER AND A BOY**

The boy stood on the burning deck;  
 Whence all but him had fled;  
 The flame that lit the battle's wret  
 Shone round him O'er the dear,  
 Yet beautiful and bright he stood,  
 As born to rule the storm,  
 A creature of heroic blood,  
 A proud though childlike form,  
 The flames rolled on; he would not go  
 Without his father's word;  
 The father' faint in death below;  
 His voice no longer heard.

**Questions:**

1. Where did the boy stand?
2. Who was dead?
3. What happened to the ship?
4. Why was the boy still waiting?
5. How did the boy stand?

**Answer:**

1. The boy stood on the burning deck.
2. The boy's father was dead.
3. The ship was burning.
4. The boy was still waiting for the command from his father.
5. The boy stood beautiful and bright.

**Exercise-5:****GOD'S LOVE**

The fire of God's love  
 burns away impurities  
 and leaves our soul's gold,  
 Only He can see  
 Beneath our humanity  
 to judge our true worth,  
 God's eternal care  
 triumphs over our weakness  
 and teaches us hope.

**Questions:**

1. What does love do?
2. What is meant by "Triumph"?
3. What gives us hope?
4. What is compared to gold?
5. What is considered as humanity?

**Answer:**

1. Love burns out all impurities.
2. Triumph is victory.
3. God's love gives us hope.
4. Soul is compared to gold.
5. Humanity is considered as true worth.

**44. Letter Writing:**

கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ள சூழ்நிலைக்கு ஏற்றவாறு கடிதம் எழுத வேண்டும்.

**Model Question:2017**

44. Write a letter to your father seeking his permission to join swimming class. (or)

Write a letter to the Headmaster of your school requesting him to issue your Transfer Certificate.

Answers:

**Letter to father - to join swimming class**

YYY,  
18.03.2018

My dear father,

I am fine. How are you and all? Here I am studying well. I want to join swimming class in our school. My Physical Education Teacher encourages me to join swimming. It is a good exercise. Many of my friends have joined in it. I also want to join it. The fee is Rs.400/- per month. Please give me permission and send the money for my expenses.

Convey my regards to all.

Your loving son,  
XXX

To

XXX,  
YYY.

(OR)

**Letter to Headmaster - requesting him -Transfer Certificate.**

From

XXX,  
YYY.

To

The Headmaster,  
ABC Hr. Sec. School, YYY.

Respected Sir,

I was a student of your school in XII std A section during the year 2016 – 2017. I have passed my XII standard Examination. I have scored 1100 marks. Now I want to join B.E. Course at BBB Engineering College. So I request you to provide my Transfer Certificate and Conduct Certificate.

Thanking you,

Date :18.03.18

Yours faithfully,

Place :YYY

\* பின்வரும் பொதுவான தகவல்களை கடிதத்திற்கு ஏற்றவாறு விடையாக எழுதவும்.

\* **Complaining Letter**

I am ....., living in the above address. I am sorry to inform you that .....

Please take necessary action.

Thanking you,

\* **Applying for a post**

I am ....., living in the above address. I saw your advertisement. I have the expected qualifications. If you appoint me, I will do my best. Please consider my application.

Thanking you,

\* **Ordering letter**

Please send me the following items.

cricket bat -10	Test tube – 50
cricket ball – 20	Test tube stand – 10
X Std. English Text Book – 20 copies	
X Std. English Saraswathi Notes–20 copies	

We'll send the amount soon.

Thanking you,

**\* Personal letter**

I am fine. How are you? .....

My greetings to all.

இவை தவிர வேறு விதமாக உள்ள கடிதத்தின் மாதிரிகள் கீழே கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ளது.  
அவற்றையும் படித்துக் கொள்ளவும்.

**Exercise-1:****Write a letter to your friend congratulating her for her victory in Para Olympic Games.**

9/11 Kinley Street, R City,  
27<sup>th</sup> February, 2017.

Dear Rajalakshmi,

I am fine. How are you? I am very happy to know that you have won the medal in Para Olympic Games held in Ottawa. Congratulations! It is great. You have great confidence and strong determination. I have wondered many times, when I saw you at the time of practice. What a hard practice you have done! Amazing! I am very proud of you. You proved that disability is not a barrier to achievements. You are the role model for everyone like you. You made our country proud. Please accept my hearty wishes. Convey my regards to all at home.

Your loving friend,  
Suba

Address on the envelope

Miss. Rajalakshmi,  
27, Woodland Street, Ooty.

**Exercise-2:****Write a letter to console your friend Rahim who lost the athletic championship by just one point.**

15A 3<sup>rd</sup> street ,  
K.C Nagar, A City,  
20<sup>th</sup> April, 2017.

My dear Rahim,

I am fine. How are you and your parents? I am very sorry to know that you have lost the championship by just one point. It is all in the game. Don't lose heart. You know failure is a stepping stone to success. Never give up. Winners never quit and quitters never win. This is only an inter-school competition. Soon there will be a state-level competition. Practice well. Practice makes one perfect. Surely you will win. All is well. I will visit you very soon. Convey my regards to all at home.

Your loving friend,  
George. H

To K. Rahim,

No.3, AVR Road, B City, Pin xxxxx

**Exercise-3:****Write a letter to your friend postponing your trip to his house.**

30, Netaji Street , Y City.  
10<sup>th</sup> January, 2017

My dear Rahul,

Well and wish you the same to you. I am really sorry, Rahul. I have promised to visit you in Trichy during this week-end. Unexpectedly, my father fell ill two days ago. He is suffering from Malarial fever. My mother strives hard to take care of him. It is my duty to help him. So I can not come and visit you during this week-end. Don't mistake me. Within a week, he will recover. So I will come and meet you next week-end. Hope you understand my situation. Convey my regards to all at home.

Your loving friend,  
Saran.

Address on the envelope

A.Rahul,  
25, Gandhi Street, Z City.

**Exercise-4:****Write a reply letter to your friend who enquired your health when you were suffering from malarial fever.**3, Bose Street, K City.  
12<sup>th</sup> February, 2017

Dear Albert,

How are you? Now I am fine. I have got your letter. Thank you for your prayer for my speedy recovery from Malarial fever. I suffered a lot on the first two days of my fever. I was admitted to hospital for a week. An excellent treatment was given to me. My Mum and Dad were very much worried about me. They take care of me. The doctor has worked hard and has saved my life. Now I am all right. I once again thank you for your care for me.

*Convey my wishes to all at home*Your loving friend,  
Ramesh

Address on the envelope:

Mr. Albert,  
114, Nehru Street, Hosur.**Exercise-5:****Write a letter to the chief guest to preside over the inaugural function of the Literary Association**B city,  
18<sup>th</sup> June 2017

From

XXXX 10<sup>th</sup> std 'A' section,  
YYYY Higher Secondary School,  
B City, Pin: ZZZ ZZZ.

To

Mr. Sanjay, The Manager,  
Indian Overseas Bank, B City.

Dear Sir,

Sub: Invitation to preside over the inauguration of the Literary Association.

I am Rakesh, School pupil leader of YYYY Higher Secondary School, B City. We have planned to celebrate the inauguration of the Literary Association of our school in the first week of July. We want to honour your good service to the student community on that occasion. We are very happy to invite you to preside over the function. Please suggest your convenient date in the first week of July. I will meet you to give you the invitation from our Headmaster. We expect your presence at this function. We'll be happy, if you accept our invitation.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,  
XXXX (SPL)**Exercise-6:****Write a letter to the collector of your district expressing your wish to contribute some funds you had collected for the victims of a recent flood in your city.**6<sup>th</sup> November, 2017.

From

R. Nithya, 10<sup>th</sup> std 'A' section,  
Govt. Hr. Sec. School, Chennai.

To

The District Collector,  
Chennai – 600 106.

Respected Sir,

Sub: Contribution to the Flood Relief fund – Reg

I am R. Nithya, the SPL of Govt. Hr. Sec. School, Chennai. I deeply feel sorry for the loss of lives and properties caused by the recent flood in our city. We want to help the victims. For their welfare, we have

collected funds from our school students. Even teachers and other school staff too contribute their share by giving donations. So far we have collected Rs. 25,000. I enclose a DD for the amount. Please make use of it for the flood victims in our city. We pray for them also. May God recover them from the grief.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,  
R.Nithya

**Exercise-7:**

**Write a letter to your Principal of your school, requesting him to provide you with a bonafide certificate.**

From

A. Babu, X Standard A,  
ABC. Hr. Sec. School, XXXX.

To

The Principal,  
ABC Hr. Sec. School, XXXX.

Respected Sir,

I am a student of std X-A in our school. I wish to join a computer course that is conducted by Global Computers. For school students, they offer 60% discount in the fees. I want to develop my computer skill. For this, they need a bonafide certificate of each student. I shall be thankful to you, if you provide me with a bonafide certificate. It will help me to join the course at a discounted rate and complete it successfully.

Thanking you,

Date :

Place :

Yours faithfully,  
A.Babu.

**Exercise-8:**

**Write a letter to thank your uncle for his valuable gift on your birthday.**

36, Sastri Street,  
Siva Nagar, Trichy.  
27<sup>th</sup> March, 2017.

My dear uncle,

I am fine. How are you and aunty? Here I am studying well. In the last examination, I have scored 480 marks. I am very happy to receive your gift of a digital watch on my birthday. It is very beautiful and useful to me. I like it very much. The colour and style of the watch attract all my friends. It will be very helpful to me at the time of my exam. It shall remind me of your love. Thank you very much for your kind gift.

Convey my regards to aunty.

Yours lovingly,  
Maha.

Address on the envelope:

Mr. Raman,  
15, Thiru Nagar, Kanchipuram,

**Exercise-9:**

**Write a letter to the Book Company complaining about the bad state of books you have received recently.**

From:

RAM, ABC School, Y City.

To:

The Manager, X Y Z Publications, Y City.

Sir,

Sub : Complaining about the damaged parcel

Ref : Bill No, C 425 dated 6<sup>th</sup> April 2016

I wish to bring to your kind notice the bad condition of the parcel received on 14<sup>th</sup> May. We ordered fifteen copies of 'Basic English Grammar' last week. We received the parcel and the bill yesterday. When

we opened the parcel, we found five copies of the book in a damaged condition. The wrappers of those books were wrinkled and the pages were torn. We could not use them definitely. I enclose the five damaged copies with this letter. Kindly replace and send five new copies of the book as soon as possible.

Kindly replace this damaged books at the earliest.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,  
RAM

**Exercise-10:**

**Write a letter to your friend to celebrate Bakrid in your house.**

12, Kamaraj Nagar, Madurai,  
23.03.2017

Dear XXXX

I am fine. How are you? This year we are going to celebrate Bakrid at home. We have organized special prayer on that eve. I cordially invite you for the function. I have got all the arrangements ready for the celebration. Still I need a camera to capture the precious moments of the occasion. I need your help in taking photographs and video shooting. Kindly bring your digital video camera. I expect your presence. Convey my regards to all at home.

Yours lovingly,  
YYYY

## 45. Note Making & Summary Writing:

கொடுக்கப்பட்ட பத்தியை நன்கு படித்துக் கொண்டு அதன் குறிப்புகளை எழுத வேண்டும். அல்லது அதனை மூன்றில் ஒரு பகுதியாக சுருக்கி எழுத வேண்டும்.

**Model Question:2017**

45. **Read the following passage and make notes (or) write a summary.**

Ants are among a few kinds of animals that divide up their work. Ants are of innumerable kinds. They are scattered wide over the world. Ants are called social insects because of the way they live. They live in groups or colonies. An ant colony is mostly made up of worker ants. The workers are female ants but they do not lay eggs. only queen ants lay eggs. The young queens and the male ants have wings. Some of the worker ants of a colony gather food. Some do the house keeping and take care of the queen and baby ants. Some guard the nest. The workers that guard the nest may be bigger and have stronger jaws than the other workers. So they are called soldiers. Army ants march from place to place and they even build bridges and rope ways with their bodies by holding on one another. These ants are very fierce. Even elephants will try to get out of the way of an ant army. An ant colony is often marked by an anthill. To make rooms underground to line in, the workers carry sand up to the surface and dump it. But not all ants live underground. Carpenter ants live in dead wood. Some ants live inside people's houses. All ants have four stages in their life history. First, they are eggs, then tiny worm like larvae, next pupae and finally full grown ants.

**Answers:**

**Notes:**

**Ants**

Ants - divide up -work - innumerable kinds - scattered - world -called social insects - because of - way they live - live in groups or colonies - ant colony - made up of worker ants - female ants - not lay eggs - queen ants lay eggs - young queens, male ants have wings - Some gather food - Some housekeeping - take care of - queen, baby ants - some guard nest – guard workers -bigger, stronger jaws - called soldiers - army ants march, build bridges, rope ways - fierce - Even elephants - get out - way of an ant army - ant colony - anthill - to make rooms - underground to line in - workers carry sand up to the surface - dump it - not all ants live underground - Carpenter ants - live in dead wood - some live inside - people's houses - four stages in life – eggs, larvae, pupae and grown ants.

(OR)

**Summary****Rough Copy****Ants**

~~There are innumerable kinds of ants in the world. They are called social insects, since they live in groups. An ant colony is called anthill. Queen ants lay eggs. Young queens and male ants have wings. Worker ants gather food, do housekeeping, take care of queen and baby ants and guard the nest. Some ants build bridges. They have bigger and stronger jaws. They are called soldiers. Some ants live in dead wood and some live in people's houses. There are four stages in ant's life. They are eggs, larvae, pupae and full grown ants.~~

**Fair Copy****Ants**

There are innumerable kinds of ants in the world. They are called social insects, since they live in groups. An ant colony is called anthill. Queen ants lay eggs. Young queens and male ants have wings. Worker ants gather food, do housekeeping, take care of queen and baby ants and guard the nest. Some ants live in dead wood and some live in people's houses. There are four stages in ant's life. They are eggs, larvae, pupae and full grown ants.

**Note making Tips:**

**குறிப்பு:** விடையானது (word / words /phrases /clauses)ஆக இருக்கலாம். வார்த்தைகளுக்கு இடையே சிறிய கோடு (With/without dash marks) போட்டோ அல்லது போடாமலோ எழுதலாம். விடை வாக்கியமாக இருக்க வேண்டிய அவசியமில்லை(Not necessary in the form of a sentence).

**விடை எழுதும் முறை**

1. கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ள பத்திகளை நன்கு படித்து புரிந்து கொள்ளவும்.
2. பொருத்தமான தலைப்பு ஒன்று எழுதவும்.
3. ஒவ்வொரு வாக்கியத்தையும் குறிப்புகளாக மாற்றவும்.
4. கொடுக்கப்பட்ட பத்தியில் உள்ள Auxiliary verbs(am, is, are, was, were, will, have,...), Articles (a, an , the), Linkers(and,but, so..), Prepositions (in, at, with, to, ..... ) மற்றும் பிற முக்கியமற்ற வார்த்தைகளை நீக்கி விட்டு முக்கிய கருத்துக்களை/வார்த்தைகளை (Main ideas/content words) மட்டும் எழுதவும்.
5. முக்கிய கருத்துகளுக்கு இடையே அல்லது நீக்கப்பட்ட வார்த்தைகள் இருந்த இடத்தில் (-) சிறிய கோடு (hyphen) போட்டுக் கொள்ளவும்.
6. அனைத்து முற்றுப்புள்ளிகளையும் நீக்கிவிடவும்.

Example: (ஒவ்வொரு வாக்கியத்தையும் குறிப்புகளாக மாற்றுதல்):

Given sentence	Hint
The distribution of forests among different districts of the state is very uneven.	Distribution of forests uneven
Charity no doubts means giving alms to people but 'charity begins at home' does not mean that you must give alms first to the members of your family and charity is not simply giving money or clothes to the needy and deserving. It is a mental attitude.	Charity - giving alms - 'charity begins at home' - not mean - first to family members - not giving money or clothes to needy - a mental attitude

**Summary writing - Tips****விடை எழுதும் முறை**

1. கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ள பத்திகளை நன்கு படித்து புரிந்து கொள்ளவும்.
2. முதலில் **Rough Copy** என எழுதவும்.
3. கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ள பத்திகளை சற்று சுருக்கி முக்கிய கருத்துக்கள் இருக்குமாறு எழுதி அதை பென்சிலால் மேலிருந்து கீழ், இடமிருந்து வலமாக குறுக்கில் சாய்வுக்கோடு போட்டு அடித்து விடவும்.
4. பின் **Fair Copy** என எழுதவும். **தலைப்பு** எழுதவும்.
5. பத்திகள் எதை அல்லது யாரைப் பற்றி சொல்லப்பட்டுள்ளதோ அதையே **தலைப்பாக** எழுதவும்.

6. கேள்வியில் 150 வார்த்தைகள் இருந்தால் Fair copyல் 50 வார்த்தைகள் (3ல் 1 பங்கு) இருக்குமாறு சுருக்கி எழுதவும்.
7. இறுதியில் Words in the given Passage = 120  
Words in my summary = 40  
என நீங்கள் எழுதியதற்கு தகுந்தாற்போல் எழுதவும்.
8. நன்கு படிப்பவர்கள் கீழே முதல் பயிற்சியில் கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ள **Other Method for Note Making** என்ற முறையில் குறிப்பிட்டுள்ளவாறு **Note Making** எழுதுவது நன்று.

**Make notes of the following passage (or) Prepare a summary using the notes:**

**Exercise – 1:**

India's employment landscape is undergoing a metamorphosis. Public sector bank jobs are once again emerging as coveted career options and simultaneously, evolving as one of the top recruiters a fresh graduates in the country. With high social acceptance for these jobs and good pay scales, it is not without reason that there is a huge demand for them. Incidentally, over 60,000 new vacancies are advertised annually and several applicants vie for seats. The selection process is through competitive exams conducted by the Indian Banking Personnel Selection Board and the State Bank of India. These bank exams are not tough. They test quantitative reasoning and verbal abilities along with general awareness of the individual.

**Notes:**

**Bank Jobs**

India's employment landscape - undergoing a metamorphosis - Public sector bank jobs - again emerging - coveted career options - top recruiters - fresh graduates - country - social acceptance, good pay scales - huge demand - over 60,000 new vacancies - advertised annually - several applicants vie for seats - selection process - through competitive exams - IBPS Board - SBI - exams - not tough - test quantitative reasoning, verbal abilities, general awareness.

(OR)

**SUMMARY**

**ROUGH DRAFT**

**Bank Jobs**

~~India's employment landscape is undergoing a metamorphosis. Public sector bank jobs are once again emerging as coveted career options. With high social acceptance for these jobs and good pay scales, there is a huge demand for them. Incidentally, over 60,000 new vacancies are advertised annually. The selection process is through competitive exams conducted by the Indian Banking Personnel Selection Board and the State Bank of India. They test quantitative reasoning and verbal abilities along with general awareness.~~

**FAIR DRAFT**

**Bank Jobs**

Public sector bank jobs are emerging as coveted career options due to high social acceptance and good pay scales. Over 60,000 new vacancies are advertised annually. Indian Banking Personnel Selection Board and the State Bank of India conduct the selection.

(இங்கு விடைகள் ஒரு மாதிரிக்காகவே கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ளது. இதனை அப்படியே மனப்பாடம் செய்ய வேண்டும் என்ற அவசியம் இல்லை. இங்கு கொடுக்கப்பட்டுள்ளதை மாதிரியாகக் கொண்டு சொந்தமாக எழுதுவதே நல்லது.)

**Exercise – 2:**

Moral courage is of the mind, while physical courage is of the body; but mind and body are so closely connected that I think it is impossible to separate the one sort of courage from the other. In many instances of human daring, the moral courage combined with physical to a resolute endurance of physical suffering becomes added to a consciousness of duty. But while physical courage in a human being implies at the least, the moral courage implies much more. This moral courage is the courage which braces us always to do our duty. This is the noblest form of courage and yet it is the courage most commonly required. It is the courage which everyday, almost every hour, demands of us all.

**Notes:**

**Moral Courage**

Moral courage – mind- physical courage – body- closely connected - impossible to separate - courage -many instances - human daring- moral courage combined - resolute endurance - physical suffering -becomes added - consciousness of duty- physical courage - human being implies at the least- moral courage implies more - moral courage - braces us - do our duty- noblest form – required- demands of us all.

(OR)

**SUMMARY**  
**ROUGH DRAFT****Moral Courage**

Moral courage is of the mind, while physical courage is of the body. It is impossible to separate the one sort of courage from the other. The moral courage ~~combined~~ with physical to a resolute endurance of physical suffering becomes added to a consciousness of duty. This moral courage is the ~~courage which braces us always to do our duty.~~ This is the noblest form of courage required and demands of us all.

**FAIR DRAFT****Moral Courage**

Moral courage is of the mind, while physical courage is of the body. It is impossible to separate them. The moral courage combined with physical becomes added to a consciousness of duty. This moral courage is the noblest form of courage required of us all.

**Exercise – 3:**

Be it a public transport system, railway stations or government offices in the state, the differently-abled people here are at the receiving end, thanks to the infrastructure facilities built without taking them into consideration. Apart from the humiliation they face from the people they come across, they are also forced to undergo hardships in using public spaces and toilets. Due to absence of rails, ramps and toilets people with more than 50 percent disability are the worst affected as they have to crawl on the floor to use the public toilets.

**Notes:****DIFFERENTLY-ABLED PEOPLE**

Public transport system - railway stations - government offices - the differently-abled people - infrastructure facilities - without taking consideration - humiliation - face from - people - come across - forced to undergo - hardships - using public spaces, toilets - absence of rails, ramps and toilets - people with more than 50 percent disability- worst affected - crawl on the floor - use the public toilets.

(OR)

**SUMMARY**  
**ROUGH DRAFT****DIFFERENTLY-ABLED PEOPLE**

~~Differently-abled people face humiliation from the people they come across, they are also forced to undergo hardships in using public spaces and toilets. Due to absence of rails, ramps and toilets, people with more than 50 percent disability are the worst affected as they have to crawl on the floor to use the public toilets.~~

**FAIR DRAFT****DIFFERENTLY-ABLED PEOPLE**

Differently-abled people are forced to undergo hardships in using public spaces and toilets. Due to absence of rails, ramps and toilets, people with more than 50 percent disability have to crawl on the floor to use the public toilets.

**46. General Paragraph (either or type):**

கொடுக்கப்பட்ட தலைப்புக்கேற்ற கருத்துக்களை ஒரு பத்திவிடையாக எழுத வேண்டும்.  
கொடுக்கப்பட்ட தலைப்புகளில் ஒன்றுக்கு மட்டும் விடை எழுதவேண்டும்.

**Model Question:2017**

46. Write a paragraph of about 150 words on the given topic.

A Thrilling Experience (or) Man and Machine

**Answers:****General Paragraph – about 150 words****A Thrilling Experience**

I would like to share my thrilling experience, once I had in my life. I was interested in playing cricket. Though I was not a good player, I had more energy and enthusiasm. I was not selected in my school team. Once my school team had moved into the final match. One of the players in our team was ill. So I was invited. I played the match with a lot of energy. I have scored more runs than others. I was the hero in that match. I was the centre of attention and got all applause. Everyone praised me. It was only by my effort, my school team won. It brought me into limelight. That was the unforgettable and thrilling experience in my life.

(or)

**Man and Machine**

We live in an age of machine. Machine helps us in all our walk of life. Right from the time of waking up in the morning till going to bed at night, Man continues to make use of machine. To wake up, we use machine (Alarm Clock). To take bath, we use machine (water heater). To enjoy, we use machine (Television). To a peaceful sleep, we use machine (fan). Machines reduce our toil and save our time. Machines can produce a large number of products with a limited time. Machine made products are very well finished and refined. They are very cheaper also. Machines make man modern and civilized. Thus man has benefited much by machines.

கீழ்க்கண்ட பத்திகளை படித்து இதுபோன்ற பத்திவினாக்கள் மற்றும் விடைகளை சொந்தமாக தயாரித்துவைத்துக்கொண்டு படியுங்கள்.

**General Paragraphs:****A Morning Walk**

A morning walk helps the person to remain healthy and active. It is a light exercise with no expertise needed. It is good for both the young and the old people. It refreshes our mind and makes us fit. We must regularly go for morning walk. I get up at five 'O' clock in the morning and go out for a walk regularly. My friend Rima also goes with me. We often go to the park near our house. The morning time is very pleasant. We get immense pleasure seeing the picturesque beauty on the way. The fresh air gives us a good amount of energy. We take a stroll on the green grassy lawns. It is wonderful to see the dew drops on the green grass which give an appearance of pearls. The chirping of birds makes our heart cool. Their songs add to the beauty of nature. The fresh air from the surrounding areas is spellbinding. The waves of the running water in the middle of the park gives a fantastic view.

**Independence Day**

15<sup>th</sup> August is an important day in the history of India. India became free on this day in 1947. Independence day is celebrated as a national festival. The nation celebrates Independence day at the Red Fort. The Prime Minister hoists the flag and takes the salute. Then, he delivers a message to the nation. At night, the Parliament House, the Red Fort and the Rashtrapati Bhavan are illuminated with electric bulbs. The entire city looks beautiful. Independence day is celebrated with great enthusiasm. Many people gather at early morning in the airy grounds of Red Fort to see the function. Throughout the country, this day is celebrated with great enthusiasm. Whereas in the states, Chief Ministers unfurl the flags in their capitals and distribute sweets. A National Anthem is sung after the flag hoisting ceremony. It is one of the most important days for Indians. It is a great day as we got freedom from the clutches of the British rule.

**The Dowry System**

The dowry system is widespread in almost all sections of the Indian society. Dowry is what parents give to their daughters at the time of marriage. It is a kind of help given to the newly married couple from the bride's parents to establish a new home. This custom is very old. This system was not much prevalent in the past because it was a voluntary offer but these days, it has become a demand. Dowry system has weakened our society and the birth of a daughter is no more considered to be an occasion of joy for the parents. A girl is treated as a burden on her parents. They have to face great difficulties. They find it difficult to search out a suitable match for their daughters. It has become a problem to get the daughter married to a rich and respectable family without a decent dowry. Even a beautiful and well educated girl cannot get married to a rich man's sons as they demand for huge amounts as dowry. Many girls have been reported to have committed suicide to save their parents from the evils of dowry. This evil must be eradicated from our society as soon as possible, otherwise, it will completely ruin our society.

**Good manners**

Good manners make a man great and perfect. A good mannered person is admired by all in the society. It makes a person optimistic and graceful in life. Good manners are more important than the Laws of the State.

We should be well mannered at home. We should respect our elders and love those who are younger to us. We should co-operate with each other in doing domestic work. We should keep our home tidy and dirt free. We should always respect and entertain the guests who visit us. Good manners should also be taught at the school. We should learn to respect our teachers. We should never misbehave in the class. We should always maintain discipline in our lives. We should never break the belongings of the school. We should always lend a hand to those students who are weak in studies. Good manners play a significant role in social life. We should be polite and courteous to others. We should be courteous even while turning down the unreasonable wishes of others. We should treat everybody equal. If we are in a group, we should treat everybody equal. If we are in a group, we should talk less and pay attention to what others say. We should always add 'please' to get any favour and should never forget to say 'thank you' as a courtesy for the favour done. By being good to others, a person becomes great in others heart.

### **Early Rising**

It is a famous saying 'Early to bed and early to rise, makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise'. The great advantage of early rising is the good start of the day. The early riser finishes a large amount of work earlier than other men who get out of bed late. In the early morning, the mind remains fresh and there are no disturbances. People can think in a much better way than others. An early riser also gets some time to do some exercises in the morning as it gives a person lot of energy and keeps his healthy. If one has to succeed in life, one must get up early in the morning. In spite of the fact that there are great advantages of early rising, most of us fail to get up early in the morning. Life has become very hectic and people return from their work late. As they sleep late, they are not able to get up early. But in spite of this people should try to be early risers as early to bed and early to rise would help them to be successful in life.

### **Games and Sports**

Games and sports play an important role in our lives. They give us immense pleasure. They make our body flexible. They expand our lungs, increase the blood circulation and make our body fit. They instill in us a spirit of sportsmanship, promptness, timekeeping, team spirit, leadership and respect for fellow members. Games and sports have become very popular these days and are taken as a profession by many people. Each game is played under definite rules which all the players follow. Some of the games train us to be obedient and disciplined. Apart from this, they train us how to control and abide by the rules and regulation in our lives.

### **A fancy dress competition in the school**

I am Rinni Chopra. I study in Notre Dame Academy, Delhi. Every year our school organises an annual function. This year also multiple programmes were organised on the annual day celebration of our school. The students of different classes participated in the fancy dress competition. They displayed their beautiful outfits on the stage. One of them was dressed up like "Michael Jackson" and another student like a peasant ploughing the field along with his wife serving him meals. I dressed myself like an 'old woman'. As I stepped on the stage, all the spectators started clapping loudly. I imitated an elderly woman. I was adjudged as the best performer and was given the first prize by the judges. Our school regularly organises these type of competitions where students can show their talents.

### **Television**

Television is one of the wonders of science. It is a great source of entertainment and education. It has brought revolution in the society. Through television, we can see anything happening in any part of the world. Television operates through satellite. It has not only brought the cinema and the stage in to our homes but many children get educated through innovative and educational programmes. There are numerous channels on which we can see the programmes of our choice. Now a days, Dish TV provides very good programmes which were not available in earlier days. No one can imagine a life without television as it has made mankind its slave.

**47. Frame a dialogue (either or type):**

கொடுக்கப்பட்ட சூழ்நிலைக்கேற்ற உரையாடலை அமைக்க வேண்டும். இரண்டில் ஒன்றுக்கு மட்டும் விடை எழுதவேண்டும்.

**Model Question:2017****47. Frame a dialogue with a minimum of ten exchanges for the given situation:**

Between two cricket players after their team lose a match very narrowly. (or)

Between a man and his wife discussing the arrangements to be made to celebrate their child's first birthday.

**Answers:****Dialogue between two cricket players - after their team lose a match**

Player 1: Ouch! What a loss!

Player 2: Yes. We just need 4 runs for 3 balls.

Player 1: Yes, it's an easy match to win.

Player 2: Then, why did you miss the last 3 balls?

Player 1: of course, I should face the last 3 balls bravely.

Player 2: Why didn't you?

Player 1: There was a lot of pressure in me at that time.

Player 2: Otherwise You should give that chance to me.

Player 1: That's the big mistake, I've done.

Player 2: Ok. It's a lesson to you. Be cool now and also in the game.

(or)

**Dialogue between Man and his wife - celebrate their child's first birthday.**

Wife : Do you know, Our son XXX's 1<sup>st</sup> birthday falls on coming Monday?

Man : Why not? I know very well.

Wife : Shall we celebrate it in a grand manner?

Man : Surely.

Wife : Shall we invite our parents?

Man : Yes. I will dial them tonight.

Wife : What about new dress?

Man : We will go for shopping tomorrow.

Wife : Good. We have to purchase cake and chocolates also.

Man : Yes. I also invite some of my friends.

Wife : Me too, dear.

Man : I am waiting for that happy moment.

கீழ்க்கண்ட குறிப்புகளை படித்துக்கொண்டு மாதிரி உரையாடல்களையும் படித்துக்கொள்ளுங்கள்.

- \* வினாவில் யார் யார் பேசும்படி உரையாடல் எழுதச் சொல்லி இருக்கிறார்கள் என்று கண்டுபிடித்து உரையாடலை எழுதத் தொடங்குக.
- \* முதலில் May I come in? Yes, come in. என்ற வாக்கியங்களில் உரையாடலைத் தொடங்க முடிகிறதா என்று பார்த்துத் தொடங்கவும்.
- \* முதலில் பேசுபவருக்கு நேராக Good morning எனவும் அடுத்து பதில் சொல்பவருக்கு நேராக Good morning எனவும் தொடங்கவும்.
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What – என்ன?	When –எப்பொழுது?	Who – யார்?
Why –ஏன்?	Where – எங்கே?	Which - எது?
Whose - யாருடைய?	Whom – யாரை?	How – எப்படி?
How many–எத்தனை?	How much – எவ்வளவு?	How long – எவ்வளவு காலம்/தூரம்?
To whom– யாருக்கு?	With whom – யாருடன்?	How far - எவ்வளவு தொலைவு?
By whom–யாரால்?	By which - எதனால்?	What for–எதற்காக?

- \* உரையாடலை முடிக்கும்போது முதலில் பேசுபவருக்கு நேராக Thank you எனவும் கடைசியாக பதில் சொல்பவருக்கு நேராக Welcome எனவும் முடிக்கவும்.

**Exercise-1:**

**Write a dialogue with a minimum of five utterances for the situation given below:**

**Build a dialogue between a mother and a doctor on the need for vaccination against dengue fever.**

Mother : May I come in?.

Doctor : Yes come in.

Mother : Good Morning, Doctor.

Doctor : Good Morning. What is your problem?

Mother : I want to know the details of vaccination against Dengue fever.

Doctor : Yes. It is necessary.

It will prevent Dengue fever.

Mother: Is there any side effects using this vaccination sir?

Doctor : No, there is no harm or side effects in it.

Mother : How much does it cost?

Doctor : It costs Rs.250.

Mother : Thank you.

Doctor : Welcome.

**Exercise-2:**

**You have joined a new school. You meet a student of that school takes the same route as you. Introduce yourself and make friends with that student, requesting him/ her to accompany you to school and back.**

Myself : Hai, I am Sathya. New Student of your school.

Student: Oh, I see. In which standard have you joined here?

Myself : I have joined standard X here. What is your name?

Student: I am Rama. I am also a standard X student.

Myself : When do you go to school daily?

Student: Morning 8.15.

Myself : Will you please accompany me to go go school?

Student: Certainly, we'll.

Myself : Thank you Rama, You are so nice.

Student: Welcome.

**Exercise-3:**

**Write a dialogue with at least five utterances between a bank manager and a student who wants to open a bank account.**

Student : Sir, I want to open an account in your bank

Manager : What kind of account?

Student : A savings bank account.

Manager : Why do you want to open the account?

Student : It is for my loan purpose sir.

Manager : Good. Do you have a Ration card?

Student : Yes sir, here it is.

Manager : Do you have any introducer?

Student : Yes.

Manager : OK, Take this application. Fill it in and bring it with 2 photos.

Student : Sure sir.

Manager : Bring your introducer also.

Student : Certainly. Thank you very much sir.

**Exercise-4:**

**Gokul enters a shop and asks for a pair of slippers. Build a dialogue between Gokul and the salesman.**

Salesman : Welcome. What do you want?

Gokul : I want a pair of slippers, sir.

Salesman : Okay. Tell me your foot size sir.

Gokul : Sorry, I don't know.

Salesman : No, problem. Please put your leg on the scale.  
Gokul : Yes sir.  
Salesman : Your size is No.7. Here you can see some models.  
Gokul : I like this one. How much does it cost?  
Salesman : It costs Rs.150.  
Gokul : Please pack it sir. I'll pay the money

**Exercise-5:**

**Mrs. Sharma buys a watch. In a week's time, the watch stops working. She goes to the shopkeeper and gets her watch exchanged.**

Mrs.Sharma : Good morning, Madam!  
Shopkeeper : Good morning, What do you want?  
Mrs.Sharma : I want to exchange this watch.  
Shopkeeper : What is the problem?  
Mrs.Sharma : It doesn't work.  
Shopkeeper : Can I repair it for you?  
Mrs.Sharma : No. I want to exchange it.  
Shopkeeper : Do you have the bill?  
Mrs.Sharma : Yes. I have the bill and warranty.  
Shopkeeper : Here is your new watch. You can take it  
Customer : Thank you, madam.

**Exercise-6:**

**Viji has just received a National Science scholarship. She excitedly informs her mother, describing how her Headmaster announced the news in the morning assembly and how she felt when everyone congratulated her. Her mother expresses her joy and pride. Write a dialogue with a minimum of five exchanges on this situation.**

Viji : Mom, Where are you?  
Mother : I am in the kitchen. What do you want?  
Viji : Do you know what happened in my school today?  
Mother : Anything special?  
Viji : Yes. I've received a scholarship.  
Mother : Have you? How?  
Viji : My science project has won the prize at the national level.  
Mother : Congrats. Did your H.M congratulate you?  
Viji : Yes. He announced this news in the morning assembly. The whole school clapped.  
Mother : That's good. Keep it up. I am very proud of you.