

Government High School, Karahalli
State level S.S.L.C Preparatory Examination February 2020
Second Language English

KEY ANSWERS

Q.NO	EXPECTED ANSWER	COMPREHENSION	EXPRESSION	TOTAL
I 1	B. Adjective	01	-	01
2	D. fertile	01	-	01
3	B. doesn't she?	01	-	01
4	D. possibility	01	-	01
II 5	An	01	-	01
6	between	01	-	01
7	A song is being sung by Sahana	01	-	01
8	Iron is more useful than any other metal.	01	-	01
9	sails	01	-	01
10	He is trying to cheat me	01	-	01
11	He asked me if I knew the way.	01	-	01
12	Would have	01	-	01
13	apart	01	-	01
14	Nightmare	01	-	01
15	was	01	-	01
16	so	01	-	01
III 17	a. deeply b. experiments	02	-	02
IV 18	His classmates looked at him with respect and his teacher patted on his back. The headmaster said that he was a tree scout.	01½	½	02

19	Smitha requested Pandit RaviShankar to play the sitar for Ananth. She told him about her sick brother and how he longed to hear his music. They agreed to play for Ananth.	01½	½	02
20	When Baleshwar was on the road to take Roma to a nearby hospital, no one stopped their vehicle but the tempo truck driver stopped his vehicle and took Roma to the hospital.	01½	½	02
21	Americans purchased the trees individually from the villagers.	01½	½	02
22	She asked if God could protect them on land would he not protect them on the sea. The little girl brought back hope to the sailors	01½	½	02
23	Patil, the sub inspector gave a warning about the police raid on Mohan's house. He asked to give the machine and papers against the British. He assured to give it back after the raid. OR From her childhood, Dolma had been fascinated by the grandeur of the snow clad peaks of the Himalayas. Her home, in Palchan was surrounded by beautiful mountain peaks.	01½	½	02
24	Hanif dabbled in art, sketched very well. He made beautiful cards out of waste material. He read books and loved playing drums. OR The old folk used to say that happiness was a beautiful bird. It lived far away, on a snowy mountain in the east. Wherever the bird flew happiness went with it.	01½	½	02
V 25	One day Sathish was looking out of the window. He saw a beautiful bird through window and he was much attracted by the bird. It had a longish tail and black crest. But the most interesting thing about the bird was its restless energy. That made him to take interest in painting and drawing. His father admitted him in one of the best schools of art. Within a short time he learnt not only drawing and painting but also about the life.	01	02	03
26	The jazz player – ancient mariner – wrinkled face – sagging stomach – worries about life – faded blue shirt – neck tie – rundown shoes – old jacket – old alto saxophone – hanging with wire coat hanger. He lifts it- bird- fly high –become - happiest man	01	02	03

VI 27	a. Ambedkar. b. He bought books by curtailing his daily needs. He purchased 2000 old books from New York.. c. That which can't be satisfied.	03	-	03
28	a. USA,UK,USSR b. Geneva. c. Everyone in the world lived under the threat of annihilation by nuclear weapon.	03	-	03
29	a. Pepe b. Seamen. c. They were ready to go back to Spain but Columbus was not ready to do like that. They drank too much.	03	-	03
30	a. The poet b. Mother India. c. The sun rising/ the beauty of nature	03	-	03
VII 31	Hima Das was born on 9 th January, 2000 in Dhing. Her parents were Ranjith Das and Jonali Das. She is a great athlete famous for 100 m, 200 m and 400 m. Her coach is Nipon Das. She has participated in Asian games and world U20 championship. She was awarded with Arjuna award from Govt. of India.	-	03	03
VIII 32	On a river bank there was a Partridge on a tree. It saw an ant was flowing in the river. So the partridge threw a leaf to save the ant so the ant climbed the leaf and safely reached the bank by the support of the bird. In the afternoon the partridge was napping on the tree. A hunter stringed the bow aiming the bird. The ant saw this and bit the hunter. He cried so the bird woke up and flew away.	-	03	03
IX 33	This picture is about the snake charmer. This is a source of entertainment in village areas. The people watching the charmer and his tricks.	-	03	03
X 34	It is enthroned in the heart of kings; It is an attribute to God himself; And earthly power doth then show likest God's When mercy seasons justice. OR You talk of wondrous things you see, You say the sun shines bright; I feel him warm, but how can he Or make it day or night?	04	-	04
XI 35	a. By showing science related videos like the	02	-	02

	habits and customs of animals, insects, fish, germs and numerous other branches of scientific life.			
	b. We can show historical films, science related videos and other subject related videos to the students. So cinema is a valuable teaching aid.	02	-	02
XII 36	<p>Grandma climbs – at 62. Learnt - at 6 – brother. People advised – stop climbing – rundown gracefully – laughed – disgracefully. One day climbed – failed – rescued – doctor advised – week bed rest – felt strong – demanded house – son built – lived happily.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Land- wait- man- buy- land- patience – car lot eyes- someone ploughs- grass- trees- children – dance- come – with- guns- chainlink necklace- chokes- self assertion – YOU CAN NOT PUT FENCE AROUND THE PLANET EARTH- Earth- wait</p> <p>OR</p> <p>When the astronaut enters the space capsule, he would be alone in his capsule. Nobody would visit him nor would he have any friend near him. He would be all alone. He would not write any letters nor would he receive any. He would be like a prisoner.</p>	-	04	04
XIII 37.	<p>a. Introduction</p> <p>b. Development</p> <p>c. Conclusion (with correct grammatical usage)</p>	-	04	04
XIV 38	<p>From</p> <p>Date</p> <p>To</p> <p>Salutation</p> <p>Body of the letter</p> <p>Polite leave taking</p>	-	05	05