

KEY ANSWER

Class: 10th Standard
Subject: English

MODEL QUESTION PAPER - 01

Time: 3 Hrs
Max Marks: 80

I. 1. c) was 2. b) would not 3. d) expressing gratitude 4. c) can

II.

5. was riding 6. He was walking along a narrow bridge. 7. While 8. invention 9. Break - record
10. voracious 11. hero 12. An 13. Where is Ravi studying? 14. English notes are being written by me.
15. Ananth is cleverer than any other boys in the class.
16. I don't like the thought of you walking home alone.

III.

17. a) peoples – people b) by -buy

IV.

18. Baleshwar revisited the spot where Roma had fallen to look for Roma's belongings.
19. They had high hopes in the miracle of modern science. They hoped that Anant would be cured, he would run and walk and play table tennis and sitar again.
20. Don Anselmo was a man of his principles because he has sold the land for the price that he agreed for. The price of land has increased and he can get more money for the land but he decided to sell the land at the price which he has promised to sell for.
21. The qualities I appreciate of the jazz player are: Passionate about his art, thorough with the basics of the instrument, Creative with his pieces, has special inputs in the piece or tune he is playing which reflects his personality basically has a special or unique style while performing.
22. If anyone of them used, it would take only 20 minutes to reach their targets, but other side had plenty of time to reverse action against their enemy. So the three superpowers were willing to come to an agreement to solve the problem. Hence they summoned the technical experts.
23. A Sub-Inspector in the British police, but a good friend of Mohan's father. Helps the family by warning them about the search that is going to take place. He also helps them to hide the cyclostyling machine and saves the entire family from the British police.

OR

Wangjia was a bright boy who had set out to find the bird of happiness. During his journey, the first monster punished him. In the journey his feet were cut to pieces, his hands were torn to shreds. In the first phase itself, he had horrible experience which made him lose hope and wonder whether he could ever make it to the bird of happiness.

24 Dolma faced problems in life right from her childhood. At the tender age of eleven, she lost her mother and brother. When she was getting ready for the final frontier, her father was bed-ridden and she needed a lot of money for his treatment. She faced emotional, financial and physical hardships and challenges.

OR

She refused the petrol pump that was offered to her after Capt Haneef's martyrdom, saying that their financial position was good enough and that such benefits should be given to the family members of those soldiers who really need financial help.

V.

25. Dr. B.R. Ambedkar spent all his time and talent for the improvement of the depressed classes. He tried to bring awareness through his newspapers and institutions. He tried to bring equality.

26. When the captain and sailors lost hope the little maiden instilled hope of survival by asking “Isn’t God upon the ocean, just the same as on the land?” By these words they got hope and reached the harbour safely.

VI. Read the following extracts and answer the questions that follow.

4x3=12

27.

- a) Columbus.
- b) To control the drunken, angry seamen rushing towards him wildly.
- c) ‘in irons’ means prison.

28.

- a) Avtair Narain
- b) Satish
- c) By offering books like The Life of Garibaldi, works of Munshi Premchand, Sarat Chandra, and several others.

29.

- a) the poet
- b) to the outer space
- c) The expression “winter under lock” means, that there is no change of weather.

30.

- a) "I" refers to Swami's father.
- b) Swami was studying in the second form.
- c) The speaker, Swami's father, says this to Swami when he makes an excuse to sleep in his office from the next month.

VII.

31. William Shakespeare was great poet. He was born on 26th April 1564 in Stratford-upon-Avon, England, in the Elizabethan era. He was Playwright artist, poet as - well - as actor. Later he became a famous poet in the Poetic history. He has written many famous and amazing novels, some of them are Hamlet, Merchant of Venice, Macbeth, Othello etc. He married to Anne Hathaway in 1582. He is also known as the national poet of England. Poet like him takes birth in 100 years, he was the best known poet of his era. This Legend poet died on 23rd April 1616.

VIII.

32. Once in the dense forest there were two good friends tortoise and hare once they were going together and as tortoise is known for his slow speed, he was walking a little slower than the rabbit, now it was the time for crossing the tree branch the rabbit crossed it fastly and the tortoise was same as usual. Suddenly rabbit laughed on him and said to race and for some time he became overconfident due to his fast speed he challenges him in his overconfidingness. the race begins and in overconfidingness the rabbit thought to take a nap. And that tortoise was still in process, without wasting his single second tortoise continued his walking and the tortoise won the race, so always remember slow and steady wins the race and never be overconfident and also never took any decisions in overconfidingness.

IX. 33. COVID-19 vaccination helps protect you by creating an antibody response without you having to experience potentially severe illness or post-COVID conditions. Getting sick with COVID-19 can cause severe illness or death, even in children, and we can't reliably predict who will have mild or severe illness. Vaccination is one of the most successful public health interventions in reducing disease spread, preventing complications and even deaths from vaccine preventable diseases. The success of vaccines in reducing disease.

X.

34. Then let not what I cannot have

My cheer of mind destroy;

Whilst thus I sing, I am a king,

Although a poor blind boy.

OR

It is enthronèd in the hearts of kings,

It is an attribute to God himself;

And earthly power doth then show likest God's

When mercy seasons justice.

XI.

35. One day, a rich merchant came to Birbal. He said to Birbal, "I have seven servants in my house. One of them has stolen my bag of precious pearls. Please find out the thief". So Birbal went to the rich man's house. He called all the seven servants in a room. He gave a stick to each one of them. Then he said, "These are magic sticks. Just now all these sticks are equal in length. Keep them with you and return tomorrow. If there is a thief in the house his stick will grow an inch longer by tomorrow". The servant who had stolen the bag of pearls was scared. He thought, "If I cut a piece of one inch from my stick, I won't be caught". So, he cut the stick and made it shorter by one inch. The next day Birbal collected the sticks from the servants. He found that one servant's stick was short by an inch. Birbal pointed his finger at him and said, "Here is the thief". The servant confessed to his crime. He returned the bag of pearls. He was sent to jail.

(A) Birbal gave a stick of equal length to all the servants of the merchant and said to them that the stick of the real thief will be longer by two inches tomorrow.

(B) The thief had already cut his stick by two inches in the night, fearing that the stick would have grown longer by two inches.

XII.

36. Our country is God's miraculous work because the physical features of the country are such that there is natural protection. On three sides there is the sea and in the north, there is the mountain range of the Himalayas. These features are not merely for protection. They are things of beauty and they also contribute towards the economic growth of the nation. The man-made buildings like the stone-cut temples match the natural beauty and talk about the craftsmanship of the citizens of yesteryears. The Indians who fought for their freedom had exhibited their spirit of patriotism too. It is not that the Indians are known for their glory of the past alone. Modern India has witnessed technological advancement. Thus India has had its due share of glory.

XIII.

37. c) Swatch Bharat Abhiyan (Clean India)

Introduction:

We need to clean our surrounding for good health. Swachh Bharat Abhiyan is a mission launched as a national campaign to maintain cleanliness. This mission was launched by government of India.

Information about Swachh Bharat Abhiyan:

Swachh Bharat Abhiyan is a campaign launched by our prime minister Narendra Modi. It is implemented to fulfil the vision and mission of clean India. This program was launched on the birth anniversary of Mahatma Gndhi.

This program was started on October 2, 2014. People across the nation clean their locality and pledge to keep their surroundings clean and green. The basic goals behind this program is to make the country full of sanitation facilities and eliminate all the unhealthy practices of people in daily routines.

Conclusion:

Success of this campaign depends upon the mental attitude of we Indians. This program is one of the most important initiatives taken by the government to make India shine in the world. But what it requires is the active participation of each and every individual.

XIV. 38.

From,

Manu

Sri Siddaganaga High school

Tumkur

Date: 14.12.2022

To,

The President

Village Panchayat

Tumkur

Respected sir,

Subject: About the problems of water shortage and supply of polluted water in our area.

I am the residents of R.G. Colony. For the past three months, we have been facing acute water shortage. Water is being supplied to our colony for only three hours a day and that too at a very low pressure and this is resulting in a lot of inconvenience to all the residents, and supply of polluted water in our area. The summer season is at its peak and the demand of water is increasing with each passing day. Despite our repeated complaints about the problem of water scarcity, no efforts have been made by the concerned authorities to offer any relief from this problem.

I request you to kindly solve the problem as soon as possible.

Thanking you

Yours sincerely

Manu