

Subject : Second Language English (SLE)
MODEL QUESTION SET – 2

OBJECTIVE

Time : 1 Hour

Full Marks : 50

1. Lencho's wife too had deep faith in God. Which one of the options supports this ?
(A) 'No one dies of hunger'
(B) 'We are going to get some water'
(C) 'Yes, God Willing'
(D) 'God sees everything, even what is deep in one's conscience'
2. Lencho's cornfield was totally destroyed by _____.
(A) small hailstones with monsoon shower
(B) a plague of locusts and light rainfall
(C) a shower of rain and mist and gentle breeze
(D) a strong wind, rain and very large stones
3. Gandhi had a false notion that _____ had nothing to do with education.
(A) games and sports
(B) drawing and painting
(C) music and dance
(D) yoga and meditation
4. During his schooling Gandhi used to win prizes, scholarships and had good certificates, for that he thanked his _____.
(A) teachers
(B) headmaster
(C) merit
(D) goodluck
5. _____ add to the festive air of the spring festival called Chapchar Kut in Mizoram.
(A) Flute, Gongs and Bamboo Clappers
(B) Drum, Pepa and Cymbals
(C) Drum, Gongs and Cymbals
(D) Flute, Gongs and Mridang
6. Popir is the name of a _____.
(A) folk song
(B) folk dance
(C) modern dance
(D) modern song

7. If one is ambitious to succeed in a trade or profession one must _____.
(A) maintain his/her health
(B) continue his/her education
(C) take advice from a teacher
(D) avoid bad company
8. _____ are good examples of suitable recreations.
(A) gambling and gossiping with friends
(B) sleeping and idling
(C) playing mobile games and watching TV
(D) reading good books and watering plants
9. An average adult exchanges about _____ air per day as stated in the chapter "Air Pollution ; A hidden menace".
(A) 1.5 KG (B) 2.5 KG
(C) 15 KG (D) 25 KG
10. The phrase "Lungs slowly become garbage dumps" means that _____.
(A) lungs store only oxygen
(B) lungs remove all pollutants from air
(C) harmful substances are gradually in the lungs stored
(D) lungs stop working at once
11. Rushes are waterside plants, which are used for _____.
(A) making idols and status
(B) making fence
(C) making mats and baskets
(D) making bags and doormats
12. The poem "All things Bright and Beautiful" is included in which of the following poetic collections ?
(A) Hymn for Children (B) Once in Royal David's City
(C) Verses for Holy Season (D) Christmas Carol

13. "A voice thrilling ne'er was heard" — Whose voice was thrilling for the poet ?
- (A) Voice of the cuckoo-bird
 - (B) Voice of the maiden
 - (C) Voice of the Nightingale
 - (D) Voice of the travellers
14. In _____ time, the _____ bird breaks the silence of the seas.
- (A) Spring, Cuckoo
 - (B) Spring, Nightingale
 - (C) Autumn, Cuckoo
 - (D) Autumn, Nightingale
15. The poem 'Village Song' is composed by _____.
- (A) Sarojini Naidu
 - (B) William Wordsworth
 - (C) C. F. Alexander
 - (D) R. N. Tagore
16. Which of the following expressions in 'Village Song' means 'the music of nature' ?
- (A) The laughter of Sun
 - (B) The bridal songs
 - (C) The forest notes
 - (D) The cradle songs
17. "The moist east wind comes marching." (Find out the appropriate literary device which is used in the above line)
- (A) Simile
 - (B) Metaphor
 - (C) Personification
 - (D) Alliteration
18. Which statement is INCORRECT according to the poet, in the poem 'The Flower School' ?
- (A) Flowers are attending school secretly underground.
 - (B) When rain comes, flowers burst suddenly.
 - (C) Flowers rush out in red, blue and yellow dresses.
 - (D) Branches clash and leaves rustle in the wild wind.

19. According to Sarojini Naidu in the poem 'The Village Song', the bridal robes are _____.
- (A) Golden and Silver (B) Silver and Saffron
(C) Golden and Saffron (D) Silver and Red
20. How many years ago, Vicky was part of a living human ?
- (A) One year (B) Two years
(C) Three years (D) Four years
21. Where did writer's grandfather discover the tiger cub ?
- (A) Behind the tent (B) Under a banyan tree
(C) On the forest path (D) In a cave
22. Timothy became aggressive in the age of about path _____.
- (A) Three months (B) One year
(C) Nine months (D) Six months
23. What frightened Timothy in the zoo ?
- (A) Visitors (B) Keepers
(C) Leopard (D) Lion
24. What reason did Lushkoff give for losing his employment as a school teacher ?
- (A) Illness (B) Theft
(C) Intrigues (D) Laziness
25. Where did Sergei meet Lushkoff after two years ?
- (A) Church (B) Court
(C) Office (D) Theatre
26. What happened after the aunt had transferred her property to Jumman Sheikh ?
- (A) She was rewarded.
(B) She gained respect.
(C) She was neglected and ill-treated.
(D) She left the village.

27. Why was Jumman secretly happy when Algu Chaudhuri was chosen as the Chief Panch ?
- (A) Because Algu was inexperienced.
 (B) Because Algu was his close friend.
 (C) Because Algu was afraid of him.
 (D) Because Algu disliked the aunt.
28. When did Sahuji put a double load on the bullock ?
- (A) During the first trip (B) During the second trip
 (C) During the third trip (D) During the fourth trip
29. According to the Grandfather from the story "A Grain as Big as a Hen's Egg", what was the only thing people truly called their own ?
- (A) Land (B) Grain
 (C) Wealth (D) Labour
30. Why couldn't the first old peasant answer the king's questions Properly ?
- (A) Because he was afraid of the king. (B) Because he was blind.
 (C) Because he was so deaf. (D) Because he was confused.
31. Everyone found Mrs. Mohanty to be a very friendly and pleasant person.
 Write a single word for the underlined phrase :
- (A) Unsociable (B) Repulsive
 (C) Amiable (D) Hostile
32. Netaji was a famous freedom fighter. He was born in Cuttack.
 Which option is the correct combination of the above two sentences ?
- (A) Netaji was a famous freedom fighter who was born in Cuttack.
 (B) Netaji was a famous freedom fighter, was born in Cuttack.
 (C) Netaji, was born in Cuttack, was a famous freedom fighter.
 (D) Netaji, who was born in Cuttack, was a famous freedom fighter.

33. Charities one exempted _____ paying tax.
 (A) on (B) of
 (C) from (D) in
34. She had finished her homework before _____.
 (Choose the correct option from the following to complete the sentence.)
 (A) She goes to bed (B) She sent to bed
 (C) She had gone to bed (D) She go to bed
35. Which sentence from the followings is not acceptable ?
 (A) I can hardly believe it.
 (B) It does not hardly rain in deserts.
 (C) She hardly ever goes to the pictures.
 (D) I can hardly wait to see it.
36. On this occasion, people clean their homes and discard the old to bring in the new year. The non-finite clause in the above sentence is _____.
 (A) to bring in the new year (B) on this occasion
 (C) people clean their homes (D) people discard the old
37. Air pollution has _____ effect on buildings.
 (A) damageable (B) damaging
 (C) damaged (D) damage
38. What does the word “menace” mean in the context of the title ‘Air pollution : A hidden menace’ ?
 (A) A blessing (B) A threat
 (C) A resource (D) A protection
39. “To prevent something or somebody from growing properly” single word for the phrase is _____.
 (A) achieve (B) sap
 (C) stunt (D) grace

40. Character is a priceless possession, so keep it _____.
(A) tarnished (B) deteriorate
(C) untarnished (D) grace
41. Pick out the correct grammatical sentence.
(A) British have ruled over India for many years.
(B) British has ruled over India for many years.
(C) British would have ruled over Indian many years.
(D) British ruled over India for many years.
42. Let's me go home.
The subject of the sentence is _____.
(A) Let (B) me
(C) I (D) you
43. The Headmaster and Scoutmaster _____ been invited to the District Scout
Comporee.
(A) has (B) have
(C) are (D) were
44. My teacher made me _____ English fluently.
(A) speak (B) speaking
(C) to speak (D) spoken
45. Lutuni's face is compared _____ the moon.
(A) with (B) by
(C) to (D) on

46. The boy was taken care of by his grandfather after his parents.
(A) brought up (B) brought out
(C) brought in (D) carried out
47. It appears that Mr. Pallai will visit out class soon.
The underlined noun clause functions as _____.
(A) Subject of the sentence
(B) Object of a verb
(C) Subject complement
(D) In opposition of the noun pharase
48. Were wishes horses, beggars would ride them. This is an / a _____.
(A) Zero conditional clause
(B) Open real conditional clause
(C) Imaginary conditional clause
(D) Unfulfilled conditional clause
49. The beggar told Sergei that all wood _____ by Olga.
(A) is chopped (B) was chopped
(C) are chopped (D) were chopped
50. Adyasha said, "I had a sweet dream last night. The correct indirect speech of the above statement is _____.
(A) Adyasha said that she had a sweet dream last night.
(B) Adyasha said that she has had a sweet dream last night
(C) Adyasha said that she had had a sweet dream last night.
(D) Adyasha said that she was having a sweet dream last night.



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MODEL QUESTION SET – 2

SUBJECTIVE

Time : 1 Hour 30 minutes

Full Marks : 50

1. (a) How did Lencho show his strong faith in God ? 5

OR

What importance did Gandhi give to his character during his school days ?

- (b) How does the poet describe God's creation in the poem "All Things Bright and Beautiful" ? 5

OR

Why does the poet say that, the bridal-songs and cradle-songs have cadences of sorrow ?

2. (a) How do people of Mizoram celebrate Chapchar Kut ? $2\frac{1}{2}$

OR

How does companionship influence a person's life according to Lord Percy ?

- (b) Was the poet able to guess the theme of the solitary reaper's song ? Why ? $2\frac{1}{2}$

OR

Why are the flower children eager to go to the sky ?

- (c) Suppose you are Ratnakar, Rekha Behera the reporter "The New Indian Express". Prepare a report in about 100 words, on the Blood Donation Camp organized by the JRC wing of MPC High School, Baripada on the 77th Republic Day. The report is to be sent for publishing on the newspaper. 5

OR

Read the passage below and write a summary of it.

Haldhar Nag is a famous poet and writer from Bargarh, Odisha, known as the "Lok Kabi Ratna" or Gem of Folk Poets. His life is inspiring because, despite

studying only up to the third grade, he became a well-known literary figure. His story shows that talent and passion are more important than formal education. Nag writes mainly in Koshali (Sambalpuri), a local language of Western Odisha. He has created many poems, epics and folk songs that describe local life, history, folk tales and social issues. His works show the daily struggles of common people, making them very relatable and popular. He also writes about nature, social change and the importance of preserving culture.

Nag is known for his simple lifestyle, often wearing a white dhoti and gamcha, showing his close connection to ordinary people. In respect of his contribution to literature and culture, he was awarded the Padma Shri in 2016.

3. Write an essay, in about **200** words, on any **one** of the following topics, keeping to the outlines given : 10

(a) **My Grandfather :**

[His name, age and appearance – His education and occupation – His good qualities – His relationship with family members and neighbours – Why do you love him]

(b) **The Spring Season :**

[time and duration of the season – Description of nature – Fair and festivals – Agricultural products – Why people like it]

(c) **A Picnic I enjoyed :**

[Introduction – Place of picnic and preparation – Your journey – Specific views of the picnic – Why did you like it]

4. (i) You are Ambika / Anamika Patnaik, a student of Class – X of Government upgraded High School, Litiguda, Koraput. Write an application, in about **100** words, to the CDMO, Koraput requesting him to organise an awareness programme on 'Dengue' in your locality, in about **100** words. 5

OR

Imagine you are Sushanta/Sabitri Dash residing at Quarters. No 80/B, Saktinagar, Bhubaneswar. Write a letter to your friend Dinesh/Disha Patna, Jyoti Nagar, Sundargarh, sharing your book fair experience which you have visited recently ?, in about **100** words.

- (ii) Read the passage below and answer the questions that follow, in one **or** two sentences. 1×5 = 5

Last Sunday, Aryan visited the village fair with his family. The fair was lively, with colourful stalls selling toys, sweets and clothes. Children ran around excitedly, holding balloons and playing games. There was a stage where local artists performed dances and sang songs. Aryan and his sister tried their luck at a ring toss game and won a small stuffed toy. They also tasted delicious cotton candy and fresh fruit juice. Outside the fair, there was a small pond where ducks swam peacefully and a few children were feeding them. Aryan's parents explained how fairs bring the community together and provide entertainment for everyone. As the evening approached the fair lit up with strings of lights and music filled the air. Aryan felt happy and tired but enjoyed every moment of the day.

- (a) Where did Aryan go last Sunday ?
- (b) What were the local artists doing ?
- (c) Name two things Aryan bought or won at the fair.
- (d) What did Aryan's Parents explain to Aryan ?
- (e) How did Aryan feel at the end of the day ?

5. Translate the following sentences into English : 10

ଆମ ଦେଶରେ ବାୟୁ ପ୍ରଦୂଷଣ ଏକ ବଡ଼ ସମସ୍ୟା । ଯାନବାହନ ବୃଦ୍ଧି ଏହାର କାରଣ ଅଟେ । ବାୟୁ ପ୍ରଦୂଷଣ ରୋକିବା ପାଇଁ ସରକାର ଅନେକ ପଦକ୍ଷେପ ନେଉଛନ୍ତି । ଯଦି କୌଣସି ଯାନର ପ୍ରଦୂଷଣ ମୁକ୍ତ ସାର୍ଟିଫିକେଟ୍ ନଥୁବ, ତେବେ ଜୋରିମାନା ଦେବାକୁ ପଡ଼ିବ । ଏଥିପାଇଁ ସମସ୍ତ ଗାଡ଼ି ଚାଳକମାନେ ସଚେତନ ହେବା ଉଚିତ ।

କିମ୍ବା

ଚନ୍ଦନ — ତୁ କାହିଁକି ‘ଶିଶୁ ଉତ୍ସବ-୨୦୨୫’ ରେ ଯୋଗ ଦେଲୁ ନାହିଁ ?

ଆକାଶ — ମୁଁ ଡାକ୍ତରଖାନା ଯାଇଥିଲି ।

ଚନ୍ଦନ — କାହିଁକି ? ତୋ’ର କ’ଣ ହୋଇଛି ?

ଆକାଶ — ଗତ ସପ୍ତାହରେ କ୍ରିକେଟ୍ ଖେଳିଲାବେଳେ ପଡ଼ିଗଲି ।

ଚନ୍ଦନ — ଠିକ୍ ଅଛି । କିଛିଦିନ ବିଶ୍ରାମ ନେ ।



SUBJECT – SECOND LANGUAGE ENGLISH (SLE)			
Scoring Keys Model Question Paper – (Objective) SET-2			
Question No	Answer Key	Question No	Answer Key
1	C	26	C
2	D	27	B
3	A	28	D
4	D	29	D
5	D	30	C
6	B	31	C
7	B	32	D
8	D	33	C
9	C	34	B
10	C	35	B
11	C	36	A
12	D	37	B
13	B	38	B
14	A	39	C
15	A	40	C
16	C	41	D
17	C	42	D
18	C	43	A
19	B	44	A
20	B	45	C
21	C	46	A
22	D	47	C
23	C	48	C
24	C	49	B
25	D	50	C