

**SSLC PUBLIC EXAMINATION - MARCH 2018**  
**ENGLISH I PAPER**  
**ANSWER KEY**

1. SYNONYMS

- i) d) Verandah
- ii) b) Pushed roughly
- iii) d) Seriousness
- iv) c) Great respect
- v) a) Refused

2. ANTONYMS

- i) a) Last
- ii) d) Least
- iii) b) Disadvantage
- iv) c) Ignorance
- v) a) Useless

3. d) Tractor and Farm Equipment

4. a) here

5. Garbage can / Trash can

6. d) ware

7. b) foci

8) d) ive

9) d) called of

10) a) flut- ter- ing

b) sur-plus

c) mag-na-ni-mous

11) b) presented

12) Any meaningful sentence

13) Any meaningful sentence

14) a) She played only this game

15) a) He would win the game

16) b) SVOC

17) a) Shouldn't she

18) c) as old

19) a) Everyone can admire Dr. Abdul Kalam

20) All options are wrong

21) a) Filling

22) c) On seeing

23) b) The

24) a) over

25) Though/ Although/ Even though he ran fast, he could not win the race

(or)

He ran fast but/ yet/ still he could not win the race

( or)

In spite of/ despite his running fast, he could not win the race

26) Her project had been completed by her so she was praised by the teacher

27) The zoo keeper said to the children, " You are not allowed to feed the animals.

You are not to tease the larger animals in the cages"

28) If you had asked me, I would have helped you

29) Any one of the degrees with meaningful sentence.

30) " Oh! I am so happy to meet you, sir."

40) Crystal/ Bright object

41) Moon

42) Sojourn

43) He completed his work

44) They want to take rest/ In order to take rest

45) Spawn, Splash, spills, breed, brood

46) Boom, tingling

47) ab, ab

48) Simile

49) Be, See

51) a) ii) a crack in the earth's crust

b) 40 million years ago

c) The rise of this majestic mountain range and the adjacent plateau caused the onset of the Asian monsoon

d) One or more of the faults rupture set off an earthquake

e) December 26, 2004.

52) a) My cup of tea is as hot as yours

b) He works at the University of Madras

c) The aim of the players is to score the most goals

d) Neither Jack nor Jill fetched any water

e) He wore his new uniform to school

- 53) a) They are playing veena/ musical instrument  
b) Stringed  
c) Happy/joy  
d) Any relevant answer  
e) Any relevant answer

PREPARED BY

S. SURESHKUMAR, D.T.Ed, M.A, B.Ed  
B T ASST IN ENGLISH  
GBHSS, VALAPPADY  
SALEM DT - 636115  
CELL -85265 12948

NB edu.newsbundles.com