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2024-25ರ ಎಸ್.ಎಸ್.ಎಲ್.ಸಿ. ಮಾದರಿ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಪತ್ರಿಕೆ-3 S.S.L.C. MODEL QUESTION PAPER-3 – 2024-25

ವಿಷಯ: ಪ್ರಥಮ ಭಾಷೆ — ಇಂಗ್ಲಿಷ್

Subject: First Language — ENGLISH

ವಿಷಯ ಸಂಕೇತ: 14-E Subject Code: 14-E

ಸಮಯ: 3 ಗಂಟೆ 15 ನಿಮಿಷಗಳು ] [ Time: 3 Hours 15 Minutes

ಗರಿಷ್ಠ ಅಂಕಗಳು : **100** ] [ Max. Marks : **100** 

#### General Instructions to the Candidate:

- 1. This question paper consists of 45 questions.
- 2. Follow the instructions given against the questions.
- 3. Figures in the right hand margin indicate maximum marks for the questions.
- 4. The maximum time to answer the paper is given at the top of the question paper.
  It includes 15 minutes for reading the question paper.

I.	Four alternatives are given for each of the following questions / incomplete								
	statements. Only one of them is correct or most appropriate. Choose the								
	correct alternative and write the complete answer along with its letter of								
	alpl	ıabet	::		6 × 1 = 6				
	1.	You	haven't seen this film,	•••••	. ?				
		The	appropriate question tag to be	adde	d is				
		(A)	has you?	(B)	haven't you ?				
		(C)	have you?	(D)	hasn't you ?				
2. He is rich man in whole tow					whole town.				
		The	appropriate articles to be filled	in th	e blanks are				
		(A)	an, the	(B)	the, an				
		(C)	a, a	(D)	a, the				
	3.	She	sells seashells on the seashore						
		The	figure of speech used here is						
		(A)	Metaphor	(B)	Alliteration				
		(C)	Simile	(D)	Personification				
	4.	Ajitl	n sings <i>melodiously</i> .						
		The	underlined word is						
		(A)	Noun	(B)	Adjective				
		(C)	Adverb	(D)	Verb				

	5.	Ramesh	plucked	the	rose	•••••	•••••	the	garden	which
		was	t	he ten	nple					
		The appro	opriate prep	ositio	ns to be	filled	here are			
		(A) from	ı, near			(B)	at, on			
		(C) of, or	ver			(D)	on, in			
	6.	The rain f	fed tanks a	re		not	<u>deep</u> .			
		The corre	ct antonym	of the	e underl	lined v	vord to be fill	ed in t	he blank	is
		(A) shall	low			(B)	steep			
		(C) large	2			(D)	narrow			
II.	Obs	serve the relationship in the first pair of words and complete the second								
	pair	accordin	gly in the	follow	ing :				4	× 1 = 4
	7.	Qualify:	Disqualify :	: Resp	onsible	:				
	8.	Dentist : '	Teeth :: De	rmatol	ogist : .	•••••				
	9.	Gallant :	Brave :: Sta	ature :						
	10.	Decide : I	Decision : P	refer :		•••••				
III.	Rev	rite as diı	rected :						3	× 1 = 3
	11.	Change tl	he voice of	the se	ntence :					
		The comp	any hired i	new w	orkers la	ast yea	ar.			

12. Frame a question to get the underlined words as answer:

He went to England in 1888 to study law.

13. Rewrite the following sentences using 'not only .... but also'.

She was sad. She was angry.

#### IV. Answer the following questions in a sentence each:

 $4 \times 1 = 4$ 

- 14. What made the elders of the workers' paradise anxious?
- 15. Why did Della decide to sell her hair?
- 16. What according to Pierre is a sure sign of starvation?
- 17. Which tree was the little boat tied to?

#### V. Answer the following questions in two to three sentences each: $7 \times 2 = 14$

- 18. Describe the appearance of the girl of the silent torrent.
- 19. How has the poet compared his life to the "bare ruined choirs"?
- 20. According to the writer how is the advertisement affecting the villagers?
- 21. Explain the peak that appeared fearful to the boy in the poem "The Stolen Boat"?
- 22. How does Karna challenge Arjuna?
- 23. How strong was the Greek wine?
- 24. What justification did Drona give for his unfair demand?

#### VI. Rewrite as directed:

 $3 \times 2 = 6$ 

25. Change the following sentence to the other two degrees of comparison:

Bengaluru is more populated than most other cities in Karnataka.

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	26.	Combine the following sentences using :					
		a) so that					
		b) too to					
		He is tired. He cannot walk.					
	27.	Change the following sentence to reported speech:					
		The teacher said to the students, "Be silent and listen to me".					
VII.	Ans	wer the following questions in <i>five</i> to $six$ sentences each: $6 \times 3 = 18$					
	28.	Gandhiji says "Whether an act is moral or not depends upon the intention					
		of the doer". How does he explain this criterion?					
	29.	What fatal mistake did Hodge do ? Explain.					
	30.	How did the speaker and his neighbour mend the wall?					
	31.	Why was Capt. Smollet unhappy? How did the Squire console him?					
	32.	How does the poet bring out the agony and desperation of the female crane					
		in the poem?					
	33.	Explain the consumers' culture in America.					
		OR					
		Explain how was Della's gift worthy of the watch.					
VIII.	Exp	lain with reference to the context: $5 \times 3 = 15$					
	34.	"My mother's life made me a man."					
	35.	"She is won! We are gone over bank, bush and scaur."					
	36.	"If I stop walking I shall freeze."					
	37.	"She had beautiful eyes"					

38. "In spite of everything, I still believe that people are really good at heart."

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IX.	Quo	Quote from memory: $1 \times 4 =$					
	39.	My legs					
		ever shall stay.					
		OR					
		And into					
		the tree.					
X.	Ans	wer the following questions in seven to eight sentences each:					
		$3 \times 4 = 12$					
	40.	List out any eight values that the poet father wants the teacher to teach his					
		son.					
	41.	How did Pasteur show that the air is full of dust particles?					
	42.	"Water is the basis of all." — Substantiate.					
		OR					
		What are the advertisers and marketing professionals working hard at?					
XI.	Rea	d the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below:					
		$1\times 4=4 (2\times 2)$					
	43.	Our education system should reflect the aims and aspirations of our					
		society. It should adjust itself to the changes in the society we live in. The					
		aim of our education should not only be to bring change in the amount of					

knowledge gained, it should also bring changes in our abilities to do, to think and to acquire habits and skills which are accepted in our society.

We should be able to develop an attitude which can make us adjust in our society. If these qualities are not developed in us, our education will remain unrealistic, useless and meaningless.

The world is changing fast. Our quality education should prepare us for these changes. The education imparted to us should be related to the needs of an individual and help him to find a place in the world, help him to ensure his future. It should be flexible. A dynamic association of teachers, educational planners and students is necessary.

#### Questions:

- a) According to the passage our education remains unrealistic, useless and meaningless. Why?
- b) How can our education prepare us for the quick changes taking place in the world?

# XII. Write an essay of about 18-20 sentences on any one of the following topics: $1 \times 5 = 5$

- 44. a) Pollution due to Urbanization
  - b) Artificial Intelligence boon or bane.

## XIII. 45. Imagine that you are Akshata / Akash of Government High School, Bengaluru.

Write a letter to your friend describing the hardships you face due to traffic jams in your city.

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Imagine that you are Raghu / Rashmi of Government High School, Mysuru.

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Write a letter to the Mayor of your area seeking a solution for waterlogging problem in your area.