



School Level Examination  
SLE 2023

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ENGLISH

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Total Questions: 30

Time: 1 hour

**DO NOT OPEN THIS BOOKLET UNTIL INSTRUCTED TO DO SO**

- All questions are compulsory.
- Read the instructions on the **ANSWER SHEET** and fill in your **NAME, CLASS** and **OTHER INFORMATION**.
- To mark your choice of answer by darkening the circles in the **ANSWER SHEET**, use an **HB PENCIL** only.
- You **MUST** record your answers on the **ANSWER SHEET** only.
- There are **30 MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS**. Use the information provided to choose the **BEST** possible answer among the four options. On your **ANSWER SHEET** fill in the circle that matches your answer.
- Marks are **NOT** deducted for incorrect answers.
- Return the **ANSWER SHEET** to the invigilator at the end of the examination.
- You are **NOT** allowed to use a calculator. You may use a ruler and spare paper for rough work.

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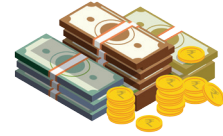
This question paper contains a total of 30 questions divided into two sections - A and B.

Section A (Subject Specific)

Choose the option that represents an adjective used in the given sentence in each of the following questions:

1. Go and find out if the old lady has received her money.

- (A) Find (B) Received  
(C) Lady (D) Old



2. The Indian cricket team is performing well in the Asia Cup.

- (A) The (B) Indian  
(C) Team (D) Well

Choose the simple past tense of the verb given in bold letters in each of the following questions:

3. He **put** some books on the table.

- (A) Putted (B) Putting  
(C) Putter (D) Put

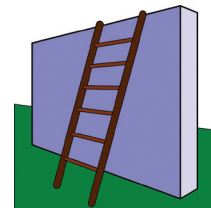
4. My brother is **taking** part in the dramatics.

- (A) Take (B) Took  
(C) Taken (D) Taked

Look at the picture and choose the correct option in each of the following questions:

5. The ladder is kept \_\_\_\_\_ the wall.

- (A) against (B) under  
(C) over (D) above



6. Identify a preposition among the following:

- (A) Fast (B) As  
(C) Yet (D) Over

7. Pick the odd one out.

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| (A) Between | (B) Across |
| (C) At      | (D) But    |

**Choose the option that represents the correct emotion related to the given interjection in each of the following questions:**

8. Eew!

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| (A) Sadness | (B) Surprise |
| (C) Shock   | (D) Disgust  |

9. Yippee!

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| (A) Excitement     | (B) Disgrace     |
| (C) Disappointment | (D) Appreciation |

**Fill in the blank using the best option to write the given sentence in future continuous tense in each of the following questions:**

10. You \_\_\_\_\_ potatoes in the kitchen.

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| (A) have been peeling | (B) will peel       |
| (C) had been peeling  | (D) will be peeling |



11. \_\_\_\_\_ to the party on Saturday?

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| (A) Will they come      | (B) Have they went |
| (C) Will they be coming | (D) Did they go    |

12. We \_\_\_\_\_ in the garden at that time.

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| (A) shall be playing | (B) were playing |
| (C) might be playing | (D) shall play   |

**Choose the correct option that represents the shelter of animals in each of the following questions:**

13. A termite lives in a \_\_\_\_\_.

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| (A) web   | (B) nest   |
| (C) mound | (D) tunnel |

14. Where does a spider live?

- (A) Grass (B) Web  
(C) Hill (D) Zoo

**Choose the option that is least similar in meaning to the given word in each of the following questions:**

15. Steady

- (A) Firm (B) Solid  
(C) Nimble (D) Constant

16. Tiny

- (A) Small (B) Minute  
(C) Puny (D) Mammoth

17. Choose the correct option in the following question:

The skin tone of Mohan and Sohan are exactly opposite. If Sohan is dark, what is Mohan?

- (A) Light (B) Fat  
(C) Fair (D) Foul

**Choose the correctly punctuated sentence in each of the following questions:**

18. She lives in india

- (A) She lives in india. (B) She Lives in India.  
(C) She lives in India. (D) She lives in India.

19. I bought some grapes apples mangoes and blueberries

- (A) I bought some grapes, apples, mangoes and blueberries.  
(B) I bought some grapes apples, mangoes, and blueberries.  
(C) I bought some grapes, apples. Mangoes and blueberries.  
(D) I bought some grapes, apples, mangoes, and blueberries?

20. Choose the correct option in the following question:  
Which of the following is NOT an interrogative sentence?
- (A) What's your name? (B) What do you do?  
(C) Just shut up. (D) Why are you making so much noise?
21. Which of the following is an imperative sentence?
- (A) She is a singer.  
(B) What an amazing monument Taj Mahal is!  
(C) Do you understand?  
(D) Don't disturb them.
22. Which of the following is an exclamatory sentence?
- (A) Her brother is participating in the tournament.  
(B) How wonderful weather it is today!  
(C) How do you draw a circle?  
(D) Get your work checked by Monday.

**Read the passage and choose the correct option to answer the following questions:**

There was once a merchant who employed many carpenters and masons to build a temple in his garden. Regularly, they would start work in the morning; and take a break for the mid-day meals, and return to resume work till evening. One day, a group of monkeys arrived at the site of the building and watched the workers leaving for their mid-day meals. One of the carpenters was sawing a huge log of wood. Since, it was only half-done; he placed a wedge in between to prevent the log from closing up. He then went off along with the other workers for his meal.

When all the workers were gone, the monkeys came down from the trees and started jumping around the site, and playing with the instruments.

There was one monkey, who got curious about the wedge placed between the log. He sat down on the log, and having placed himself in between the half-split log, caught hold of the wedge and started pulling it. All of a sudden, the wedge came out. As a result, the half-split log closed in and the monkey got caught in the gap of the log. As was his destiny, he was severely wounded.

23. Choose the option which best describes the monkey.
- (A) Playful (B) Greedy  
(C) Curious (D) Both (A) and (B)
24. Why did the carpenter place a wedge in between the log?
- (A) To prevent the log from closing up (B) For fun  
(C) To take some rest (D) To recall what he was doing
25. What did the monkeys do when all workers were gone?
- (A) They hid their instruments.  
(B) They created house.  
(C) They came down from the trees and started jumping.  
(D) They took away the instruments.

**Section B (Competency Enhancement)**

26. Choose the most appropriate tense to fill in the blank and complete the given sentence.  
Do not disturb me. I \_\_\_\_\_ to sleep.
- (A) tried (B) try  
(C) was trying (D) am trying
27. Choose the correct option to identify the part of speech for the underlined word.  
Hurray! We won the match.
- (A) Interjection (B) Conjunction  
(C) Adverb (D) Noun
28. Choose the correct option to fill in the blank with a suitable interjection.  
\_\_\_\_\_! He is no more.
- (A) Aww (B) Yahoo  
(C) Bravo (D) Alas

29. Choose the correct option to complete the given sentence.

Nina and Diya are cousins. \_\_\_\_\_ go to school together.

- (A) Its (B) She  
(C) They (D) Them

30. Choose the correct conjunction to complete the given sentence.

Rakesh is very intelligent \_\_\_\_\_ smart \_\_\_\_\_ he cannot solve the puzzle.

- (A) yet, and (B) and, and  
(C) but, and (D) and, yet

