

English Language & Literature
Practice Paper Answer Key (Term 1)

Class IX

READING

- Q1. B. One at the steering
Q2. C. Taken by the head of the family
Q3. D. Allowed
Q4. B. Unnecessary preaching
Q5. B. Go with the flow
Q6. D. All of these
Q7. C. Hurt
Q8. A. Injured
Q9. B. Cuisine
Q10. B. Conflicting
Q11. C. to being 15 minutes early
Q12. B. get up at the right time
Q13. D. both (A) and (B)
Q14. C. two minutes
Q15. B. accurate
Q16. C. between 5 a.m. to 6 a.m.
Q17. B. management
Q18. C. Remove important tasks from 'to - do' list.

GRAMMAR

- Q19. D. might
Q20. A. has returned
Q21. A. A few
Q22. B. She requested me to bring a glass of water.
Q23. A. She exclaimed that it was good to see him.
Q24. B. has

WRITING

- Q25. D. All the above.
Q26. C. I remember the old market clearly - it was always crowded with customers and traders bargaining. I used to watch the action from a distance. Sometimes I would get an orange from the trader who was dealing in fruits and I used to suck the sweet, tangy flesh.
Q27. A. To allow the reader to grasp the writer's idea through the reader's sense of sight, smell, taste, sound and touch.
Q28. A. Single theme
Q29. B. Climax
Q30. D. All of these

LITERATURE

- Q31. B. 1 is false but 2 is true.

- Q32 C. III, I and IV only
- Q33 A. It was the only university which gave degrees to women
- Q34 B. Triumphant
- Q35 C. 1902
- Q36 D. The loveliest maid of honour of the queen.
- Q37 B. I only.
- Q38 B. The seamstress has her dress because the maid of honour had ordered her to embroider flowers on it.
- Q39 C. Balcony
- Q40 C. II, I and III only.
- Q41 A. Children who miss their mothers
- Q42 A. Rain drops
- Q43 C. The music of pattering
- Q44 B. On the roof
- Q45 B. Recollections
- Q46 D. All of the above
- Q47 C. Sound
- Q48 B. I only
- Q49 C. Bismillah Khan
- Q50 A. Nine
- Q51 A. For the poor match girl.
- Q52 B. 5th standard
- Q53 A. Happy and triumphant
- Q54 B. Because the nights are too long there.
- Q55 D. All of the above
- Q56 B. Old book
- Q57 B. The mischiefs of Toto
- Q58 A. A single cake
- Q59 C. He can't be a success at anything
- Q60 A. Kezia's father.

