

Time: 3 Hrs.

PART-A (English)

- 1) Write an essay of about **ONE** page on any one of the following: 15
a) India my country
b) My state Tamilnadu
- 2) Select the correct answer from the following: 5 x 2 = 10
a) The Guard is _____ the Brake Van
(in, on, under, over)
b) In a train the loco is attached normally in the _____ of the train.
(under, over, beneath, front)
c) The boy went _____ of the room.
(in, out, behind, over)
d) The policeman put the hat _____ his head.
(beneath, under, over, on)
e) Pandyan Express arrives _____ Madurai Jn. at 06.15 hrs.
(at, on, over, behind)
- 3) Fill up the blanks with correct verb: 5 x 2 = 10
a) Vaigai Express _____ Madurai Jn. at 06.45 hrs.
(lives, leaves, starts, begins)
b) The boy _____ faster than the girl.
(runned, ranned, ran, running)
c) I _____ Chennai several times during the past 5 years.
(visiting, visits, have visited, had been visited)
d) The General Manager _____ Madurai Jn. when he arrives here tomorrow.
(had been inspecting, has been inspecting, inspecting, will be inspecting)
e) It _____ in Tamilnadu every year during November and December.
(rained, rains, had been rained, has been rained)
- 4) Read the following paragraph and answer the questions given below: 6 x 2.5 = 15

Ramu was appearing for his SSLC examination that day. He had been studying hard all night and was very tired when he set out for the school at 9 O' clock from his house. The examination was supposed to start at 09.30 hrs. Ramu's sister, Revathi, advised him to hurry up and go to school so that he arrives there atleast by 09.15 hrs. Ramu's mother forced him to eat some tiffin before leaving fearing that if he went for the examination on an empty stomach he may not fare well. On the way to school, Ramu encountered an old beggar, who was lying on the side of the road and crying piteously. Overcome by sympathy, Ramu asked the beggar what he wanted. The beggar sobbed that he was unable to walk and that he wanted to be taken to the other side of the road. Though he was late, Ramu decided to help the beggar to cross the road. He supported the beggar on his shoulders and took him to the other side of the road and then hurried on to school.

- a) Why was Ramu tired on the day of the examination?
b) What advise did Ramu's sister him him?
c) Why did Ramu's mother force him to take some tiffin?
d) Why was the beggar crying?

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PART - B (General Knowledge)

(Answer All Questions)

25 x 1 = 25

- 1) Where is the Headquarters of Southern Railway?
- 2) Expand C.O.M.
- 3) Name one superfast train run in Madurai Division.
- 4) Give the location of anyone Diesel Loco Shed located in Southern Railway.
- 5) Give the location of anyone Workshop in Southern Railway.
- 6) Expand A.D.R.M.
- 7) Nellai Express originates from what station?
- 8) What is the name of the new G.M. of Southern Railway.
- 9) What is the seating/sleeping capacity of AC 2 Tier coach?
- 10) What is the carrying capacity of a BCN wagon?
- 11) How many wagons are there in a standard rake of BOXN?
- 12) BOXN wagons are used to carry fertilizers and cement in open condition. True or false?
- 13) Expand P.R.O.
- 14) SPIC factory is located at Dindigul. True or false?
- 15) TAFE Tractor factory is located at Vadippatti. True or false?
- 16) 6731 Bangalore Express originates from Tuticorin. True or false?
- 17) CRT wagons are today banned from loading. True or false?
- 18) Give the name of D.O.M. of Madurai Division.
- 19) Expand C.F.T.M.
- 20) Kurla Express originating from Madurai runs how many times in a week?
- 21) Madurai Division loads _____ million tonnes annually. Select the most appropriate answer. (one, two, three, four)
- 22) Zonal Training School of Southern Railway is located at _____.
- 23) Expand E.D.P.M.
- 24) Which of the following stations does not have a pitline?
(Dindigul, Madurai, Tuticorin, Sengottai)
- 25) Which Division does maximum freight loading in Southern Railway?
(Madurai, Trivandrum, Madras, Palghat)

PART - C (Arithmetic)

- 1) Carry out the following additions/subtractions: 5 x 2 = 10
 - a) 17525 + 663491
 - b) 19756 - 969
 - c) 67934 - 0000
 - d) 4775 + 26891
 - e) 54455 - 5666
- 2) Find the average of 11, 21, 30, 39, 44 and 49. 3
- 3) What percentage of 144 is 32? 3
- 4) What is 60% of 300? 3
- 5) What is the simple interest on Rs.1000 for 5 years at 10% interest?
- 6) A man buys a kilo of sugar at Rs.25 from a shop. If the shopkeeper makes a profit of 20% on this transaction, at what rate did the shopkeeper purchase sugar originally? 3
