

SARVA SHIKSHA ABIYAN**State Level Achievement survey 2014 – 2015****Term -1 (Question -1)**

STD : VIII

Total Marks :60

Subject : English

Time :2.30 hrs

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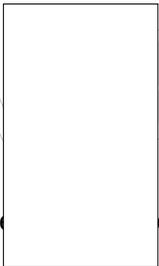
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 a) 75 b) 65 c) 80 d) 1000
13. The number of cars at 18.00 to 19.30 is
 a) 80 b) 120 c) 75 d) 55
14. The number of bikes at 16.30 to 17.30 is
 a) 70 b) 60 c) 95 d) 65

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<p>Your long wait ended 16 million colour</p>  <p>Capactive en</p>	<p>Sleek mobile 3G facility HD video recording</p>  <p>Nokia X TEL</p>
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15. The advertisement is about _____
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17. In how many colour is the mobile available _____
 a) 1 million b) 2 Thousand c) 10 Thousand d) 16 million
18. Who said the following line:
 “The highest result of education is tolerance”
 a) Mahatma Gandhi b) APJ Abdul Kalam c) Abraham Lincoln d) Helen Keller
19. Fill in the blanks with suitable conjunction:
 _____ he is poor, he is honest.
 a) As b) Though c) but d) if
20. Fill in the blanks with the subordinate clause:

- _____, the mice will play.
- a) Though the cat is away b) When the cat is away c) even though the cat is away
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21. I can ride a bike.
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24. Fill in the blank with the right form of the verb.
I _____ Chennai a month ago.
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25. Identify the number of syllables in the word 'wonderful'
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26. Coin new words by adding a suitable 'prefix' to the root word "able"
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He bought _____ umbrella
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34. Fill in the suitable infinitive to complete the sentence .
You are invited _____ the party.
a) To write b) to attend c) to sell d) to read
35. Identify the verb that shows the 'action just completed'.

- a) I went to school yesterday.
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36. Find out the preposition in the sentence given below:

“she is sitting on the chair”

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