

Key Stage Two

English

SATS Practice Papers

Pupil-friendly Answers

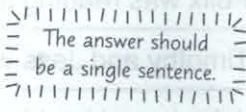
- Perfect for Key Stage Two pupils
- Can be used to mark their own work
- Or swap with a partner and mark each other's

Set B: Reading

These are the answers to Section 1 — Festivals Around the World

1. Give the answer **one mark** if it mentions **two** of these reasons:
 - To celebrate religious events.
 - To celebrate historical events.
 - To have a good time.
 - To strengthen the local community.
 - To remind people of their culture.
2. The triumph of good over evil.
3. Give the answer **one mark** if it mentions **one** of these things:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The atmosphere is vibrant. • The atmosphere is celebratory. • The atmosphere is enjoyable. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The atmosphere is chaotic. • The atmosphere is inclusive. • The atmosphere is friendly.
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The answer should be a single sentence.
4. The festival attracts visitors from 'around the world'.
5. You can give the answer up to **two marks**. Give it **one mark** for **each thing** it mentions from this list:
 - There is a street parade.
 - People carry torches.
 - The Guizer Jarl leads the parade.
 - The Guizer Jarl wears a Viking costume.
 - A replica Viking ship is burnt.
 - Traditional songs are sung.
6. Give the answer **one mark** if it mentions **one** of these things:
 - It now takes place later in the year / in November.
 - It no longer takes place in the summer.
 - It now coincides with All Souls' Day and Halloween.
7. Give the answer **one mark** if these **two** things have been ticked:
 - Make altars
 - Create sugar skulls
8. spectacle of art and sound
9. Give the answer **one mark** if it mentions **one** of these words:
 - believed
 - thought
10. a) carpenters.
b) greedy.
c) La Cremà.
11. Give the answer **one mark** if all **four** are correct.
The Día de los Muertos festival involves dancing. — True
The Lady of the Dead is a famous historical figure. — False
Las Fallas lasts for five days. — True
Las Fallas has not changed since the Middle Ages. — False

These are the answers to Section 2 — Down in the Sewers...

12. Give the answer **one mark** if it mentions **one** of these things:

- It's difficult to find your way around the sewers.
- The sewers are easy to get lost in.
- The sewers are confusing.
- The sewers are a complicated network of tunnels.

13. Waste treatment centres

14. Give the answer **one mark** if all **four** events are in this order:

The 'Great Stink' causes a terrible smell. — 3

10,000 people are killed by an outbreak of cholera. — 2

Work on building the new sewers begins. — 5

London's population hits 1 million. — 1

£3 million is given to build a new sewage system. — 4

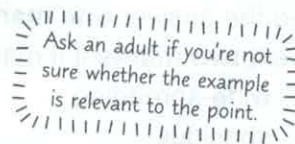
15. ... *Parliament resolved to fix the issue*... — Give the answer **one mark**

if it mentions that *resolved* means decided or agreed in this sentence.

...*The embankments also resolved*... — Give the answer **one mark**

if it mentions that *resolved* means solved or fixed in this sentence.

16. You can give the answer up to **three marks**. Give the answer **one mark** for **each point** it mentions from the table below. You can also give it **one mark** if any of the points are backed up with a **relevant example** from the text. It's OK if the example is different from the ones given below.



Point	Evidence
Dirty / unhygienic	Human waste was 'dumped in the streets'.
Dangerous / unhealthy	An outbreak of cholera 'killed around 10,000 people'.
Smelly	In 1858, the smell of the Thames became 'unbearable'.
Overcrowded	London's population had hit 1 million and 'was constantly rising'.
Polluted	The water in the River Thames was 'contaminated'.

17. You can give the answer up to **two marks**. Give it **one mark** for **each point** it mentions from this list:

- Waste would still have been dumped in the streets.
- More waste would have entered the Thames.
- The population of the city was rising.

18. Give the answer **one mark** if it mentions **one** of these things:

- They meant there was less traffic.
- They helped traffic to move more freely.

19. simple

20. Give the answer **one mark** if it mentions **one** of these things:

- People brushing their gold teeth.
- People knocking their gold rings together when they wash their hands.

21. Gold mines contain a lot of gold, so this shows the reader that there's also a lot of gold in the sewers.

22. sceptical

23. People flushing baby alligators down the toilet.

24. You can give the answer up to **two marks**. Give it **one mark** for **each reason** it mentions from this list:
- The sewers are deep underground.
 - Few people ever enter the sewers.
 - Desperate people have sometimes hidden in the sewers.
 - The sewers are known to contain surprising things like gold.
 - The sewers are dark.
 - The sewers are grimy.
25. An unexplained mystery
26. Because covering the history of the sewers first helps the reader to understand the stories.
27. growing

These are the answers to Section 3 — The Call of the Wild

28. gold
29. Give the answer **one mark** if **one** reason is correct. Give it **two marks** if **both** reasons are correct.
- strength — to pull sleds / to toil
 - thick coat — to protect them from the cold / frost
30. Give the answer **one mark** if it mentions **one** or **two** of these words. Give it **two marks** if it mentions **three** of them.
- wide-spreading
 - spacious
 - great
 - vast
 - realm
31. Give the answer **one mark** if it mentions **one** of these things:
- The valley is 'sun-kissed'.
 - The afternoons are 'hot'.
32. the four years (of his life) It's OK if the answer doesn't include the words in brackets.
33. hidden away
34. the fox terriers
35. Give the answer **one mark** if it mentions **two** of these activities:
- swimming
 - hunting
 - escorting Mollie and Alice on rambles
 - lying by the Judge's feet before the fire
 - carrying the Judge's grandsons on his back
 - rolling the Judge's grandsons in the grass
 - accompanying the Judge's grandsons on adventures
36. Give the answer **one mark** if it mentions **one** of these phrases:
- strange creatures
 - Toots and Ysabel he utterly ignored
37. privileged

3. You can give the answer up to **three marks**. Give it **one mark** for **each point** it mentions from this list:

- Buck 'ruled' over the estate, but the other dogs were unimportant.
- Buck lived there all the time, but the other dogs 'came and went'.
- Buck could go wherever he wanted, but the other dogs either lived in the kennels or in the house.
- Buck spent a lot of time outdoors, but Toots and Ysabel 'rarely' went outside.
- Buck was protective towards the Judge's family, but Toots and Ysabel had to be 'protected' by the housemaids.
- Buck had a close relationship with the Judge and his family, but the other dogs lived 'obscurely'.
- Buck saw himself as separate from the other dogs and looked down on them.