

**Школьный этап Всероссийской олимпиады школьников
Английский язык - 7-8 класс
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**Дорогой друг!
Желаем тебе успеха!**

(Рекомендуемое время выполнения заданий 1,5 часа)

Раздел 1 (Чтение)

1. Установите соответствие между заголовками А-Ф и текстами 1-5. Занесите свои ответы в таблицу. Используйте каждую букву только один раз. В задании один заголовок лишний.

- A. Car race
- B. Real pleasure
- C. Favourite toy
- D. Serious problems
- E. Helpful machine
- F. Different toys

1. Things boys play with are not like objects girls play with. Boys often have more freedom to run about and they get guns, train sets, toy trucks and toy cars. Electronic games are very popular among young boys. Toys for girls are much quieter and more passive. Young girls often get things like dolls, dresses, pictures.
2. "Teddies" are an important part of British culture. Most people in Britain have a teddy bear when they are young, and most people are very fond of their special bear, even when they are 30 or 40 years old! Many famous people like film stars or pop stars or politicians collect "teddies". These people have donated their old friends to the teddy bear museum which is in Stratford-on-Avon in England. Many tourists go to this place, because it is the birthplace of Shakespeare, but they often love the teddy bear museum more.
3. Computer games are a multimillion dollar industry, but people who really enjoy games are not satisfied with playing against the computer. They want to play against real people and most computer games allow you to do that just by joining up with other players on the Internet. Regular players say that this is where their true enjoyment of games can be found. With some games up to 60 people can take part. It's a good way to meet people and it gives you something to talk about.
4. Computers are a great technological invention of the 20th century. But the main disadvantage of computers is that looking at a screen for long periods of time is bad for the eyes, and sitting on a chair for hours is not healthy. Also, people who use computers have a tendency to become anti-social and stay at home. The strongest argument against the use of computers is that the more jobs which are done by computers, the less are done by people.
5. Thirty years ago few people realized that computers were about to become part of our everyday lives. This short period of time has seen great changes in business, education and public administration. Jobs which took weeks to do in past, are now carried out in minutes. Schoolchildren have become as familiar with hardware and software as their parents were with pencils and exercise books and they don't worry about mistakes having a computer.

1	2	3	4	5

2. Прочитайте текст и заполните пропуски в предложениях 1-5, одним из трех предложенных вариантов ответа. Запишите свои ответы в таблицу.

MARK TWAIN

Mark Twain, who lived from 1835 to 1910, is one of America's most famous authors. He wrote many books, including *The Adventures of Tom Sawyer* and *The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn*. Mark Twain's own life was interesting enough to be a book.

Twain was born in the state of Missouri, near the Mississippi River. He came from a poor family. His father died when he was twelve, so he had to leave school. While he was still a boy, he worked as a riverboat pilot. He steered boats up and down the long Mississippi River.

The Civil War, which started in 1861, made traveling on the Mississippi impossible. Twain then went west to Nevada. There he worked in a newspaper. In 1864 he went to California to find gold. Twain did not have much luck as a gold miner. He left California to travel in Europe. Twain wrote a book about his trips around Europe.

But the most important influence on Twain and his books was the Mississippi River. When Twain finally settled down, he lived in a house with a porch that looked like the deck of a riverboat. *Huckleberry Finn*, Twain's greatest book, is about the adventures of a boy on the Mississippi River. Another of Twain's books is called *Life on the Mississippi*. In fact, even the name of Mark Twain comes from the Mississippi. Mark Twain's real name was Samuel Langhorne Clemens. On the river Samuel Clemens often heard the boatmen shout "Mark Twain". This meant the water was twelve feet deep. When Samuel Clemens began to write he chose for himself the name Mark Twain.

1. Mark Twain...many adventure books.
a. writes b. was writing c. wrote
2. He was born in...
a. The UK b. The USA c. France
3. In 1864 he went to California to... to find gold
a. try his chance b. miss his chance c. have no chance
4. The author left North America for...
a. Africa b. South America c. Europe
5. Twain's house was like a...
a. ship b. boat c. submarine

1	2	3	4	5

3. Прочитайте текст и выполните задания, обозначенные цифрами 1-5. В каждом задании

обведите букву А, В, С или D соответствующую выбранному Вами варианту ответа.

In 1608 an Englishman whose name was Thomas Coryate visited Italy. He liked the country and noted down every interesting thing he found. But there was one thing which he found more interesting than others. In his diary Thomas wrote, 'When the Italians eat meat, they use small forks. They do not eat with hands because, as they say, people do not always have clean hands.' Before leaving for England, Thomas Coryate bought a few forks.

At home Thomas gave a dinner party to show the invention to his friends. When the servant brought the steak, he took out a fork and began to eat like they did in Italy. Everybody looked at him in surprise. When he told his friends what it was, they all wanted to take a good look at the strange thing. All his friends said that the Italians were very strange people because the fork was very inconvenient. Thomas Coryate tried to prove the opposite. He said it was not nice to eat meat with one's fingers because they were not always clean. Everybody got angry at that. Did Mr Coryate think that people in England always had dirty hands? And weren't the ten fingers they had enough for then?

Thomas Coryate wanted to show that it was very easy to use the fork. But the first piece of meat he took with the fork fell to the floor. His friends began to laugh and he had to take the fork away.

Only fifty years later did people in England begin to use forks.

1. Why did Thomas Coryate bring forks to England?
 - A. He wanted to make his friends surprised.
 - B. He believed it was not nice to eat meat with fingers.
 - C. Forks were beautiful.
 - D. He wanted to make business selling forks.

2. Why did everybody look at Thomas when he began to eat like the Italians?
 - A. They believed it to be bad manners.
 - B. Nobody ate meat with hands in England.
 - C. Everybody thought it was an amazing invention.
 - D. Nobody had seen a fork before.

3. Why did the first piece of meat fall to the floor when Thomas took it with the fork?
 - A. The fork was very inconvenient to use.
 - B. The fork was bad.
 - C. Thomas was not used to eating with a fork.
 - D. The steak was too tough.

4. When did people in England begin to use forks?
 - A. In 1658
 - B. In 1568
 - C. In 1856
 - D. In 1685

1	2	3	4

Раздел 2 (лексико-грамматический тест)

1. Прочитайте предложения с пропусками и выберите правильный вариант ответа из трех предложенных. Обведите букву выбранного вами варианта ответа.

1. Our cat was sick, so we had to take it to the _____.
a) nurse b) doctor c) vet
2. I'm looking _____ my keys. Have you seen them?
a) at b) for c) out
3. I _____ 50 years old in 2030.
a) was b) am c) will be
4. There aren't _____ students in the class today.
a) many b) some c) much
5. Sorry, we have _____ green apples.
a) no b) any c) nothing
6. Sorry, I _____ here on Thursday. I have to go to the dentist.
a) 'm b) 'll be c) won't be
7. Are there ... apples on the table?
a) any b) some c) no
8. When I came nearer I heard somebody _____ the piano.
a) play b) playing c) to play
9. You can play the piano very well, _____?
a) don't you? b) can you? c) can't you?
10. She feels much _____ today than 2 days ago.
a) worst b) worse c) bad
11. I'm going to America ... Christmas.
a) at b) on c) in
12. We are going to the theatre ... Saturday.
a) on b) in c) at

2. Прочитайте приведенный ниже текст с пропусками и выберите правильный вариант ответа из трех предложенных. Обведите букву выбранного вами варианта ответа.

Russian Traditional Crafts

Our country is famous for Russian traditional specific crafts and its (1) _____ craftsmen. Painted boxes of Palekh, coloured (2) _____ of Pavlov Posad, clay toys of Dymkovo, (3) _____ of Vologda are known all over the world.

The names of Gzhel and Khohloma are considered to be the symbols of Russia (4) _____ Matryshka dolls and samovars. The history of Khohloma (5) _____ into the 17th century. The Khohloma style is characterized by using plant elements in painting the (6) _____ (mugs, plates, spoons). The (7) _____ colours are black, yellow, golden, green and red. And nowadays this (8) _____ is sure to be saved. It will be developed and brought into the future by the new (10) _____ of painters.

1	a) educated	b) beautiful	c) skilled
2	a) shawls	b) beads	c) skirts
3	a) laces	b) ribbons	c) buttons
4	a) both	b) as well as	c) or
5	a) dates	b) looks forward	c) goes back
6	a) footwear	b) tableware	c) clothes
7	a) prevailing	b) mysterious	c) bright
8	a) business	b) profession	c) craft

9	a) tradition	b) generation	c) party
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Раздел 3 (Письмо)

Обратите внимание на необходимость соблюдения указанного объема текста. Тексты недостаточного объема, а также часть текста, превышающая требуемый объем, не оцениваются.

Ты получил письмо от Мэри, твоей подруги по переписке, которая пишет....

You have received a letter from your English-speaking pen-friend who writes...

...It's your birthday today, isn't it? I remember your were going to organise a party. What kind of party are you going to arrange? Who are you going to invite? What are you going to do at the party?...

I've got to go now! It's time for my sport club. Drop me a line when you can.

Lots of love,

Mary

Write a letter to Mary.

In your letter

- answer her questions and tell her about your birthday party;
- ask 3 questions about her attitude to sports.

Напишите Мэри ответ, согласно правилам написания письма другу. Объем высказывания 80-100 слов. В своем письме:

- ответьте на вопросы Эмили;
- задайте ей 3 вопроса об ее отношении к спорту.

