«Умники и умницы – 2019/2020» **2 тур** **9 класс**

Task 1. Put the verbs in brackets into the correct form. *(20 points)*

1. When the door-bell ……..… (to ring), she …… (to stand) up and …… (to walk) to the door.
2. I think you ……..… (to like) Nick when you …… (to see) him.
3. Penicillin ……. (to discover) by Alexander Fleming in 1928.
4. At three o'clock tomorrow I ……..… (to drive) to my parents.
5. The championship …… (to hold) in our country next year.
6. After the movie …… (to finish), they …...…… (to decide) to get something to eat.
7. This is the most beautiful house I ever ……..… (to see).
8. Lucy is very tired. She …… (to clean) her house since morning.
9. How often you …….. (to visit) your cousins when you ……..… (to be) in the United States last year?
10. Mum was really surprised because all the housework ……..…….. (to do) by the time she ……. (to come) home.
11. I …….. (to look) out of the window and …… (to see) that it ……. (to rain) hard.
12. Your car is so clean! How often it …… (to wash)?

Task 2. Fill in the gaps with the correct articles. *(21 points)*

1. ……. cup is dirty. Can I have ……..… clean one?
2. I told …… children that they wouldn't get …….. presents if they behaved badly.
3. …weather was great! It was …beautiful day although there were … few clouds in the sky.
4. He worked from …… morning till ……. night to achieve his aim.
5. Together with …….. friend of mine we are going to spend …….. little time in …… Alps. After that we'll go to …… seaside.
6. Her husband is …...… sailor. He spends weeks at ……. sea.
7. …….. winter of 1993 was quite warm and mild. In …….. fact, it was …… warmest winter of ……. 1990s.
8. If you open your textbook on …… page 78, you'll see …… rule I'm talking about.

Task 3. Fill in the gaps with the correct prepositions. *(19 points)*

1. I'll be staying ……. my sister for the next two weeks.
2. I'll be staying ……. my sister's for the next two weeks.
3. We were asked …….. the teacher to learn the poem …… heart. Tomorrow we are going to recite it ……. memory.
4. His works have been translated ……..… Russian ……. more than twenty languages.
5. What was your reason ……. being absent yesterday?
6. She spoke ……..… a loud voice so that the other students could hear her.
7. Fast food is high …….. fat but poor ……..… vitamins.
8. She was …….. such a hurry that she left her umbrella ……. the bus.
9. James was so tired …. waiting that he shouted … his girlfriend when she finally arrived.
10. My job requires dealing …….. all sorts of people.
11. The twins were so similar ..… each other that it was almost impossible to tell them apart.
12. What's happened …….. you? You look as if you are ……. the weather.

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Task 4. Transform the sentences using from two to five words and the word in bold type. *(10 points)*

1. Michael said, "The test is easy".
that Michael said _____ easy.
2. Brian said to his sister, "I didn't touch your bag".
told Brian _____ hadn't touched her bag.
3. Ed said to me, "I saw Thomas yesterday".
before Ed told me that he had _____.
4. "Where did you buy that beautiful dress?" Kate asked.
had Kate wanted to know where _____ beautiful dress.
5. "Do your parents know about your marks?" the headmaster asked.
whether The headmaster asked _____ about my marks.
6. She asked, "When will they call me?"
wondered She _____ her.
7. "Children, don't sit on the grass, please", she said.
asked She _____ sit on the grass.
8. "Would you like a cup of tea?" Mrs. Pearson said.
offered Mrs. Pearson _____ of tea.
9. Janice said, "Let's go to the cinema on Saturday".
suggested Janice _____ on Saturday.
10. "I will help you as soon as I finish my work", Tim said.
promised Tim _____ soon as he finished his work.

Task 5. Substitute the italicized fragments with the correct phrasal verbs. Mind the tense forms! *(10)*

grow up *run out* *come back* *burn down* *take off*
try on *work out* *carry on* *turn up* *break down*

1. They had nowhere to live because their house ***was destroyed by fire (_____) .***
2. Though being quite old, our car is still very reliable. It has never ***stopped working (_____)***.
3. Oh, I love this song! Can you *make* the music ***louder (_____)***?
4. Alex was born in York but ***became an adult (_____)*** in London.
5. Please, ***continue*** with your work because your time ***is coming to an end (_____)***.
6. This jacket is nice. Where can I ***put it on (_____)*** to see if it fits me?
7. The plane ***left the ground (_____)*** exactly at 9 a.m.
8. Jason ***does exercises (_____)*** at the gym three times a week.
9. "I will ***return (_____)*** in an hour," she said.

Task 6. Complete the sentences changing the words in brackets. *(8 points)*

1. The novel has got a number of …… (MEMORY) episodes and has been made into a ……..… (SUCCESS) film.
2. There are too many …… (VIOLENCE) films and programmes on TV these days.
3. There's a great …….. (VARIOUS) of animal and plant species in our country.
4. She was waiting for me at the …… (ENTER) to the hotel.
5. The book was ……. (SUIT) for children as it had a lot of … (COLOUR) illustrations.
6. Orthodox Christmas is …… (TRADITION) celebrated on January, 7.

Task 7. Translate the following fragments into English. *(7 points)*

1. Are you …… *(интересуешься)* in cooking?
2. She had to pay for her dinner ……..…… *(сама)*.
3. We went on an excursion with our class…….. … *(на днях)* day.
4. …… *(Ни он ни)* his sister had a gift for languages.
5. It took him about half an hour to …… *(разгадать)* the crossword.
6. Can you give me ……..*(ещё)* five minutes? I'm almost ready.
7. I have to admit that I've made …… *(меньше)* progress this year.

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