**Задания второго этапа республиканской олимпиады**
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## I. *Put the verbs in brackets into the correct form (8 points)*

АЛГОРИТМ:

- определить какую часть речи нужно вставить (глагол, инфинитив, герундий, причастие ed/ing с глаголом be)
- времена – по общей схем (общее время, сигнальное, характер действия)
- инфинитив/ герундий – формы (Simple/ Perfect, Active/Passive)
- причастие – формы (ed/ing), временная форма be (Simple, Perfect и т.д.)
- НЕ ЗАБЫТЬ вставить сигнальные слова в полученные формы
- ВНИМАТЕЛЬНО записать формы, проверить каждую букву!

I .....(**1 just/come**) back from the USA, where I was delighted finally to visit the city of St Louis. I ..... (**2 pass**) over it so many times high up on the interstate highway that .....(**3 connect**) more fashionable places on the east and west coasts, and I .....(**4 always/promise**) myself I'd stop one day. In fact, although it .....(**5 largely/ignore**) by tourists, St Louis is an amazingly creative place. I had breakfast at the Blueberry Hill café, which boasts the world 's finest jukebox (*музыкальный автомат*) and a guitar belonging to the legendary rock star Chuck Berry. Iced tea .....(**6 invent**) here in 1904, but that isn't the local speciality I wanted to try. Driving out of town on the road known as Route 66, you come to Ted Drewe's famous shop which .....(**7 sell**) 441 flavours and styles of frozen custard, a sweet delicacy so popular that the police have to control the crowds at weekends. It's one US fast food that .....(**8 never/franchise**), so it's not available anywhere else.

## II. *Use the words given in capitals to form a word that fits the blanks (16 points)*

АЛГОРИТМ:

- определить часть речи, которую необходимо образовать
- посмотреть исходное слово, вспомнить нужное производное
- проверить по контексту, не нужна ли отрицательная форма
- проверить грамматическую формы производного (множ.число, степень сравнения, время глагола)
- ВНИМАТЕЛЬНО записать формы, проверить каждую букву!

Although recently there has been a small 1.....(**REDUCE**) in the number of people out of work in Europe, 2.....(**EMPLOY**) is still the number one 3.....(**SOCIETY**) problem facing the fifteen member states of the European Union. Moreover, 4.....(**EQUAL**) of opportunity between men and women is still an issue that 5.....(**POLITICS**) in many countries have not come to grips with. In profession such as the law and 6..... (**ENGINEER**) women are still 7.....(**NOTICE**) by their 8 .....(**ABSENT**). 9.....(**EMPLOY**) still discriminate female 10.....(EMPLOY) in a number of ways even if their 11.....(**QUALIFY**) are the same as those of men. It would be a pity if the 12.....(**ACHIEVE**) of the EU on an 13.....(**ECONOMICS**) level were marred by 14.....(**FAIL**) in the 15.....(**VITALITY**) area of 16.....(**SOCIETY**) policy.

## III. *Read and choose the correct word for each space (10 points)*

АЛГОРИТМ:

- проверить нет ли устойчивого выражения
- посмотреть варианты ответов, определить группу синонимов
- вспомнить разницу в значении
- подобрать правильный вариант по контексту

According to most professors, mature students are ideal students because they are hardworking and become actively (**1**) ..... in all aspects of the learning process. The majority of mature students



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have a poor educational background but they (**2**) …….. to do exceptionally well when they study at a college or university. Although many of them have a job and children to (**3**) …….., they are always present at seminars and lectures and always hand in essays on time. They like studying and writing essays and they enjoy the class discussions that take place. Consequently, they (**4**) …….. excellent results. In fact, as they have (**5**) …….. many of life's pleasures, they are content with their lives and this has a positive (**6**) …….. on their attitude, making them (**7**) …….. to learn. On the other hand, despite their enthusiasm and commitment, mature students (**8**) …….. from anxiety. The fact that they have made many sacrifices to get into university (**9**) …….. extra pressure on them to succeed. Nevertheless, completing a degree gives mature students a sense of achievement and (**10**) …….. their job prospects.

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| 1. | a) contained | b) related | c) involved | d) combined |
| 2. | a) achieve | b) succeed | c) manage | d) gain |
| 3. | a) grow | b) develop | c) rise | d) raise |
| 4. | a) fulfill | b) achieve | c) reach | d) earn |
| 5. | a) learnt | b) experienced | c) found out | d) recognized |
| 6. | a) effect | b) affect | c) conclusion | d) consequence |
| 7. | a) eager | b) indifferent | c) reluctant | d) fond |
| 8. | a) fight | b) resist | c) suffer | d) complain |
| 9. | a) puts | b) does | c) takes | d) makes |
| 10. | a) succeeds | b) improves | c) rises | d) moves |

## IV. Choose and circle the letter A, B, C or D to show the underlined part that needs correction (5 points)

АЛГОРИТМ:

- «просканировать» предложения, найти правила
- проверить все ли верно по правилу
- выбрать фрагмент

1. You should enclose (1) a self-addressed envelope (2) if you want them (3) to send the material back to yourself (4).
   *Ответ:*
2. Despite (1) school will never suit everyone (2), some improvements will make a big difference to (3) many pupils' lives (4).
   *Ответ:*
3. The vast majority of people (1) still wants (2) the security of permanent employment, rather than (3) working on one workplace after another (4).
   *Ответ:*
4. Since (1) the beginning of the seventieth (2) rainfall during storms (3) has increased dramatically all over the world (4).
   *Ответ:*
5. I think some of the personal questions (1) asked on chat shows (2) are often a bit irritated (3) for guests (4).
   *Ответ:*

## V. Write one word for each gap (12 points)

АЛГОРИТМ:

- проанализировать пропуск: понять грамматика или по переводу
- вставить ОДНО слово

In the 1950s and 60s, the tower block seemed to offer a solution to two problems. Firstly, houses built (**1**) …… earlier in the century, or even in the nineteenth century, were (**2**) …… longer suitable for people to live in. Secondly, an increasing population placed a great (**3**) …… more strain on available space. New, vertical tower blocks, able to house more people in a relatively small space (**4**) …… a horizontal street, started to appear. The more people got used to living in these structures, (**5**) …… more they would form the heart of communities, or so the thinking went.



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Initially, these tower blocks were (**6**) ..... popular than the old housing they replaced. They were (**7**) ..... and away the (**8**) ..... affordable alternative for many people, and they also offered excellent views.

However, these buildings soon became (**9**) .....attractive to residents as crime rose. It also became clear that a tower block was (**10**) ..... Like as friendly a place to live in (**11**) ..... a traditional street. More often (**12**) ..... not, residents in a tower block didn't interact with each other on a regular basis. Although modern tower blocks are making something of a comeback amongst young professionals, they still have a poor reputation in the minds of many people.

## *VI. Complete the second sentence so that it has similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. Do not change the word given. Use between three and eight words, including the word given (6 points)*

АЛГОРИТМ:

- сравнить исходное предложение со вторым фрагментом
- определить на какое правило перефраза
- перестроить предложение
- ВЫДЕЛЕННЫЕ слова НЕ ИЗМЕНЯТЬ НИКАК!!!
- вписать пропущенные части

1) Denise completely ignored her elder sister's advice.

**NOTICE**

Denise ..... her elder sister's advice.

2) Everybody knows that Beckham is the most highly paid footballer in Britain.

**KNOWLEDGE**

It ..... is the most highly paid footballer in Britain.

3) The news that the Prime Minister had resigned came as a great shock to everyone.

**ABACK**

Everyone ..... Prime Minister's resignation.

4) John concluded that he should take the job.

**CAME**

John ..... he should take the job.

5) Surely you didn't find this book recently – it's been out of print for years.

**ACROSS**

You can't ..... this book recently – it's been out of print for years.

6) John and I disagree on the subject of juvenile delinquency.

**EYE**

John and I ..... on the subject of juvenile delinquency.

## *VII. Think of one word which can be used appropriately in all three sentences (5 points)*

АЛГОРИТМ:

- суть задания: в три пропуска должно подойти ОДНО слово в ОДИНАКОВОЙ форме
- просмотреть предложения
- найти «зацепку», вставить слово
- «примерить» это слово в остальные случаи
- Записать слово в КАЖДОМ ПРОПУСКЕ

1. Our ski ..... was a dynamic young Austrian chap.

We travelled by ..... , so we saw some wonderful scenery.

At midnight Cinderella's ..... changed back into a pumpkin.



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2. If you want to learn Spanish, ask if there's a beginners' ..... at the local college.
In the ..... of the conversation I realized I'd forgotten her name.
It was a simple meal; the main ..... was roast chicken.

3. Our club welcomes new members of all ..... .
Ewan is studying the history of the Middle ..... at university.
Renata always spends ..... preparing her speeches.

4. The .....of the company has decided that all products should be environmentally friendly from now on.
The price of most university accommodation includes room and ..... .
The salad bowl and the chopping ..... on sale over there are made from non-renewable wood from the rainforests.

5. The holiday ..... on a Saturday last year, so we didn't get a day off.
Linda suddenly ..... silent, which made her staff wonder if she was upset.
After the arrival of the new team of managers, profits ..... rapidly.

## VIII. Choose the correct variant (8 points)

АЛГОРИТМ:

- посмотреть варианты ответа (понять над чем думать)
- по общей схеме подобрать артикль/ предлог

The weather is an important topic of conversation for (**1**) ... British, but in 1995 they had more to talk about than usual. In comparison (**2**) ... other years, it was a year with very unusual weather patterns. A rainy spring, the wettest ever recorded, the hottest summer and one of the coldest winters they had ever experienced. In fact, since the beginning of the 1970s, rainfall during storms has increased dramatically all over the world. As (**3**) ... result, complaints about changing weather conditions are common. But why are we having all these changes?

Climatologists and scientists agree that global warming is to blame (**4**) ... this. However, they are not all (**5**) ... agreement as to how this will affect (**6**) ... us. Warnings given by some climatologists say that if we don't prepare for droughts and floods, we will face (**7**) ... problems like (**8**) ... starvation. It seems that we should all be prepared to experience changes in the climate and learn to live with them.

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| 1 | a | an | the | – |
| 2 | for | to | by | on |
| 3 | a | an | the | – |
| 4 | for | of | in | – |
| 5 | at | in | on | with |
| 6 | on | with | at | – |
| 7 | with | to | at | – |
| 8 | a | an | the | – |

## IX. Read the texts and answer the questions (6 points)

АЛГОРИТМ:

- в задании нужно соотнести в каком тексте говорится о ...
- прочитать первый текст, просмотреть все задания
- сопоставить информацию текста и задания
- выбрать оптимально подходящий по смыслу ответ
- повторить с каждым из текстов НЕ исключая уже выбранные фрагменты
- проверить повтор ответов, если есть пересмотреть тексты
- записать ответы

*John McGregor talks to four performers who have made a career out of entertaining others.*

**1. The Illusionist**

Who would expect to find England's answer to Harry Houdini in the sleepy Lancashire village of Mawdsley? Well, Matthew Tate has built up an impressive range of illusions and spectacular magic tricks to shock and thrill his audience, but many attribute his success to the way he manages to involve and excite his audience. They watch as he frees himself after being submerged handcuffed in a water-filled tank. He reminds his audience that failure would mean certain death and even asks them to hold their



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breath with him, just as Houdini did! I ask him if he can tell me just one of his secrets. My question is met with a cheeky grin and, of course, complete silence!

**2. The Living Statue**

When people ask Maria Marks what she does for a living, she often tells them "nothing". Every day, she makes her living by dressing in an antique wedding dress, covering her skin in white clown paint and standing absolutely motionless on a pedestal in London's Covent Garden until a coin and thrown into her hat. So, what exactly draws the crowd when Maria "performs"? "Well, people want me to prove that I'm human." I ask Maria if she gets bored just standing there day after day. "No," she says. "I enter an almost trance-like state and an hour passes like a minute."

**3. The Actor**

Michael Webster has been an actor in London for almost 15 years. Michael tells me all about the ups and downs of a typical actor's life. "You constantly strive to deliver a perfect performance, often under imperfect or unpleasant conditions." I ask Michael how he feels when he's performing. "One of the most amazing feelings I have," he tells me, "is standing in front of an audience knowing that they expressly came to see me perform. It fills me with two overwhelming sensations: joy and extreme gratitude!"

**4. The Circus Performer**

Zhao Jian Explains to me how she came to be touring the world as a hand balancer with a circus troupe. "As a young girl I was always jumping around," she tells me, "so one day my mom suggested that I enroll in one of the many acrobatic schools in Wuqiao county. We followed an exceptionally harsh programme, waking at 5:30 in the morning each day to begin 8 hours of tough physical exercises." And now that she has a job in the circus? "I practise an acrobatic move over and over again before I'm ready to perform it." I ask her if she has any regrets. She answers me without the least hesitation: "No, I was made for this life."

**Which performer (1-4)**

a) refuses to answer one of the interviewer's questions?
b) feels grateful to their audience?
c) performs in a particular spot each day?
d) owes some of their success to a technique used by someone else?
e) lives in a quiet place?
f) mentions the tough training they undertook?

## X. *Match the responses (a-e) with the situations. One response is extra (4 points )*

АЛГОРИТМ:

- ответов больше чем заданий!!!
- внимательно соотносить задание и ответы, проверить на повтор
- если есть повторы, пересмотреть пункты
- записать ответ

1 Would you mind moving your car, please?
2 Mind the window!
3 Was there any mail?
4 I'm sorry, I didn't mean to break your favourite mug.

a) No, none at all.
b) Never mind.
c) Nothing much.
d) No, not at all.
e) We won't break it.

1……. 2……. 3……. 4…….

## XI. *Listen to the conversation about the human body. For questions 1-10, complete the sentences with a word or short phrase in each gap.*



АЛГОРИТМ:

- аудирование первый раз слушают БЕЗ ЗАДАНИЙ
- прослушать текст и попытаться запомнить как можно больше деталей, особое внимание: цифры, имена (важен не перевод, а основной смысл – задания все равно другими словами написаны)
- посмотреть задания и попробовать их выполнить на основе запомненной информации
- для себя отметить те фрагменты, которые нужно внимательно «выслушать» в тексте
- прослушать второй раз
- выполнить задание



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1) Only one tenth of the cells in your body are really you. The rest are …….. .
2) An experiment found that animals that did not have bacteria …….. or had to have a special diet.
3) There are …….. octillion cells in the human body.
4) Most of the atoms in the human body are just empty …….. .
5) Without the empty space, you could fit your body inside a box measuring …….. of a centimeter either side.
6) You would be much too small to …….. .
7) Mites are really small creatures, like …….. .
8) They live in eyelashes and …….. .
9) Only about …….. per cent of people have mites.
10) Mites eat dead …….. .



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