

Próbna matura

SŁUCHANIE

Zadanie 1. (0–5)

Usłyszysz dwukrotnie wywiad z wielbicielem kostki Rubika. Zaznacz znakiem X, które zdania są zgodne z treścią nagrania (T – True), a które nie (F – False).

		T	F
1.1.	The woman discovered something by accident.		
1.2.	Jim didn't know what the Rubik's cube was when he was younger.		
1.3.	Jim's father bought him a Rubik's cube for practice.		
1.4.	Jim says that the Rubik's cube is his most time-consuming hobby.		
1.5.	Jim encourages people to practice solving the cube as fast as possible.		

Zadanie 2. (0-4)

Usłyszysz dwukrotnie cztery wypowiedzi związane z fotografowaniem. Do każdej wypowiedzi (2.1.–2.4.) dopasuj odpowiadające jej zdanie (A–E). Wpisz rozwiązania do tabeli.

Uwaga: jedno zdanie zostało podane dodatkowo i nie pasuje do żadnej wypowiedzi.

This speaker

- A. talks about a photo exhibition he/she visited.
- B. gives advice on how to photograph food.
- C. invites listeners to enter a photo competition.
- D. gives an opinion about the camera he/she uses regularly.
- E. explains how an unusual photo was taken.

2.1.	2.2.	2.3.	2.4.

Zadanie 3. (0-6)

Usłyszysz dwukrotnie sześć tekstów. Z podanych odpowiedzi wybierz właściwą, zgodną z treścią nagrania. Zakreśl jedną z liter: A, B albo C.

Tekst 1.

3.1. Which is true about the art classes?

- A. You must be a beginner to take part in them.
- B. They never last longer than two hours.
- C. People can attend them twice a week.

Tekst 2.

3.2. Tom usually gets the news from

- A. TV.
- B. the Internet.
- C. printed newspapers.

Tekst 3.

3.3. Why did Peter decide to publish his book?

- A. He wanted to become famous.
- B. He was grateful to the hospital staff.
- C. He needed money for his brother's rehabilitation.

Tekst 4.

3.4. What is the main attraction on the island nowadays?

- A. the museum
- B. the rocks
- C. the birds

Tekst 5.

3.5. In this shop customers

- A. can join a bike club.
- B. can learn how to build minibikes.
- C. don't have to pay for certain services.

Tekst 6.

3.6. The conversation takes place during

- A. an English lesson.
- B. a history lesson.
- C. a maths lesson.

Zadanie 4. (0-4)

Przeczytaj tekst. Dobierz właściwy nagłówek (A–F) do każdej części tekstu (4.1.–4.4.).

Wpisz odpowiednią literę w każdą kratkę.

Uwaga: dwa nagłówki zostały podane dodatkowo i nie pasują do żadnej części tekstu.

- A. You'll make new friends
- B. You'll have a chance to learn a new language
- C. You'll do more sightseeing
- D. You'll spend money on things that interest you
- E. You'll get to dictate your own schedule
- F. You'll be forced to do things that scare you

THE BENEFITS OF SOLO TRAVELLING

4.1.	
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Traveling alone gives you the rare chance to spend some time on your own terms and stick to your budget since you're the one who decides what to eat and what accommodation to pick. By cutting such costs you're able to save up for the things that you have always wanted to do, such as trying an extreme sport or staying in unusual places.

4.2.	
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Just because you arrive on your vacation alone doesn't mean you need to spend your entire trip solo. For many people, it's easier to meet somebody without their companions breathing down their neck. In that way you'll leave your vacation with amazing memories of both the place you visited and the people who made your stay special.

4.3.	
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On a solo vacation you'll have to do things alone in order to enjoy the place you're exploring. Facing your fears is just one of those parts of being an adult, whether that means learning to speak up when you have to or negotiating a price of something. And that's just what you'll find yourself doing over and over when you're on vacation by yourself.

4.4.	
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While traveling with friends can be fun, it doesn't allow you to do things at your own pace. If you travel on your own, you're in total control of your day. Don't like eating lunch at 1 p.m.? No problem, you can eat it at 3, like you always wanted. You can wake up and go to bed at whichever hour suits you and you don't have to pay attention to somebody else's plans.

adapted from www.solvibrations.org

Zadanie 5. (0-3)

Przeczytaj trzy teksty związane ze sztuką. Z podanych odpowiedzi wybierz właściwą, zgodną z treścią tekstu. Zakreśl literę A, B albo C.

Tekst 1.

MEETING IN A GALLERY

"Now then," Matthew said, "our business is to sell paintings. I haven't been in this business for very long, so I need somebody to help. You just sit here when I go out. If somebody comes in and wants to buy a painting, the prices, including special offers, are all listed in here. Don't let a painting out of the gallery until the client has paid. If they want to pay by cheque, tell them that they can collect the painting when we get the payment."

"Anything else?" Pat asked.

He looked around, as if searching for ideas, and said, "You could catalogue the paintings properly."

adapted from 44 Scotland Street by Alexander McCall Smith

5.1. Matthew informs Pat about

- A. her duties at the gallery.
- B. a new promotion offered to clients.
- C. the gallery's most valuable paintings.

Tekst 2.

AN AMAZING FIND

A stolen painting has been found under a deckchair on a beach in southern France. The painting was discovered by a beach cleaner who worked for the local council. A spokesperson for the police said: "We think that the thief stopped off to rest in the sun. He probably placed the picture under the deckchair and forgot about it." The painting entitled *A Sunlit Room* shows an empty room with a pair of chairs in the sunshine. In 2008 the painting was bought by a private collector from Switzerland but it went missing together with a few other works of art during a burglary in late autumn last year.

www.articlesbase.com

5.2. The stolen painting

- A. was found by a holidaymaker.
- B. shows a sunny beach in summer.
- C. belonged to a collector from abroad.

Tekst 3.

The storm clouds began to overtake the sky, but we figured we could fit in one more ride. The line moved slowly. The clouds darkened and grew denser while my son finally got his place on the rollercoaster. And then it started to rain. Several minutes later, he came back to us. We learned he was aboard for that last ride and nearing the top of the first hill when the rain started. They had no choice but to let the ride run. He said it was awesome except for the rain hitting him like a thousand needles in the face. He was wide-eyed, but unharmed and fearless. We bought him a souvenir shirt so he'd have something dry to wear the rest of the day.

adapted from <https://midlife Crisis Crossover.com>

5.3. The boy was riding a rollercoaster

- A. without his parents.
- B. in his new T-shirt.
- C. just after the rain.

Zadanie 6. (0-5)

Przeczytaj tekst. Z podanych odpowiedzi wybierz właściwą, zgodną z treścią tekstu. Zakreśl literę A, B, C albo D.

EXPERIENCE OF A LIFETIME

Charlotte Freeman, who competed in the reality show *Shipwrecked*, has just returned home and is waiting impatiently to watch the programme with her family. The 18-year-old from Gainford spent the last 20 weeks on a tiny, mile-wide island in the Pacific. Charlotte broke down in tears when her team lost the prize of £70,000 but she says she would do it all over again. She also thanked the producers and all the participants for making it the adventure of a lifetime.

"Now that I'm back I would advise going on it to anyone," she says, "but I had a hard time at the beginning. When you go out there you don't know anybody. You know you're going to be filmed 24 hours a day but at first it's a nuisance; it took me four days to get used to it. But eventually the cameramen turned out to be a great support during the show. I really met some absolutely amazing people along the way, and I don't mean only the people on my team. For instance, Katie Rose is now my best friend although we were competing against each other in the show." And when journalists ask Charlotte in what way the experience has changed her, she answers "I don't think I have changed a great deal but I'm more relaxed now, less worried about what people think of me and more independent. I have a different perspective on life. I know that you shouldn't escape from problems, you have to face them and find a way out. And I'm not going to wait for others to make decisions for me. I want to make the most of life and *Shipwrecked* has certainly given me the confidence to do so."

Charlotte was enthusiastically welcomed on her return to Gainford. Her friends had put up posters with her photo on them all around the town and organised a huge surprise party with her family, friends and neighbours present. "It was a nice thought," Charlotte says. "There were so many people. The show has just started on TV and I already feel like a star. I'm glad that they chose such a nice photo for the posters! Now I can't wait to see the opening episode of the show which my mum recorded. I wonder how our life on the island is presented on screen."

www.teesdalemercury.co.uk

6.1. In the first paragraph we learn

- A. how much money Charlotte has won.
- B. how long Charlotte was on the island.
- C. who inspired Charlotte to take part in the show.
- D. why Charlotte regrets she was in the programme.

6.2. During the first few days on the island, Charlotte

- A. met somebody she knew well.
- B. had a quarrel with the cameramen.
- C. had to change the team she was on.
- D. felt uncomfortable with the cameras around.

6.3. On the island Charlotte learned

- A. not to take decisions in a hurry.
- B. not to trust other competitors.
- C. to solve problems on her own.
- D. to depend on other people.

6.4. When Charlotte came back to her hometown, she

- A. saw a picture of herself in the streets.
- B. organised a surprise party for her friends.
- C. decided to go on a long trip with her family.
- D. watched a recording of the first episode of the show.

6.5. The text presents

- A. the story of television reality shows.
- B. a town where a popular reality show was made.
- C. a reality show which brought tourists to Gainford.
- D. somebody who has become famous because of a reality show.

Zadanie 7. (0-3)

Przeczytaj tekst, z którego usunięto trzy zdania. Wpisz w każdą lukę (7.1.–7.3.) literę, którą oznaczono brakujące zdanie (A–E), tak aby otrzymać spójny i logiczny tekst.
Uwaga: dwa zdania zostały podane dodatkowo i nie pasują do żadnej luki.

FREEING THE WHALES

In 2012, the movie *Big Miracle* was released. It is a must-watch for anyone who loves nature and action. The movie is based on a real-life drama set in a small Alaskan village.

In October 1988, the eyes of the world turned towards Point Barrow, Alaska, as in the nearby bay three grey whales were surrounded by ice. They had stayed behind the rest of the whales to find more food and hadn't noticed that it was time to leave. 7.1. ____ Normally they would have died, as hundreds of others do every year. But one short piece of TV news saved them.

NBC was the first to show the pictures of the whales in danger. America immediately fell in love with them, so they had to be saved. The rescue became the top story on the evening news. 7.2. ____ As a result, everybody got involved in rescuing the whales: local people, Greenpeace, oil companies and the government. When they realised that all these efforts were not enough to save the animals, the United States asked the government of the Soviet Union for help. 7.3. ____ On October 28th, one of them created a path large enough for the whales to escape.

adapted from www.nytimes.com

- A. Journalists sent to the village didn't know how to help them either.
- B. Meanwhile, their route back to the open ocean had rapidly frozen over.
- C. But the whales were too scared and didn't want to co-operate with them.
- D. It was even more important than reports from the Presidential election campaign.
- E. In reply to the request, two ships were sent to break the ice and free the animals from the frozen bay.

Zadanie 8. (0-5)

Przeczytaj tekst. Z podanych odpowiedzi wybierz właściwą, tak aby otrzymać logiczny i gramatycznie poprawny tekst. Zakreśl jedną z liter: A, B albo C.

MEMORY MIRROR

Three stores in San Francisco have a special kind of mirror that lets people compare what they look like in different clothes without actually 8.1. _____. The mirror, which is called the Memory Mirror, has been made by a small company from California.

In fact it is a giant video screen and a camera that records an eight-second video of a shopper in the fitting room. The mirror lets shoppers see 8.2. _____ in the clothes from all angles as they turn around in front of the camera. It remembers what the customers 8.3. _____ so far. Besides, it allows them to see the clothes they're wearing in different colours. The highlight of the mirror is the 'split screen'. This means shoppers look at their live image on the left 8.4. _____ of the mirror and at one of the pre-recorded images on the right, and compare them. The video recording is protected by a password and can be emailed. It allows shoppers to 8.5. _____ a decision about what to buy with the help of family and friends, even if they're not in the store.

adapted from www.cbsnews.com

8.1.

- A. setting them up
- B. turning them down
- C. putting them on

8.2.

- A. ourselves
- B. himself
- C. themselves

8.3.

- A. have tried on
- B. try on
- C. will try on

8.4.

- A. page
- B. side
- C. hand

8.5.

- A. make
- B. hold
- C. offer

Zadanie 9. (0-5)

W zadaniach 9.1.–9.5. wybierz tę opcję, która jest tłumaczeniem fragmentu podanego w nawiasie, poprawnie uzupełniającym lukę w zdaniu. Zakreśl jedną z liter: A, B albo C.

9.1.

- The cinema is next to the police station. You can't _____ it.
 - If we don't hurry, we'll _____ the bus.
- A. pass
 - B. catch
 - C. miss

9.2. We needn't blame (siebie) _____ for this mistake.

- A. our
- B. ours
- C. ourselves

9.3. How much time (spędziłeś) _____ with your cousin in London last summer?

- A. have you spent
- B. did you spend
- C. had you spent

9.4. She'll watch a romantic comedy with her boyfriend (chyba że) _____ there is a football match on TV.

- A. on condition
- B. unless
- C. till

9.5. Their music (staje się) _____ more and more popular these days.

- A. is staying
- B. is getting
- C. is moving

Zadanie 10. (0-10)

W czasie pobytu w Anglii, zauważyłeś/łaś ulotkę sygnalizującą zbliżającą się trasę koncertową Twojego ulubionego wykonawcy, ale nie podającą żadnych szczegółów. Napisz list do organizatorów tej trasy. Zapytaj o szczegóły dotyczące:

- rozpoczęcia trasy koncertowej i długości jej trwania
- miejsca, gdzie odbędą się koncerty i ich przewidywany czas
- ceny biletów i możliwości ich zakupu;
- możliwości zakupu płyt wykonawcy lub innych elementów z nim związanych.

Rozwiń swoją wypowiedź w każdym z czterech podpunktów, pamiętając, że jej długość powinna wynosić od 80 do 130 słów (nie licząc słów w zdaniach, które są podane). Oceniane są: umiejętność pełnego przekazania informacji (4 punkty), spójność i logika wypowiedzi (2 punkty), bogactwo językowe (2 punkty) oraz poprawność językowa (2 punkty). Podpisz się jako XYZ.

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Dear Sir/Madam,

I have just seen a leaflet on a concert tour of my favourite band.

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