Контрольная работа № 1

Письменная часть

I. **Listen to five people talking about their holiday. Match each speaker to the correct heading. There are two extra headings. You will hear the speakers twice. Fill in your answers in the table below (5 points max.)**

A. On the beach
B. Better things to do
C. A fascinating tour
D. Ready to eat
E. How long to wait?
F. Out in the cold
G. Different from my friends

Speaker 1 (Woman 1)	Speaker 2 (Girl)	Speaker 3 (Man 1)	Speaker 4 (Woman 2)	Speaker 5 (Man 2)

II. **Read the text. Are the statements true, false or not stated (4 point max.)**

The Appalachian Trail is a track which extends from Springer Mountain in the state of Georgia, in the south of the United States, travels through several other states and ends in the northern state of Maine at Mount Katahdin. The trail is fairly recent in origin. In 1921 Massachusetts forester Benton MacKaye had the idea of connecting a series of farms and wilderness camps for city dwellers to enjoy. Two years later the first section was opened.

At around 2,178 miles long, the Appalachian Trail is America's longest marked footpath. It takes about 5,000,000 footsteps to walk the entire length of the trail. It is also home to more than 2,000 rare, threatened and endangered species of plant and animal life. The trail has more than 250 shelters and camp sites available for walkers. The shelters are about a day's walk apart and are often near a water source. Walkers can also take their own tents if they do not wish to use one of the shelters. One of the largest animals on the trail is the American black bear which inhabits all the regions covered by the Appalachian Trail. However, the black bear usually avoids humans and is easily frightened away by loud noises. There are other dangers along the trail, including poisonous rattlesnakes, which are commonly found in the state of Connecticut.

You can take your pet dog with you but it must be on a lead at all times. Similarly, fires can only be lit in certain areas, usually near the shelters along the way. Additionally, no cars, bicycles or horses are allowed in the wilderness areas. Walkers are encouraged to take their rubbish home; continued observation of these simple rules will help protect the beauty of the Appalachian Trail for everyone to enjoy.

1. Appalachian Trail exists only in two states.

1 True 2 False 3 Not stated

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2. Walkers must stay in a shelter.

1 True 2 False 3 Not stated

3. Rattlesnakes pose a hazard to walkers on the trail.

1 True 2 False 3 Not stated

4. Fires can only be lit at night.

1 True 2 False 3 Not stated

III. **Put the verb in the Present Continuous or the Present Simple (6 points max.)**

1. How often_____(*you/use*) your car? Every day?
2. Sarah is tired. She_____ *(want*) to go home now.
3. I _____(*read*) a lot of science fiction this year.
4. I'm sorry, I _____(*not/understand*). Can you speak more slowly?
5. What time _____ (*your father/finish*) work every day?
6. We _____ (*work*) hard at the moment.

IV. **There are five wrong sentences. Find and correct them(5 points max.).**

1. My friend never is reading science fiction.
2. His granny visits he every summer.
3. Ann has got a ticket and she is going to catch the train in two hours.
4. More girls are playing football these days.
5. My uncle regularly speaks English for his job.
6. My grandfather stays with us this week.
7. We are doing to meet outside the stadium at 5 o'clock.
8. Alice is going to teach German in a university.
9. Do you sometime going to a theatre?

V. **Read the mini-dialogues. Transform direct questions into indirect. Complete the gaps in the answers with suitable words (10 points max.)**

1. How do you prefer to travel?
   - _____
   - By train. It's comfortable and doesn't take too much time. For example, my _____ from Moscow to ST. Petersburg takes just 4 hours.
2. – Why are you smiling?
   - _____
   - I'm always in a good mood – I'm a very _____ person.
3. – Where does your family usually stay on holiday?
   - _____
   - It depends. It can be a hotel or a room to rent. It can be hard to find _____ when you are on holiday.
4. What kind of music do you like?
   - _____
   - As for me, I'm absolutely _____about jazz and pop.
5. What does your brother do about the house?
   - _____
   - He washes up and cleans his room. That's how he earns his _____

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