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The Thief and the Bell

Once in a faraway city there lived a thief. One day he decided to steal a bell. The bell was very beautiful, but very large and heavy. So, to make it A _____ to carry, the thief tied it to his back.

After the first few steps the thief heard the bell ringing. The sound B _____ very loud. The thief was worried that the people in the city would hear the bell ringing and know that somebody C _____ it away.

The thief took off his shirt, tore it to smaller pieces and put them in his ears. Then he started walking again. Now he could not hear D _____. "I am the smartest man alive," he thought to E _____ as he walked.

- A**
1. easiest
 2. easier
 3. more easier
 4. the easiest

- B**
1. was
 2. is
 3. were
 4. did

- C**
1. has carried
 2. was carried
 3. was carrying
 4. carry

- D**
1. nothing
 2. something
 3. thing
 4. anything

- E**
1. him
 2. his
 3. himself
 4. he

Word List

Прочитайте текст и заполните пропуски 12-16 подходящими словами из списка 1-7. Два слова в этом списке лишние.

The Neglinka River

There are several rivers in Moscow. The Moskva River, the Yauza River and the Setun' River are the biggest ones. But there is another big river in Moscow which nobody can see because it is hidden under the ground — the Neglinka River. When Moscow was A _____ founded, it was built where the Neglinka met the Moskva River. So, B _____, the Kremlin was surrounded by these two rivers. The Neglinka was very C _____ and people enjoyed fishing in it. But at the beginning of the 19th century, a tunnel was built for this river. Instead of the river, there is now a street called Neglinka. Today, if you want to D _____ the Neglinka River, it is possible to go on a special underground excursion. Many tourists E _____ this excursion under the very centre of Moscow. But you have to be older than 18 years of age to do it.

Several -
несколько
To hide -
прятать
To be founded
- быть
основанным
To be
surrounded -
быть
окруженным
Excursion -
экскурсия

1. clean
2. first
3. enjoy
4. look
5. once
6. see
7. fun

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Moscow Zoo

Many people enjoy going to the zoo. The Moscow Zoo is one of A _____ places to go to with children on the weekend or over the school holidays. It is located in the very center of Moscow, next to the Garden Ring and the Moscow Planetarium. The Moscow Zoo B _____ in 1864 by professors of Biology from the Moscow State University. It was rather small at first. In 1926, an additional territory was added to the zoo, and in 1990, the zoo C _____ even larger. There are over 5,000 birds and animals living in the zoo now, including elephants, giraffes, kangaroos, tigers and lions. Some people not only D _____ the zoo, but also help the zoo take care of its animals. It is possible to choose an animal and become E _____ sponsor. Sponsors usually pay 50% of the cost of the food that the animal needs.

- D**
1. visit
 2. visits
 3. are visiting
 4. is visiting

- E**
1. hers
 2. his
 3. it's
 4. its

- A**
1. the better
 2. best
 3. the best
 4. better

- B**
1. was opened
 2. was open
 3. was opening
 4. opened

- C**
1. become
 2. became
 3. was becoming
 4. has become

Word List

The Rooster and the Fox

One day, as the sun was setting, an old rooster flew up into a tree to sleep. Suddenly, a fox came up to the tree.

"Have you heard the wonderful news?" the fox asked very happily.

"What news?" asked the rooster.

"All the animals have decided to forget A _____ all their differences and live peacefully and happily B _____ eating each other. Come down, my friend, I want to hug you!"

"Great!" said the rooster, looking at the road that led to the tree.

"What are you looking at?" the fox asked.

"Oh, I C _____ some dogs running down the road towards us. They probably heard the good news and are coming to..."

The fox did not wait to D _____ more, he started to run. "Where are you going?" The rooster shouted after him, "The dogs are your friends now!"

"Yes," answered the fox, "But they might not have heard the news."

The rooster smiled to himself and went to E _____ .

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1. hear
2. see
3. about
4. without
5. look
6. sleep
7. run

Rooster - петух
 To fly up - взлетать
 To come up - подходить
 Peacefully - мирно
 To come down - спускаться
 To hug - обнимать
 To run down - бежать
 ВНИЗ

Word List