

Read the text below. For questions (39—48) choose the correct answer (A, B, C or D). Write your answers on the separate answer sheet.

One beautiful spring day a red rose blossomed in the forest. It (39) _____ its head and remarked, «It seems that I am the most beautiful plant in this forest». A sunflower raised its yellow head and asked, «(40) _____ do you say that? In this forest there are many beautiful plants. You are just one of them.» The red rose replied, «I see everyone looking at me and admiring me.»

Then the rose looked (41) _____ a cactus and said, «Look at that ugly plant full of thorns!» The pine tree said, «Red rose! Who can say what beauty is? You have thorns, too.»

The proud red rose looked (42) _____ at the pine and said, «I thought you had good taste! You do not know what beauty is at all. You cannot compare my thorns to those of the cactus.»

The rose tried to move its roots (43) _____ from the cactus, but it could not move. As the days (44) _____, the red rose would look at the cactus and say (45) _____ things, like: «This plant is useless» and «How sorry I am to be his neighbour».

Spring passed, and the weather became very warm. Life became difficult in the forest, as the plants and animals needed water and no rain (46) _____. The red rose began to wilt. One day the rose saw sparrows stick their beaks into the cactus and then fly away, refreshed. This was puzzling, and the red rose asked the pine tree what the birds were (47) _____. The pine tree explained that the birds got water from the cactus. «Does it not hurt when they make holes?» asked the rose.

«Yes, but the cactus does not like to see any birds suffer», replied the pine.

The rose opened its eyes in wonder and said, «Does the cactus have water?»

«Yes, you can also drink from it. The sparrow can bring water to you if you ask the cactus for help.»

The red rose felt too ashamed of its past words and behaviour to ask for water from the cactus, but then it finally did ask the cactus for help. The cactus kindly agreed and the birds filled their beaks with water and watered the rose's roots. Thus the rose learned a lesson and never judged anyone by their (48) _____ again.

	A	B	C	D
39	turned	tuned	tube	turning
40	What	Why	Which	How
41	on	for	at	after
42	angrily	angry	angrilly	anger
43	to	for	forward	away
44	went	came	got	passed
45	offensive	hurt	upset	disappoint
46	fall	falling	fell	fallen
47	do	did	done	doing
48	appearance	appear	appearing	appeal

Read the texts below. For questions (49—58) choose the correct answer (A, B, C or D). Write your answers on the separate answer sheet.

ICE SCULPTURE FESTIVAL

Ice Sculpture Festival (49) _____ place in a picturesque Belgian town of Bruges that always tries to offer some new and innovative experiences to its visitors. There you (50) _____ visit the World's First Digital Ice Art Museum. It has an amazing combination of works by 40 artists, 3,000 ice blocks, 100 projections and 523 m² LED Wall — all in one Ice Palace. And for (51) _____ an experience Bruges is the place to go. Besides, you can enjoy (52) _____ annual event — the Ice Sculpture Festival. Every year it gathers artists from all over the world, who turn the town of Bruges (53) _____ Winter Wonderland. The fascinating snow and ice sculptures represent characters from different stories.

	A	B	C	D
49	gets	participates	has	takes
50	can	are able	ought	suppose
51	so	such	same	some
52	other	another	others	other's
53	on	in	into	for

SCHOOL STRIKE FOR CLIMATE

Recently school children across the globe (54) _____ a movement called *School Strike for Climate*. (55) _____ of going to school, students gather to participate in a protest against the climate changes. The movement (56) _____ in August 2018 when a photo of student Greta Thunberg standing outside Sweden's government and holding a sign that read: «School strike for climate» went viral on social media. At present the movement (57) _____ worldwide. In 2019, strikes have taken place across Europe, North America and Australia.

Many scientists, politicians and teachers congratulated the students for their activism. (58) _____, not everyone is on the students' side. Australia's leader called for «more learning in schools and less activism».

	A	B	C	D
54	have started	has started	had started	started
55	Until	Unless	Instead	Interestingly
56	begin	began	begun	begined
57	is growing	was growing	will grow	grow
58	Although	Whereas	During	However