# CGE Practice | Task 960

**Раздел 1 (задания по аудированию)**

*Вы услышите четыре коротких текста, обозначенных буквами **A, B, C, D.***
*В заданиях **1–4** запишите в поле ответа цифру **1, 2** или **3**, соответствующую выбранному Вами варианту ответа.*
*Вы услышите запись дважды.*

**1. It took the girl a long time to travel from...** **Ответ:**
1) Austria
2) Hong Kong
3) Australia

**2. The hotel guest asked to ...** **Ответ:**
1) let her leave her luggage in the luggage room till 5 or 6 p.m. next day.
2) let her stay till 5 or 6 p.m. next day.
3) check her out.

**3. The girl was advised to use .... to find the books she required.** **Ответ:**
1) the librarian's assistance.
2) other visitor's help
3) the electronic catalogue

**4. The man is looking for ...** **Ответ:**
1) sportswear
2) a good sports bag.
3) a sleeping bag and a tent

***5.** Вы готовите тематическую радиопередачу с высказываниями пяти разных людей, обозначенных буквами **A, B, C, D, E.** Подберите к каждому высказыванию соответствующую его содержанию рубрику из списка **1–6.** Используйте каждую рубрику из списка только один раз.*
*В списке есть **одна лишняя рубрика**. Вы услышите запись дважды.*

**1.** Personal style
**2.** Favourite item
**3.** Personal choice
**4.** Designer clothes
**5.** Inexpensive clothes
**6.** Party clothes

***Запишите в таблицу выбранные цифры под соответствующими буквами.***

| Говорящий | A | B | C | D | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Рубрика | | | | | |

***6 - 11.** Вы помогаете своему другу, юному радиожурналисту, проанализировать подготовленное им для передачи интервью. Прослушайте аудиозапись интервью и занесите данные в таблицу.*
*Вы можете вписать **не более одного слова** (без артиклей) из прозвучавшего текста.*
*Числа необходимо записывать буквами.*

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| **6** | Date of birth | _____,2nd, 2004 |
| **7** | The best present for birthday | _____ |
| **8** | The exam he/she is going to take | _____ |
| **9** | The job he/she would like to do in the future | _____ |
| **10** | Grandmother's profession is | _____ |
| **11** | The school subject he/she is good at | _____ |

**Раздел 2 (задания по чтению)**

**12.** *Вы проводите информационный поиск в ходе выполнения проектной работы. Определите, в каком из текстов **A–F** содержатся ответы на интересующие Вас вопросы **1–7**. Один из вопросов останется без ответа. Занесите Ваши ответы в таблицу.*

1. **BAD SMELLING BUT ATTRACTIVE**
2. **FIT AND ACTIVE**
3. **NATURAL WONDERS**
4. **VERY MUCH ISOLATED**
5. **A BIT OF HISTORY**
6. **MET NOWHERE ELSE**
7. **DIVERSITY OF NATURE**

**A.** New Zealand is a country of islands located in the Pacific Ocean. The North Island and the South Island are the main ones, and there are numbers of small ones, some of which are hundreds of kilometers from the main islands. The country's nearest neighbour is Australia, which lies more than 1,600 km northwest of New Zealand. It's never very hot or very cold in New Zealand because it is surrounded by water. Summer and winter temperatures in most places differ by less than 10°

**B.** New Zealand has another name, Aotearoa, which means 'the land of the long white cloud' in Maori language. The first Maori settled in New Zealand about a thousand years ago. They came from Polynesia and were excellent sailors and warriors. When the Dutch explorer Abel Tasman came to New Zealand in 1642, Maori warriors fought off his sailors and he was unable to land! It was Abel Tasman who gave the country its present name. Zeeland means 'Sea Land' in Dutch.

**C.** New Zealand has got it all — snowcapped mountains, sleeping and active volcanoes, fast-flowing rivers, green forests and peaceful lakes with crystal clear water. You can spend a whole day by some lake or river and be the only person there. There are places in this beautiful land that have never felt a human footstep.

**D.** The isolation of New Zealand from other lands allowed the survival of animals and plants from the time of the dinosaurs. Ancient tree ferns, plants that produce spores rather than seeds, and primitive relatives of pine trees still grow in the forests. The ancient silver fern can be found only in New Zealand. It can be 10 metres high or more! Many sports teams in New Zealand use this plant as an emblem.

**E.** With its mild climate and a lot of rivers, lakes and mountains, New Zealand is a great place for sports. Thrill-seekers can go surfing, diving, rafting, mountain biking and so on. Zorbing and bungee jumping, two of the most exciting sports in the world, were invented in New Zealand. New Zealand is also one of the leading nations in world yachting, especially open-water long distance or round-the-world races.

**F.** New Zealand is a land of volcanoes. Most of them are sleeping, but some are active and you can see steam and smoke coming from them! The largest and most active volcano is the White Island volcano. The whole place smells of rotten eggs, and you can hear a roaring sound — like the growl of a living creature — coming from beneath the ground. The White Island volcano last erupted — without warning — in 2000. In spite of the terrible smell it is a popular tourist attraction. Walking through the crater is like being on another planet!

***Запишите в таблицу выбранные цифры под соответствующими буквами.***

| Текст | A | B | C | D | E | F |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Вопрос | | | | | | |

*Прочитайте текст. Определите, какие из приведённых утверждений **13–19** соответствуют содержанию текста (**1 – True**), какие не соответствуют (**2 – False**) и о чём в тексте не сказано, то есть на основании текста нельзя дать ни положительного, ни отрицательного ответа (**3 – Not stated**). Запишите в поле ответа цифру **1, 2** или **3**, соответствующую выбранному Вами варианту ответа.*

**LIVERPOOL AND THE BEATLES**

On Wednesday 24th October 1962, Love Me Do, entered the British Top Thirty. It was the first single by an unknown group from Liverpool called the Beatles. It was the first of a number of big hits that would make John Lennon, Paul McCartney, George Harrison and Ringo Starr the most successful pop group the world has ever known.

However, the road to success was not always easy. John and Paul had spent many afternoons listening to American stars like Chuck Berry and Elvis Presley before they were able to write the famous Lennon and McCartney songs.

Although the long evenings spent playing in hot nightclubs in Liverpool and Hamburg in Germany had not earned them much money, they found the experience very useful when playing to huge audiences later on.

Not only was their style of singing new and exciting but their unusual haircuts and crazy sense of humour immediately became the latest fashion.

One of the most important people at the start of their careers was Brian Epstein, a Liverpoolian record-dealer. He managed to change four ordinary working-class lads into international superstars. George Martin, their record producer, encouraged them to introduce all kinds of unusual instruments on their records and combine popular and classical styles in a new and original way.

During the 1960s, the Beatles were always in the news headlines; films, world tours and sometimes scandal. John once suggested that the Beatles were better known than Jesus Christ. This caused hundreds of young Americans to burn their Beatle records. In addition some people thought there were hidden messages about drugs in some of the songs.

After a decade of successful music and films, the Beatles finally decided to break up in the early seventies, after public disagreements about money and personalities.

Although many fans hoped there would be a reunion throughout the 1970s, this became impossible with the tragic murder of John Lennon in New York in 1980.

The surviving Beatles are still deeply involved in musical and film projects, but many fans still long for the music of the 60s.

**13. *Love Me Do* was the first song written by the Beatles.**

1) True 2) False 3) Not stated **Ответ**:

**14. Chuck Berry and Elvis Presley helped The Beatles write their songs.**

1) True 2) False 3) Not stated **Ответ**:

**15. The Beatles' fans were attracted by the novelty of their music and appearance.**

1) True 2) False 3) Not stated **Ответ**:

**16. The Beatles made themselves international stars without any help.**

1) True 2) False 3) Not stated **Ответ**:

**17. The relations of the four singers were not always smooth.**

1) True 2) False 3) Not stated **Ответ**:

**18. John Lennon's tragic death put the end to The Beatles.**

1) True 2) False 3) Not stated **Ответ**:

**19. The remaining singers are still popular all over the world.**

1) True 2) False 3) Not stated **Ответ**:

**Раздел 3 (задания по грамматике и лексике)**

*Прочитайте приведённый ниже текст. Преобразуйте слова, напечатанные заглавными буквами в конце строк, обозначенных номерами **20–28**, так, чтобы они грамматически соответствовали содержанию текста. Заполните пропуски полученными словами.*
*Каждый пропуск соответствует отдельному заданию **20–28**.*

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| **20** | The easiest way to understand the nation is to read the books of _____ authors. | **IT** | |
| **21** | How can we imagine British _____ without that special humor of British writers! | **PERSON** | |
| **22** | This humor_____ make you laugh, but smile! | **NOT CAN** | |
| **23** | Of course, the most well-known playwright of British literature _____ William Shakespeare. | **BE** | **20** |
| **24** | But at the end of the 19th century the Irish author, Oscar Wilde successfully_____ the traditions of British drama. | **CONTINUE** | **21** |
| **25** | As for American literature, it is_____ than British. It started only in the 17th century. | **YOUNG** | **22** |
| **26** | A famous American writer of the 18th century, Benjamin Franklin is considered by Americans as_____ founding father. | **THEY** | **23** |
| | Another outstanding American writer is Ernest Hemingway. He is one of the most famous writers of | | **24** |
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| **27**<br>**28** | the_____ century. In his books we can see that to win, a man has to learn to win _____ first. | **TWENTY**<br>**HE** | **27**<br>**28** |

*Прочитайте приведённый ниже текст. Преобразуйте слова, напечатанные заглавными буквами в конце строк, обозначенных номерами **29–34** так, чтобы они грамматически и лексически соответствовали содержанию текста. Заполните пропуски полученными словами.*
*Каждый пропуск соответствует отдельному заданию **29–34**.*

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| **29** | Washington D. C. is _____ for its National Mall which includes eleven museums and galleries which belong to the Smithsonian Institution. | **FAME** | |
| | The Smithsonian Institution is named after British scientist James Smithson. He left his wealth to his nephew Henry Hungerford; however, when | | **29** |
| **30** | Hungerford died _____ in 1835 he left everything to the United States of America. | **CHILD** | **30**<br>**31** |
| | Five other Smithsonian museums and the | | **32** |
| **31** | _____Zoo are also located in Washington. | **NATION** | **33** |
| | The National Air and Space Museum holds the | | |
| **32** | largest _____ of historic aircraft and spacecraft in the world. It was established in 1946, as the National | **COLLECT** | **34** |
| **33** | Air Museum and opened its main _____ in 1976. | **BUILD** | |
| **34** | The museum is _____ famous among American children and every American boy dreams of going there. | **WIDE** | |

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