



ГРАММАТИКА 17-25 (OGE) - 5

Michael could not imagine his life without computers. His parents _____ him his first computer at the age of seven.	BUY
It took _____ several days to learn how to use it.	HE
His mum said that younger people were much _____ than adults at learning computer skills.	FAST
That was probably true – most _____ in Michael's class were very competent computer users.	CHILD
Michael was really surprised to find out that the first personal computer _____ in the 70s of the last century.	INVENT
"And how did you chat or send your e-mails without computers?" he asked his mother.	
She smiled: "We _____ each other e-mails. And there were no networks."	NOT/SEND
She also said that it _____ fun to communicate face-to-face, to play out-of-doors and to visit friends' homes.	BE
"But if there _____ no computers, I wouldn't be able to communicate with my friends who live far away from me," Michael replied.	BE
"True. Technological progress is a great thing," his mother said. "And I think people _____ even more amazing communication devices in the near future."	CREATE



ГРАММАТИКА 17-25 (OGE) – 6

Kitty lived next door to me and we'd been friends since childhood. We studied at the same school and _____ there together.	WALK
I was sixteen and she was four years _____ than me.	YOUNG
But we had a lot in common and enjoyed chatting on _____ way to school.	WE
Every morning Kitty knocked on my door and I had to be ready by that time – she _____ waiting for me.	NOT/LIKE
One day she didn't knock. When I caught up with her at the bus stop, she _____ a magazine and didn't even look at me.	READ
I _____ understand what was going on.	NOT/CAN
"Hey, Kitty, what's wrong? Why aren't you talking to _____?"	I
"You yourself know why," Kitty said angrily.	
"No, I don't. I wouldn't ask you if I _____."	KNOW
"You went to the cinema with Lisa Parker yesterday," Kitty was almost crying. I felt puzzled and didn't know what to say. The two _____ at the bus stop looked amused at our conversation and didn't hide their smiles.	WOMAN

ГРАММАТИКА 17-25 (OGE) – 7

The phone woke Kim up. She answered the call almost immediately, after the _____ beep, because she expected her mother to call. But it wasn't her.	THREE
The voice on the other end of the line sounded familiar but Kim _____ remember who it belonged to.	NOT/CAN
"Hello," the lady said. "Can I speak to Mrs. Len?"	
"I'm sorry but she's not at home. She's out. She _____ in the park."	WALK
It was very cold out-of-doors and everything _____ in snow but Kim's mother walked in all weathers.	COVER
She believed that it _____ her keep fit and gave her extra energy. She actually looked younger than other _____ of her age and that was probably because of her walking.	HELP WOMAN
"Can I take a message?" Kim asked politely.	
"No. I _____ her later. When is she going to be back?"	CALL COME
"She normally _____ home at five."	
"Fine," came the answer and the phone went dead.	
Kim felt a bit hurt. "It's not polite to break off a conversation like that," she thought to herself. If I _____ older, I would explain to that lady how to talk to people politely."	BE

ГРАММАТИКА 17-25 (OGE) – 8

Anna was glad that the academic year was about to finish. Like most _____ she was looking forward to the summer but not because she wanted to relax.	CHILD
Her plans _____ ambitious. Anna wanted to buy a professional digital camera and it wasn't easy to save enough money.	BE
Anna had already chosen the model she wanted. Her dad said that he _____ her the camera in a couple of years.	
But Anna _____ wait so long, she needed it right then.	GIVE NOT/CAN HAVE
"If I _____ it now, I would be able to take part in the Professional Photograph Competition.	
Everyone says I've got talent," she said to herself, looking at the magazine where an article about the competition _____.	PUBLISH TWO
While she was reading the article for the _____ time, a brilliant idea came to her – why not take up a summer job as a photographer?	
She reached for the phone and dialed the number of the _____ photography agency in the town.	LARGE
"Hello, can I help you?" the woman's voice sounded encouraging and Anna _____ that she probably had a chance.	THINK