



ЧАСТЬ А

Прочитайте текст. Выберите один из предложенных вариантов ответа

Hi Lucia

How are you? It (A1) ... so nice to meet you last week in Sydney at the sales meeting. How was the rest of your trip? Did you see any kangaroos? I hope you got home to Mexico City OK. Anyway, I have the documents about the new Berlin offices. We (A2) ... to be open in three months. I (A3) ... here from London just last week. They (A4) ... very nice offices, and the location is perfect. There are lots of restaurants, cafés and banks in the area. There's also public transport; we are next to an U-Bahn (that is the name for the metro here). Maybe you can come and see them one day? I (A5) ... to show you Berlin, especially in the winter. You said you (A6) ... snow - you will see lots here! Here is a photo of you and me at the restaurant in Sydney. That (A7) ... a very fun night! Remember the singing Englishman? Crazy! Please send me any other photos you have of that night. Good memories.

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| A1 | was | is | have been | were | had been |
| A2 | are going | will go | were gone | have been gone | was going |
| A3 | had come | come | was coming | had been coming | came |
| A4 | have been | were | will be | would be | are |
| A5 | will love | love | would be loved | had loved | would love |
| A6 | never saw | are never seen | have never seen | had never been seen | had never seen |
| A7 | will be | was | had been | is | has been |

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It was only minus 28 degrees Celsius when we landed (A8) ... Irkutsk. But that was cold enough to make breathing an effort — the air felt like ice as it scraped the back (A9) ... my throat. Five minutes later, I needed a second pair of gloves and pulled my scarf tight (A10) ... my nose and mouth. I was obviously a beginner (A11) ... this. (A12) ... the petrol station, Mikhail the attendant laughed when we asked if he wasn't freezing. He'd spent the whole day outside with no more than his fur hat and a sheepskin coat for warmth.

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| A8 | on | in | for | of | to |
| A9 | of | at | on | for | out of |
| A10 | over | without | off | out of | away |
| A11 | in | on | out of | under | at |
| A12 | to | at | during | for | of |

Прочитайте текст. Выберите подходящий вариант ответа

(A13) In ... 1950s, Central American commercial banana growers were facing the death of ... most lucrative product, the Gros Michel banana, known as Big Mike.

(A14) With its easily transported, thick-skinned and sweet-tasting fruit, the Gros Michel banana plant dominated ... plantations of ... Central America.

(A15) United Fruit, ... main grower and exporter in South America at ... time, mass-produced its bananas in the most efficient way possible: it cloned shoots from the stems of plants instead of growing plants from seeds.

(A16) While the operation was ... huge success for the Latin American industry, the Cavendish banana itself is far from ... safe.

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| A14 | —; the | —; — | a; a | the; the | the; — |
| A15 | —; the | the; an | the; — | the; the | the; a |
| A16 | the; an | the; the | the; a | —; the | a; — |

Прочитайте предложения. Выберите один из предложенных вариантов ответа

A17 ... thousands of ecojobs must be created.

3 dozens of Dozen Dozen of Dozens Dozens of

A18 His delegation hoped that, ... existing financial constraints, those measures would be effectively implemented.

so that despite since for so as



Прочитайте предложения. Укажите номер подчеркнутого фрагмента, в котором допущена ошибка

A19 There (1) have been several cases of (2) influenza (3) and the number (4) are rising (5).

Фрагмент:

A20 The lessons cost me (1) over (2) five hundred of dollars (3), but (4) I consider them a good investment (5).

Фрагмент:

A21 The trip (1) to St. Petersburg (2) won't take place (3) unless enough people (4) don't sign for it. (5).

Фрагмент:

A22 If you did (1) a bit (2) more exercise (3), you'd be (4) fitter (5).

Фрагмент:

A23 There was(1) my interest in gardens (2) that (3) led me to (4) study (5) biology.

Фрагмент:

A24 The competition has got off (1) to (2) a disappointed start (3) as far as the British (4) are concerned (5).

Фрагмент:

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One of the most difficult decisions is choosing what to do for a (**A25**) For example, do you want to follow a definite (**A26**) ..., and (**A27**) ... a low (**A28**) ... at the beginning, but have good (**A29**) ...in a company that trains its (**A30**)...? Or are you more interested in taking any kind of work, because you need a/an (**A31**) ...? You may have to (**A32**) ... the fact that a good job can be difficult to find.

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| A25 | salary | work | living | employee | benefit |
| A26 | wages | business | training | company | career |
| A27 | see | earn | win | take | gain |
| A28 | money | cheque | salary | class | profit |
| A29 | futures | prospects | fills | hopes | promotions |
| A30 | classmates | employers | crew | staff | persons |
| A31 | income | falls | money | account | cash |
| A32 | go over | come up with | call off | face up to | call for |

Прочитайте диалог. Ответьте на вопрос, следующий после диалога, выбрав один из предложенных вариантов ответа.

Rosie: Teacher, you'll be giving your lesson next week, won't you?

Teacher: The week after, darling.

A33 What does Teacher mean?

He gave it two weeks ago.

He plans to give it next week.

He is going to give it now.

He will give it in three weeks.

He will give it in two weeks.

Выберите ответную реплику, подходящую по смыслу к предложенной реплике-стимулу

A34 How do you do?

I hope not

How do you do?

Let me see. Had you really?

I am great

I am OK

Установите соответствие между репликами-стимулами 1—4 и ответными репликами А—Е. Выберите один из предложенных вариантов ответа. Одна ответная реплика (А—Е) является лишней

1. I thought it was a great movie.

A. What of it?

2. Are you dating with her?

B. It's just the other way round.

3. I decided to leave my job.

C. It's none of your business.

4. He is older than she.

D. In theory.

E. It's your choice.

A35 1B2C3E4A

1B2D3C4A

1E2C3A4D

1B2E3D4A

1E2A3C4D



LIVEWORKSHEETS



A39 Why is the word «dance» used in the 3rd paragraph?

- that animals and humans were close
- that it was complex and not simple to understand
- there were two active partners

A40 What probably attracted cats to human settlements?

- other cats
- warmth
- food

Определите значение указанного слова в тексте

A41 succeeded in (§ 3)

- inherited from
- involved in
- managed to

A42 taming (§ 4)

- abandoning
- domesticating
- involving

Заполните пропуски A43—A45 одним из предложенных текстовых фрагментов (1—4). Один фрагмент является лишним.

In the Himalayas there's an old Sherpa saying that, «There is a Yeti in the back of everyone's mind; only the blessed are not haunted by it.» **(A43)** Despite numerous sightings, photos and footprints of often questionable origin, there has never been conclusive proof that these creatures exist. **(A44)** And this week, geneticists at the University of Alberta are putting the legend to the test as they scrutinise hair alleged to have come from Bigfoot. The results are due on Thursday. The hair was collected by residents in Teslin, Yukon, who claim to have found it in a massive footprint left behind by a 3m-tall human-like creature which walked through their gardens earlier this month. Wildlife geneticist Dave Coltman expects that the hair will have come from a known mammal such as a bear or bison, but says he is curious enough to test this theory. «If Bigfoot is indeed a primate, then we would expect the sample to be closer to humans or chimpanzees or gorillas. **(A45)**..... »

1 Many cultures have legends about solitary man-beasts, and recorded sightings in North America and Asia date back to the early 1800s.

2 Juvenile delinquency refers to antisocial or illegal behavior by children or adolescents and is considered a serious problem all over the world. It is caused by social, economic and cultural factors.

3 No droppings, no bones, no hair and no bodies found — alive or dead.

4 One generalization that can be made across the spectrum of privatization models is that whenever a resource is labelled a commodity, the objective to sell it for a profit invariably undermines the aquatic ecology of the source.

5 That would be kind of cool, wouldn't it?

Заполните пропуски A46—A48 одним из предложенных текстовых фрагментов (1—4). Один фрагмент является лишним.

Regardless of his findings, the myth of Bigfoot does not need hard facts to persist. The creatures are real enough to those who say they have spotted them, but opinion is divided on the nature of the beast. **(A46)** Ralph Gray Wolf, an Athapaskan Indian from Alaska, has told reporters that Sasquatch makes appearances to help troubled communities «get more in tune with Mother Earth», bringing a message that there is a need to change. Nor are such creatures confined to the vast, isolated tracts of land in North America and Asia — in the UK, such legends date back centuries. **(A47)** In their week in the wooded, lakeside park, six of the party spotted the so-called Beast of Bolam. Richard Freeman, of the Centre for Fortean Zoology centre, says one of his colleagues was among the witnesses. «What they saw was not Bigfoot, or Sasquatch as I prefer to call him; it was an enormous shadowy figure in the trees, more like a ghost than flesh-and-blood. In a park not far from a city centre, you're not going to get a nine-foot ape-like creature — England doesn't have the habitat to support it.» **(A48)** "I don't mean that these are the ghosts of some creature which has died; I think it is more complex than that."

1 His theory is that sightings such as this — and Scotland's Big Grey Man of Ben MacDhui and the Grey King in Wales — are of a paranormal being.



2 Prior to developing policy recommendations a review of the existing literature was conducted, as well as a close examination of the 'Water for life: Action plan' published by the Province of Alberta.

3 Two years ago, investigators and the media descended on Bolam Lake, near Newcastle, following a spate of sightings of a tall, shadowy figure over the previous 18 months.

4 Information campaigns should be planned that youth to be aware of the detrimental effects of violence on the family, community and society, to teach them how to communicate without violence.

5 Some say it is flesh-and-blood; others, including various Native American tribes, believe it to be a spirit being which appears to humans in times of crisis.

ЧАСТЬ В

Прочитайте текст. Выберите подходящее по смыслу слово из предложенных. Помните, что каждое слово может быть использовано только один раз и что заданную форму слова необходимо изменить.

In his time as a (B1-PROFESSION) monster hunter, Mr Freeman has travelled the world gathering tales of weird and (B2-WONDER) creatures — and in every culture, the same types crop up time and again. He calls it the «international monster template», which is made up of dragons and other huge reptiles; large ape-like (B3-CREATE), such as Sasquatch and the trolls of Medieval Europe; little people, such as fairies and goblins; giant birds; and phantom dogs and cats. «I believe these are equivalents of the creatures which inhabited the plains of Africa millions of years ago, which our ancestors would have had to deal with. We now have a fossil (B4-MEMORABLE) of these creatures. Under certain conditions, the human mind creates 3D images of these equivalents.»

Прочитайте текст. Заполните каждый из пропусков только одним словом, подходящим по смыслу. Слово должно содержать не более 15 символов

Sceptics such (B5) Benjamin Radford, of the Skeptical Inquirer magazine, also believe that such sightings are our minds playing tricks (B6) us. For it is actually very easy (B7) fool ourselves into believing what we want to believe. What often happens, he has said, is that out in the wilderness, in areas known (B8) Bigfoot locations, someone will see something dark or hairy or fast out of the corner of their eye that startles them.

Прочитайте текст. Выпишите по два лишних слова порядке их предъявления в тексте.

B9 The plates are in very slow but constant motion, so that seen from above, the Earth's surface might look like a slowly moving spherical jigsaw puzzle. The plates move at rates of the 2 to 15 cm or several inches in a year, about so as fast as our fingernails grow.

Ответ:

B10 On a human scale, this is a rate of movement that only the most sophisticated instruments can detect. But on the scale of geological time, it's a dizzying speed. At this rate, those almost-four-billion-year old rocks where could have traveled all the way around the Earth for eleven times.

Ответ:

Переведите на английский язык фрагмент предложения, данный в скобках

B11 We haven't (сделал) our research.

B12 How (насчёт) going out for a walk tomorrow?

ЧАСТЬ С

(задания нового образца)

Прочитайте текст. Преобразуйте, если необходимо слова, данные в конце строк так, чтобы они грамматически соответствовали содержанию текста:



When we think something is difficult or (C1- THREAT), negative feelings and thoughts can lead to negative actions. By being(C2-UNAWARE) of our feelings, we can learn to accept them and to deal with them better. Mindfulness (C3-ACTIVE) like meditation can increase our awareness of our emotional state and help us calm negative thoughts.

Our brains often try to make sense of negative events by (C4-CREATURE) a story around the situation. For example, if Stella openly(C5-AGREEMENT) with us in a meeting, we might tell ourselves that she doesn't like us and was looking for the opportunity to make us feel (C6-COMFORT) in front of the boss. We tell ourselves this story until it feels real, even though it's likely that the reality is quite different.

Прочитайте текст, выпишите из каждой строки слово, которое является лишним:

- C7 Greater Good Magazine from Berkeley, at the University of California,
C8 suggests that expressive writing – writing freely about an issue for 20
C9 minutes, putting your much deepest thoughts and feelings on paper. As
C10 we write, the process forces us to face with our thoughts honestly and
C11 helps us find new understanding. Writing can but also help us think more
C12 positively about so difficult experiences. Once we have explored the
C13 negative side of something, another technique involves by making a list of
C14 the positive aspects of the situation. A study found out that people who
C15 did this activity every day for three weeks felt themselves more positive,
C16 especially the negative thinkers, who had reported feeling less depressed.

Прочитайте текст, заполните каждые из пропусков только одним, подходящим по смыслу словом:

Being kind to yourself is also about looking after your physical health. (C17)
sure you get enough sleep, plenty of exercise and healthy food can help reduce the stress you
..... (C18) feeling.
The stress, worry and emotional pain that life brings can (C19) challenging.
But if we work on building our resilience and getting the support we need to do so, we can
gradually learn to deal with these difficult circumstances and, (C20) the
process, become stronger.