

23. Which one doesn't not fit: «a gang of...».
А) hooligans. Б) thieves. В) workers. Г) sheep. Д) kids.

24. Match the sounds with their cause:

1) *scream*; 2) *gasp*; 3) *cheer*; 4) *moan*; 5) *snort*.
a. *with enthusiasm*; b. *with contempt*; c. *with surprise*;
d. *with pain*; e. *with terror*.

А) 1e-2c-3a-4d-5b. Б) 1d-2c-3a-4b-5d. В) 1c-2e-3b-4a-5d.
Г) 1e-2b-3a-4c-5d. Д) 1d-2e-3a-4c-5b.

25. The British Queen has two birthdays. On her official birthday there is a special ceremony called ...

А) Swan-Upping. Б) the Royal Ascot.
В) The Changing of the Guard. Г) Trooping the Colour.
Д) The Garter Ceremony.

26. Which of these is not politically correct?

А) Afro-American. Б) red neck. В) senior citizen.
Г) hearing impaired. Д) disabled.

27. Match the words to form «pair-phrases»:

1. *Safe and...*; 2. *Spick and...*; 3. *Down and*; 4. *Tooth and*; 5. *By and...* .
a) *nail*; b) *sound*; c) *large*; d) *span*; e) *out*.

А) 1b-2d-3e-4a-5c. Б) 1d-2c-3a-4b-5e. В) 1c-2e-2b-4a-5d.
Г) 1b-2e-3a-4c-5d. Д) 1d-2e-3a-4c-5b.

28. Which of the following nouns is singular?

А) analyses. Б) criteria. В) phenomenon. Г) strata. Д) theses.

29. Mrs. Jones was Miss Smith before she got married. «Smith» is her ...

А) pen-name. Б) first name. В) pet-name.
Г) nickname. Д) maiden name.

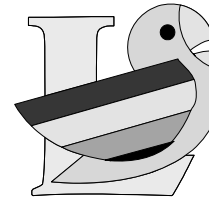
30. Which of the following words is not synonymous with the others?

А) neigh. Б) zero. В) love. Г) nil. Д) nought.

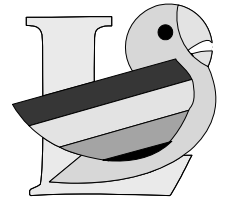
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**Задания по английскому языку
для учащихся 10(11)-11 классов**

Задания с 1 по 10 оцениваются по 3 балла

1. 'Intelligent' means...
А) stupid. Б) well-behaved. В) good at learning and reasoning.
Г) sensitive. Д) weak.
2. Please, state your name, age, address and...in the space below.
А) work. Б) job. В) occupation. Г) profession. Д) career.
3. «A seven-year sentence» means...
А) a sentence it took seven years to write.
Б) an old-fashioned expression. В) seven miles long.
Г) a punishment. Д) a very long sentence.
4. The girl ...a red coat when she
А) was to wear, disappeared. Б) wore, disappeared.
В) was wearing, disappeared. Г) was wearing, was disappearing.
Д) has been wearing, disappeared.
5. When Maria told me she was my long lost twin I was taken... .
А) aware. Б) awash. В) asleep. Г) awake. Д) aback.

6. If two people are engaged, they
A) are married. B) are divorced. B) are very busy.
Г) have agreed to marry. Д) are separated.

7. The letter ...open on the table.
A) lay. B) laid. B) lied. Г) lie. Д) lain.

8. «Complexion» means...
A) inner world. B) figure. B) skin colour.
Г) collection. Д) something difficult.

9. A: I'm sorry, we sold the last ticket just ten minutes ago.
B:
A) Better luck next time! B) Just my luck! B) Oh, what luck!
Г) I can't believe my luck. Д) It's pure luck!

10. He is bilingual in
A) Belarusian, Russian and Polish. B) playing billiards.
B) speaking his second language. Г) Arabic and French.
Д) many languages.

Задания с 11 по 20 оцениваются по 4 балла

11. If your mind *goes blank*, you are
A) going mad. B) absent-minded. B) suddenly unable to remember smth.
Г) forgetful. Д) not good at remembering facts.

12. For years a secret shame destroyed my peace –
I've not read Eliot, Auden or MacNeice.
But now I think a thought that brings me hope:
... .. had Chaucer, Shakespeare, Milton, Pope.
A) Neither. B) No. B) None. Г) Nothing. Д) Never.

13. What do you call food that is neither warm nor cold?
A) cool. B) hot. B) chilly. Г) lukewarm. Д) spicy.

14. What are traditional sandwiches served for the five o'clock tea in Britain?
A) courgette sandwiches. B) tomato sandwiches.
B) cucumber sandwiches. Г) cauliflower sandwiches.
Д) onion sandwiches.

15. Identify the word which is misspelled:
A) precede. B) succeed. B) concede. Г) exceede. Д) proceed.

16. Their business is *in the red*.
A) It is making profit. B) It is bankrupt.
B) It is taken over by another company.
Г) It is getting new clients. Д) It is illegal.

17. Two of these phrase are wrong. They are
1) *there is each likelihood*; 2) *beyond a doubt*;
3) *in all probability*; 4) *there is no doubt*;
5) *there is all chance*.
A) 2, 5. B) 1, 3. B) 1, 5. Г) 1, 4. Д) 2, 3.

18. HMS stands for... .
A) Her Majesty's secret. B) Help My Soul. B) How many servants.
Г) How much salt! Д) Her Majesty's ship.

19. Which of them was not a Prime Minister?
A) Winston Churchill. B) Wilfred Owen. B) Margaret Thatcher.
Г) Neville Chamberlain. Д) Robert Walpole.

20. The leader of the Civil Rights Movement was.
A) Ronald Reagan. B) Martin Luther King. B) John Kennedy.
Г) Abraham Lincoln. Д) Bill Clinton.

Задания с 21 по 30 оцениваются по 5 баллов

21. If I ... you were coming, I ... the others to stay a little longer so that you ... everything to them. This way they ... what you before you ... to Glasgow.
A) had known/would have asked/ could explain/would have understood/had been doing/ moved.
B) would have known/would ask/ could have explained/would understand/had been doing/ would move.
B) had known/would have asked/ could explain/would understand/had been doing/ moved.
Г) had known/would ask/ could explain/would understand/had been doing/had moved.
Д) would have known/would have asked/ could explain/would have understood/had been doing/ moved.

22. Acrophobia means
A) fear of pain. B) fear of blood. B) fear of germs.
Г) fear of closed spaces. Д) fear of high places.