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Вариант 1

ИНСТРУКЦИЯ:

Выполните предложенные ниже задания и перенесите свои ответы в БЛАНК ОТВЕТОВ. В заданиях 1–37 ответ состоит из буквы, соответствующей выбранному Вами варианту ответа. В заданиях 38 и 39 ответ состоит из последовательности букв и цифр, которые записываются без пробелов, запятых и других дополнительных символов (например: A3B2C6D1E4F5). В заданиях 1–37 каждый правильный ответ равен 1 баллу. Задание 38 оценивается в 7 баллов, задание 39 – в 6 баллов. Итого максимально возможное количество баллов за тест – 50.

Часть 1

Прочитайте приведённые ниже тексты и выполните задания 1–15, выбрав подходящий по смыслу вариант ответа, обозначенный буквой A, B, C или D.

Snakes

Snakes are beautiful but dangerous animals. That is why there are a lot of myths about them and their behavior. Many people think snakes enjoy (1) ___ to music. People (2) ___ this myth for a long time. In fact, snakes (3) ___ music or sounds and react only to your movements. Isn't it amazing?

- 1 A to listen B listening C listen D be listening
- 2 A believe B believed C have believed D have been believing
- 3 A do not hear B not hear C are not hearing D did not hear

A lucky chance

Everybody knows Sofia Kovalevskaya. She was the (4) ___ woman to become the professor of mathematics. However, few people (5) ___ that Sofia (6) ___ interested in mathematics at a very early age. There (7) ___ enough wallpaper for her room and her parents put some sheets of paper instead. (8) ___ sheets turned out to be notes of lectures of a famous Russian mathematician.

- 4 A one B the first C the only D an only
- 5 A know B knew C knows D have known

- 6 A got B had got C has got D gets
- 7 A is not B were not C was not D not was
- 8 A that B this C those D these

1984 by George Orwell

They did not return to the subject until they (9) ___ in bed for half an hour. The evening was just cool enough to make it worthwhile to pull up the counterpane. From below (10) ___ the familiar sound of singing and the scrape of boots on the flagstones. The brawny red-armed woman whom Winston (11) ___ there on his first visit was almost a fixture in the yard. There seemed to be no hour of daylight when she (12) ___ to and fro between the washtub and the line, alternately gagging herself with clothes pegs and breaking forth into lusty song. Julia had settled down on her side and (13) ___ to be already on the point of falling asleep. He reached out for the book, which was lying on the floor, and sat up against the bedhead. "We must (14) ___ it," he said. "You too. All members of the Brotherhood have to read it." "You read it," she said with her eyes shut. "Read it aloud. That's the best way. Then you can explain it to me as you go." The clock's hands said six, meaning eighteen. They had three or four hours ahead of them. He (15) ___ the book against his knees and began reading.

- 9 A had been B were C was D being
- 10 A had come B came C was coming D did come
- 11 A seen B saw C had seen D was seeing
- 12 A had been marching B had marched C marched D was marching
- 13 A seemed B seems C was seemed D had seemed
- 14 A to read B read C to reading D have read
- 15 A had propped B propped C was propping D propping

В заданиях 16–25 выберите подходящее по смыслу слово, обозначенное буквой А, В или С.

16. I've never really been _____ in politics.
A interested B amused C confused
17. Do something _____ before going to bed – read a book or take a hot bath.
A exhausting B boring C relaxing
18. Kate seemed _____ by his funny jokes.
A embarrassed B amused C worried
19. Paul's face was filled with _____.
A angry B anger C hot
20. Firefighters were beaten back by the intense _____ and smoke.
A hot B heat C fame
21. The motorway should aid the _____ of new business in the area.
A creativity B creature C creation
22. _____ is the process of doing something, especially in order to achieve a particular thing.
A action B activity C acting
23. The length of time that a person or animal is expected to live is called life _____.
A expectation B expectancy C expect

24. My aunt did not marry until late in life in spite of her _____ .
A attraction **B** attractiveness **C** attract
25. The island has a _____ of about 78000 people.
A popularity **B** popular **C** population

В заданиях 26–30 образуйте с помощью суффикса или приставки новое слово в скобках так, чтобы оно подходило по смыслу. Выберите один из вариантов, обозначенных буквой А, В или С.

26. Important (environment) problems were raised at the conference last month.
A -al **B** -ic **C** -ary
27. Don't touch that snake! It's (poison)!
A -y **B** -ous **C** -ary
28. She regularly donates part of her salary to help (home) people and animals.
A -al **B** -less **C** -y
29. We tried to stay away from (versial) topics at the dinner party.
A contro- **B** anti- **C** de-
30. These drawings represent a selection from a larger (exhibit).
A -ment **B** -hood **C** -ion

Часть 2

Прочитайте текст и выполните задания 31–37, выбрав один из вариантов ответа, обозначенный буквой А, В, С или D.

Shirley was preparing to leave her friend Caroline for the night when Caroline's guardian and uncle, Mr Helstone, entered. He seemed to be upset. "I'm glad you haven't gone, Shirley", he said. I need a favour from you." Caroline joined them, expecting a lecture on their absence from church that morning.

"I shall not sleep at home tonight", her uncle continued. "I have just met an old friend and promised to go to his home. I shall return about noon tomorrow. Now..."

Shirley interrupted him, pleased that Mr Helstone was ready to place his trust in her. "I understand", she said. "Do you want me to stay in the house and watch over your niece and maids while you are away?"

As it was growing late, the arrangements were made quickly, and the girls agreed not to separate. Mr Helstone's reason for making these arrangements was that he knew riots were possible that evening. "If there should be any trouble in the night, if you should hear the picking of a lock, the breaking of glass or the sounds of steps in the house, what would you do? I am not afraid to tell you, that such incidents are very possible in the present time. So, tell me, how would you behave?" "I don't know", replied Shirley light-heartedly. "Perhaps I would faint – fall down and have to be picked up again!" She laughed, then requested and received the loan of a pair of pistols, and Mr Helstone went on his way.

The two girls ate supper, then moved to some seats in the bay window. They were silent, listening to any noise or disturbance. Every window and door was locked and bolted, but Shirley kept the pistol by her side, and gave Caroline a small, sharp knife. The two girls didn't want to go to bed, and sat silent for half an hour in a state of nervous excitement. The night was very still, and the air was clear.

Towards midnight the barking of the house dog disturbed their quiet wait. Shirley put out the candle so as not to be seen and leant cautiously out of the window.

There was a louder noise than the dog's barking – the sound of marching feet. They approached steadily. It was not the tread of two or even a dozen men; it was the tread of hundreds. The march stopped at the gate. There was silence.

From the angry voices, the girls realized that the group were planning some kind of attack on the house. Caroline trembled. She doubted if she would have the courage to use her weapon even if the need arose.

There was a pause. Then someone in the group dropped a weapon. The sound rang out on the stone drive and the dog barked again, furiously, fiercely. Alarmed, the troop resumed their march. Shirley turned calmly to Caroline and suggested that it was time for bed.

- 31 Mr Helstone appeared to be worried because
A Caroline and Shirley had not been to church that morning.
B he feared that Shirley had already gone.
C Caroline and Shirley were leaving.
D he had met an old friend.
- 32 Why was Shirley pleased?
A Mr Helstone was going away.
B Mr Helstone would return the following day.
C Mr Helstone had met an old friend.
D Mr Helstone believed he could depend on her.
- 33 Mr Helstone believed that
A there might be serious trouble that night.
B the girls should leave the house.
C the house was safe.
D there was someone in the house.
- 34 Shirley was
A likely to faint that night.
B inclined to ignore the possible danger.
C unprepared for the danger.
D unsure of what she would do.
- 35 The two girls
A wanted to go to bed.
B were too tired to sleep.
C talked to keep themselves from falling asleep.
D were too disturbed to go to bed.
- 36 Why did Shirley put out the candle?
A To stop the dog barking.
B So that no one would see her.
C Because she wanted to close the window.
D Because she wanted to go to bed.
- 37 Why did the troops march on?
A Because of the dog's angry barking.
B One of them had dropped a weapon.
C Shirley said it was time for bed.
D An alarm sounded.

В задании 38 установите соответствие между заголовками 1–8 и текстами A–G. Используйте каждую цифру только один раз. В задании один заголовок лишний.

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| 1. Just in time | 5. Reduced expectations |
| 2. Just in case | 6. Royal brother |
| 3. Eventful life | 7. Royal ancestor |
| 4. A curious case | 8. Double trouble |

A. I am a mother of identical, mirror-image boys – David and John. No one in the family but me can tell them apart. I am constantly amazed at how close they are. Once when they were babies David was ill, but

it was John who began crying wildly. I tried to calm John first since I was sure nothing was wrong with him. But he only cried louder. I finally gave up with him and gave some medicine to David – who really was unwell. As soon as John sensed his brother felt better, he immediately settled to sleep – like turning off a switch.

B. The 12 year old was playing near the Platte River in North Bend, Nebraska. The river was high and as the boy stepped in, the current pushed his legs away. He floated off, spinning in the powerful current. At the last possible moment before the rapids, his yells were heard by his dog. It jumped in, reached the boy and towed him ashore. Another second and the boy would have been away to certain death.

C. Armgaard Karl Graves, referred to in press reports as “the Glasgow Spy”, was convicted in Scotland under the Official Secrets Act (1911) for spying on the British Navy. He spent years successfully creating an identity as an Australian doctor and in Scotland “furthered” his medical training and even conducted important clinical experiments. But he was eventually caught by a suspicious post office worker as he sent and received post under a variety of assumed names.

D. Zsa Zsa Gabor was born in Budapest on February 6th, 1917. Now in her 90s she has had a long and varied life. She was a beauty queen and singer before becoming a famous screen actress. Latterly her fame grew from her many public appearances from the 1970’s onwards. She was married 8 times but only had one child with second husband, Conrad Hilton. Her last marriage to Frederic von Anhalt gave her honorary title Prinzessin von Anhalt.

E. “Who do you think you are” is one of my favourite TV programs. Each episode researches the family history of a celebrity, back into the mists of time. It gives them a sense, genetically speaking, of who they really are. In the UK there are good records of birth, marriages and death going back hundreds of years. One of the best episodes was on Boris Johnson, the Mayor of London. He was thrilled when he discovered he was directly related to King George II.

F. Paris Hilton is a famous socialite, media personality, actress, model and singer. In 2007 her grandfather Barron Hilton pledged 97% of his estate to a charitable foundation founded by his father. A value of more than 2 billion dollars was cited in press reports. Many now believe that Paris and the other grandchildren have had their potential inheritance sharply reduced. Others have commented that this news was unlikely to place severe limitations on her future life style.

G. Andy always travels well equipped for any potential possibility. He has a sewing repair kit and a small medical kit with aspirin, etc. These are, I suppose, perfectly sensible. But what about a ball of string, tape measure, masking tape, Swiss army penknife, disposable cutlery, disinfectant, dry bags and an inflatable back rest? Andy says you never know what might happen and it’s always best to be prepared.

38	A	B	C	D	E	F	G

В задании 39 прочитайте текст и заполните пропуски A–F частями предложений, обозначенными цифрами 1–7. Одна из частей в списке 1–7 лишняя. Занесите цифры, обозначающие соответствующие части предложений, в таблицу.

Reality TV

Reality TV seems to dominate broadcasting these days. But what is it, how did it emerge and why on earth is it popular? The first question is easily answered. Reality TV is **A** ____ unscripted, dramatic or humorous situations or events. It can involve celebrities **B** ____ of the public.

Reality TV has been gradually growing in importance for over 60 years. “Candid Camera” – the show that filmed ordinary people reacting to set ups and pranks – started in 1948. Some people, however, believe it was the Japanese with their awful shows in the 1980s and 90s **C** _____. Others believe that the television phenomenon that is called “Big Brother” was the show that spawned the reality TV age.

But why are the shows so popular? Different theories come to life. Some believe that it is due **D** _____ that we like to watch horrible behavior: the same instinct that once inspired the ancient Romans to go and watch gladiators destroy each other at the Coliseum. Others suggest a kind of voyeurism is involved there – an unhealthy curiosity to spy on other people’s lives.

Whatever the real reason – the trend seems to have already peaked. A lot of such shows **E** _____ or are expected to go in the near future. And the replacement seems to be talents shows – watching competitions in dance, singing and general entertainment. Does it mean that people are changing? It is too early to say. Most agree that these **F** _____.

1. to basic human instinct
2. is still early to judge
3. are simply the cycles of fashion
4. but more usually the stars are members
5. that brought reality TV to centre stage
6. a type of programme that presents
7. seem to have disappeared

39	A	B	C	D	E	F