# Всероссийская олимпиада школьников по английскому языку 2016-2017 уч. г. Муниципальный этап. 9-11 классы

## Keys:

## Listening – 18 баллов Reading and Use of English – 50 баллов Writing – 15 баллов Итого: 83 балла + Speaking (15 баллов) = **98 баллов** (максимально)

## Listening

## **Part 1 Situations**

- 1 C
- 2 B
- 3 B
- 4 A
- 5 C
- 6 A
- 7 A
- 8 A

# Part 2: Museum director

- 9 1973 / nineteen seventy-three
- 10 lighting / lights
- 11 four two nine / four hundred (and) twenty-nine / 429
- 12 age
- 13 leaf
- 14 (two) cows
- 15 eyes
- 16 monster
- 17 detailed
- 18 fish

## **Reading and Use of English**

#### Part 1: What is a coincidence?

- 1 C: The other words aren't followed by 'as',
- 2 D: The other words don't make sense in the context.
- 3 C: The other words aren't followed by 'of ',
- 4 A: must mean 'considering'
- 5 C: The other words don't fit the context.
- 6 D: must mean 'if, not'
- 7 B: collocates with 'into contact'
- 8 C: collocates with 'attention'

#### Part 2: The Mini-Monet

- 9 come: (verb) to complete the fixed expression
- 10 is: (verb) completes the sense
- 11 more: (determiner) to make a comparative form
- 12 ago: (adverb) to complete the time expression

| 13 from:        | (preposition) indicates origin          |
|-----------------|---|
| 14 would/could: | (modal verb) past tense indirect speech |
| 15 so:          | (linker) connects desires with actions  |
| 16 how:         | (adverb) linked to 'well'               |

## Part 3: Don't catch cold

| 17 | truth:         | adjective to noun                        |
|----|----------------|--|
| 18 | relationship:  | noun to abstract noun                    |
| 19 | unsuitable:    | verb to negative adjective               |
| 20 | absence:       | adjective to noun                        |
| 21 | inappropriate: | positive adjective to negative adjective |
| 22 | scientists:    | noun to plural noun                      |
| 23 | unfortunately: | positive adjective to negative adverb    |
| 24 | easily:        | adjective to adverb                      |
|    |                |  |

## Part 4:

- 25 not used to wearing
- 26 had never appealed to
- 27 were you I would make
- 28 not turn out to be
- 29 so that people could
- 30 you mind if I turned
- 31 could not/ couldn't help laughing
- 32 she had better go
- 33 took my advice
- 34 only I had not/ hadn't sent
- 35 has (great/much) trouble getting

# Part 5: 1984

**36.** The correct answer is **A**.

Paragraph 3: "He pushed his bowl aside, took up his hunk of bread in one delicate hand and his cheese in the other, and leaned across the table." This would suggest they are in a place where food is provided and they are chatting over lunch. However, the discussion is about work, which rules out options B and C and leaves us with the workplace cafeteria. The "noise" mentioned on line two rules out option B.

## **37.** The correct answer is **C**.

Paragraph 3: "He had brightened up immediately at the mention of Newspeak", in other words, he was very happy Winston had asked about his work. Also, Paragraph 5 "He continued speaking with a sort of pedant's passion." A pedant is someone who is too academic and concerned with rules and details. It isn't A as the text says he eats hungrily, but doesn't mention if he likes the food. B is incorrect as it is Syme who is doing the most talking. D is also incorrect since Syme leaned across the table in order to speak without shouting.

## **38.** The correct answer is **B**.

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Paragraph 6: "Of course the great wastage is in the verbs and adjectives." In other words, there are a lot of verbs and adjectives to be got rid of, so these will be targeted the most - but not just the adjectives, which rules out A. And while Syme says "there are hundreds of nouns that can be got rid of as well', we can infer that this number is not as significant as the "great wastage" of verbs and adjectives he alluded to, ruling out C. Syme also mentions that antonyms should be done away with, which excludes D as a possible answer.

## **40.** The correct answer is **A**.

**41.** The correct answer is **D**.

Paragraph 8: Syme comments on Winston's attitude: "I've read some of those pieces that you write...they're translations. In your heart you'd prefer to stick to Oldspeak, with all its vagueness and its useless shades of meaning." Winston is using Newspeak, but it is clear to Syme that he does not like it. Winston expresses neither excitement or disagreement in the conversation, eliminating answers A, B and C.

**42.** The correct answer is **B**.

Paragraph 10: Syme says to Winston: "Don't you see that the whole aim of Newspeak is to narrow the range of thought?" The language is simple and has a limited number of words in order to stop people from thinking at all.

**42.** The correct answer is **C**.

Last paragraph: "Every year fewer and fewer words, and the range of consciousness always a little smaller." He envisions that language will be so limited people won't be able to think at all. This is the opposite of choice A. Choice B is incorrect because the crimes in question are "thought crimes" which are not physical so cannot be violent. D is incorrect because people will not even "understand such a conversation as we are having now".

# Part 6: The Master Mimic

**44.** The correct answer is **F**.

The sentence before the gap mentions "upcoming holidays", choice E describes the writer on the way to Sidney, and, after the gap, the author describes the excitement of finally being there. So, choice E fits nicely in the sequence of the narration.

**45.** The correct answer is **H**.

Choice G ties the paragraph which it completes to the first sentence of the next paragraph, which repeats the same idea while adding more detail. "No sooner" in the following sentence means immediately, which is certainly not long to wait.

**46.** The correct answer is **E**.

The sentence before the gap mentions the Lyrebird's "spectacular plumage" which means amazing feathers. Choice D continues on the same topic – the bird's "bright, colourful feathers". The author says the feathers by themselves would have made the journey worthwhile, and the sentence after the gap indicates that, in spite of this, things were going to get even better.

**47.** The correct answer is **C**.

The next sentence contains the description of reaction to this behavior: "Mark couldn't contain his amusement at my reaction and let out a quiet chuckle".

**48.** The correct answer is **A**.

A reason is given for why they remained undetected. The male Lyrebird was completely absorbed in his performance and so didn't notice them.

**49.** The correct answer is **B**.

Here, Mark tells the author that the bird has fooled him with its song, which, as we learn after the gap, leads him to realise that what he was hearing was the bird and he was not actually being shot at.

**50.** The correct answer is **G**.

It makes sense that witnessing something extremely rare would be a very important moment in the author's career which is what the following sentence confirms.