

Всероссийская олимпиада школьников по английскому языку

Муниципальный этап

2022–2023 уч. г.

7–8 классы

Use of English

Time: 40 minutes

35 points

Task 1

Read the text below and choose the best answer for each space. The first one is done for you.

Example:

(0) A was moving                      B              move                      C              will move

Moving Day

Gina, Julius, and Eddy sat on Uncle Tim's living room floor. Uncle Tim (0) \_\_\_\_\_ across town, and the kids (1) \_\_\_\_\_ to decide how to work together to pack (2) \_\_\_\_\_ uncle's books.

"Julius, (3) \_\_\_\_\_ can start putting the books into boxes," Gina directed.

"No," Julius argued.

"I think Eddy (4) \_\_\_\_\_ do that. I'm the (5) \_\_\_\_\_ so it's best if I carry the boxes to the car (6) \_\_\_\_\_ Eddy has packed them."

"I (7) \_\_\_\_\_ to pack them," grumbled Eddy. "I want to watch TV."

"Too (8) \_\_\_\_\_, Eddy," said Gina. "(9) \_\_\_\_\_ job is to put the books into the boxes. Then I (10) \_\_\_\_\_ the boxes shut, and Julius will carry them out." "I have a (11) \_\_\_\_\_ idea," Eddy declared.

"Eddy!" Gina and Julius (12) \_\_\_\_\_ said as they stood up, annoyed with their brother.

"We (13) \_\_\_\_\_ you want to watch TV," Gina said, "but Uncle Tim (14) \_\_\_\_\_ your help today." "I *know*!" Eddy responded. "I want to help. How about (15) \_\_\_\_\_ you put the books into the boxes and I (16) \_\_\_\_\_ the boxes – but not with tape?" Eddy then dragged a box of books to (17) \_\_\_\_\_ center of the living room. He folded down the flaps on the top of the box in a clockwise order and finished by tucking half of the last one under the first one.

"(18) \_\_\_\_\_?" Eddy exclaimed. Gina crossed her arms and (19) \_\_\_\_\_ her eyebrows. "Fine. I guess I'll pack, (20) \_\_\_\_\_," she said.

Eddy smiled. He clicked the TV remote and waited for his sister to finish filling a box.

	A	B	C
1	will try	were trying	have tried
2	their	they're	there
3	you	you're	your

4	has	can	did
5	strong	stronger	strongest
6	before	after	while
7	don't want	not want	do want
8	bad	worse	worst
9	yours	you	your
10	tape	am taping	will tape
11	good	better	best
12	both	all	either
13	have known	know	will know
14	need	to need	needs
15	when	if	after
16	have closed	to close	close
17	a	the	-
18	See	Look	Watch
19	raised	rose	risen
20	there	than	then

## Task 2

**Pick up from the box a suitable word for each gap. There are four extra words you don't need to use.**

jacket	feet	shoes	night	trousers	nose	glove
mind	shirt	trouble	name	hat	nerve	tail

21. I love your new dress, it's such a beautiful colour and it fits you like a \_\_\_\_\_.
22. Elaine doesn't want anybody to know about her new job yet, so keep it under your \_\_\_\_\_.
23. She's so bossy. I think it's obvious who wears the \_\_\_\_\_ in her family.
24. I wouldn't want to be in Mike's \_\_\_\_\_ when his boss finds out he wasn't really sick last week.
25. If the deal goes wrong, he's going to lose his \_\_\_\_\_.
26. I'd better go and talk to her now before I lose my \_\_\_\_\_.
27. Technology is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the game these days, isn't it?
28. These kids seem to have a nose for \_\_\_\_\_. They're always getting into mischief.
29. She went to complain to the neighbours because recently they have been playing really loud music day and \_\_\_\_\_.
30. It took us hours to get home, the traffic was nose to \_\_\_\_\_.

<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>

### Task 3

**Complete the Home Rules with the verbs. The number of letters is indicated for each verb.**

**31.** If you sleep on it, (1) m \_ \_ \_ it.

**32.** If you wear it, (2) h \_ \_ \_ it.

**33.** If you empty it, (3) f \_ \_ \_ it in.

**34.** If it rings, (4) a \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ it.

**35.** If it cries, (5) l \_ \_ \_ it.

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## Writing

**Time: 40 minutes**

**15 points**

**You have been asked to write a review of a film/cartoon that you liked when you were a little child. You must:**

- give the name of the film;
- give the plot (сюжет) of the film in brief (вкратце);
- say what you liked about the film;
- say which character you liked best and why; - say who you would recommend the film to.

**You should write 100-110 words.**

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**Listening**

**Time: 10 minutes**

**10 points**

**You will hear a museum tour guide talking to a group of visitors. Complete the information. Use one word in each space. You will hear the text twice.**

**THE MUSEUM OF FILM**

**FACTS**

The Museum of Film was 1)\_\_\_\_\_ in 1989 by Prince Leo.

All the work in the museum is done by 2)\_\_\_\_\_.

The museum is funded by the 3)\_\_\_\_\_ and donations from the public.

Anna Lake's film Open Door was made when she was a 4)\_\_\_\_\_ in Residence here.

TODAY 11 a.m: Talk by Jim Bennett:

The way I 5)\_\_\_\_\_ it.

**WAX MODEL COLLECTION**

Have your 6)\_\_\_\_\_ taken with your favourite 'star'!

**BE A DIRECTOR IN THE STUDIO FOR FIVE MINUTES!**

All the mini films will be 7)\_\_\_\_\_ on the screen in the cafe.

Your 'mini' film 8)\_\_\_\_\_ be chosen to be included in the People's Film Project.

**NEW! THE REAL THING COLLECTION**

See 9)\_\_\_\_\_ and accessories which were used in famous films.

**NOTE:** Cinema 21 will be closed from 10 a.m. until 12 p.m. today while a new 10)\_\_\_\_\_ is installed.

**Transfer your answers to the answer sheet.**

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**Reading**

**Time: 30 minutes**

**25 points**

**Task 1**

**Read the text below. Then do the tasks that follow.**

**On the Move**

**A.** Dan and Sammy cannot believe that they have to move away from Florida. Florida is so awesome! They can play outside all day long – every day. It is almost always warm and sunny, and all of their friends live there. What will they do without Brendan, Bailey, John, Alexis, and Brian? They will never have such great friends again. Never!

**B.** However, Dan and Sammy are very excited for their dad. He has a great new job. The only problem is that the job is in New Hampshire. Sammy was not even sure where this state was located. After learning that it is way up north near Canada, both boys did get a little excited about playing in the snow. Sammy has always wanted to learn to ski, and Dan thinks playing ice hockey sounds like fun.

**C.** Dan and Sammy also like the location of New Hampshire. It is between Maine and Vermont and not far from Boston, Massachusetts. Quebec, Canada, borders this state on the north. Neither of the boys has ever visited this part of the country, so they are now looking forward to exploring a new area. If only their friends could come with them! Their parents have promised that they can visit their old friends over spring break and even go to Disney World. The boys think that moving to New Hampshire will not be so bad after all.

**I. In which paragraph can we find some information about the following?**

1. Sports that Dan and Sammy are interested in
2. Where the boys will spend their spring school holidays
3. The weather in Florida
4. The state where the boys live now
5. The reason why the boys will have to move to a different state
6. The climate in New Hampshire

1	2	3	4	5	6

**II. Answer the following questions:**

7. Which country besides the United States of America is mentioned in the text?
8. Which American city is mentioned in the text?
9. Of all the places mentioned in the text, which has the hottest climate?
10. Dan and Sammy want to go to Disney World. Where is this amusement park located? a) Florida  
b) New Hampshire  
c) Quebec

7	8	9	10

**III. There are five American states that are mentioned in the text. Find them and put them in the alphabetical order:**

11	12	13	14	15

- a) Florida
- b) New Hampshire
- c) Maine
- d) Vermont
- e) Boston
- f) Massachusetts
- g) Quebec
- h) Canada

## Task 2

**I. You are going to read an article about an English woman called Ellen MacArthur, the fastest and youngest person to sail around the world in a single-handed sailing race. Choose the most suitable heading A-H for each part (16-22) of the article. There is one extra heading which you do not need to use.**

- A** Unbelievable hardships and difficulties  
**B** Disapproval of reporting style  
**C** Success for someone so young  
**D** Braver than a man  
**E** Ellen MacArthur makes no fuss **F** Unknown sailor beats competition **G** She's so tiny!  
**H** Huge welcome home

**16** \_\_\_\_\_

Ellen MacArthur became front page news when, in 2001, she came second in the Vendee Globe round-the-world yacht race. Up until that point most people had never heard of her, even though at one stage during the race it had looked as if she might win.

**17** \_\_\_\_\_

The Vendee is the toughest race in the sailing world; others have died trying to complete the 26,000-mile course around Antarctica, but Ellen MacArthur spent three months at sea on her



own and succeeded at the age of twenty-four where many others, far older and more experienced, had failed.

**18** \_\_\_\_\_

She sailed alone in a yacht which would usually require an 11-strong crew. She changed sails twice her weight many times a day; she climbed 30 metre-high poles to carry out repairs to the sails in storm force winds; she lived on dried food and slept for no more than 10 minutes at a time; she escaped icebergs and stared death in the face more than once.

**19** \_\_\_\_\_

As her damaged yacht limped back to civilisation, thousands of people gathered on the shore to cheer her on. Her parents were flown out in a helicopter when she was 120 miles from the finishing line and were able to wave to their daughter before greeting her in an emotional reunion once she had arrived on dry land.

**20** \_\_\_\_\_

It was an extraordinary adventure story, but what made it all the more interesting for the media was the fact that the hero was a woman – and a small woman at that! Some newspapers presented her as ‘brave little Ellen’ and referred to her by her first name as if she were a child. Indeed, in many newspapers she was called a ‘girl’, and the reports described how she cried when she finally stepped off her yacht.

**21** \_\_\_\_\_

Ellen MacArthur has been recognised as the best oceangoing sailor that Britain has ever produced, so this kind of reporting seems particularly insulting and depressing. It is hard to imagine that a man who had achieved the same success would be referred to as a ‘sweet little thing’ or ‘Little Fairy of the Oceans’.

**22** \_\_\_\_\_

Ellen MacArthur’s courage and determination were amazing but she herself has remained modest about her achievement. For her it was all in a day’s work. In 1995 she had been judged Young Sailor of the Year and in 1998 Yachtsman of the Year, so taking on the Vendee Globe was the next natural step in her sailing career.

16	17	18	19	20	21	22

**II. Read the article again and complete these sentences using the words and expressions from it.**

**23** We've had to make some \_\_\_\_\_ decisions. (17)

**24** Nuclear war could mean the end of \_\_\_\_\_. (19)

**25** He's very \_\_\_\_\_ about his achievements. (22)

23	24	25