

ВСЕРОССИЙСКАЯ ОЛИМПИАДА ШКОЛЬНИКОВ ПО АНГЛИЙСКОМУ ЯЗЫКУ
(МУНИЦИПАЛЬНЫЙ ЭТАП)
ПИСЬМЕННЫЙ ТУР
возрастная группа 7-8 классы

Уважаемый участник олимпиады!

Вам предстоит выполнить письменные задания.

Время выполнения заданий письменного тура 90 минут.

Выполнение заданий целесообразно организовать следующим образом:

- не спеша, внимательно прочитайте формулировку задания;
- напишите правильный вариант ответа в бланке ответов;
- после выполнения всех предложенных заданий еще раз удостоверьтесь в правильности ваших ответов;
- если потребуется корректировка выбранного Вами варианта ответа, то неправильный вариант ответа зачеркните крестиком и рядом напишите новый.

Предупреждаем Вас, что:

- при оценке тестовых заданий, где необходимо определить один правильный ответ, 0 баллов выставляется за неверный ответ и в случае, если участником отмечены несколько ответов (в том числе правильный), или все ответы;
- при оценке тестовых заданий, где необходимо определить все правильные ответы, 0 баллов выставляется, если участником отмечены неверные ответы, большее количество ответов, чем предусмотрено в задании (в том числе правильные ответы) или все ответы.

Задание письменного тура считается выполненным, если Вы вовремя сдаете его членам жюри.

Максимальная оценка – 60 баллов.

ПИСЬМЕННЫЙ ТУР
LISTENING (6 points)

Time: 10 minutes

Questions 1-6

You will hear friends talking about their situations. For each question, choose the correct answer. You will listen to each situation twice. You will have one minute to finish the task. Mark the correct letters A, B or C on your Answer Sheet.

1. You will hear two friends talking about a new clothes shop. What does the girl say about it?
 - A The staff are helpful.
 - B It only has the latest fashion.
 - C Prices are reduced at the moment.

2. You will hear two friends talking about a pop band's website. They think the website would be better if
 - A its information was up to date.
 - B it was easier to buy concert tickets.
 - C the band members answered messages.

3. You will hear a woman telling a friend about an art competition she's won. How does she feel about it?
 - A upset that the prize isn't valuable.
 - B excited that the judges liked her picture.
 - C disappointed that she can't use the prize.

4. You will hear two friends talking about the girl's flat-mate. The girl thinks that her flat-mate
 - A is too untidy.
 - B talks too much.
 - C plays music too loud.

5. You will hear two friends talking about a football match. They agree that their team lost because
 - A the players weren't confident enough.
 - B they were missing some key players.
 - C the players didn't do the right training.

6. You will hear two friends talking about a tennis match they played. The boy wants the girl to
 - A help him to get fitter.
 - B practise with him more often.
 - C enter more competitions with him.

TRANSFER YOUR ANSWERS TO YOUR ANSWER SHEET

READING (22 points)

Time: 30 minutes

PART 1

Questions 7-15

Read the article about Artyom Slichenko and do the questions (7-15) below.

Jumping 25 meters off a cliff into the sea is hardly everyone's favourite thing; in fact, it would leave most people paralyzed. But it's routine for Artyom Slichenko, World Cliff Diving Champion from Voronezh. Artyom became involved with diving when he was a boy, and his skill and talent quickly got the attention of diving trainers. Now Artyom spends most of the year travelling to do competitions all around the world. It is dangerous sport and Artyom says he feels nervous before he dives, but then he enjoys the thrill of flying through the air like a bird. To keep in perfect shape, Artyom exercises every day of course and he relaxes by playing chess or just being with his family. Artyom is definitely a real success!

Match each phrase (7 – 15) with one of the words or phrases underlined in the text.

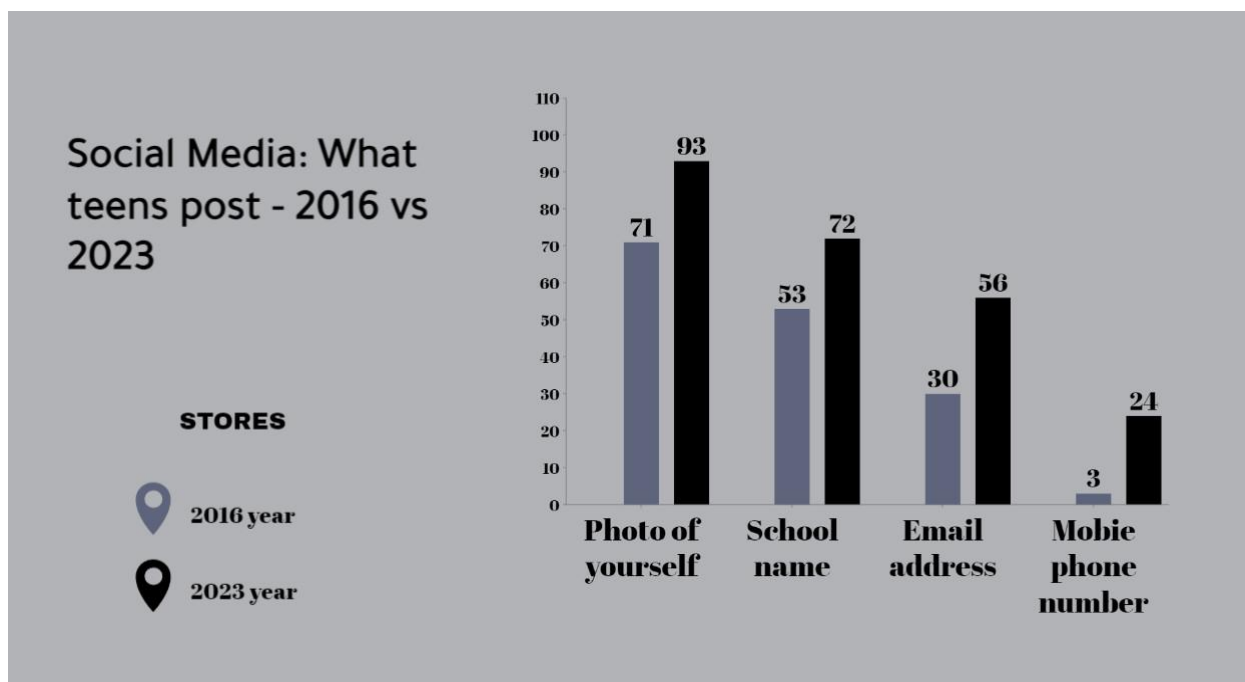
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| 0 gets butterflies | <u>feels nervous</u> |
| 7. take part in | _____ |
| 8. cup of tea | _____ |
| 9. works out | _____ |
| 10. high-flyer | _____ |
| 11. all in a day's work | _____ |
| 12. caught the eye of | _____ |
| 13. takes it easy | _____ |
| 14. gets the kick out of | _____ |
| 15. got into | _____ |

PART 2

Questions 16-28

Read the four texts (A, B, C, D) and answer the questions (16-28) below.

Text A



Text B

The way that young people communicate has changed greatly since a generation ago. These days, 60% of those aged 10-15 use social networking websites or messaging apps. The number increases as children get older, peaking at the age of 15. At this age, four fifths engage in online activity, in particular social networking of some kind. This type of communication is clearly important for today's youth, and many feel that it has a positive impact on their lives. 22% of children aged 10-15 feel that they can express themselves more freely online than they can in day-to-day life. Many say that their social networking profiles describe them positively. On the other hand, a significant number of young people have suffered from cyber-bullying, which becomes worse during lockdowns, and many others fear that they would be left out of their social circle if they didn't regularly frequent social networking websites.

Text C

Jess B: Today we had a lesson at school about cyber bullying. My teacher says that about a quarter of teenagers today do it! But I can't believe that! I've never been mean to anyone over the Internet and none of my friends have either.

Lucia: Really? Haven't you ever posted a bad photo of someone online, or 'liked' a mean comment about someone?

Jess B: Well, yes, of course. Everyone does that, but we're only having fun.

Lucia: I don't think so. You don't know how this makes people feel.

Jess B: I suppose you're right. I never thought about it that way.

Text D

Student Name: Martha Consuelo, Class 7, online activity

Many people worry that teenagers spend too much time online. One study said that they spend more time on the Internet than they do sleeping! However, I believe that they spend a lot of this time doing useful activities, that help them work, socialise and relax. To find out how the Internet helps students I conducted the following study.

I asked 20 students not to use the Internet in their free time for two weeks. Afterwards, I gave them a questionnaire, which asked them how they felt about their work, social life and free time. I also gave the questionnaire to 20 students who had used the Internet as usual for two weeks.

I found out that students felt more relaxed without the Internet, because they felt they had much more free time. However, most said they thought their school work suffered and several felt they were missing out on their social life.

Which text (A, B, C or D):

- 16. shows that teens are increasingly posting private information online?
- 17. suggests that some teenagers don't realise they are cyber-bullying?
- 18. says that teenagers benefit from the Internet when completing homework?
- 19. says that some children feel more confident about describing their feelings online than in person?
- 20. says that use of social networking sites increases as children get older?

16.	17.	18.	19.	20.
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According to the information given in the four texts, are the sentences (21-28) true or false?

- 21. Fewer teens give out their cell phone number than the name of their school. True / False
- 22. The number of teens who have posted their email address online almost doubled between 2016 and 2023. True / False
- 23. Over half of children between the age of 10 and 15 use social networking sites. True / False
- 24. Socializing online is more common among 14-year olds than 15-year olds. True / False
- 25. 25% of teenagers have been bullied online. True / False
- 26. Lucia has been cyber-bullied by Jess. True / False
- 27. According to research, teenagers use the Internet far longer than they sleep. True / False
- 28. A survey found that young people felt more relaxed without Internet access. True / False

TRANSFER YOUR ANSWERS TO YOUR ANSWER SHEET

USE OF ENGLISH (22 points)

Time: 30 minutes

PART 1

Questions 29 - 35

Read the text below and choose the correct answer (A, B, C or D). Transfer the answers to the Answer Sheet.

Example: 0 – **back**

EARLY NEWSPAPERS

Newspapers are still going strong despite the Internet. Before all this technology, newspapers were the main source of information for people. Did you know that Julius Caesar introduced the earliest known official written news as far (0) _____ as 59 BC? The Acta Duma (Daily News) was a handwritten sheet, posted daily in the Forum of Rome. Its contents would not have been out of (29) _____ in a modern newspaper. Accounts of battles, military appointments and political events were written about in (30) _____ detail. Citizens in distant (31) _____ of the Roman Empire sent men, scribes to Rome to copy the news. (There were no photocopiers in those days of course). The scribes then sent the newspaper back (32) _____ letter. In this way, they were able to keep in touch with what was (33) _____ on at the center. Sadly, the Acta Duma didn't last and like so many of the Romans' inventions it couldn't be copied by the people who followed them. After the death of this early form of newspaper, it was left to travelers to spread the (34) _____. Until the invention of the printing press in the 1400s, information was carried from place to place by (35) _____ of mouth.

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| 0 | A ago | B back | C before | D away |
| 29. | A order | B time | C line | D place |
| 30. | A large | B huge | C great | D big |
| 31. | A parts | B pieces | C places | D portions |
| 32. | A in | B with | C by | D through |
| 33. | A coming | B being | C keeping | D going |
| 34. | A issues | B news | C affairs | D communications |
| 35. | A way | B word | C speech | D means |

PART 2

Questions 36-40

Read the application form posted on the Internet by a couple from the USA. They want a student who is learning English to stay in their house. Look at the information on the form carefully. For questions 36-40, correct all possible mistakes made by the couple.

Application form for a Student Guest

<i>Surname:</i>		<u>36. malcolm arnold</u>
<i>Address:</i>		<u>37. River road 27, philadelphia</u>
<i>Occupation:</i>	<i>wife</i>	<u>38. She teaches english</u>
	<i>husband</i>	writer
<i>Date of birth:</i>	<i>wife</i>	8/11/1975
	<i>husband</i>	<u>39. 10/20/1971</u>
<i>Nationality of students:</i>		<u>40. from Spain</u>

PART 3

Questions 41-50

Choose the word that correctly fills the gap in both sentences. Circle the letters A, B or C. Transfer your answers to the Answer Sheet.

41. They've just bought a house _____ the outskirts of London. He tends to spend most of his free time _____ the Internet.

A in B by C on

42. Can you give me a recipe for a traditional main _____? Eight students from my class have signed up for an evening History _____.

A course B meal C dish

43. I've _____ on a diet many times in my life. The company has _____ bankrupt after three months.

A been B gone C put

44. How did you come up _____ this solution? Is rap still popular _____ young people?

A for B about C with

45. Josh, could you _____ the table before dinner, please? How many eggs do sea turtle normally _____?

A set B lay C have

46. I should get an alarm _____ in my car. There was a nice _____ carpet on the floor in my room.

A fitted B installed C fixed

47. I know her phone number by _____. We found a perfect house in the _____ of New York.

A memory B center C heart

48. We are in our final year so we don't have much _____ time. You should always carry a _____ tyre in our car in case a have a puncture.

A free B leisure C spare

49. They live in a terraced _____ in Green Street. Could you tell me when you are moving _____?

A house B flat C home

50. I must stop eating sweets. I've put _____ too much weight recently. I think that, _____ the whole, girls are better at academic subject than boys.

A in B on C off

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WRITING (10 points)

Time: 20 minutes

You have seen a competition announcement for the best review of your favourite book. Write a review in which you

- give the name of the author and the book title in your first sentence.
- write detailed sentences about the important events or characters.

- give the main idea of the book.
- give your opinion of the book and say why you recommend reading it.

Write 100-120 words.

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