

Муниципальный этап всероссийской олимпиады школьников
по английскому языку
2023–2024 учебный год
7–8 классы
Письменный тур

Уважаемый участник олимпиады!

Вам предстоит выполнить письменные задания муниципального этапа всероссийской олимпиады школьников по английскому языку. Время выполнения заданий письменного тура – **75 минут**. Максимальная оценка за правильное выполнение заданий письменного тура – **55 баллов**.

Выполнение заданий целесообразно организовать следующим образом:

- внимательно прочитайте формулировку задания;
- напишите правильный вариант ответа в листе ответов;
- после выполнения всех заданий ещё раз удостоверьтесь в правильности Ваших ответов;
- если потребуется корректировка ответа, то неправильный вариант ответа зачеркните и рядом напишите новый.

Ответы должны быть занесены в листы ответов чёрными гелевыми или капиллярными ручками. Проверке подлежат только листы ответов.

При оценке тестовых заданий, где необходимо определить один правильный ответ, 0 баллов выставляется за неверный ответ и в случае, если отмечены несколько ответов или все ответы (в том числе правильный).

Задания письменного тура считаются выполненными, если Вы вовремя сдаёте их на проверку.

Во время выполнения заданий письменного тура запрещено:

- свободно передвигаться по аудитории;
- общаться с другими участниками олимпиады;
- указывать персональные данные, делать случайные пометки или рисовать на листах ответов;
- пользоваться тетрадями, учебниками, словарями, справочной литературой, а также любыми электронными устройствами, служащими для передачи, получения или накопления информации (телефон, планшет, смарт-часы, диктофон и др.).

Вы можете выходить из аудитории только в сопровождении дежурного, при этом работа остаётся в аудитории. Время ухода и возвращения записывается дежурным на оборотной стороне листа ответов. Выход из аудитории по уважительной причине не даёт Вам права на увеличение времени выполнения заданий.

Организатор в аудитории вправе удалить участников, нарушивших процедуру проведения олимпиады.

LISTENING (15 minutes)

You will hear five people talking about important people in their lives. Listen to the speakers and do TASKS 1–3. You will hear the recording two times. You now have 2 minutes to read the tasks.

TASK 1

Match the speakers and who they are talking about.

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| 1 Speaker A | A brother |
| 2 Speaker B | B neighbour |
| 3 Speaker C | C boyfriend |
| 4 Speaker D | D childhood friend |
| 5 Speaker E | E best friend |

TASK 2

Decide if the following statements are true (T) or false (F).

- 6 Speaker A mentions that her mum and the person she is talking about used to work together. _____
- 7 Speaker B and the person he is talking about like the same sports team. _____
- 8 Speaker C explains why she once argued with the person she is talking about. _____
- 9 Speaker D and the person he is talking about didn't have much in common. _____
- 10 Speaker E has known the person she is talking about for less than a year. _____

TASK 3

Write the phrasal verbs the speakers used. For example,

- 00 to start to live in your new home _____ *move in* _____
- 11 to be responsible for or to take care of somebody _____
- 12 to spend a lot of time in a place with a person _____
- 13 to have a friendly relationship with somebody _____
- 14 to get some information by asking, talking with somebody, etc. _____
- 15 to learn or start to do something new, especially for pleasure _____

TRANSFER YOUR ANSWERS TO THE ANSWER SHEET

READING (15 minutes)

Read the descriptions of eight London museums and do TASKS 4–5.

A *The Victoria and Albert Museum* Highlights include the finest collection of Italian sculpture outside Italy. The Fashion galleries run from eighteenth-century clothing right up to modern designer clothes. The Architecture gallery has videos, models, plans, and descriptions of various styles and the famous Photography collection holds over 500,000 images. The holdings of ceramics,

glass, textiles, costumes, silver, ironwork, jewellery, furniture, medieval objects, sculpture, prints and printmaking, drawings and photographs are among the largest in the world.

B *The British Museum* Since it opened in 1759 – the first ever national museum for the public – the British Museum has been displaying global objects discovered by British explorers, including the Rosetta Stone and the Pantheon sculptures. The museum has over eight million objects in its collection, 50,000 of which are on display. It also has a really good café if you want somewhere different to go for lunch.

C *Tate Modern* Tate Modern is one of London's – and the world's – most famous galleries. It has an international collection of modern artworks that few can beat. Among their collection are historical names like Pablo Picasso, Jackson Pollock, Andy Warhol, and Roy Lichtenstein, along with contemporary pioneers such as Jenny Holzer, Barbara Kruger, and Anish Kapoor, to name just a few. Tate Modern is a historic piece of architecture worth visiting in its own right. On the top floor there is a restaurant with wonderful views of the river.

D *The Natural History Museum* is home to around 80 million plants, animals, and rocks. This exciting museum, which is also a world-class research institution, is full of natural wonders. Here, you will come face-to-face with moving model giant sequoia tree, an earthquake machine, glow-in-the-dark crystals and much more.

E *The Science Museum* Located in South Kensington, it is an incredible, hands-on museum that has seven floors of entertaining and educational exhibits, including virtual reality space travel, old Nokia mobiles and a sixteenth-century fake arm. This is where you can explore the incredible Information Age exhibition covering the development of communications and computing over the last two centuries. It explores the six networks that have transformed global communications: The Cable, The Telephone Exchange, Broadcast, The Constellation, The Cell, and The Web.

F *The London Transport Museum* Based in Covent Garden, it's home to old buses, early examples of tube trains, maps, transport signs, and uniforms, as well as posters, artworks, and photographs showing London from 1860 to today. Once you've bought an entry ticket, you can visit anytime for an entire year. The museum also runs an exclusive programme of guided tours, which take visitors to parts of the tube that are typically closed to the public, including wartime shelters.

G *Imperial War Museum* A powerful museum shining a light on people's experiences of war from the First World War to today. A few minutes' walk from Waterloo rail station, IWM is made up of many permanent galleries, such as the amazing Curiosities of War exhibit, and temporary displays, exploring recent battles and attacks.

H *The National Gallery* An excellent and completely free of charge artistic institution in the heart of Trafalgar Square. Founded in 1824, the National Gallery is home to more than 2,000 works from artists such as Da Vinci, Van Gogh, Rembrandt, Michelangelo, Turner, Picasso, Matisse, and Cezanne. You can even have a go at sketching in the galleries with the support of a gallery art teacher.

TASK 4

Decide which museum would be the most suitable for these people.

16 Brian is very interested in history and especially anything to do with historical battles. Both his great grandfather and grandfather were in the army during World War I and II. ____

17 Emma likes to know the latest fashions and would like to be a clothes designer when she finishes college. She is always looking for ideas for her designs, and she is a very good photographer, too. ____

18 Jane and Kate love contemporary art and looking at interesting buildings. They don't really like traditional art and architecture. They would prefer to have lunch before they look around the museum. ____

19 Michael is excited by anything connected to planets and stars and space exploration. He'd like to visit a museum where there are activities to do rather than just pictures and objects to look at. ____

20 Daniel is very interested in animals and the environment. He particularly enjoys museums that have more unusual things to look at. He loves reading books about explorers who have discovered new places full of strange animals and plants. ____

TASK 5

According to the descriptions, which museum...

- 21** has no admission fee? _____
- 22** offers excursions outside the museum? _____
- 23** houses a famous exhibit that enabled people to read hieroglyphs for the first time? _____
- 24** has on display the works of a famous English watercolourist? _____
- 25** overlooks the Thames? _____

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USE OF ENGLISH (15 minutes)

TASK 6

Read the text and think of one word which best fits each gap.

I always used to go to Porchester **26** _____ my summer holidays. It is a quiet little town, full of old and interesting buildings. Very **27** _____ visitors ever go there, so there are no crowds. I enjoyed its sleepy atmosphere. I work in a big city, so a holiday in Porchester was a complete change **28** _____ my usual life. Besides, I found out about the history of the place. I wanted to learn how life used to be in Porchester – the stories of **29** _____ people and buildings. I made notes on all these things and I soon knew more about Porchester than most of the people **30** _____ lived there.

TASK 7

Think of one word only which can be used appropriately in all three sentences.

- 31** – Children who are _____ to their own devices get up to all sorts of mischief.
 - Charles felt _____ out when the other children started playing the board game.
 - After the party, Karen's mum was _____ with all the tidying up to do.
- 32** – It's the wrong colour blue – it doesn't _____ your top.
 - We're hoping to _____ last year's sales.
 - The curtains and carpet are a good _____ .

- 33 – There’s a _____ chance that she’s still in her office.
 – Alicia has a small cottage on a _____ island off the coast of Scotland.
 – He was a cold, _____ person, who was difficult to talk to.
- 34 – A tall man is blocking my _____ of the stage, and I can’t see the actors.
 – As we entered the valley, the village came into _____ .
 – In my _____ , selling their flat was a silly thing to do.
- 35 – She won’t buy anything without a designer _____ .
 – Don’t forget to _____ your luggage.
 – The washing instructions are on the _____ – check it first.

TASK 8

These monuments commemorate British folklore and literary characters. Put the letters in the correct order to form the characters’ names as in the example:

00 ehatrprotyr *Harry Potter*



38 orodobnih _____



36 rgkitnaruh _____



39 ubcoadic _____



37 npmisapryop _____



40 koselmrlchohes _____



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WRITING (30 minutes)

TASK 9

You have come across an interesting blog about collecting and collectors where teenagers write about their hobby. **Add your own comment** (140–180 words) to the blog.

Follow this plan.

- What do you collect? Describe your collection.
- What was the first item in your collection? Why did you decide to build a collection?
- Give recommendations to teenagers who want to start collecting – what are some interesting collectibles they can start with? (suggest 3–5 different ideas)

Do not forget to include an opening and closing comment.



WRITE YOUR BLOG COMMENT ON THE ANSWER SHEET