



**Районная олимпиада по английскому языку  
(«Школиада» - 2023/2024)**

**Form 7**

**Grammar and Vocabulary Test**

**60 points**

**I. Write the verbs in the correct form (8 points).**

Last week Ann 1 \_\_\_\_\_ (start) a new job in a hospital. The hospital  
2 \_\_\_\_\_ (build) a long time ago. She 3 \_\_\_\_\_ (work) there for three  
days now and she really 4 \_\_\_\_\_ (like) the job. She  
5 \_\_\_\_\_ (never/do) this type of work. At the moment she  
6 \_\_\_\_\_ (try) to learn a lot of new things about the job. She  
7 \_\_\_\_\_ (hope) she 8 \_\_\_\_\_ (learn) everything quickly.

**II. Fill in the gaps with the right article where necessary (11 points).**

1. They have travelled a lot around \_\_\_\_\_ South America.
2. Nick and Yan read a lot about \_\_\_\_\_ Great Britain.
3. Where are you going on a trip? – To \_\_\_\_\_ Red Sea.
4. The population of \_\_\_\_\_ Republic of Belarus is about 10 million people.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ (L)lake Baikal is \_\_\_\_\_ deepest lake in \_\_\_\_\_ world.
6. The supermarket is in \_\_\_\_\_ Kendal Street opposite \_\_\_\_\_ Lloyds Bank.
7. Frank is \_\_\_\_\_ student at \_\_\_\_\_ Liverpool University.

**III. Choose the correct item to complete the sentences (21 points).**

1. Cattle won't eat grass where sheep have eaten, will **it/ they**?
2. – / A sheep give us wool.
3. Where **is/ are** the money? – I've put **it/ them** on the kitchen table.
4. Mum has bought me new trousers but I don't like **it/ them**.
5. Mary's clothes **is/ are** always fashionable.
6. The news **is/ are** on at 6 o'clock.

7. I think the skirt is **too tight/ tighter/ tight enough** for me. I'd like to try on **the biggest/ a bigger/ too big** size.
8. I like that pink blouse. It is **good enough/ too good/ the best** of all those that we have seen. And it's **a bit cheap/ cheap enough/ too cheap**.
9. There are **millions/ millions of** stars in the sky.
10. There were about seven **hundred/ hundreds** students at school yesterday.
11. Mike understood the topic quickly. – **I didn't too/ So did I/ Neither do I**.
12. Pete likes ice cream. – **So does we/ So am I/ So does Ann**.
13. We are afraid of driving a car. - **So am I/ So do I/ Neither am I**.
14. He hasn't got a brother. – **Neither has I/ Neither have I/ So have I**.
15. I've got 5 kittens. You can take **both/ any/ no** of them.
16. When I came to school yesterday there were **no/ all/ neither** students there.  
It was too early.
17. Mike and John are friends. **None/ Neither/ No** of them can sing well.
18. I like **none/ either/ all** seasons but my favourite one is summer.

**IV. Use the suitable preposition (10 points).**

- 1) This book was written \_\_\_\_ a famous writer.
- 2) My parents are always there \_\_\_\_ me .
- 3) My grandparents have little \_\_\_\_ common.
- 4) You should give \_\_\_\_ eating fast food.
- 5) Scotland is famous \_\_\_\_ lakes.
- 6) She isn't very good \_\_\_\_ painting.
- 7) I am proud \_\_\_\_ my country.
- 8) She won't be at home \_\_\_\_\_ seven .
- 9) I really get \_\_\_\_\_ well with my brother.
- 10) Dinosaurs died \_\_\_\_\_ many years ago.

**V. Form a new word to fill in the gap (5 points).**

1. I have known Alexander since my \_\_\_\_\_. **child**
2. My uncle has won a lot of skiing \_\_\_\_\_. **champion**
3. There are many \_\_\_\_\_ places in Belarus. **picture**
4. When is Buckingham Palace open to \_\_\_\_\_? **tour**
5. The girl was young but she was very \_\_\_\_\_. **depend**

**VI. Choose the correct option (5 points).**

1. Hurry up, or you won't \_\_\_\_\_ the train.  
a. take b. catch c. miss
2. Ask the bus conductor to tell you where to \_\_\_\_\_ .

- a. stop   b. get on   c. get off
3. My sister hates \_\_\_\_\_ foreign languages.  
a. speaking   b. speak   c. to speak
4. Yesterday I was watching TV at home when I \_\_\_\_\_ remembered that it was my father's birthday the next day.  
a. quickly   b. unfortunately   c. suddenly
5. Alice is so \_\_\_\_\_! She always wants to know all my secrets.  
a. nosy   b. honest   c. shy

- I.**
1. started
  2. was built
  3. has been working
  4. likes
  5. has never done
  6. is trying
  7. hopes
  8. will learn

**II.** 1. - , 2. - , 3. the, 4. the, 5. -, the, the, 6. -, -, 7. a, -

**III.** 1. they, 2. -, 3. is, it, 4. them, 5. is, 6. is, 7. too tight, a bigger, 8. the best, cheap enough, 9. millions of, 10. hundred, 11. So did I, 12. So does Ann, 13. So am I, 14. Neither have I, 15. any, 16. no, 17. Neither, 18. all

**IV.** 1. by, 2. for, 3. in, 4. up, 5. for, 6. at, 7. of, 8. at, 9. on, 10. out

**V.** 1. childhood

2. championships

3. picturesque

4. tourists

5. independent

**VI.** 1. b 2. c 3. a 4. c 5. a