**Задания первого этапа республиканской олимпиады по английскому языку 2021/2022 учебный год**

**11 класс**

**Vocabulary and Grammar Test**

**80 points**

**I. Open the brackets using the correct forms of the verbs (15 points):**

A.   Simon wishes he **(1)** (be)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_bigger. When he was at school he **(2)** (often, laugh) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_at by the other boys because he was so small. “If I **(3)** (be) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ stronger, I **(4)** (fight) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ them,” he thought. Now he is 20, but he **(5)** (not/become) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ bigger. Quite recently he **(6)**(advise) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to join a gym, but he is afraid that if he  **(7)** (go) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ there everyone **(8)** (tease) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ him.

 B. We **(9)** (drive) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ across the desert when our car **(10)** (break) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ down miles from anywhere. We had two flat tyres and at the same time crashed into a rock. Before the journey we **(11)** (warn) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that the road **(12)** (be) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ dangerous but at that time we **(13)** (not/pay)  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ much attention to the warning. At first we **(14)** (think) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that somebody **(15)** (stop) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and help but there was nobody else on the road.

**II. Rewrite the following sentences correcting the mistakes (5 points):**

1. By the time I’ll complete this course, I’ll have been learning English more than half my life.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. The party was great fun but we must leave early because we didn’t want to miss the last train.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. I didn’t know who the bracelet was belonging to, so I took it to the police station right away.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Explain him the rules of proper behaviour; his manners are offensive.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

1. The United States border on Canada in the North and Mexico in the South.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**III. Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence using the word given. Don't change the words given (8 points):**

1. I asked her if she needed any more information. **else**

I asked herif\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ she needed to know.

2. The only person he didn’t invite was Sarah. **except**

He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Sarah.

3. “Yes, I drank all the orange juice”, she said. **drinking**

She\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

4. I can’t make people understand me when I speak German. **myself**

I\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_when I speak German.

5. Cynthia regretted sending the letter. **wished**

Cynthia \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_the letter.

6. Strawberries should be washed before you eat them. **washing**

Strawberries \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you eat them.

7. I don’t feel like going to the cinema tonight. **rather**

I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_to the cinema tonight.

8. You aren't supposed to take aspirins, if there is nothing wrong with you.  **perfectly**

You\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ all right.

**IV. Read the text and insert the letter corresponding to the best choice (А, В, С or D) (15 points):**

There is a point on the shore where paths seems to (1) \_\_\_\_\_\_ , where the land (2) \_\_\_\_\_\_ and the sea (3) \_\_\_\_\_\_. The beach (4) \_\_\_\_\_\_ for miles on either side. I stood there last night looking (5) \_\_\_\_\_\_ at the sea and all those memories came (6) \_\_\_\_\_\_ back. For a moment I saw her (7) \_\_\_\_\_\_ towards me again as fast as she could, almost dancing her (8) \_\_\_\_\_\_ over the golden sand. We (9) \_\_\_\_\_\_ into the water and swam (10) \_\_\_\_\_\_ like ducks. And when we finally (11) \_\_\_\_\_\_ ourselves out of the water, we (12) \_\_\_\_\_\_ spread-eagled on the sand. It’s strange how the memories (13) \_\_\_\_\_\_, isn’t it? Such events (14) \_\_\_\_\_\_ with you forever, don’t they? I (15) \_\_\_\_\_\_ my way home with a heavy heart.

1.   A  squeeze     Bconverge        C  face                   D   come

2.   A  halts              Bends                C  cuts                    D   discontinues

3.   A  begins     Bdawns       C  opens          D   embarks

4.   A  stretches     Bspends       C  goes                    D   reaches

5.   A  on              Boff                 C  out                    D   over

6.   A  flooding     Breturning       C  accumulatingD   running

7.   A  shifting     Bambling       C  racing          D   pacing

8.   A  steps            B legs               C  way                    D   toes

9.   A  plunged       B  dipped          C  swooped          D   bathed

10. A  around      B  in                 C   on                    D   into

11. A  dragged      B  transferred    C   ran                    D   headed

12. A  stood      B  lay                C  sat                    D   walked

13. A  live on     B go by              C  wear off          D   go through

14. A  remain     B keep               C  last                    D   persist

15. A  took            B  walked       C  found          D   made

**V. For questions 1–10, read the text below. Use the word given in capitals at the end of some of the lines to form a word that fits in the space in the same line (11 points):**

**The Desire to Know**

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| Curiosity goes back to the dawn of human **(1)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  This irrepressibledesire to know is not a **(2)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_           of inanimate objects. Nordoes it seem to be attributable to some forms  of living organism which, for that very reason, we can scarcely bring  ourselves to consider alive. A tree, for example, does not display  **(3)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ curiosity, nor does a sponge or even an               oyster. If chance events bring them poison, predators or parasites, they  die as **(4)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as they lived.  Early in the scheme of life, **(5)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ motion was              developed by some organisms. It meant an **(6)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_          advance in their control of the environment. A moving organism no  longer waited in stolid **(7)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_for food to comeits way, but went out after it. The individual that hesitated in the  **(8)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ search for food, or that was overly **(9)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in its investigation, starved.  As organisms grew more complex, more messages of greater variety were received from and about the **(10)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ environment.  At the same time, the nervous system, the living instrument that interprets and stores the data collected by the sense organs, became **(11)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ complex. | **EXIST**  **CHARACTER**        **RECOGNIZE**    **CEREMONIOUS**  **DEPEND**  **ORDINARY**    **RIGID**    **ZEAL**  **CONSERVE**    **ROUND**        **INCREASE** |

**VI. Think of one word only which can be used appropriately in all three sentences** **(8 points):**

1. The less \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_about this, the better.

    That’s easier \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_than done.

    He is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to be one of the richest men in the world.

2. I think it’s probably a question of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ over matter.

    I don’t suppose he would \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ if you borrowed his bicycle.

    I don’t \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ standing down, if you think that’s best.

3. I didn’t realise we were expected to go in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_dress.

    I really don’t \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_sitting through this film again.

    Do you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_making up a foursome?

4. I think you may have to act \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ peacemaker.

    \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a point of principle, I think it’s Mary who should speak first.

   I see this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a final chance for peace.

5. He naturally felt \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at being rejected for promotion.

   This latest brand of coffee is slightly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_for my taste.

   The plan for the new ring road has met with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ opposition.

6. He dried \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at a crucial moment in his speech.

    I think I’ll sign \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_for another yoga course.

    I’m sure business will pick \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the new year.

1. I don’t think anyone else is in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

    How was I to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you wanted it?

    I used to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ this poem by heart.

1. The result of the match was in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_until late into the fifth set.

    I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ if I’ll ever come back here.

    His guilt was established beyond any reasonable \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**VII. Fill in the right preposition or particle (12 points):**

1. The company is trying \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a new computer system at the moment.
2. I couldn’t find a hotel and ended \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sleeping on a bench at the station.
3. Don’t wait \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ me. I don’t want to hold you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
4. I was standing \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the car when suddenly the alarm went \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
5. I didn’t play very well, I felt that I had let \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the other players in the team.
6. We had a discussion \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ what we should do.
7. I wrote \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the company asking them \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ more information \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the job.
8. Everybody blamed me \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the accident.

**VIII. For questions 1-6, read the following text and then choose, from the list A-J given below, the best phrase to fill each of the spaces. There are three phrases you will not need. There is an example (0) (6 points):**

**Insomnia**

The typical picture of an insomniac is someone **(0)   *J\_\_***, but just as many people wake up in the middle of the night and struggle to get back to sleep. Even worse is when the gentle float to consciousness becomes a heart-racing, breathtaking wrench from oblivion into panic. Fortunately, for most of us it's the predictable result of the huge meal followed by coffee **(1)**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Low blood sugar from over-indulging can result in **(2)**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Avoid stimulants such as caffeine late at night, and if you're lucky, **(3)**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.But there may be more worrying physical and mental reasons why your brain wakes up in full-acceleration mode while your body hasn't caught up. For some, **(4)**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_such as cardiac problems. Stomach ulcers may wake you up during the night with anxiety. Epilepsy can also occur at night and may be accompanied by anxiety.  Mental disorders may also be at the root of your early-morning episodes. Panic disorder is a common cause of such attacks, and may include physical symptoms **(5)\_**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Generalised anxiety disorder can also be a cause, when feeling and fears **(6)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ rise to the surface.

A   which nobody understands, not even psychologists

В   that can't be consciously suppressed

С   the cause may be a serious medical condition

D   that we consumed at 11 pm

E   this is most likely to happen if you're under stress

F   that will be the end of the early-morning wake-up calls

G  this biological connection suggests anxiety and sleep are linked

H  such as a racing heart, shortness of breath and sweating

I    that disorientated, nervous feeling

J   who can't get to sleep at night