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Оценочные материалы для текущего контроля и промежуточной аттестации по дисциплине
МИР АНГЛИЙСКОГО ЯЗЫКА
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Типовые задания для контрольной работы

Выполните итоговый тест, выбрав правильный вариант ответа.

Вариант 1.

I. Choose the correct answer

1. The UK occupies the territory of

- a) 325 thousand sq. km
- b) 164 thousand sq. km
- c) 244 thousand sq. km
- d) 624 thousand sq. km

2. The officially established church in England is

- a) the Presbyterian Church
- b) the Anglican Church
- c) the Catholic Church
- d) the Orthodox Church

3. What part of the UK is called "England's Little California"?

- a) Devon and Cornwall
- b) East Anglia
- c) Cumberland
- d) the Midlands

4. The thistle is the emblem of

- a) Scotland
- b) Wales
- c) England
- d) Northern Ireland

5. The House of Commons assembles in

- a) Buckingham Palace
- b) St. Paul's Cathedral

c) Palace of Westminster

6. The presiding officer in the House of Commons is called
- a) the Clerk of the House
 - b) the Sergeant-at-Arms
 - c) the Speaker
7. What British party supports the interests of large firms and companies?
- a) the Liberal Party
 - b) the Conservative Party
 - c) the Labour Party
8. Which of the following newspapers is a popular newspaper?
- a) the Daily Telegraph
 - b) the Guardian
 - c) the Sun
9. What exam gives English pupils the right to enter university?
- a) GCSE
 - b) A-level
 - c) O-level
10. "The downs" are the names for
- a) lakes
 - b) marshes
 - c) plains
 - d) hills

Ответы: 1. d 2.b 3.c 4.b 5.a 6.a 7.b 8.c 9.a 10.d

Вариант 2 .

1. Underline the correct answer:

1. In what Australian state is Australia's highest waterfall?

A: Western Australia

B: Victoria

C: Tasmania

D: Queensland

2. There are active volcanoes on the Australian mainland.

A: True

B: False

3. What is Australia's highest mainland mountain?

A: Mt. Olympus

B: Mt. Kilimanjaro

C: Mt. Kosciusko

D: none of the above

4. How many times between 1850 and 2000 did Lake Eyre fill with water?

A: 1

B: 3

C: 8

D: 10

5. In terms of elevation, is Australia the lowest continent in the world?

A: Yes

B: No

6. Which of the following is Australia's longest river?

A: Mighty Murray

B: MacIntyre

C: Darling

D: Lachlan

7. This is the second longest river in Australia.

A: MacIntyre

B: Murrumbidgee

C: Lachlan

D: Darling

8. Where on the mainland is Australia's lowest point?

A: Lake Eucumbene

B: Lake Gordon

C: Lake Eyre

D: Lake Burley Griffin

9. Approximately what percentage of mainland Australia do deserts cover?

A: 18%

B: 25%

C: 35%

D: 45%

10. By land mass, Australia is the _____ largest country in the world.

A: second

B: third

C: fifth

D: sixth

Ответы: 1. d 2. b 3. c 4. b 5. a 6. a 7. b 8. c 9. a 10. d

Вариант 3

Do you know your Canadian trivia?

Canadians have a strong identity separate from any other nation ... but it's not all about poutine, Beaver Tails and Celine Dion!

1. Canada is a bilingual country, but what is the only officially bilingual province?

a) Quebec

b) New Brunswick

c) Ontario

d) Nova Scotia

2. How many oceans border Canada?

a) 1

b) 2

c) 3

d) 4

3. What is the oldest walled city that still exists north of Mexico?

a) Montreal

b) Halifax

c) Quebec City

d) Vancouver

4. Where does the word Canada come from?

a) Jacques Cartier

b) Samuel de Champlain

c) Jean Nicollet

5. Whose face is on the Canadian hundred-dollar bill?

- a) Wilfred Laurier
- b) John A. MacDonald
- c) William Lyon Mackenzie King
- d) Robert Borden

6. What is the population of Canada?

- a) 30 million
- b) 23 million
- c) 32 million
- d) 37 million

7. What are the two most multicultural cities in Canada?

- a) Toronto and Montreal
- b) Victoria and Toronto
- c) Vancouver and Toronto
- d) Vancouver and Montreal

8. What is Canada's national sport?

- a) Hockey
- b) Lacrosse
- c) Curling
- d) None of the above
- e) Both a and b

9. When did O, Canada officially become the national anthem?

- a) 1880
- b) 1920
- c) 1950
- d) 1980

10. What major sporting event was held in Canada in 2010?

- a) Summer Olympics
- b) Winter Olympics
- c) World Cup
- d) Commonwealth Games

Типовые вопросы к зачету с оценкой

1. Name the languages that have had an important influence on English.
2. What are the main grammatical differences between Old and Modern English?
3. What are the main periods in the history of English language?
4. What are the features of the Old English (450 - 1100 AD)?
5. What are the main characteristics of the Middle English (1100-circa 1500 AD)?
6. What are the main features of Modern English (1500 to the present)?
7. Give the brief description of three big developments in the world at the beginning of Modern English period: the Renaissance, the Industrial Revolution, and the British Colonialism.
8. Give some examples of the words from Greek, Latin, and Roman entered English.
9. When does the Bill become an Act?
10. Does Britain have a formal written constitution?

11. Why is Magna Carta so highly respected in the country?
12. What are the two main principles of the British Constitution?
13. When was the first parliament summoned?
14. What is the structure and functions of the British Parliament?
15. Give an overview of the functions of the House of Commons.
16. Were there any reforms of the House of Lords in the 20th century?
17. What are the official duties and functions of the monarch?
18. Explain the phrase "The monarch in Britain reigns but doesn't rule".
19. What countries does the USA border on?
20. What gives the USA many different climates?
21. Who does the Senate consist of?
22. Who can become a senator and a member of the House of Representatives?
23. What are the President's duties and powers?
24. The War of Independence
25. How did American colonists respond to the Stamp Act?
26. What two most important issues did the Civil War settle?
27. What can you say about the geographical position of Canada?
28. How many oceans border Canada?
29. Where does the word Canada come from?
30. What is Canada's national sport?