

БЛАНК ЗАДАНИЙ
ВСЕРОССИЙСКОЙ ОЛИМПИАДЫ ШКОЛЬНИКОВ
ПО АНГЛИЙСКОМУ ЯЗЫКУ
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7 - 8 класс

Уважаемый участник олимпиады!

Вам предстоит выполнить письменные задания.

Время выполнения заданий 60 минут.

Выполнение письменных 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;
- после выполнения всех предложенных заданий еще раз удостоверьтесь в правильности выбранных Вами ответов и решений.

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

Максимальная оценка – 42 балла

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Максимальный балл за работу – 42.

LISTENING (5 points)

Time: 10 minutes

Задание 1.

*You will hear a Bus Tour advertisement. Decide if each sentence 1–5 is correct or incorrect. If it is correct, select **YES**. If it is not correct, select **NO**.*

	YES	NO
1. If you buy the Hop-on, Hop-off Bus Tour ticket, you can use it for at least 2 days.		
2. The tour will be difficult for you to understand if you don't speak Russian.		
3. One of the routes is not a bus route but a boat route.		
4. If you like, you can start your bus tour at 10:00 in the evening and enjoy Moscow at night.		
5. You cannot bring a dog on the tour.		

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READING (9 points)

Time (15 minutes)

Task 1 (4 points)

The students in Emily's class are preparing short travel guides for places that they have visited. Emily wants to do a travel guide about Hawaii, where she went on vacation with her family. She wants to let others know what Hawaii is like. She wants to inform everyone about the great places she visited in Hawaii.

Do the following tasks.

In the library, Emily has found a book called "The Hawaiian Islands" which she is going to use for writing her travel guide. Here are the Table of Contents and Index from this book. Study them carefully then answer questions 1-4.

Table of Contents	
Chapter...	Page
1. The Land Called Hawaii	5
2. From Ancient Times to the Present.....	11
3. The Hawaiian People	16
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5. Interesting Facts about Hawaii.....	27

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1. Which chapter should Emily read to learn about the lakes and rivers of Hawaii?
 - A) Chapter 1
 - B) Chapter 2
 - C) Chapter 3
 - D) Chapter 4
 - E) Chapter 5

2. Which pages have information about where active volcanoes are found in Hawaii?
 - A) 6-7
 - B) 9-11
 - C) 15-16
 - D) 36-37

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3. Chapter 4 has information on all of these except –
- A) famous national parks to visit.
 - B) the best places for swimming.
 - C) the government structure of Hawaii.
 - D) tourist centers to find information.
4. Which pages have information about the daily temperatures in Hawaii?
- A) 6-7
 - B) 9-11
 - C) 12-13
 - D) 37-38

Task 2 (5 points)

Here's what Emily has written so far for her travel guide. Read it carefully. It has some mistakes. Then answer questions 1-5 to make it sound better.

Hawaii

(1) Do you want to have the greatest time in the world? (2) If you do, then Hawaii is the vacation spot for you.

(3) Hawaii is one of the 50 states of the United States. (4) It is our southernmost state and the only state that is not part of the mainland of North America.

(5) Hawaii has many beautiful and interesting sights to see. (6) The islands area wonderful place to experience volcanoes. (7) You can experience magnificent waterfalls and beautiful beaches. (8) The weather is warm year-round, so every day is a good day for your outdoor plans. (9) The people of Hawaii have many customs.

(10) You can enjoy interesting food and music. (11) You can also watch folk dancing, parades, and special events. (12) You can travel from island to island. (13) By boat or by plane.

(14) Hawaii is made up of eight major islands. (15) The state capital, Honolulu, is located on the island of Oahu. (16) All the islands were formed by volcanoes. (17) Today these volcanoes are the island's mountains. (18) Mauna Loa and Kilauea are Hawaii's only active volcanoes.

(19) Hawaii has mild temperatures all year. (20) The cool ocean breezes help create a wonderful climate. (21) For this reason, people sometimes call Hawaii "Paradise".

1. Which of the following sentences best combines sentences 6 and 7 without changing their meaning?

- A) The islands are a wonderful place to experience volcanoes and a wonderful place to experience magnificent waterfalls and beaches.
- B) The islands are a wonderful place to experience volcanoes and to experience magnificent waterfalls and beautiful beaches.
- C) Volcanoes, waterfalls, and beautiful beaches in the islands are wonderful places to experience.
- D) The islands are a wonderful place to experience volcanoes, magnificent waterfalls, and beautiful beaches.

2. Which of these sentences could be added before sentence 8?

- A) Hawaii has several active volcanoes.
- B) Hawaii has a very pleasant climate.
- C) The original natives of Hawaii were Polynesians.
- D) Hawaii has eight major islands.

3. It would be better to start a new paragraph beginning with sentence –

- A) 7.
- B) 8.
- C) 9.

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D) 10.

4. Which group of words in Emily's travel guide is NOT a complete sentence? Write the number of the group of words.

5. In sentence 18, Hawaii's only active volcanoes should be written –

- A) Hawaii only active volcanoes.
- B) Hawaii's only active volcanoes.
- C) Hawaii's only, active volcanoes.
- D) As it is written.

USE OF ENGLISH (18 points)

Time: 15 minutes

Task 1 (10 points)

Read the text below and choose the correct word for each space.

The Art of Drawing

Drawing has always been a (0) _____ popular hobby. Young children draw with a pencil as (1) _____ as they can hold one. Drawing is often seen as a special skill, and it is (2) _____ that some people seem to draw perfect pictures without any effort. Yet drawing, like writing, can be (3) _____; you can draw well if you work really hard at it.

Drawing is first (4) _____ all about looking carefully. It sounds easy to say that all you (5) _____ to do is look at things, but it really is that simple. The best way to draw a familiar (6) _____ is to imagine that you are looking at it for the first

(1) _____.

Nowadays there are (8) _____ courses and materials available than ever before, (9) _____ means that you can experiment to improve your skills. The only (10) _____ is your imagination.

	A	B	C	D
0	very	so	too	such
1	fast	immediately	soon	shortly
2	true	actual	exact	real
3	discovered	made	learnt	reached
4	of	in	from	for
5	should	need	must	could
6	topic	object	idea	person
7	period	term	moment	time
8	more	many	plenty	much
9	who	what	where	which
10	final	end	limit	finish

Task 2 (8 points)

Match each group of adjectives with a suitable noun. There is an example for you.

Example:

a close/a long-distance/a tough

race

1	a difficult/an exciting/a huge
2	complete/firm/wide
3	lasting/wide-spread/minor
4	first/everyday/body
5	wonderful/wasted/ideal
6	effective/interview/traditional
7	latest/pirate/live
8	deep/true/platonic

A	recording
B	technique
C	language
D	opportunity
E	love
F	support
G	damage
H	challenge

Writing (10 points)

Time 20 min

Last night your neighbour was listening to very loud music. You weren't sleeping and enjoyed the music pretty much. In the morning you decided to call on your neighbour to find out the name of the band, but he didn't open the door (being sound asleep, probably). **Write a note to your neighbour to satisfy your curiosity.**

In your note:

- express your positive feelings about the music;
- mention being a fan of that type of music;
- ask the name of the band;
- give your contact details.

Write about 90–100 words.