

Test1

Part A

Read the text. Choose one of the variants given.

He is taking (A1) ... holiday next week before starting (A2) ... work again. He is going to spend (A3) ... few days in (A4) ... Alps with (A5) ... friend and then go to (A6) ... Lake Balaton. They meet in (A7) ... Lime street and take (A8) ... bus to (A9) ... Heathrow Airport. In (A10) ... half (A11) ... hour they'll be there.

A1. 1) a; 2) an; 3) the; 4) -.

A2. 1) a; 2) an; 3) the; 4) -.

A3. 1) a; 2) an; 3) the; 4) -.

A4. 1) a; 2) an; 3) the; 4) -.

A5. 1) a; 2) an; 3) the; 4) -.

A6. 1) a; 2) an; 3) the; 4) -.

A7. 1) a; 2) an; 3) the; 4) -.

A8. 1) a; 2) an; 3) the; 4) -.

A9. 1) a; 2) an; 3) the; 4) -.

A10. 1) a; 2) an; 3) the; 4) -.

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The chemist (A12) ... a small town was standing (A13) ... his counter, cleaning his fixtures, when a young man rushed (A14) ... and asked rather excitedly: "Have you got anything to stop the hiccups (икота)?" The doctor looked (A15) ... him with a smile (A16) ... a moment and suddenly slapped him across (влепить пощёчину) the face with the cloth he held (A17) ... his hand. "What do you mean (A18) ... that?" the young man exclaimed, "I only asked you a civil question". "That was the cure (A19) ... the hiccups," the chemist explained. "Are they not gone?" "No, it is my wife who has the hiccups and she is out (A20) ... the car."

A12. 1) in; 2) at; 3) to; 4) on.

A13. 1) on; 2) by; 3) at; 4) near.

A14. 1) in; 2) at; 3) into; 4) after.

A15. 1) after; 2) on; 3) for; 4) at.

A16. 1) at; 2) in; 3) for; 4) about.

A17. 1) in; 2) at; 3) to; 4) on.

A18. 1) by; 2) at; 3) to; 4) -.

A19. 1) of; 2) for; 3) to; 4) after.

A20. 1) in; 2) at; 3) to; 4) on.

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The Eiffel Tower (A21) ... by millions of tourists every year. It (A22) ... in 1899 for the Paris exposition. Since that time it ... (A23) the most famous place in Paris. I never (A24) ... to France so if I (A25) ... to visit Paris I definitely (A26) ... to climb the top of it.

A21. 1) is visit; 2) visits; 3) is visited; 4) had been visited.

A22. 1) was built; 2) was build; 3) had been built; 4) has been built.

A23. 1) became; 2) has become; 3) have become; 4) becomes.

A24. 1) has never been; 2) have been never; 3) have never been; 4) was.

A25. 1) happens; 2) am happened; 3) am happening; 4) happen.

A26. 1) will try; 2) try; 3) have tried; 4) have been trying.

A27. I wish people ... their cars less often in the future.

- 1) had used; 2) to use; 3) used; 4) would use.

A28. How much better I ... now if in my youth I ... the advantage of sensible advice!

- 1) would write, had; 2) would have written, had; 3) would write, had had; 4) would have written, had had.

A29. The advice she gave me ... very helpful.

- 1) is; 2) are; 3) was; 4) were.

A30. I must have ... tomorrow.

- 1) my hair cut; 2) my hair to cut; 3) my hair to be cut; 4) to cut my hair.

A31. She saw ... in the garden.

- 1) he reading; 2) him reading; 3) him to read; 4) he to read.

Spot the errors in each sentence.

A32. The children were playing outside last night when it began to rain very hardly.

1 2 3 4

A33. Drop me a line and let me to know how you are getting on.

1 2 3 4

A34. Stop behaving as a child!

1 2 3 4

Choose the right variant to complete the sentences.

A35. I think, in some ways my father is quite

- 1) approachable; 2) approaching; 3) approached; 4) appoachive.

A36. Their ... to each other is natural.

- 1) friends; 2) friendly; 3) friendship; 4) friendly.

A37. He likes books about ... worlds.

- 1) imaginative; 2) imaginary; 3) imagine; 4) imagination.

A38. The old lady looked out of a window when she heard the

- 1) explosion; 2) explode; 3) explosive; 4) explodation.

A39. The problem of protecting yet ... areas grows.

- 1) unspoiling; 2) spoilt; 3) spoil; 4) unspoilt.

A40. It was as if she ... to tell him something.

- 1) is trying; 2) has tried; 3) were trying; 4) had tried.

A41. Stay ... to me!

- 1) closely; 2) close; 3) near; 4) nearly.

A42. The matter concerns us

- 1) closely; 2) close; 3) direct; 4) directly.

A43. Open your mouth

- 1) wide; 2) widely; 3) deep; 4) deeply.

A44. He left the shop without paying so he was accused of

1) to steal; 2) to have stolen; 3) stealing; 4) having stolen.

A45. I'm looking forward to ... from you.

1) hear; 2) hearing; 3) be heard; 4) have heard.

A46. – How do you do? I am Bill Thompson.

1) – Very well, thank you.

2) – How do you do?

3) – Fine, thank you.

4) – Well, not bad.

A47. – I don't really enjoy thrillers.

1) – So do I.

2) – Neither I do.

3) – So I do.

4) – Neither do I.

A48. The Hundred Years War (1337-1453) is known in the history of Great Britain as the last attempt by the kings of England to build and to keep a cross-channel empire. With which country did Great Britain fight?

1) Spain; 2) the Netherlands; 3) France; 4) Germany.

A49. The British fleet under his command defeated Napoleon's fleet at the Battle of Trafalgar.

1) William the Conqueror; 2) Admiral Nelson; 3) Henry the Eighth; 4) Christopher Wren.

A50. Name the author of "Canterbury Tales", who made the London dialect the main written version.

1) Geoffrey Chaucer; 2) Washington Irving; 3) Charles Dickens; 4) Walter Scott.

Part B

Fill in each blank with suitable words.

Love at first sight.

Last August, Tony and Julie were complete **(B1)** They didn't even heard of each other. They first **(B2)** ... at Michael's twenty-first birthday and they took **(B3)** ... each other immediately. As they got to **(B4)** ... each other, they realized that they had many things **(B5)** ... common.

Translate the Russian words into English and write them down.

B6. Don't interfere with her. She ... (делает) her homework.

B7. I can't help ... (рассказать) you about it.

B8. He has never lied to us ... (тоже).

B9. I'm late, ... (не так ли)?

B10. It's no good, ... (не так ли)?