

READING (15 points)

Правильный ответ 1 балл

- 1) B
- 2) C
- 3) A
- 4) B
- 5) D

Правильный ответ 2 балла

- 6) prominent
- 7) scattered
- 8) veil
- 9) glimpse
- 10) trinkets

VOCABULARY (20 points)

Правильный ответ 2 балла

1. advertisement / advert
2. memory
3. picturesque / beautiful
4. nurse
5. flat
6. (C) guinea pig
7. (F) black sheep
8. (E) slave driver

9. (H) bouquet of orchids
10. (A) be caught red-handed

GRAMMAR (15 points)

Правильный ответ 2 балла

1. Professor Schwarz wondered **if the economy would ever produce** enough jobs to meet the need.
2. **Hard as I tried**, I still could not get her to lower the price.
3. The factory **succeeded in cutting** back its CO₂ emissions by 20 % last year.
4. **Under no circumstances is** she to be disturbed.
5. During the winter period I **would sooner stay home than** go out.

Правильный ответ 1 балл

6. - A
7. - D
8. - B
9. - A
- 10.-C

CULTURE STUDIES (30 points)

Правильный ответ 0,54 балла

Task 1: Arrange these events of the Wars of Roses in the chronological order. Put the appropriate number in the right column. Transfer your answers onto the answer sheet.

3 (1461)	The Second Battle of St Albans February
6 (1487)	The Battle of Stoke Field
4 (1461)	The Battle of Towton
1 (May 1455)	The First Battle of St Albans
5 (1485)	The Battle of Bosworth
2 (1459)	The Battle of Blore Heath

Task 2: Arrange these events of the American Civil War in the chronological order. Put the appropriate number in the right column. Transfer your answers onto the answer sheet.

The Battle at Gettysburg	6
The Assassination of Abraham Lincoln	7
The Emancipation Proclamation issued	5
The First Battle of Bull Run	3
Abraham Lincoln elected president	1
The Battle at Antietam	4
Jefferson Davis elected president	2

Task 3: Arrange these periods and events of British History in the chronological order. Put the appropriate number in the right column. Transfer your answers onto the answer sheet.

Edward VIII relinquishing the throne for a divorce	5
The Creation of the National Health Service of the UK	7
The Balfour Declaration	4
The Irish Free State becoming independent	3
The Battle of Britain	6
The Victorian Age	1
The Reign of Edward VII	2

Task 4: Arrange these American presidents in the chronological order of their presidential terms. Put the appropriate number in the right column. Transfer your answers onto the answer sheet.

William J. Clinton	8
Harry S. Truman	4
Richard M. Nixon	6
George W. Bush	9
Franklin D. Roosevelt	3
John F. Kennedy	5
Ronald Reagan	7
Abraham Lincoln	2
Thomas Jefferson	1

Task 5: Arrange these books according to the year of publishing. Put the appropriate number in the right column. Transfer your answers onto the answer sheet.

Alice's Adventures in the Wonderland	3
Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban	9
The Sun Also Rises	5
The History of Tom Jones, a Foundling	1
The Lord of the Rings	8
Nineteen Eighty-four	7
The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn	4

Frankenstein	2
The Hobbit, or There and Back Again	6

Task 6: Match the tradition with the holiday. Two options are extra. Transfer your answers onto the answer sheet.

1. Easter Monday	d. Egg hunts
2. Good Friday	e. Eating hot cross buns and fish
3. May Day	f. Maypole dancing
4. Thanksgiving	h. Cooking and sharing traditional food, holding parades as well as sport events
5. Christmas	b. Pulling crackers and burning letters in the fireplace
6. Hogmanay	g. First-footing
	In the past the day servants in wealthy households would receive a Christmas box from the head of the family.
	Marching in green attire and shamrocks

Task 7: Match the song with the singer. Transfer your answers onto the answer sheet.

1. Michael Jackson	h. "Earth Song"
2. Elvis Presley	e. "Can't Help Falling in Love"
3. Frank Sinatra	d. "My Way"
4. Whitney Houston	f. "I Will Always Love You"
5. Selena Gomez	g. "We Don't Talk Any More"
6. Tina Turner	c. "Golden Eye"
7. Will Smith	b. "Men in Black"
8. Pink	a. "Family Portrait"

Task 8: Choose the correct option. Transfer your answers onto the answer sheet.

Which statements about London is not true?

3) The Mayor's Thames Festival is the biggest street festival in the southern hemisphere.

Task 9: Choose the correct option. Transfer your answers onto the answer sheet.

Which statement is true?

1) Delaware was the first state to accept the first American Constitution.

Task 10: Choose the correct option. Transfer your answers onto the answer sheet.

Which statement about employment and education in the UK is false?

1) The minimum age to study a degree programme at a university is 21 years old.