

**Задания для проведения вступительных испытаний в X класс лицеев по учебному предмету «Английский язык»**

**Variant 1**

**I. Fill in the article where necessary. (8)**

1. I had \_\_\_\_\_ cup of coffee for breakfast.
2. I met a man and a woman last night. \_\_\_\_\_ woman was from Mexico.
3. She bought \_\_\_\_\_ new laptop.
4. I had \_\_\_\_\_ bread and \_\_\_\_\_ cheese for lunch.
5. It is not good for your eyes to look directly at \_\_\_\_\_ sun.
6. Where is \_\_\_\_\_ shop that John works in?
7. Meet me \_\_\_\_\_ next week.

**II. Choose the suitable preposition. (5)**

1. Does she come ... (at/in/to) school ... (on/by/in) bus?
2. My office is ... (near/near to/near with) the stadium.
3. Kevin often goes abroad ... (in/on/for) business.
4. All the notices in the streets were ... (on/by/in) French.

**III. Choose the appropriate pronoun. (7)**

1. Ann reminded her boy-friend to take ... purse.  
a) her                      b) his                      c) their
2. Parents have decided to celebrate Christmas with ... children.  
a) her                      b) his                      c) their
3. There is ... very pleasant in her voice.  
a) some                    b) something              c) somebody
4. Does ... want to speak on this topic?  
a) any                      b) anything                c) anybody
5. The scientists ... came to Minsk last summer visited the beauty spots of Belarus.  
a) who                      b) which                    c) what
6. He spoke of a man ... name was unknown to us.  
a) who                      b) whose                    c) which
7. This pen isn't working. Please give me ... (singular).  
a) another                b) the other                c) others

**IV. Choose the correct tense – forms of the verbs. (10)**

1. Have you ever visited other countries? - Yes, I... to Italy and France.  
a) was                      c) had been  
b) have been                d) would be

2. I feel really tired. We ... to the party last night and have just returned home.  
 a) went c) had seen  
 b) has gone d) was going
3. My sister's son ... in tomorrow's race, because he is too young. They do not allow riders under sixteen.  
 a) won't ride c) wouldn't ride  
 b) shan't ride d) doesn't ride
4. A beautiful bridge ... in our city. It will be finished next year.  
 a) builds c) is being built  
 b) is built d) has been built
5. On the other hand television ... for the violent behavior of some young people, and for encouraging children to sit indoors, instead of doing sports.  
 a) blames c) is blamed  
 b) blamed d) would blame
6. Some millionaires have lots of money and ... what to do with it.  
 a) don't know c) won't know  
 b) didn't d) knows
7. My mother is ill. She will stay in bed until she ... better.  
 a) get c) will get  
 b) gets d) is getting
8. When he lived in London, he ... a lot of time in the museums.  
 a) spend c) spent  
 b) had spent d) was spending
9. In two years' time my parents ... for twenty-five years.  
 a) will be married c) are married  
 b) will have been married d) have been married
10. They said they would not work after 6 p.m. if you ... them overtime.  
 a) won't pay c) didn't pay  
 b) don't pay d) not pay

**V. Put the words in the right order to make up a sentence. (8)**

1. with / important / other / is / treat / to / people / it / respect ?  
 .....
2. you / ever / to / parents / have / rudely / your / spoken ?  
 .....
3. mistakes / Pat / number / has / fewest / the / pupils / all / of / made / the / of.  
 .....
4. most / in / quality / honesty / is / the / admire / of / I / people / all.  
 .....

**VI. Choose the right form. (7)**

1. I said: "He will not get there on time".  
 a) I said that he wouldn't get there on time.  
 b) I said that he will not get there on time.  
 c) I said that he didn't get there on time.

2. He asks: "Didn't he go shopping yesterday?"  
 a) He asks if he didn't go shopping yesterday.  
 b) He asks if he doesn't go shopping yesterday.  
 c) He asked if he didn't go shopping yesterday.
3. Mary (to her brother): "Don't watch TV. It's late."  
 a) Mary told her brother not to watch TV, because it was late.  
 b) Mary told her brother don't watch TV, because it is late.  
 c) Mary tells her brother not to watch TV, because it was late.
4. The girl will meet her cousins in two days.  
 a) The cousins will be met by the girl in two days.  
 b) The cousins will been met by the girl in two days.  
 c) The cousins will be meet by the girl in two days.
5. The young man has just read ten detective books.  
 a) Ten detective books has just been read by the young man.  
 b) Ten detective books have just been read by the young man.  
 c) Ten detective books have just been reads by the young man.
6. If you ... a good father, you would take him to the zoo.  
 a) will be  
 b) would  
 c) had been  
 d) were
7. If he ... late, we'll miss the bus.  
 a) came  
 b) come  
 c) comes  
 d) would come

**VII. Insert the right phrasal verb. (5)**

1. You shouldn't ... boxing. You are really talented.  
 a) give up  
 b) get alone  
 c) take after  
 d) go on
2. I haven't ... the living-room. It's dirty.  
 a) calm down  
 b) come back  
 c) cut off  
 d) tidied up
3. Don't ... her ... too early in the morning.  
 a) get around  
 b) wake up  
 c) get off  
 d) go on
4. I always ... the new words in the dictionary.  
 a) look up  
 b) get over  
 c) get in  
 d) give up
5. My brother will ... me ... at the airport.  
 a) pick up  
 b) go in  
 c) hold on  
 d) keep up

**VIII. Choose the right variant. (3)**

1. Thanks. That's very kind of you.  
 1) Would you like tea or coffee?  
 2) How do you do?  
 3) Shall I take these books to your room?  
 4) How are things?

2. It was a lucky guess.

1) You'll need plenty of luck if you want to succeed in the music business.

2) Did you have any luck with the job application?

3) I guess he'll be late.

4) How did you know he'd be there?

3. It's very kind of you, you really shouldn't have bothered.

1) Don't worry, I won't.

2) No, not at all.

3) Why should you?

4) It was nothing, really.

**IX. Fill in the appropriate modal verb (3)**

1. Do you \_\_\_ clean the house every day or every week?

a. must

b. have

c. have to

d. had to

2. They \_\_\_ do their homework today because it is a holiday at the school.

a. must not

b. don't have

c. don't have to

d. had not to

3. I \_\_\_ help you with your shopping because you have a lot of bags.

a. ought

b. ought to

c. thought

d. thought to

**X. Unjumble the words and phrases in bold in the sentences below. (4)**

1. Minsk is (tudisate) .....in the centre of the Republic.

2. I'm afraid I can miss my plane to Canberra if our ( tilhgf)..... is not on time.

3. The continent of Australia is ( derusournd).....by oceans and seas.

4. Phelps has broken 37 world ( cerorsd) .....in swimming.

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Variant 2

**I. Fill in the article where necessary. (8)**

1. It is on \_\_\_\_\_ back of the page.
2. She gave me \_\_\_\_\_ last chocolate.
3. Could you pass me \_\_\_\_\_ glass (any one is fine).
4. She bought \_\_\_\_\_ laptop that her brother recommended.
5. I had lunch in a lovely restaurant. \_\_\_\_\_ main course was excellent.
6. She arrives in New York \_\_\_\_\_ next month.
7. Julie has \_\_\_\_\_ sister and two brothers.
8. Please pass me \_\_\_\_\_ coffee on the table (there is one coffee and one table near us)

**II. Choose the suitable preposition. (5)**

1. What's interesting ... (on/in/at) TV ... (on/at/in) the moment?
2. Sorry. I took your bag ... (on/for/by) mistake.
3. Will they go ... (for/on/to) a walk?
4. Kate is happy, she is ... (on/in/with) love.

**III. Choose the appropriate pronoun. (7)**

1. We have just finished ... lunch.  
a) us                      b) our                      c) ours
2. Is this book ...?  
a) you                      b) your                      c) yours
3. We didn't meet .... near the river.  
a) somebody      b) anybody      c) nobody
4. If you need ... , ask me, please.  
a) something      b) anything      c) nothing
5. They reached the main road ... leads to the station.  
a) who                      b) what                      c) which
6. He is a man ... you can rely on.  
a) who                      b) whom                      c) whose
7. This glass of milk is sour. ... glass of milk is sour too.  
a) another      b) the other      c) others

**IV. Choose the correct tense – forms of the verbs. (10)**

1. At the beginning of the film I realized that I ... it before.  
a) see                                      c) had seen  
b) saw                                      d) have seen

2. When the bus stopped in the small square, Helen ... her magazine and didn't realized at first that she had arrived at her destination.

- a) read
- b) reads
- c) was reading
- d) had read

3. It has been raining for two hours. I hope it ... raining soon.

- a) stops
- b) shall stop
- c) would stop
- d) stop

4. Television has many advantages. It keeps us informed about the latest news, and also ... entertainment at home.

- a) provide
- b) provides
- c) is provided
- d) provided

5. How ... at college? You didn't say much about it in your last letter.

- a) do you get on
- b) are you get on
- c) will you get on
- d) are you getting on

6. When you ... in this city again? - In a month.

- a) arrive
- b) arrived
- c) have you arrived
- d) will you arrive

7. I ... by the door for a long time until someone opened it.

- a) wait
- b) am waiting
- c) waited
- d) had been waiting

8. Every day we ..... at 7.30 and after washing we are told to go to the canteen to have breakfast.

- a) woke up
- b) will wake up
- c) are waken up
- d) wake up

9. When I ... her, I waved her, but she didn't noticed me.

- a) had seen
- b) saw
- c) see
- d) have seen

10. Where were you at about three yesterday afternoon? -Oh, I ... my car at that time.

- a) was repairing
- b) repaired
- c) had been repairing
- d) had repaired

**V. Put the words in the right order to make up a sentence. (8)**

1. modern / the / how / family / you / describe / could ?

.....

2. the / mean / what / "family" / does / word ?

.....

3. the / marks / parents / the / sent / to / are / pupil's / at / their / year / the / of / end.

.....

4. he / to / interest / didn't / in / take / seem / any / anything.

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## VI. Choose the right form. (7)

1. Betty asked: "Who wrote this book?"
  - a) Betty asked who did write this book.
  - b) Betty asked who had written this book.
  - c) Betty asked who had written that book.
2. "We can't remember where we put our passports", said Richard.
  - a) Richard said they couldn't remember where they had put their passports.
  - b) Richard said they couldn't remember where they put their passports.
  - c) Richard said they can't remember where they put their passports.
3. «Don't make so much noise», the neighbour said to Pete.
  - a) The neighbour asked Pete to not make so much noise.
  - b) The neighbour asked Pete not to make so much noise.
  - c) The neighbour asked to Pete not to make so much noise.
4. The snow covers the roads.
  - a) The roads are covered with the snow.
  - b) The roads is covered with the snow.
  - c) The roads were covered with the snow.
5. My granny bought this coat four years ago.
  - a) This coat will be bought by my granny four years ago.
  - b) This coat was bought by my granny four years ago.
  - c) This coat is bought by my granny four years ago.
6. If he eats so much, he ... weight.
  - a) would put on
  - b) would have put on
  - c) will put on
  - d) put on
7. If I ... a fly in my soup, I would complain to the manager.
  - a) would find
  - b) found
  - c) will find
  - d) didn't find

## VII. Insert the right phrasal verb. (5)

1. She usually ... at 5 to milk her cow.
  - a) gets on
  - b) lets out
  - c) looks back
  - d) gets up
2. Sorry to hear that Harry ... with his girlfriend yesterday.
  - a) look for
  - b) make out
  - c) broke up
  - d) look over
3. I'm going to ... a joint venture.
  - a) make up
  - b) set up
  - c) move out
  - d) pick up
4. Boys, stop chatting and ... your breakfast.
  - a) eat up
  - b) get off
  - c) put away
  - d) put on
5. Little Alice was ... by a nanny.
  - a) put in
  - b) run away
  - c) set up
  - d) brought up

**VIII. Choose the right variant. (3)**

1. I feel worried and nervous.

- 1) Take it to heart.
- 2) Don't mention it.
- 3) Are you?
- 4) Do you?

2. No, not in the least. I've got several.

- 1) Do you mind if I take this map?
- 2) Have you got any maps?
- 3) You have got a few maps, haven't you?
- 4) Sorry, I've borrowed your map.

3. Would you like some bread with your tea?

- 1) Delicious
- 2) A sweet roll, please.
- 3) Nothing of the kind.
- 4) No, I don't.

**IX. Fill in the appropriate modal verb. (3)**

1. When will you \_\_\_ come and see us in our new house?

- a. can
- b. be able to
- c. must
- d. have to

2. You \_\_\_ be serious? You want me to go skydiving with you on Saturday?  
No way, my friend!

- a. could
- b. should
- c. can't
- d. shall

3. He \_\_\_ give me a straight answer. He avoided my questions the whole time.

- a. should have
- b. wouldn't
- c. might have
- d. will have

**X. Unjumble the words and phrases in bold in the sentences below. (4)**

1. You can try this dress on. The (rachogomnign)..... is over there.

2. I think you need a bigger size. It looks a bit too (hittg).....

3. There are usually lots of secrets in pyramids and people who look for (suretaser)..... there always die.

4. The (taspoibleb)..... and kind people of Minsk are the true symbol of the capital.