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Предисловие

Настоящее учебное пособие предназначено для широкого круга изучающих английский язык, учащихся среднеобразовательных школ и колледжей, студентов неязыковых и языковых вузов. Большую помощь это пособие может оказать школьникам, выбравшим ЕГЭ по английскому языку как обязательный, а также абитуриентам, которые будут сдавать этот предмет как вступительное испытание. Его также можно использовать как дополнительный источник учебных материалов для развития лексико-грамматических навыков и речевых умений при обучении английскому языку.

Данное пособие направлено на развитие и контроль уровня знаний и умений в трех речевых видах деятельности: чтение, аудирование и письмо. Отдельно созданы задания на проверку уровня лексических и грамматических навыков, полученных в процессе обучения английскому языку.

Структура пособия логична и способствует планомерной работе при подготовке к типовым заданиям в формате ЕГЭ и ОГЭ по английскому языку (письменная часть). Каждый раздел содержит примерный вариант задания с подробными комментариями к выполнению, тренировочные упражнения и типовые варианты соответствующего блока.

Первый раздел представлен заданиями на проверку различной степени понимания содержания текста. Второй раздел пособия соответствует заданиям ЕГЭ и ОГЭ, направленным на контроль уровня знаний лексики и грамматических навыков изучаемого языка. Третий раздел представлен заданиями для развития навыка написания личного письма и умения письменного высказывания с элементами рассуждения по предложенной проблеме. Каждый раздел сопровождается ключами и вариантами ответов к тренировочным упражнениям и предложенными вариантами личных писем, размещенными в отдельном блоке.

В заключительной части книги даются приложения. Приложение 1 содержит справочные материалы по наиболее продуктивным словообразовательным моделям английского языка и суффиксам, имеющим лексическое значение. В Приложении 2 указано содержание и структура личного письма, даны опорные слова для написания каждой из составных частей личного письма.

Раздел I
ЗАДАНИЯ НА РАЗВИТИЕ
РЕЧЕВОГО УМЕНИЯ
ЧТЕНИЯ



Блок 1

ЗАДАНИЯ НА ПРОВЕРКУ ПОНИМАНИЯ ОСНОВНОГО СОДЕРЖАНИЯ ТЕКСТА

Примерный вариант задания с подробными комментариями к выполнению

Рассмотрим типичный вариант задания на понимание основного содержания текста в экзаменационном тесте формата ЕГЭ или ОГЭ.

Установите соответствие между заголовками А—Н и текстами 1—7. Занесите свои ответы в таблицу. Используйте каждую букву только один раз. В задании один заголовок лишний.

- A. Helping Furry Friends
- B. A Little Lazybones
- C. A Busy Neighbourhood
- D. The Wild Style
- E. Animals' Life
- F. An Honourable Writer
- G. An Old Legend
- H. The Great Ruler

1. Soho is a small, multicultural area of central London. It is a home to industry, commerce, culture and entertainment, as well as a residential area for both the rich and the poor. The district is famous for its numerous clubs, pubs, bars, restaurants and late-night coffee shops. Many Soho weekends are very busy, that is why it is not uncommon that some streets are closed off to vehicles. There are record shops in the area around Berwick Street offering the latest releases. Soho is also home to religious and spiritu-

al groups, notably St. Ann's Church, St. Patrick's Church in Soho Square, City Gates Church, and a small mosque on Berwick Street. Gerrard Street is the centre of London's Chinatown, a mix of import companies and restaurants. Street festivals are held throughout the year, most notably on the Chinese New Year.

2. In Ireland, long time ago, there was a young boy, Finn, the greatest and most skilful warrior ever known. The only skills he had to learn were the art of composing and reciting poetry and the gift of wisdom. One day Finn was sent to a wise old man who lived by the River Boyne. For seven years he had been trying to catch the sacred Salmon of Knowledge, because it was believed that the first to taste this salmon would get all the wisdom of the world. That day Finn caught the salmon but the old man warned Finn that he was not allowed to taste the salmon but should give the first piece to the old man. Finn agreed and began cooking the salmon over an open fire. When Finn was going to turn the salmon over to cook it on the other side, he burnt his thumb on its hot scales and immediately put his thumb into his mouth to cool it. Of course, when he did this he tasted the salmon and got all the knowledge in the world. After that whenever Finn wanted to solve any problem, he had to suck his thumb!

3. Glam Rock (aka Glitter Rock) was a peculiarly British phenomenon, a style of rock music popularised in the 1970s, which approached music with a get dressed up and be freaky attitude, distinguished by the wild costumes and otherworldly stage acts of the performers rather than any particular aspect of their music. The emphasis was on superficiality and an antithesis to the music of "Genesis" and "Pink Floyd" whose music was often referred to by critics as art rock.

4. The koala lives almost entirely on eucalypt leaves. It has a very low metabolic rate for a mammal and rests motionless for about 19 hours a day, sleeping most of that time. Koalas that are disturbed are known to be violent, their teeth and claws capable of providing considerable injury to humans; special handling requirements are as such applicable. Handling of koalas has been a source of political contention due to these risks, which can also cause harm to the koala as well. Koalas spend about three of their five active hours eating. Feeding occurs at any time of day, but usually at night. An average Koala eats 500 grams of eucalypt leaves each day, chewing them in its powerful jaws to a very fine paste before swallowing.

5. Glenbrae Vet Clinic in Glasgow, Scotland, offers a big variety of services for sick animals. Within the reception area there is a variety of pet foods and accessories. At Glenbrae Vet Clinic there are four consulting rooms and, depending on the time of day, either two vets consulting or one vet and one of the nurses. To minimise any stressful waits the clinic operates an appointment system. There is also a veterinary surgeon and a veterinary nurse available during the night and at weekends (and all public holidays) allowing a high standard of emergency treatment and full time supervision out with the normal clinic hours.

6. Andrew Lloyd Webber is a highly successful British composer of musical theatre. Webber started composing at the age of 6 and published his first piece at the age of 9. Lloyd Webber has received great popular success, with several musicals that have run for more than a decade both in the West End and on Broadway. He has composed 13 musicals, a song cycle, a set of variations and two film scores. He has also gained a number of honours, including a knighthood in 1992 followed by a peerage, three Grammy Awards, an Oscar, an International Emmy, a Golden Globe and many others. Several of his songs, notably “Don’t Cry for Me, Argentina” from the musical *Evita*, “Memory” from *Cats*, and “The Music of the Night” from *The Phantom of the Opera* have been widely recorded and were hits outside of their parent musicals. His company, the *Really Useful Group*, is one of the largest theatre operators in London.

7. Victoria (reigned 1837—1901) was the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland. Her reign lasted 63 years and seven months, longer than that of any other British monarch. In general, the period of her reign is known as the Victorian era. Victoria was the granddaughter of George III, and was almost entirely of German descent. She was the last British monarch of the House of Hanover. Her son King Edward VII belonged to the House of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha. The Victorian era was at the height of the Industrial Revolution, a period of important social, economic, and technical progress in the United Kingdom. Victoria’s reign was marked by a great expansion of the British Empire; during this period it reached its top, becoming the most powerful Empire of the time.

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Как видно из формулировки, в данном задании необходимо подобрать заголовки к небольшим пронумерованным текстам. Беглый просмотр позволяет увидеть, что тексты относятся к разным жанрам и содержат различную информацию. Задания такого типа являются заданиями «на понимание общей идеи текста». Выполнять их несложно, но требуется определённое внимание.

Для того чтобы понять основную идею текста, вам не обязательно знать все слова, встречающиеся в текстах. Самое главное — понять, о чём рассказывается в том или ином отрывке. Вам не следует выискивать детали. Как уже говорилось выше, тексты относятся к различным жанрам, поэтому в них наверняка встретятся незнакомые вам слова. Но обычно эти слова не мешают пониманию содержания.

Прежде чем читать текст, нужно просмотреть предлагаемые заголовки. Обычно заголовки содержат синонимы или синонимичные выражения, которые помогут вам сразу понять, о чём будет говориться в тексте. Например, посмотрим на заголовок В — “A Little Lazybones”. Сразу становится понятно, что речь пойдёт о ком-то или о чём-то маленького (или небольшого) размера. Если вы не знаете слово *lazybones* (ленивец, лентяй), которое наверняка встречалось вам не раз на уроках английского языка в школе, или забыли его, то, несмотря на это, вы наверняка знаете слово *lazy* (ленивый). Несложно сделать вывод: в тексте речь пойдёт о ком-то маленьком и ленивом. После этого вам следует быстро просмотреть все тексты, чтобы выявить ключевые слова по теме «маленький ленивец».

В тексте 4 про коалу мы видим следующее предложение: “...rests motionless for about 19 hours a day, sleeping most of that time”. Мы понимаем, что заголовок отражает содержание текста с иронией, называя коал ленивыми, хотя на самом деле большую часть жизни они проводят во сне из-за определённой особенности их организма.

Теперь посмотрим на заголовок E: Animals’ Life. Казалось бы, он подходит к тексту 4 про коал, в котором идёт речь об этих животных и их образе жизни. Однако если мы внимательно посмотрим на сам заголовок, увидим, что существительное «животное» стоит во множественном числе — Animals’. Этот заголовок никак не может относиться к тексту 4, потому что в нём описывается только один вид животных, даже несмотря на то, что в тексте написано «коалы», а не «коала».

Иногда кажется, что такого рода задание очень лёгкое для выполнения. Однако, как мы только что увидели, в нём встречаются «подводные камни», которые необходимо вовремя замечать.

Вот какие ключевые слова и фразы встречаются в других текстах задания. Именно они помогают выбрать правильный ответ.

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4. The Koala lives almost entirely on eucalypt leaves. It has a very low metabolic rate for a mammal and **rests motionless for about 19 hours a day, sleeping most of that time.** Koalas that are disturbed are known to be violent, their teeth and claws capable of providing considerable injury to humans; special handling requirements are as such applicable. Handling of koalas has been a source of political contention due to these risks, which can also cause harm to the koala as well. Koalas spend about three of their five active hours eating. Feeding occurs at any time of day, but usually at night. An average Koala eats 500 grams of eucalypt leaves each day, chewing them in its powerful jaws to a very fine paste before swallowing. *Ombem: B. A Little Lazybones.*

5. Glenbrae **Vet Clinic** in Glasgow, Scotland, offers a **big variety of services for sick animals.** Within the reception area there is a variety of pet foods and accessories. At Glenbrae Vet Clinic there are four consulting rooms and, depending on the time of day, either two vets consulting or one vet and one of the nurses. To minimise any stressful waits the clinic operates an appointment system. There is also a veterinary surgeon and a veterinary nurse available during the night and at weekends (and all public holidays) allowing a high standard of emergency treatment and full time supervision out with the normal clinic hours. *Ombem: A. Helping Furry Friends.*

6. Andrew Lloyd Webber is a highly successful British **composer** of musical theatre. Webber started composing at the age of 6 and published his first piece at the age of 9. Lloyd Webber has received great popular success, with several musicals that have run for more than a decade both in the West End and on Broadway. He has **composed** 13 musicals, a song cycle, a set of variations and two film scores. He has also **gained a number of honours, including a knighthood** in 1992 **followed by a peerage**, three Grammy Awards, an Oscar, an International Emmy, a Golden Globe and many others. Several of his songs, notably “Don’t Cry for Me, Argentina” from the musical *Evita*, “Memory” from *Cats*, and “The Music of the Night” from *The Phantom of the Opera* have been widely recorded and were hits outside of their parent musicals. His company, the *Re-*

ally Useful Group, is one of the largest theatre operators in London.
Ответ: F. An Honourable Writer.

7. Victoria (reigned 1837—1901) was the **Queen** of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland. **Her reign** lasted 63 years and seven months, longer than that of any other British monarch. In general, the period of her reign is known as the Victorian era. Victoria was the granddaughter of George III, and was almost entirely of German descent. She was the last British monarch of the House of Hanover. Her son King Edward VII belonged to the House of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha. The Victorian era was **at the height of the Industrial Revolution, a period of important social, economic, and technical progress** in the United Kingdom. Victoria's reign was marked by a great expansion of the **British Empire; during this period it reached its top, becoming the most powerful Empire of the time.** Ответ: H. The Great Ruler.

Таблица после текста должна быть заполнена соответствующим образом:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
C	G	D	B	A	F	H

Выполнение такого рода заданий требует определенного навыка, который вы легко можете сформировать и развивать на материале предложенных ниже заданий.

Тренировочные упражнения

Упражнение 1

Look at the texts and their titles. Underline the key words that help you understand why this or that tile was chosen.

1. Making Your Way around Northern Ireland

The transport system in Northern Ireland is very well developed. *Translink* operates the *Ulsterbus*, *Metro Bus* service and *NI Railways* integrated public transport system — you can reach every corner of every county in a couple of hours. Taxis are also an economical option for short journeys. All legal taxis should display taxi license plates. Taxis are generally meter-reading fares; if a taxi does not have a meter, ask the fare to your destination before setting off. In Belfast, taxi ranks are also available; these are generally in the city centre or at some points of entry, and are London-type black

cabs. There are also good cross-border buses and rail links from the Irish Republic.

2. Northern Ireland's Celebrities

For such a small country Northern Ireland has a lot of famous people who have made an impact all across the world. Northern Ireland has produced a wealth of writers, among others Brian Friel and Biran Moore (screenwriter for Hitchcock's *Torn Curtain* film). C. S. Lewis, the author of the hugely popular children's stories was born in East Belfast. Northern Irish writing talent is also on display through Oscar Wilde and Samuel Beckett who both went to school in Enniskillen. A well-developed literary trail is associated with Patrick Brontë, father of the novelist sisters. Northern Ireland has competed at the highest level in sport – including football legend George Best, Harry Gregg, Pat Jennings and Martin O'Neill, *Formula One* driver Eddie Irvine, motorcycling hero Joey Dunlop, snooker world champions Alex Higgins and Dennis Taylor, golfer Darren Clarke and Olympic gold medalist Mary Peters.

3. Unforgettable Time-Travel

Make a journey to the past and get to know the history of the "Titanic"! Begin your own voyage of discovery at the Ulster Folk & Transport Museum to see the Titanic Exhibition. On the way there from Belfast, you will pass her birthplace, Harland & Wolff Shipyard where her keel was laid in 1909. The Folk Museum holds 75,000 negatives including hundreds of Titanic plates made by Belfast photographer R. J. Welch. Her tableware and bed linens, with the White Star emblem, were made in what is now the Belfast Linen Industry Conservation area around Bedford Street. The most enduring monument to her disastrous end is the Titanic Memorial in the grounds of Belfast City Hall. In Comber, east of Belfast, you will find memorials to Thomas Andrews, Titanic's chief designer, who chose to die with the ship. In Bangor, there is a memorial to John Simpson, the ship's surgeon, in the Abbey graveyard.

4. An Old Legend

In Ireland, long time ago, there was a young boy, Finn, the greatest and most skilful warrior ever known. The only skills he had to learn were the art of composing and reciting poetry and the gift of wisdom. One day Finn was sent to a wise old man who lived by the River Boyne. For seven years he had been trying to catch the sacred Salmon of Knowledge, because it was believed that the first to taste this salmon would get all the wisdom of the world. That day

Finn caught the salmon but the old man warned Finn that he was not allowed to taste the salmon but should give the first piece to the old man. Finn agreed and began cooking the salmon over an open fire. When Finn was going to turn the salmon over to cook it on the other side, he burnt his thumb on its hot scales¹ and immediately put his thumb into his mouth to cool it. Of course, when he did this he tasted the salmon and got all the knowledge in the world. After that whenever Finn wanted to solve any problem, he had to suck his thumb!

5. Criminal News

Ms McMaster became ill on Monday and was taken to Belfast City Hospital where she was transfused with four pints of blood. While doctors were caring for her, burglars smashed their way into her home and robbed the property. A sum of cash, jewellery and a plasma television were stolen during the burglary, which happened sometime between 6.30 p. m. and 9.30 p. m. The Police Service of Northern Ireland were alerted shortly afterwards. Speaking to the *Belfast Telegraph*, Ms McMaster wept as she spoke of her shock over the burglary. “I just can’t believe this could happen to me. If I could speak to the people who did this I’d call them rascals,” she said. “One big window at the back of the house was smashed and the window in the back door as well. I’m not working now and I don’t know how I’m supposed to pay for the windows to be fixed and to replace what’s been stolen”.

Упражнение 2

Make up titles to these texts, so that they do not contain any words from them.

1. Emmys and Oscars, move over: Today’s celebs are raking in the Internet accolades as well. Recognizing achievements in more than 70 categories, including Web sites, online videos and films, blogs and other segments of digital culture, the 14th annual Web-bys are considered the Oscars of the online world. While academy judges like Martha Stewart and David Bowie decide the winners in the Webby categories, people around the world also have a say in the voting.

2. Elegantly proportioned antique cabinet graciously accents your favorite room. Sparkling glass doors, graceful legs and stylish fittings dignify this beautiful cabinet, giving it the look of objects

¹ Scales — small hard flat pieces of skin on the body of a fish, snake, or similar animal (чешуя).

costing thousands more. Birch veneer; alder legs. May require additional freight charge. Some assembly required. (Cabinet contents not included.) 22" x 11" x 39 1/4" high.

3. Teens might be tempted to stay up late, cramming for an exam or text messaging with friends. But the lack of sleep could lead to expanding waistlines, particularly for boys, a new study finds. The results, based on a sample of 723 adolescents, show that the less sleep teens get the more likely they are to be obese, at least for boys, but not girls. The relationship between less sleep and weight gain was also stronger for middle-school students than for high-school students, the researchers say.

4. On Friday, June 19, a British World War I veteran became the oldest living man in the world. The World War vet is Henry Allingham, and he celebrated his 113th birthday on the 6th of June. Prior to his gaining the record, the oldest man was Tomoji Tanabe, a resident of southern Japan. He was also 113 years old but died in sleep early on Friday. It was then that the Guinness World Records declared that Allingham is now the oldest man on earth. Allingham is actually one of the two World War I veterans living in Britain today. Also, he has held the record of the oldest man in Britain for two years now, since 2007.

5. A US county sheriff has started a program he calls "Pedal Vision", in which inmates pedal stationary bikes to generate electricity for television sets. The bikes are customised to turn on connected TV sets once inmates at Phoenix's Tent City Jail pedal enough to generate 12-volts of electricity. An hour of pedalling equals an hour of television. Maricopa County Sheriff Joe Arpaio said inmates only will be able to watch television if they choose to pedal. He said he started the programme with female inmates because they seemed more receptive. Sheriff Arpaio said the only exercise female inmates have been getting is speed-walking around the tent yard. He said Pedal Vision gives them a reason to get moving and a way to burn calories.

Упражнение 3

Read the text and give a title to each of the paragraphs.

A. Mr and Mrs Brown were going abroad for their holiday. They had a dog called Blackie which they were very fond of, but they could not take him abroad with them, so they looked for a good place to leave him while they were away, and at last found a place which looked after dogs very well while their owners were away.