

Промежуточный контроль знаний по английскому языку 9 класс

Задание 1

Прочитайте тексты и установите соответствие между текстами и их заголовками: к каждому тексту, обозначенному буквами А-Г, подберите соответствующий заголовок, обозначенный цифрами 1-8. Используйте каждую цифру только один раз. В задании есть один лишний заголовок.

1. Fashion hurts

2. Personal style

3. More money - more fashionable

4. Fashion victims

5. What fashion is

6. A new factor to be fashionable

7. Sensible advice on shopping

8. How to wear stylishly

A. Wearing too much of one thing is never a good idea whether it is jewellery, make up, designer clothes or perfume. The right style tactic is to create a single focal point. It might be a designer T-shirt or some unusual boots or perhaps a trendy jacket. If you wear them all at once, they just compete for attention. Wear one fashion item at a time and keep the rest simple.

B. Fashion does not just depend on one person's idea of a new line or a different look, but on something much wider. It expresses a feeling for what is going on in the world around. It is a mirror in which are reflected the events, ideas and interests of an entire era. Dress designers, the artists of the fashion world, try to interpret these influences and express them in the fashions they produce.

C. Following the latest fashion trends can be unhealthy. Things we wear can lead to stomach problems, rashes, backache and painful feet. Very tight clothes can prevent people moving naturally. If you wear trousers or skirts that are too tight around the waist, this can cause stomachache. Rashes can be caused by an allergic reaction to synthetic material. And last, but not least - wearing shoes with high heels can lead to foot and back problems.

D. There are some people who take a fashion trend and follow it slavishly. They don't care whether it looks good on them or not, whether it is appropriate or whether they are wearing it in excess. For these people fashion sense is more important than common sense. They will go out in the latest spring fashions even if it is snowing or wear high-heeled shoes to a picnic in the woods.

E. A heightened awareness of the role that image plays nowadays means that many men today also buy fashion magazines, and spend hours shopping and going to the hairdressers. This is not because they find these activities enjoyable. It is because they realise that the way they look has an influence on professional success. Of course, it does play a role, and this can be a cause of anxiety for many men as well as women.

F. I dress up every day and for every event. I have developed my personal dress code. There are many different levels of dressing up. There is 'going drinking and dancing' dressing up, when I usually wear pants with a cute shirt. And then there is 'going to a wedding' dressing up, when it's more formal. And finally, there is work dressing up, and that's when I am more professional.

G. There are people who buy a completely new wardrobe every season. This is fine if you have a lot of money, of course. However, this costs them a fortune and makes it obvious to everyone else that they have fallen to an obsession with fashion. Instead, look critically at your clothes and follow the trends that really suit you. Buy cheap, wear often and invest in classic items that never go out of fashion. That will save your money and you won't run the risk of becoming a fashion victim.

Запишите в таблицу выбранные цифры под соответствующими буквами.

Текст	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Заголовок							

Задание 2

Прочитайте текст. Определите, какие из приведенных утверждений 10-17 соответствуют содержанию текста (1 - True), какие не соответствуют (2 - False) и о чем в тексте не сказано, то есть на основании текста нельзя дать ни положительного, ни отрицательного ответа (3 - Not stated). В поле ответа запишите одну цифру, которая соответствует номеру правильного ответа.

What Can a Frog Tell Us?

When was the last time you saw a frog? Chances are, if you live in a city, you have not seen one for some time. Even in wet areas once teeming with frogs and toads, it is becoming less and less easy to find those slimy, hopping and sometimes poisonous members of the animal kingdom. All over the world, even in remote jungles on the far side of the globe, frogs are losing the ecological battle for survival, and biologists are at a loss to explain their demise. Are amphibians simply over-sensitive to changes in the ecosystem? Could their rapid decline in numbers be signalling some coming environmental disaster for us all? This frightening scenario is in part the consequence of a dramatic increase over the last quarter

century in the development of once natural areas of wet marshland; home not only to frogs but to all manner of wildlife. Yet, there are no obvious reasons why certain frog species are disappearing from rainforests in the Southern Hemisphere which are barely touched by human hand. The mystery is unsettling to say the least, for it is known that amphibian species are extremely sensitive to environmental variations in temperature and moisture levels. The danger is that planet Earth might not only lose a vital link in the ecological food chain (frogs keep populations of otherwise pestilent insects at manageable levels), but we might be increasing our output of air pollutants to levels that may have already become irreversible. Frogs could be inadvertently warning us of a catastrophe. An example of a bizarre occurrence regarding a species of frog dates from the summer of 1995, when 'an explosion' of multi-coloured frogs of the species *Rana kleptonesculenta* occurred in the Netherlands. Normally these frogs are brown and greenish-brown, but some unknown contributory factor is turning these frogs yellow and/or orange. Nonetheless, so far, the unusual bi- and even tri-coloured frogs are functioning similarly to their normal-skinned contemporaries. It is thought that frogs with lighter coloured skins might be more likely to survive in an increasingly warm climate due to global warming. One theory put forward to explain extinct amphibian species that seems to fit the facts concerns the depletion of the ozone layer, a well-documented phenomenon which has led to a sharp increase in ultraviolet radiation levels. The ozone layer is meant to shield the Earth from UV rays, but increased radiation may be having a greater effect upon frog populations than previously believed. Another theory is that worldwide temperature increases are upsetting the breeding cycles of frogs.

- 1 Frogs are disappearing only from city areas. 1) True 2) False 3) Not stated
- 2 Frogs and toads are usually poisonous. 1) True 2) False 3) Not stated
- 3 Biologists are unable to explain why frogs are dying. 1) True 2) False 3) Not stated
- 4 The frogs' natural habitat is becoming more and more developed. 1) True 2) False 3) Not stated
- 5 Attempts are being made to halt the development of wet marshland. 1) True 2) False 3) Not stated
- 6 Frogs are important in the ecosystem because they control pestilent insects. 1) True 2) False 3) Not stated
- 7 The multi-coloured frogs show abnormal behaviour. 1) True 2) False 3) Not stated
- 8 There is convincing evidence, that the ozone layer is being depleted. 1) True 2) False 3) Not stated

Задание 3

Прочитайте приведенный ниже текст. Преобразуйте слова, напечатанные заглавными буквами в конце строк, так, чтобы они грамматически соответствовали содержанию текста. Заполните пропуски полученными словами.

At the end of the week Father usually gets good ideas.

- 1 Last Saturday when he _____ through the newspaper he found an article about skiing. LOOK
- 2 He read it and said: "I _____ when we last went skiing. What about trying it tomorrow?" Everybody liked the idea so we started our preparations. NOT / REMEMBER
- 3 All of _____ wanted to look smart. Jane took out her sports clothes. Mother sent me out to buy skiing caps. WE
- 4 Late at night our clothes were ready and we _____ go to bed. CAN
- 5 At 10 o'clock in the morning I suddenly _____ up. WAKE
- 6 The _____ were still sleeping. "Wake up everybody", I shouted. "Stop joking in a silly way," Mother said from her bedroom. WOMAN
- 7 "What about skiing?" I asked Father who _____ out of the bathroom. COME
- 8 He _____ no attention to my words. PAY
- 9 At breakfast he was reading his morning newspaper as usual and suddenly exclaimed: "Look, they say, swimming is the _____ way of losing weight. What about trying it?" GOOD

