

Вариант 2

1.

Вы услышите 6 высказываний. Установите соответствие между высказываниями каждого говорящего A–F и утверждениями, данными в списке 1–7. Используйте каждое утверждение, обозначенное соответствующей цифрой, только один раз. В задании есть одно лишнее утверждение. Вы услышите запись дважды.

1. The speaker feels unhappy about changes in her/his former classmates.
2. The speaker thinks that uniforms give students a tidier look.
3. The speaker is unhappy with his rich classmates' attitude to expensive gifts.
4. The speaker says that his school building is inconvenient because of its size.
5. The speaker says that students prefer casual clothes to school uniform.
6. The speaker thinks it depends on the person what type of school is better for her/him.
7. The speaker thinks private school gives better opportunities to study different subjects.

Говорящий	A	B	C	D	E	F
Утверждение						

2.

Вы услышите диалог. Определите, какие из приведенных утверждений A–G 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**). Занесите номер выбранного Вами варианта ответа в таблицу. Вы услышите запись дважды.

- A) Ivy previously believed she could never learn to use computers.
- B) Ivy's husband Fred is impressed by Paul.
- C) Fred has been on a computer course before.
- D) Paul refused to take Fred as his trainee.
- E) James and Katie will do two evenings a week in September.
- F) CLAIT is easier than the Office Skills course.
- G) Ivy plans to finish both CLAIT and Office Skills courses by the end of winter.

Запишите в ответ цифры, расположив их в порядке, соответствующем буквам:

A B C D E F G

3. Вы услышите репортаж дважды. Выберите правильный ответ 1, 2 или 3.

The idea of becoming a photographer...

1. ...came to Chris after seeing big sculptures.
2. ...was the result of his work with sculptures.
3. ...made him lose interest in sculptures.

4. Вы услышите репортаж дважды. Выберите правильный ответ 1, 2 или 3.

Chris assisted the photographer who...

1. ...had the latest photographic equipment.

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2. ...gave Chris valuable professional advice.
3. ...used to ask Chris challenging questions.

5. *Вы услышите репортаж дважды. Выберите правильный ответ 1, 2 или 3.*

According to Chris, working as an assistant is a good way into a career because you can...

1. ...get a better understanding of the profession.
2. ...learn the basic techniques of taking pictures.
3. ...make friends with a lot of talented people.

6. *Вы услышите репортаж дважды. Выберите правильный ответ 1, 2 или 3.*

The reason for buying a plastic camera was that it...

1. ...allowed him to take original pictures.
2. ...was not very expensive.
3. ...was light to carry around.

7. *Вы услышите репортаж дважды. Выберите правильный ответ 1, 2 или 3.*

Chris uses the phrase 'That got the ball rolling' to say that...

1. ...he became popular with the dancers.
2. ...he suddenly got very rich.
3. ...his art became more dance-oriented.

8. *Вы услышите репортаж дважды. Выберите правильный ответ 1, 2 или 3.*

Chris goes to the dance performances because...

1. ...the choreographer recommends that he see the piece.
2. ...it is always interesting for him to be at the premiere.
3. ...he wants to find the links between them and his work.

9. *Вы услышите репортаж дважды. Выберите правильный ответ 1, 2 или 3.*

Chris thinks that dancers are great to work with because they...

1. ...are lively and enthusiastic.
2. ...can cope with any problem.
3. ...can work long hours.

10. *Установите соответствие между заголовками 1–8 и текстами A–G. Запишите свои ответы в таблицу. Используйте каждую цифру только один раз. В задании есть один лишний заголовок.*

1. Places to stay in.
2. Arts and culture.
3. New country image.
4. Going out.
5. Different landscapes.

6. Transport system.
7. National languages.
8. Eating out.

A. Belgium has always had a lot more than the faceless administrative buildings that you can see in the outskirts of its capital, Brussels. A number of beautiful historic cities and Brussels itself offer impressive architecture, lively nightlife, first-rate restaurants and numerous other attractions for visitors. Today, the old-fashioned idea of ‘boring Belgium’ has been well and truly forgotten, as more and more people discover its very individual charms for themselves.

B. Nature in Belgium is varied. The rivers and hills of the Ardennes in the southeast contrast sharply with the rolling plains which make up much of the northern and western countryside. The most notable features are the great forest near the frontier with Germany and Luxembourg and the wide, sandy beaches of the northern coast.

C. It is easy both to enter and to travel around pocket- sized Belgium which is divided into the Dutchspeaking north and the French-speaking south. Officially the Belgians speak Dutch, French and German. Dutch is slightly more widely spoken than French, and German is spoken the least. The Belgians, living in the north, will often prefer to answer visitors in English rather than French, even if the visitor’s French is good.

D. Belgium has a wide range of hotels from 5-star luxury to small family pensions and inns. In some regions of the country, farm holidays are available. There visitors can (for a small cost) participate in the daily work of the farm. There are plenty of opportunities to rent furnished villas, flats, rooms, or bungalows for a holiday period. These holiday houses and flats are comfortable and well-equipped.

E. The Belgian style of cooking is similar to French, based on meat and seafood. Each region in Belgium has its own special dish. Butter, cream, beer and wine are generously used in cooking. The Belgians are keen on their food, and the country is very well supplied with excellent restaurants to suit all budgets. The perfect evening out here involves a delicious meal, and the restaurants and cafes are busy at all times of the week.

F. As well as being one of the best cities in the world for eating out (both for its high quality and range), Brussels has a very active and varied nightlife. It has 10 theatres which produce plays in both Dutch and French. There are also dozens of cinemas, numerous discos and many night-time cafes in Brussels. Elsewhere, the nightlife choices depend on the size of the town, but there is no shortage of fun to be had in any of the major cities.

G. There is a good system of underground trains, trams and buses in all the major towns and cities. In addition, Belgium’s waterways offer a pleasant way to enjoy the country. Visitors can take a one-hour cruise around the canals of Bruges (sometimes described as the Venice of the North) or an extended cruise along the rivers and canals linking the major cities of Belgium and the Netherlands.

Текст	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Заголовок							

11. Прочитайте текст и заполните пропуски A–F частями предложений, обозначенными цифрами 1–7. Одна из частей в списке 1–7 лишняя. Запишите цифры, обозначающие соответствующие части предложений, в таблицу.

Australia

Australia was the last great landmass to be discovered by the Europeans. The continent they eventually discovered had already been inhabited for tens of thousands of years.

Australia is an island continent **A** _____ is the result of gradual changes wrought over millions of years.

B _____, Australia is one of the most stable land masses, and for about 100 million years has been free of the forces that have given rise to huge mountain ranges elsewhere. From the east coast a narrow, fertile strip merges into the greatly eroded Great Dividing Range, **C** _____.

The mountains are merely reminders of the mighty range, **D** _____. Only in the section straddling the New South Wales border with Victoria and in Tasmania, are they high enough to have winter snow.

West of the range of the country becomes increasingly flat and dry. The endless flatness is broken only by salt lakes, occasional mysterious protuberances and some mountains **E** _____. In places the scant vegetation is sufficient to allow some grazing.

However, much of the Australian outback is a barren land of harsh stone deserts and dry lakes.

The extreme north of Australia, the Top End, is a tropical area within the monsoon belt.

F _____, it comes in more or less one short, sharp burst. This has prevented the Top End from becoming seriously productive area.

1. that once stood here
2. that is almost continent long
3. whose property is situated to the north of Tasmania
4. whose landscape — much of bleak and inhospitable
5. whose beauty reminds of the MacDonalld Ranges
6. Although its annual rainfall looks adequate on paper
7. Although there is still seismic activity in the eastern highland area

Пропуск	A	B	C	D	E	F
Часть предложения						

First Train Trip

I must have been about eight when I made my first train trip. I think I was in second grade at that time. It was midsummer, hot and wet in central Kansas, and time for my aunt Winnie's annual vacation from the store, where she worked as a clerk six days a week. She invited me to join her on a trip to Pittsburgh, fifty miles away, to see her sister, my aunt Alice. «Sally, would you like to go there by train or by car?» aunt Winnie asked. «Oh, please, by train, aunt Winnie, dear! We've been there by car three times already!»

Alice was one of my favourite relatives and I was delighted to be invited to her house. As I was the youngest niece in Mother's big family, the aunties all tended to spoil me and Alice was no exception. She kept a boarding house for college students, a two-storey, brown brick building with comfortable, nicely decorated rooms at the corner of 1200 Kearney Avenue. She was also a world-class cook, which kept her boarding house full of young people. It seemed to me that their life was so exciting and joyful.

Since I'd never ridden a train before, I became more and more excited as the magic day drew near. I kept questioning Mother about train travel, but she just said, «Wait. You'll see.» For an eight-year-old, waiting was really difficult, but finally the big day arrived. Mother had helped me pack the night before, and my little suitcase was full with summer sundresses, shorts and blouses, underwear and pyjamas. I was reading Billy Whiskers, a fantastic story about a goat that once

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made a train trip to New York, and I had put that in as well. It was almost midnight when I could go to bed at last.

We arrived at the station early, purchased our tickets and found our car. I was fascinated by the face-to-face seats so some passengers could ride backwards. Why would anyone, I thought, want to see where they'd been? I only wanted to see what lay ahead for me.

Finally, the conductor shouted, 'All aboard!' to the people on the platform. They climbed into the cars, the engineer blew the whistle and clanged the bell, and we pulled out of the station.

This train stopped at every town between my home in Solomon and Pittsburgh. It was known as the «milk train» because at one time it had delivered goods as well as passengers to these villages. I looked eagerly at the signs at each station. I'd been through all these towns by car, but this was different. The shaky ride of the coaches, the soft brown plush seats, the smells of the engine drifting back down the track and in through the open windows made this trip far more exotic.

The conductor, with his black uniform and shiny hat, the twinkling signals that told the engineer when to stop and go, thrilled me. To an adult, the trip must have seemed painfully slow, but I enjoyed every minute.

Aunt Winnie had packed a lunch for us to eat along the way as there was no dining car in the train. I was dying to know just what was in that big shopping bag she carried, but she, too, said, «Wait. You'll see.» Midway, Aunt Winnie pulled down her shopping bag from the luggage rack above our seats. My eyes widened as she opened it and began to take out its contents. I had expected lunch- meat sandwiches, but instead there was a container of fried chicken, two hardboiled eggs, bread and butter wrapped in waxed paper, crisp radishes and slim green onions from Winnie's garden, as well as rosy sliced tomatoes. She had brought paper plates, paper cups and some of the 'everyday' silverware. A large bottle of cold tea was well wrapped in a dishtowel; the ice had melted, but it was still chilly. I cautiously balanced my plate on my knees and ate, wiping my lips and fingers with a large paper napkin. This was living!

When we had cleaned our plates, Aunt Winnie looked into the bag one more time. The best treat of all appeared — homemade chocolate cakes! Another cup of cold tea washed these down and then we carefully returned the remains of the food and silverware to the bag, which Aunt Winnie put into the corner by her feet.

«Almost there,» said my aunt, looking out of the window at the scenery passing by. And sure enough, as we pulled into the Pittsburgh station we immediately caught sight of aunt Alice, waiting for us, a smile like the sun lighting up her face, arms wide open. We got off the train and she led us past the taxi rank and the bus stop to her car that was parked near the station. And all the way to her home she was asking about my impressions of my first train trip and I could hardly find the words to express all the thrill and excitement that filled me.

12. The first time Sally travelled by train was when she...

1. ...had to move to her aunt Alice.
2. ...had a summer vacation at school.
3. ...went to Pittsburgh for the first time in her life.
4. ...visited her aunt Alice together with aunt Winnie.

13. Aunt Alice made her living by...

1. ...working as a cook.
2. ...keeping a boarding house.
3. ...decorating houses.
4. ...working as a teacher at college.

14. Sally was waiting for her first train trip so impatiently that she...

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1. ...packed her things long before the trip.
2. ...lost her appetite a week before the trip.
3. ...asked her Mother many questions about train trips.
4. ...couldn't sleep the night before the trip.

15. Sally didn't like the idea of riding backwards because...

1. ...it could make her sick.
2. ...she could miss her station.
3. ...she could miss the conductor.
4. ...she wanted to see where she was going.

16. The trip to Pittsburgh by train seemed so exotic to Sally because...

1. ...she had never travelled so far from her native town.
2. ...travelling by train was very different from a car ride.
3. ...she had never travelled in comfort.
4. ...she had never travelled without her parents.

17. Sally thought that at lunchtime they would have...

1. ...meat sandwiches.
2. ...bread and butter with coffee.
3. ...fried chicken, eggs and vegetables.
4. ...tea with chocolate cakes.

18. Aunt Alice was waiting for Sally and aunt Winnie...

1. ...at home.
2. ...in her car.
3. ...on the platform.
4. ...at the bus stop.

19. *Преобразуйте, если это необходимо, слово **BUILD** так, чтобы оно грамматически соответствовало содержанию текста.*

Souvenirs From the Past

The lands of southern England have always been associated with mystery. Pre-historic sites like Stonehenge are souvenirs from the past _____ by civilizations we still know very little about.

20. *Преобразуйте, если это необходимо, слово **BRING** так, чтобы оно грамматически соответствовало содержанию текста.*

In 2009 an amazing discovery near a village called Damerham _____ to life a whole complex that archaeologists did not even know existed. At first scientists believed that they were crop circles.

21. *Преобразуйте, если это необходимо, слово **CLOSELY** так, чтобы оно грамматически соответствовало содержанию текста.*

When they investigated the circles _____, they found that the circles had been cut into the land.

22. *Преобразуйте, если это необходимо, слово **IT** так, чтобы оно грамматически соответствовало содержанию текста.*

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The circles existed 6,000 years ago, before Stonehenge _____ had been built.

23. Преобразуйте, если это необходимо, слово **MAKE** так, чтобы оно грамматически соответствовало содержанию текста.

Moab Mountain

Moab Mountain in Utah, the USA, is a breathtaking place to visit. Desert land and the canyons _____ of hard, red rock.

24. Преобразуйте, если это необходимо, слово **BECOME** так, чтобы оно грамматически соответствовало содержанию текста.

Moab is a popular venue for mountain biking, half marathons and Jeep Safari. In recent years, it _____ an unicycling playground too.

25. Преобразуйте, если это необходимо, слово **DOMINATE** так, чтобы оно грамматически и лексически соответствовало содержанию текста.

2012 London Olympics

How has London 2012 changed the sporting map of the world? The United States won the highest number of gold medals and the most medals in total, with China dropping to second place on the medals table after unprecedented _____ at their home Olympics in Beijing four years ago.

26. Преобразуйте, если это необходимо, слово **EXPECT** так, чтобы оно грамматически и лексически соответствовало содержанию текста.

The third place for Great Britain exceeded all _____.

27. Преобразуйте, если это необходимо, слово **SUCCESS** так, чтобы оно грамматически и лексически соответствовало содержанию текста.

Previously, 2008 Beijing Olympics were considered the most _____ for the British with only the fourth place.

28. Преобразуйте, если это необходимо, слово **WIN** так, чтобы оно грамматически и лексически соответствовало содержанию текста.

In 2008, Russia took the third place. This year, Russia fell out of the top three _____ for the first time since the end of the Soviet era.

29. Преобразуйте, если это необходимо, слово **COMPARATIVE** так, чтобы оно грамматически и лексически соответствовало содержанию текста.

South Korea improved to the fifth, their best finish since hosting the Games in Seoul 24 years ago. For Australia it was a _____ miserable Olympics, where it took the tenth place.

Dirty Job? Oh Yeah!

«You couldn't pay me to do that job!» Have you ever said that? Some occupations are so unpleasant that most people would never be 30 _____ to do them.

Jeff Biggs has a job like that, but he likes it. He's the kind of guy who, as a kid, loved to play around in mud after a rainstorm, the kind of kid who loved squeezing oatmeal 31 _____ his fingers.

Bigg's dirty job is being a sewer inspector. He inspects city sewer pipes that carry household wastewater and storm-drain runoff to water treatment plants. «Believe me,» says Biggs, «unpleasant doesn't come 32 _____ to describing it. I creep, sometimes swim, through sewage

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all day.» 33 _____ to the unpleasant smells that he encounters, sewer tunnels are 34 _____ to creatures such as cockroaches and rats. And those creatures aren't shy.

What is it like to do a really disgusting job day after day? «Someone has to do it,» says Biggs. «I seriously can't imagine sitting in an office all day, and I earn a good salary. At the end of my workday, I've 35 _____ something, and I've helped to keep our city's water clean and drinkable.»

And after work? «I don't walk into the house right 36 _____,» explains Biggs. «We installed the washing machine in the garage and put a shower stall in there too. I toss my clothes into the washer, take a shower, and dress in clean clothes. Then I greet my family. Of course, sometimes the clothes go into the trash, not the washer.»

30. Вставьте пропущенное слово.

1. Wishing.
2. Willing.
3. Wanting.
4. Desiring.

31. Вставьте пропущенное слово.

1. Around.
2. In.
3. Over.
4. Through.

32. Вставьте пропущенное слово.

1. Close.
2. Near.
3. Next.
4. Nearly.

33. Вставьте пропущенное слово.

1. Besides.
2. In addition.
3. Except.
4. Moreover.

34. Вставьте пропущенное слово.

1. Residence.
2. House.
3. Home.
4. Place.

35. Вставьте пропущенное слово.

1. Accomplished.
2. Endeavoured.
3. Compiled.
4. Accepted.

36. Вставьте пропущенное слово.

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1. Through.
2. Now.
3. Away.
4. Back.

Задание 37

You have received an email message from your English-speaking pen-friend Ann:

From: Friend@mail.uk
To: Russian_friend@ege.ru
Subject: Welcome

...More and more young people get involved in environmental protection. Could you tell me what measures young people in your country take to save the environment? What kind of support do you get from your local community and family? Is there any Green Party/Movement where you live? Wouldn't you like to start one, if there isn't?

I am very happy now because I'm going on holiday next week...

Write an email to Ann. In your message:

- answer her questions;
- ask 3 questions about her plans for the coming holiday.

Write 100–140 words. Remember the rules of email writing.

You have 20 minutes to do this task.

38. Выберите только ОДНО из двух предложенных заданий (38.1 или 38.2). Укажите его номер и выполните согласно данному плану. *В ответе на задание 38 числительные пишете цифрами.*

38.1. Imagine that you are doing a project on **what teenagers in Zetland think about school uniform**. You have found some data on the subject — the results of a survey (see the table below).

Comment on the data in the table and give your opinion on the subject of the project.

The survey question
What is your opinion about school uniform?

Opinions about school uniform Number of teenagers (%)

Enjoying to wear it	40
Having to wear it	24
Feeling no concern in wearing it	14
Feeling discomfort wearing it	13
Regarding it as outdated	9

Write **200–250 words**.

Use the following plan:

- make an opening statement on the subject of the project;

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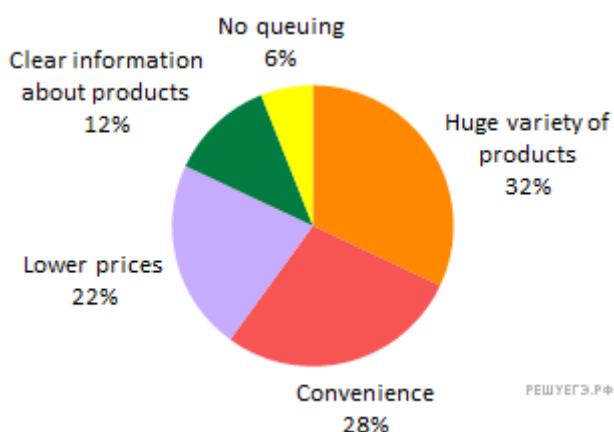
- select and report 2–3 facts;
- make 1–2 comparisons where relevant and give your comments;
- outline a problem one can face with wearing school uniform and suggest a way of solving it;
- conclude by giving and explaining your opinion on the role of school uniform for students.

38.2. Imagine that you are doing a project on **why online shopping is popular in Zetland**. You have found some data on the subject — the results of a survey (see the pie chart below).

Comment on the data in the diagram and give your opinion on the subject of the project.

The survey question

Why is online shopping popular in Zetland?



Write **200–250 words**.

Use the following plan:

- make an opening statement on the subject of the project;
- select and report 2–3 facts;
- make 1–2 comparisons where relevant and give your comments;
- outline a problem that can arise with online shopping and suggest a way of solving it;
- conclude by giving and explaining your opinion on the role of online shopping in our life.