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Transport

Грамматика и лексика

Задания 20–28

First flight

Прочитайте приведённый ниже текст. Преобразуйте слова, напечатанные заглавными буквами в конце строк, обозначенных номерами 20–28, так, чтобы они грамматически соответствовали содержанию текста. Заполните пропуски полученными словами. Каждый пропуск соответствует отдельному заданию 20–28.

- School was finally over and I was about to enjoy my holidays. I was going to stay with my Aunt Helen, who lived in California. I
- 20 thought that visiting _____ would be great fun, **SHE**
but I felt nervous and scared.
- 21 When my mum _____ me to the airport, **DRIVE**
she noticed that something was wrong with me.
- “Are you all right?” she asked. “You’re afraid of flying, aren’t you?”
- 22 “Yes, I _____ to tell you. I’m a bit scared. Sorry.” **NOT WANT**
- 23 “There _____ nothing to be sorry about! It’s natural **BE**
to feel nervous before your first flight.
- 24 I wish I _____ go with you, but you know that I can’t.” **CAN**
- 25 It was true. My mum was the _____ woman in the **BUSY**
world.
- “I’m fine, Mum. Don’t worry.” I tried to sound calm.
- 26 “I _____ you as soon as we land.” **CALL**
- 27 The plane _____ off smoothly. The pilot informed **TAKE**
the passengers about the details of the flight.
- 28 Then we _____ refreshing drinks. I had some **OFFER**
orange juice and closed my eyes.

Номер группы: EA7B3B

Ответы:

20. HER

21. WASDRIVING

22. DIDNOTWANT

23. IS

24. COULD

25. BUSIEST

26. WILLCALL

27. TOOK

28. WEREOFFERED

An old car

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- 20 Dylan had a very old car. It was 20 years old. But the faded paint made it look even _____ than that. **OLD**
- 21 It _____ a shame to drive a car that looked like that and Dylan took it to a paint shop. **BE**
- 22 There the car _____ dark blue for \$200. **PAINT**
- 23 Dylan was very pleased with the new look. The only problem was that the car stereo _____ properly. Dylan managed to fix it himself. **NOT WORK**
- 24 Then one day Dylan had a new problem – petrol. He could smell it while he _____ his car. Dylan asked himself “Am I driving a bomb? Could the car explode at any minute?” **DRIVE**
- 25 He knew the car manual by heart. He had car problems at least once a month, and he always found a way to fix _____ himself. **THEY**
- 26 However, this time, it was a job for a mechanic. So he _____ his car to the closest service station. **TAKE**
- 27 The mechanic said they _____ the car to find out what the problem was. He told Dylan to come back in an hour. When Dylan came back, the mechanic said, "The problem is with the fuel pump. You need a new one. It costs \$400." **TEST**
- 28 "Let me think about it. I _____ you a call when I decide what to do." But Dylan had already decided what to do. **GIVE**

Номер группы: F07284

Ответы:

20. OLDER

21. WAS

22. WASPAINTED

23. DIDNOTWORK

24. WASDRIVING

25. THEM

26. TOOK

27. WOULDTEST

28. WILLGIVE

Airplane

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I remember my uncle Thomas very well. My mum says I can't because I was a little girl, only three at the time. But my memories of him are still very vivid.

- 20** Uncle Thomas was a sailor. When he returned from his last trip, he brought several large _____ with him. **BOX**
- 21** Inside there _____ bits of wood, metal, and painted cloth. **BE**
- 22** "What is it for?" I asked my uncle. He _____ me a broad smile and said: "Have your breakfast first and then come to the backyard. **GIVE**
- 23** You _____ everything with your own eyes." **SEE**
- 24** When I came to the backyard, Uncle Thomas _____ an instruction manual. **READ**
- 25** It took all his attention because the manual _____ in Spanish, a language my uncle didn't know very well. **WRITE**
- 26** All in all, it took _____ a couple of weeks to assemble the object from the parts. **HE**
- 27** To all my questions he said that it was a machine that _____ fly like a bird. I was probably the only one in the family who took his words seriously. **CAN**
- 28** They could never believe that soon we were going to see one of the _____ airplane flights in the country. **ONE**

Номер группы: **E0C883**

Ответы:

20. BOXES

21. WERE

22. GAVE

23. WILLSEE

24. WASREADING

25. WASWRITTEN

26. HIM

27. COULD

28. FIRST

Задания 29–34

Bicycle

Прочитайте приведённый ниже текст. Преобразуйте слова, напечатанные заглавными буквами в конце строк, обозначенных номерами 29–34 так, чтобы они грамматически и лексически соответствовали содержанию текста. Заполните пропуски полученными словами. Каждый пропуск соответствует отдельному заданию из группы 29–34.

- What is the most eco-friendly transport? I believe it's the bicycle.
There are a lot of bicycles on the streets of our town and that is
29 probably why it looks so green and _____. **BEAUTY**
- There are cycle lanes all over the town so using your bike to get
to school or to the office is safe and convenient.
30 _____, some people still prefer driving cars **FORTUNATELY**
even for short distances.
- 31 They make the environment less _____. **HEALTH**
- As for me, I enjoy riding my bike very much and all my friends
32 say that I'm a good _____. Next month I'm going **RIDE**
- 33 to take part in a regional cycling _____ and I **COMPETE**
hope to win it.
- 34 I don't think I will stop riding my bicycle till I'm _____ **REAL**
old.

Номер группы: 799112

Ответы:

29. BEAUTIFUL

30. UNFORTUNATELY

31. HEALTHY

32. RIDER

33. COMPETITION

34. REALLY

Устная часть

Задание 1

High-speed trains

You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read the text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Since 2007 high-speed trains have become a common type of transport in Europe. They make it possible to cut travel times by hours. The trains travel at 350 kilometres an hour, and this is not the limit! The only problem for the engineers is the loud noise the trains produce. People living in the areas the trains travel through suffer from the noise greatly. For the passengers, the situation is different. For their comfort, all the carriages are made sound-proof from the inside. Travelling on high-speed trains is comfortable and pleasant. In the future, a high-speed railroad network could cover most of Europe. For example, a trip from Paris to Rome could take only 3 hours!

Bicycles

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Bicycles or bikes are an important means of transportation in many parts of the world. The first bicycles turned up in Europe in the first half of the 19th century but the word “bicycle” only appeared later, in 1868. There are more bicycles in the world than cars. A lot of people have realized that cycling is an easy way to get around and a great way to cut down on pollution. More and more cities have special places where people can borrow a bike and ride around the city. Over the past few years, a bicycle infrastructure has been created in Moscow. Cycling in the centre of Moscow in summer is one of the most pleasant and quickest ways of seeing the city.

Railroad

You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read the text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

The construction of the longest and the deepest railroad tunnel was finished in Europe. The tunnel runs through the Alps and links the north and south of Europe. The length of the tunnel is 57 kilometres. It runs straight from beginning to end. It will allow passenger trains to travel more quickly through the mountains. Modern technologies ensure safety and security when the trains go through the tunnel. The great project started in 2009 and it took 17 years to complete. It is considered to be one of the most amazing engineering constructions in Europe.

The Channel Tunnel

You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read the text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

The Channel Tunnel is a rail tunnel beneath the English Channel which links Great Britain and France. It is considered to be one of the most amazing engineering constructions in Europe. The second longest undersea tunnel in the world was opened in 1994. It is said that 13,000 workers and engineers participated in the construction project. The Channel Tunnel contains three tunnels. The south tunnel is for people who are travelling from France to the UK, the north tunnel takes passengers from the UK to France. Nowadays it takes 35 minutes to go from Paris to London in the Channel Tunnel. The third tunnel is a service tunnel. It is not used by passengers.

Solar energy

You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read the text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Nowadays solar energy is widely used as an alternative form of power. Solar panels transform the energy from the sun into electricity. The first plane that does not need fuel was constructed in France in 2015. It uses only the sun's energy. The panels are placed on the huge wings of the plane. It doesn't fly very fast. Solar energy can make the plane move at only 140 miles an hour. However, the plane is able to travel round the world. It is safe and can successfully cross areas of bad weather. In the future, engineers hope to construct a model that people can fly in. Our dream of environmentally friendly transport may come true very soon. Would you like to take a flight on the solar plane?