

Задание для 9 класса

Задание 1. LISTENING.

Прослушайте запись и определите, являются ли утверждения 1-15 верными (True), ложными (False) или об этом в аудио не сказано (Not stated).

- 1) Jennifer has been a firefighter for a few months.
- 2) She's the very first female firefighter to work in the department.
- 3) Jennifer hardly works every day.
- 4) Jennifer occasionally does exercises.
- 5) Weightlifting is a part of Jennifer's exercising.
- 6) Her muscles are strong due to excessive exercising.
- 7) Saving people's lives is a daily occupation for Jennifer.
- 8) Jennifer is mentally and physically strong.
- 9) Jennifer is a wife.
- 10) Jennifer's husband has nothing to do with education.
- 11) Her husband doesn't support his wife's occupation.
- 12) Jennifer has two grown-up daughters.
- 13) Sometimes Jennifer doubts whether she has made a right choice choosing the profession.
- 14) She finds it difficult to combine family life and her job.
- 15) Being a firefighter is a noble profession.

Задание 2. READING.

2.1. Прочитайте текст и заполните пропуски (1-10) частями предложений, обозначенных буквами A-L. Две части в списке A-L лишние.

HOW TO SELL YOURSELF

WOULD YOU STAND OUTSIDE THE LONDON UNDERGROUND LOOKING FOR A JOB? THAT IS PRECISELY WHAT 23-YEAR-OLD OMAR BASHIR DID LAST SUMMER. 1 _____ HE STAYED THERE FROM 7 A.M. HOLDING A BIG SIGN WHICH READ:



Omar had qualified with 2 _____ from City University, London, and had been working in a basic marketing job for some time. 3 _____, he had applied for nearly 100 jobs, but without success. He said, 'The graduate job market is extremely competitive and good grades are not good enough. 4 _____'

So he took advice from his father, who he greatly admired. His father and uncle 5 _____ women's clothes and mobile phone accessories. 6 _____ 'I picked up a lot of selling skills from there,' Omar said. His father told him, 'You can sell anything.' So then Omar decided that the time had come to tell himself.

On the second day, Omar stood outside another underground station, this time Cannon Street, with the same sign. 7 _____ Early on the second day, however, he was noticed by the CEO of a top insurance firm, 8 _____. He was called in for an interview that afternoon, and at the end of the day he had a job. David Ross, 9 _____, said, 'Omar's work ethic, inclusive nature, willingness

to learn and humility means that he has fitted straight into the organisation.’ 10 ____, Omar turned out to be a perfect employee and the management never regretted their decision to hire him.

- A) It’s important to do something that catches people’s attention
- B) Omar used to help them at weekends
- C) He thought the job offer was too good to be true
- D) In order to further his career
- E) who took his CV and inspected it thoroughly
- F) used to have market stalls in Petticoat Lane which sold
- G) a good degree in economics
- H) He found a place at the top of the stairs at Bank Station in the heart of London’s financial district
- I) Although the first day had resulted in some interesting conversations, nothing had come of them
- J) He was offered £5,000 more than his current job
- K) who gave Omar the interview
- L) Despite the previous difficulties

2.2. Прочитайте статью. Установите соответствия между заголовками А-Г и текстами 11-14. Используйте каждую букву ТОЛЬКО ОДИН РАЗ. В задании два заголовка лишних.

11 _____. A weekend job is an attractive idea for many of us. Weekend work is a break from school routine, and it provides some extra spending money. It can also give us a chance to explore the working world and gain a bit of experience.

12 _____. Unfortunately, there aren’t many weekend jobs for school-aged people these days. Since the economic troubles of the early 2000s, many part-time jobs have been taken by adults who need the work – meaning fewer jobs for us.

13 _____. Young people can still find ways to earn money if they think creatively. Start by studying your house. Are there chores which no one seems to have time for? Offer to tidy the garden, paint the fence or clear out the garage – for a fee.

14 _____. Neighbours are a well-known source of income too. Babysitting is a traditional job, and if you’re good at it, you can earn respect and money. Gardening, washing people’s cars and cleaning windows are also dependable possibilities.

- A The benefits of weekend work
- B Some jobs are not right for us
- C What’s happened to jobs for young people?
- D Traditional jobs in the community
- E Get help in finding work
- F Earning money can begin at home

2.3. Прочитайте текст и определите, являются ли утверждения 15-20 верными (True), ложными (False) или об этом в тексте не сказано (Not stated).

Warren Buffet is the most successful investor of the 20th century and one of the richest men in the world. Buffet was born in Omaha, Nebraska in 1930. He first became an investor at the age of eleven. As a teenager, he worked in his grandfather’s shop and delivered newspapers. He also bought chewing gum, Coca-Cola and magazines from him and sold them to neighbours. By the age of twenty he had made and saved \$9,800 (about \$100,000 in today’s money). By his early thirties, he had become a millionaire, and by 1990 he was a billionaire.

But although he is very rich, his lifestyle isn’t particularly extravagant. Only his clothes are expensive, but he says they look cheap when he puts them on! It only cost him \$31,500! He doesn’t carry a mobile phone and he doesn’t have a computer on his desk. Buffet says he eats the same things he has always eaten: burgers, fries and Coke. He still lives in Omaha, in the house he bought more than fifty years ago.

Not only is he very modest, but he is also very generous. He has already given billions of dollars to charities and says that he will eventually give away 99% of his money. He doesn't plan to give his children very much money when he dies. He once said, 'I want to give kids just enough so that they would feel that they could do anything, but not so much that they would feel like doing nothing.'

15) Buffet is almost a centenarian.

16) He discovered an entrepreneurial streak in his early teens.

17) He has recently moved into a very expensive new house.

18) The food he eats now is more exquisite than the food he used to eat when he was young.

19) He decided how to distribute the money long ago.

20) Delivering newspapers was one of the most troublesome activities for Buffet.

Задание 3. USE OF ENGLISH.

3.1. Для пунктов (1-10) из предложенных вариантов (a,b,c) выберите ОДИН наиболее подходящий.

I've got some relatives who are quite good at making 1 ____ . My uncle is the 2 _____ of a small company that makes mobile phone batteries. His company has 3 ____ with one of the biggest mobile phone companies in the world. It generates a lot of 4 _____ for uncle's company. They say this company has a promising future on the business 5 ____ .

My sister is 6 _____. She has started a number of businesses, and taken quite a lot of risks. She is always asking for 7 _____, but it is difficult to find 8 _____ who want to lend her money. Although her companies make quite big 9 _____, she doesn't pay herself a very big 10 _____.

1) a business b deals c money

2) a CEO b entrepreneur c employee

3) a a contract b a funding c an agreement

4) a salary b wages c income

5) a market b stage c arena

6) a an investor b an entrepreneur c a coach

7) a profits b funding c investment

8) a CEOs b investors c MBAs

9) a profits b investors c accounts

10) a funding b salary c income

3.2. Прочитайте текст и заполните пробелы 11-15 необходимыми грамматическими формами глаголов (get into debt\overcharge\shop around\budget\snap up).

I have to buy lots of things at the beginning of the university year. I 11) _____ carefully for everything I need to buy and the most expensive things are books. So, I'm always into 12) _____ and see which shops are selling things the cheapest as I don't want to 13) _____ before the year has even started. Fortunately, I saw a 20% discount on books at a local bookshop and decided quickly to 14) _____ the ones that I needed. However, the shop almost 15) _____ me! They had forgotten to knock down the price of the books by 20% on their computers.