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**Олимпиада школьников РАНХиГС по Иностранному (английскому) языку
2018-2019 учебный год
Отборочный (заочный) этап**

8-9 классы

Уважаемый участник!

Вы приступаете к выполнению заданий Олимпиады школьников РАНХиГС. Прежде, чем Вы начнете, оргкомитет просит учесть несколько правил, выполнение которых необходимо:

1. Вы можете выполнять задания и загружать работу до окончания приема работ в 23:59 по московскому времени 25 ноября 2018 года. Иного таймера нет.
2. Просим не задерживать выполнение: при опоздании даже на 5 секунд система закроет прием работ, и Ваша работа не будет принята к рассмотрению.
3. Работа выполняется ТОЛЬКО самостоятельно. Коллективное выполнение работ запрещено: все одинаковые работы будут аннулированы.
4. Все решения необходимо впечатать в бланк ответов, а не писать от руки, затем сохранять файл как PDF и после этого загружать в Личный кабинет.
Пример для MS WORD: Файл→Сохранить как...→Тип файла PDF (*.pdf).
5. Прием работы через электронную почту не производится. Только через Личный кабинет.
6. Запрещено «переконвертировать» файл, просто переименовав у него расширение на PDF: в таком виде он не читается и не будет проверен. За него будет выставлена оценка 0 баллов.
7. После загрузки работы Вам будет направлено письмо. У Вас есть 24 часа (или менее, если до конца приема работ осталось меньше времени) на проверку загруженного файла и его замену. Просим не пренебрегать этой возможностью и проверять загруженный файл, в том числе на отсутствие технических сбоев при загрузке, препятствующих открытию и чтению файла.
8. Необходимо загружать работу только в специально отведенное поле, не путая профили.
9. Запрещено производить заимствования без указания ссылки на первоисточник. Первоисточником являются труды известных ученых, философов, научные работы, опубликованные в рецензируемых ВАК научных изданиях либо индексируемых в Scopus или Web of Science, нормативные правовые акты и др. Ссылки на статьи без указания автора не являются корректными. Работы с некорректными заимствованиями будут аннулированы.
10. Запрещено подписывать работы или иным способом указывать на автора. Работа с указанными персональными данными участника будет аннулирована.
11. Необходимо четко выполнять требования к объему работы, если он указан в задании.

Part 1.

Watch the video on the print media in Britain and answer the questions:

<https://yadi.sk/i/damRNINjAy7zAw>

1. How many British people read newspapers every day?
2. What are the most popular British newspapers and how many people buy them every day?
3. What kind of information is concentrated in tabloid papers?
4. What is a quality paper? What quality papers are mentioned?
5. How many newspapers are there in the UK? How many magazines do British people have?
6. What is special feature of BBC?
7. What other types of channels are there in the UK?
8. How many children have a TV-set in their bedroom?
9. What is a special trait of British people in comparison to the rest of the Europeans?
10. What are the most popular programmes, TV shows and films among British children?

Part 2

Write an essay.

Many educationists are concerned about excessive use of digital devices by schoolchildren. The ban on mobile phones inside educational institutions in some countries has ignited a debate among many students, parents and academicians.

In your opinion, should electronics be allowed at school? Is there a solution to these issues?

Give reasons for your answer and include any relevant examples from your own experience. Your essay should not exceed 160-180 words.

Part 3

Give 2 spelling variants to each transcribed unit. Write 1 sentence of your own to illustrate each spelling variant of yours. So, you are supposed to write 14 words and 14 sentences to illustrate them.

- 1) [næp]
- 2) ['lesn]
- 3) ['laɪə]
- 4) [mju:l]
- 5) [mɔ:]
- 6) ['kɜ:nəl]
- 7) ['kæɾɪ]

Part 4

Task 1

Write 3-5 sentences to paraphrase the given statements. You should write NOT LESS than 15 words.

1. Politeness is organized indifference. (Paul Valery)
2. There is always room at the top. (Daniel Webster)
3. A journey of a thousand miles must begin with a single step. (Lao-tze)

Task 2

Try your best and make up a four-line verse with each pair of words:

1. talk - walk
2. hall - wall
3. tell - bell

Part 5

Task 3

Match each dish from the table with the ingredients and write them into the corresponding cell. Then choose all the steps one should follow to make each dish and write them in the third column.

You should not rewrite the whole sentences. See the **example** and fill in the table.

Dish	Ingredients	Steps
Toffee apple crumble recipe	0	Step 1 - A(0) Step 2 - F(0) Step 3 - K(0) Step 4 - P(0) Step 5 - U(0)

Dish	Ingredients	Steps
Baked Oats		
Traditional Scottish soup		
Classic British Fish pie		
Toad in the Hole		
British Sponge cakes		

0. INGREDIENTS: 1.5kg (3lb) bramley apples, 150g (5oz) butter, 8 tbsp bought toffee or caramel sauce, 175g plain flour, ½ tsp ground ginger, 25g (1oz) rolled oats, 100g (3 1/2oz) soft light brown sugar

1. INGREDIENTS: 4-6 large sausages, 3 eggs, 1 cup of milk, 100 g flour, ½ tsp salt
2. INGREDIENTS: 400 g shrimps, 400 g salmon (skinned and cut into chunks), 750 ml milk, 1 bay leaf, 25 g butter, 2-3 tbsp cornstarch, 1000 g potatoes, chopped parsley, lemon juice, 2 hard boiled eggs.

3. **INGREDIENTS:** 170 g oats, ½ tsp salt, 1 tsp baking powder, 2 tbsp maple syrup (or honey), 200 ml milk, ¼ cup almond butter, 2 tbsp flaxseed + 5 tbsp warm water, 75 g blueberries, 1 nectarine.
4. **INGREDIENTS:** ¼ cup coconut flour, 3 tbsp melted butter, 3 eggs, 3 tbsp sugar sweetener, ¼ tsp salt, ½ tsp vanilla extract, ¼ tsp baking powder, 3-4 tbsp whipped cream, 6 tsp strawberry jam.
5. **INGREDIENTS:** 200 g broth mix (soaked overnight in plenty of cold water), 500 g carrots diced, 1 large onion, 2 sticks celery diced, 1 tbsp oil, 2,5 liters vegetable stock, 200 g chopped kale, salt, pepper

Step 1

A(0) Preheat the oven to 180°C/160°C fan oven/gas 4. Peel and core the apples and cut into chunks. Place in a saucepan with 25g of the butter and 2 tbsp of water.

- a) Whisk together the eggs and milk. Add the flour and salt and whisk until smooth. Set this mixture aside for at least 10 minutes.
- b) Preheat your oven to 200 °C. Grease a muffin tin with butter.
- c) Mix flaxseed with warm water. Leave to set for 10 minutes.
- d) Heat the oil in a large pan or pressure cooker, then add the onions and saute on a medium heat for 2-3- minutes.
- e) Shell the shrimp and add the shells to a pot of milk. Warm up milk with bay leaf for 20 minutes then let it cool.

Step 2

F(0) Cover with a lid and cook over a low heat for about 10 minutes until starting to soften.

- f) Preheat your oven to 190 °C. In a large bowl, mix together the oats, salt and baking powder.
- g) Meanwhile, brown sausages in a frying pan while heating a baking dish in a 380 degree oven.
- h) Beat the butter and sugar sweetener together until smooth.
- i) Preheat your oven to 350 °C. Peel and boil potatoes until soft, then add salt and pepper, mash with a little butter and milk.
- j) Add the celery and carrots and saute them with the onion for a further 3-4 minutes.

Step 3

K(0) Spoon into a large ovenproof dish. Spoon the toffee sauce over the top.

- k) Add the eggs and vanilla. Stir thoroughly.
- l) Add salt, pepper, lemon juice, parsley and 2 tablespoons of cornstarch to the milk. Then bring slowly to the boil stirring all the time until the sauce is thickened.
- m) Remove the hot pan from the oven and brush the bottom and sides with cooking oil.
- n) Add the broth mix and stock, season with salt and pepper.
- o) Mix in the milk, syrup (or honey), almond butter and the mixture of flaxseed and warm water, then fold in the blueberries.

Step 4

P(0) To make the topping, lightly rub together the butter, flour and ginger. Stir in the oats. Scatter over the top of the apples and toffee, and finish by sprinkling the sugar on top.

- p) Add the coconut flour, salt and baking powder. Whisk until there are no lumps and you have a smooth batter.
- q) Place the sausages in the bottom of the pan and pour the batter over the sausages.
- r) Layer the fish and egg slices in a dish, pour over the sauce and left for 15 minutes in the fridge.
- s) Transfer into a baking dish, then arrange the nectarine slices on the top.
- t) If using a pressure cooker, cook on low pressure for 25 minutes. If cooking without pressure, simmer gently for approximately 40 minutes.

Step 5

U(0) Lay out on a baking tray and cook for 40-50 minutes until the topping is crisp and golden with the toffee sauce and apple juices are bubbling around the edges.

- u) Bake for 40 minutes. Best served warm, but also can be enjoyed cold from the fridge.
- v) Add the kale and leave to cook in the residual heat of the soup for at least 10 minutes before serving.
- w) Add the mashed potato over the top of the dish and bake in the oven for 30-40 minutes.
- x) Bake for about 40-45 minutes. Serve with Garlic Thyme Beef Gravy.
- y) Pour the mixture into the greased muffin tin and bake for 15 minutes. Before serving cut in half, slather with whipped cream and strawberry jam.

Task 4

Describe a situation when one of these dishes can be served. It may be a holiday party, a family gathering, a formal occasion or any other on your choice.

Write a short story – NOT more than 100-120 words.