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Задания отборочного тура

8 класс

1. Match the following English proverbs with their definitions (write in the boxes a letter that corresponds to the correct ending):

1	A cat may look at a king.	
2	Know on which side your bread is buttered.	
3	A penny saved is a penny earned.	
4	Good fences make good neighbours.	
5	Honesty is the best policy.	
6	Every cloud has a silver lining.	
7	Don't try to teach your Grandma to suck eggs.	
8	Half a loaf is better than no bread.	
9	A watched pot never boils.	
10	Laughter is the best medicine.	

a	Something, even if it isn't what you ideally would prefer, is better than nothing.
b	Every bad situation has some good aspect to it.
c	If you feel happy you will get better sooner.
d	Don't offer advice to someone who has more experience than oneself.
e	It is as useful to save money that you already have as it is to earn more.
f	If you don't lie you can achieve more.
g	Time feels longer when you're waiting for something to happen.
h	To be aware of which side of a conflict it is in your interests to be on.
i	Sometimes an inferior can do certain things which are restricted in the presence of a superior.
j	If you keep some distance you can establish good relations with people.

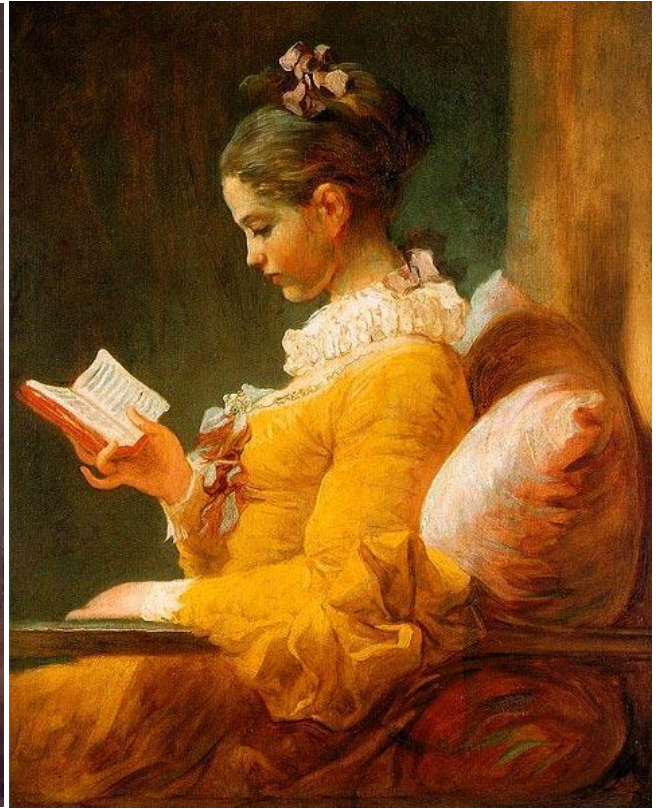
2. Complete the sentences with ONE missing word:

- 1) If Ivan needed some money, he _____ sell his house.
- 2) That poppy is a _____ beautiful flower than this daisy. I don't like daisies.
- 3) When _____ you be able to help me? – In 1 hour.
- 4) Look! Someone _____ running outside!
- 5) She said that I had to help _____.
- 6) Are you _____ a good time in Paris?
- 7) I arrived at school half an hour late and class _____ started.
- 8) This is _____ most boring film I've ever seen.
- 9) While the children _____ watching a film, a telephone rang
- 10) The Great Wall in China _____ built some centuries ago.

3. Write an essay (100-250 words), comparing the following paintings:



Francisco Goya, 1746-1828, MANUEL OSORIO DE ZUNIGA



Jean-Honore Fragonard, 1732-1806, THE READER