

## Примерные экзаменационные задания

Раздел “Аудирование” Аудиозапись к каждому заданию можно прослушать дважды. Между первым и вторым воспроизведением дается пауза для выполнения задания.

**Задание 1:** Установите соответствия между утверждениями и информацией в прослушанных текстах. Вам предлагается 7 утверждений и 6 текстов для аудирования, одно из утверждений - лишнее.

Track 1.

Track 2.

Track 3.

Track 4.

Track 5.

Track 6.

- a) Most powerful computers are supposed to have the power of the human brain.
- b) Someone is likely to be seen in the farm office.
- c) If you want to buy a bottle of shampoo you will go to the chemistry.
- d) There is a problem in natural support system.
- e) A system creating artificial gravity is likely to be in the space hotel.
- f) The ancient Aztecs' drink differed from our chocolate drinks today.
- g) The possible dangers of intelligent machines became the stories of many science fiction films.

**Задание 2:** Выберите правильный ответ из трех предложенных. Данное задание основано на одном звучащем тексте и пяти вопросах. К каждому вопросу предлагается три варианта ответа с единственным верным.

Track 1

7) Greek mainland and Crete are European areas with a long life span.

- a) True    b) False    c) Not stated

8) People's diet in some villages on Crete and the Greek mainland has been studied .

- a) True    b) False    c) Not stated

9) Most experts think that fat making up 40 per cent of an average person's calories is not healthy.

- a) True    b) False    c) Not stated

10) Most of this fat comes from butter or milk .

- a) True    b) False    c) Not stated

11) If you want to live longer , then perhaps you should eat food produced in Greece.

- a) True    b) False    c) Not stated

Раздел “**Чтение**” Прочитайте текст объемом 1200 слов и ответьте на семь вопросов, выбрав правильный ответ из четырех вариантов ответов к каждому.

The Internet is one of the greatest tools we have today. Billions of bits of information, unlimited ways to connect, games to play, videos to watch, things to learn. There’s something for everyone. We Facebook, tumble, stumble, and tweet more now than ever. Social media is connecting us in incredible ways. You can create communities of like-minded people that would never meet before on the Internet. But, due to this, we are spending copious amounts of time on the World Wide Web, and it is slowly changing who you are as a person.

I went for a long period of time where I didn’t read a book. I finally got around to picking up a few new books and as soon as I started reading them, I struggled. I couldn’t hold concentration like I used to. I would read a whole paragraph with my mind elsewhere or had this constant anxious feeling to do something else, even when there was absolutely nothing else to do. My mind would jump from one thought to another and I barely could read a chapter in one sitting. I talked to a few people about this, and I even looked to the trusty Internet for my solution. I found that I am not alone, many people report the same type of concentration shift. The reason for this is the information overload via the Internet.

We take in 34 gigabytes of information each day now. That is 5 times more than we did 20 years ago. There is so much going on in our minds that we rarely spend any time on one particular bit of information because there is always something new and more intriguing just around the corner. When we land on a webpage, we spend the average of about 50 seconds, if that, and know that there are at least 5 other links we can click on the page. We can still concentrate, but our minds would much rather be focused on a series of things, not one thought.

Not only is it altering our concentration on reading long works, but it is changing “how” we read. We no longer read; we skim. This is our way of adapting to this information overload. It would take too long to process all this information and we don’t need everything. We sift through the information and get to the main point or relevant material.

The way things are written online is changing for us as well. For anyone who has written a blog post, it is a much different style of writing compared to novels and even newspaper articles. The things we read online are as clear and concise as possible. Adjectives are a thing of the past. The information is usually already condensed for you, and is separated into neat headlines that make it easy to scan the page in a few seconds. We don’t focus on comprehension anymore, we know what we are looking for and we find it quickly.

We have developed a much more fluid way of thinking. And it is not a bad thing. It is making us more creative. You are much more efficient at combing and filtering through ideas, which in essence is what inspiration is. Linear thought is very organized and does not leave room for new ideas.

So, the Internet has become an essential part of our daily lives. But it is also important to disconnect for a while and to take care of your body and mind. Create a balance of time online and in the real world, so you can reap the positive cognitive abilities the Internet is giving you and avoid forming an unhealthy set of habits that will cost you later in life.

12) According to the author, the Internet changes people because

- a) of the amount of information it provides.
- b) it adds lots of friends.
- c) they spend too much time online.
- d) it helps to create new communities.

13) Why does the Internet, according to the author, influence reading concentration?

- a) It leaves less time for reading.
- b) It provides excessive information.
- c) The information there changes too fast.
- d) The bits of information there are very short.

14) Which of the following is NOT a feature of an online text?

- a) Lots of descriptive words.
- b) Informative headline.
- c) Reduced size.
- d) Clarity.

15) The way people read has changed because

- a) they had to read faster.
- b) they lost interest in serious literature.
- c) they don't need all the information they read about.
- d) they had to adjust to new conditions.

16) According to the author, the new way of thinking helps people

- a) filter useless information.
- b) choose right things.
- c) develop creativity.
- d) browse the Internet effectively.

17) The author calls for

- a) allowing more time for personal life.
- b) giving equal attention to real world and the Internet.
- c) a healthy life style.
- d) developing thinking abilities.

Раздел “Грамматика и Лексика” Измените лексические единицы, согласно содержанию данного текста.

### **Stella McCartney**

Stella McCartney is more than just the daughter of music legend Paul McCartney of the Beatles. She is famous in (18) \_\_\_\_\_ (she) own right as a fashion (19) \_\_\_\_\_ (design).

(20) \_\_\_\_\_ (Born) in London in 1971, McCartney studied at Central Saint Martins College of Arts and Design, Alexander McQueen, another (21) \_\_\_\_\_ (global) icon of the fashion world, studied there as well.

Despite her well-known last name, not everyone was sure that she would be (22) \_\_\_\_\_ (success) in the fashion industry, but she worked hard to create (23) \_\_\_\_\_ (eye-catching) clothing and won early awards for her sharp, confident style.

Of course, she was well-connected to the rich famous before she made a name for (24) \_\_\_\_\_ (she) in fashion. During her (25) \_\_\_\_\_ (graduate) famous supermodels including Naomi Campbell and Kate Moss (26) \_\_\_\_\_ (wear) her clothes for the college runway show.

Her clothes are popular and sell well. Her 2005 collection for H&M clothing shops (27) \_\_\_\_\_ (design) to offer her fans a more affordable range, and sold out almost (28) \_\_\_\_\_ (immediately).

Aside from day and evening wear, she (29) \_\_\_\_\_ (design) clothing for events, including the uniforms for the British (30) \_\_\_\_\_ (compete) to wear in the 2012 London Olympics. She has also designed underwear, a range of skincare products and her own perfume.

Раздел “Письмо” подразумевает создание развернутого письменного высказывания с элементами рассуждения “Мое мнение” по предложенной теме в объеме 200-250 слов.

We are becoming increasingly dependent on technology.

What is your opinion? Do you agree with this statement?

Write 200-250 words.

Use the following plan:

- Make an introduction (state the problem);
- Express your personal opinion and give 2-3 reasons for your opinion;
- Express an opposing opinion and give 1-2 reasons for this opposing opinion;
- Explain why you do not agree with the opposing opinion;
- Make a conclusion restating your position.