#### Подробные критерии оценивания:

#### 5-9 классы

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# Международная олимпиада по английскому языку «Формула Единства» / «Третье тысячелетие» 2019/2020 г.

#### Задания заключительного тура

#### 5 класс

#### 1. Заполните пропуски в рассказе одним из соответствующих слов А,В,С или D.

Going through the forest is my \_\_\_\_\_\_(1) part of the walk. My dog Benji loves it too. I'm Grace. I live on a farm with my parents and I take Benji for a walk most days after school. While Benji's playing, I stop to \_\_\_\_\_\_(2) a photo of a butterfly. I'm thinking about posting it on Facebook, but then I hear Benji barking. He's jumping and running around a boy. The poor boy looks \_\_\_\_\_\_(3). 'Benji, stop! Come here!' I call and throw him his ball. I'm about to say sorry to the boy, but he's gone.

It's cold today, so Benji and I are walking fast. As we go through the forest, it starts raining so I run. Suddenly, I fall and I'm on my back. OUCH! That hurt!

Then there's someone there and a voice asks 'Are you all right?' I look up and see the boy from yesterday.

'I'm OK,' I say and the boy helps me up.

'I haven't seen you at school. Do you live near here?' I \_\_\_\_\_ (4).

'No, I'm from Manchester,' he says. 'Sorry! I have to go. Can you walk? Do you (5) help?'

'No, I'm fine. Thanks!' I say and the boy walks away.

'I'm Grace,' I call. 'What's your name?' but he's already gone.

| 1. A) favourite | B) lovely  | C) better   | D) nice  |
|-----------------|------------|-------------|----------|
| 2. A) bring     | B) do      | C) make     | D) take  |
| 3. A) sleepy    | B) worried | C) cheerful | D) funny |
| 4. A) phone     | B) ask     | C) cry      | D) name  |
| 5. A) go        | B) call    | C) need     | D) say   |

#### 2. Выберите подходящий ответ:

- 1. Sam speaks Japanese but \_\_\_\_\_ French.
  - A. he doesn't speak
  - B. he don't speak
  - C. he doesn't speaks
  - D. he isn't speak

2. The dog is lying \_\_\_\_\_ the door.

A. between **B.** beside C. on D. round 3. Where are my keys? I think I put \_\_\_\_\_ on the table. A. they B. their C. themselves **D.** them 4. We will arrive at Helsinki Airport 14:30 A. at B. in C. on D. over 5. The police \_\_\_\_\_\_ and arrested this man last week. A. has caught B. cought C. caught D. catched 6. How A. languages do you speak? **B.** is your father? C. music did you listen to yesterday? D. is you? 7. I come by your house next Tuesday. A. did B. was C. have **D**. will 8. He dances \_\_\_\_\_\_ the Waltz. I really like it! A. bad **B.** beautifully C. beautiful D. good 9. \_\_\_\_\_ was hurt seriously in the car crash. A. Nobody B. Anybody C. Anyone D. Somewhere 10. Mary \_\_\_\_\_ her bag. A. did probably lose B. probably lost C. have probably lost D. has probably lost

## 3. Прочитайте адаптированный отрывок из текста Толкиена «Хоббит» и ответьте на вопросы к нему:

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This hobbit was a very well-to-do hobbit, and his name was Baggins. The Bagginses had lived in The Hill for time out of mind... This is a story of how a Baggins had an adventure...

What is a hobbit? They are (or were) a little people, about half our height, and smaller than the bearded Dwarves. Hobbits have no beards. There is little or no magic about them, except the ordinary everyday sort which helps them to disappear quietly and quickly. They are fat in the stomach; they dress in bright colours (chiefly green and yellow); wear no shoes, because their feet grow natural leathery soles and thick warm brown hair like the stuff on their heads (which is curly); have long clever brown fingers, good-natured faces, and laugh deep fruity laughs (especially after dinner, which they have twice a day when they can get it). Now you know enough to go on with.

1. Did the hobbit like having guests?

- A. No
- B. Yes
- C. We don't know
- 2. How many floors did his house have?
  - A. three
  - B. many
  - C. one
- 3. What clothes do the hobbits prefer?
  - A. They wear bright colours and leather shoes.

#### B. They wear mostly green and yellow clothes and no shoes.

- C. They wear a green and yellow leather dress and no shoes.
- 4. What did the hobbits look like?
  - A. They had beards and they were bald and fat.
  - **B.** They were fat and they had curly hair but no beard.
  - C. They were not fat. They had curly hair and short fingers.
- 5. How tall are hobbits?

#### A. They are smaller than Dwarves and people.

- B. They are shorter than Dwarves but taller than people.
- C. They are taller than Dwarves but smaller than people.

#### 4. Напишите эссе (100-200 слов) на одну из следующих тем:

- Dog is a man's best friend.
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#### 1. Заполните пропуски в рассказе одним из соответствующих слов A,B,C или D.

One night in December 2011, a bear came into the city of Vancouver in Canada. It walked \_\_\_\_\_\_(1) the city streets past houses, shops and offices. Then it found some food in bins outside a restaurant and started eating. In the morning, someone saw the bear and called the police. The police came with a \_\_\_\_\_\_(2) from the city zoo. They put the bear in a lorry and took it to the mountains outside the city. But what happens in other countries when big animals come into cities? In Vancouver it is \_\_\_\_\_\_(3) to see a bear, but in some cities you can see big animals on the city streets every day.

Big animals usually come into cities to find food. In South Africa baboons come into the city when they are hungry. They go into gardens and eat fruit from trees. They even go into houses and take food from cupboards and fridges! Baboons are strong animals and they can scare people. But the city can be \_\_\_\_\_\_ (4) for baboons too. Sometimes, cars and buses kill baboons in accidents. Human food is very bad for the baboons' teeth because it has a lot of sugar. Now, there are special people who find baboons in the city and \_\_\_\_\_\_ (5) them to the countryside.

| 1. A) through | B) beside    | C) near        | D) next to   |
|---------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|
| 2. A) nurse   | B) teacher   | C) firefighter | D) vet       |
| 3. A) funny   | B) unusual   | C) cheerful    | D) angry     |
| 4. A) safe    | B) dangerous | C) nice        | D) favourite |
| 5. A) go      | B) fight     | C) return      | D) put       |

#### 2. Выберите подходящий ответ:

| 1. Sam speaks Japanese but            | French.           |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|
| A. he doesn't speak                   |                   |
| B. he don't speak                     |                   |
| C. he doesn't speaks                  |                   |
| D. he isn't speak                     |                   |
| 2. The dog is lying the door.         |                   |
| A. between                            |                   |
| B. beside                             |                   |
| C. over                               |                   |
| D. round                              |                   |
| 3. Where are my keys? I think I put   | on the table.     |
| A. they                               |                   |
| B. their                              |                   |
| C. themselves                         |                   |
| D. them                               |                   |
| 4. We will arrive at Helsinki Airport | 14:30             |
| A. at                                 |                   |
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| C. on                                 |                   |
| D. over                               |                   |
| 5. The police and arrested th         | is man last week. |

A. has caught

B. cought

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D. catched

#### 6. How

9.\_\_\_\_

A. languages do you speak?

#### **B.** is your father?

- C. music did you listen to yesterday?
- D. is you?

#### 7. I \_\_\_\_\_ come by your house next Tuesday.

- A. did
- B. was
- C. have
- D. will
- 8. He dances the Waltz. I really like it!
  - A. bad

#### **B.** beautifully

- C. beautiful
- D. good
- \_\_\_\_\_ was hurt seriously in the car crash.
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#### 1. Заполните пропуски в рассказе одним из соответствующих слов A,B,C или D.

That's what life is like for YouTube star, Jessii Vee from Canada. More than 150 million people watch her videos of funny stories about herself, and subscribers to her channel \_\_\_\_\_\_(1) every day.

'I spend all of Sunday having ideas for videos to film that week,' says Jessii. 'Then, on Monday, I wake up early to start making the videos. Usually, a video takes just over an hour to make.'

Jessii also spends a few hours a week writing to her fans. 'One day I went to buy coffee,' she says, 'and the girl serving me almost dropped my coffee when she saw it was me. She left the coffee shop to \_\_\_\_\_\_(2) me outside to take pictures. It always makes me happy to see my fans are happy.'

If you want to start a YouTube channel, there are some things to think about. Being safe is very \_\_\_\_\_\_(3), so don't show your face or real name and don't tell people where you live. One of the most \_\_\_\_\_\_(4) YouTubers, DanTDM, a 26-year-old English man, didn't show his face in the beginning and now his videos have over 10 billion \_\_\_\_\_\_(5). Five billion people all over the world watched the Beijing 2008 Summer Olympics.

| 1. <b>A) grow</b> | B) swim      | C) take     | D) feed      |
|-------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| 2. A) come        | B) lose      | C) buy      | D) meet      |
| 3. A) intelligent | B) important | C) cheerful | D) kind      |
| 4. A) safe        | B) famous    | C) nice     | D) favourite |
| 5. A) directors   | B) films     | C) views    | D) watches   |

#### 2. Выберите подходящий ответ:

| 1. My father                | Poland but I haven't.           |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| A. has gone in              |                                 |
| B. has been to              |                                 |
| C. has been in              |                                 |
| D. has gone at              |                                 |
| 2. The dog is lying         | the door.                       |
| A. between                  |                                 |
| B. beside                   |                                 |
| C. over                     |                                 |
| D. round                    |                                 |
| 3. Stephen is my oldest fri | end. I met him a long time      |
| A. before                   |                                 |
| B. until                    |                                 |
| C. ago                      |                                 |
| D. yet                      |                                 |
| 4. Her English is           | _ better than it was last year. |
| A. much                     |                                 |
| B. very                     |                                 |
| C. many                     |                                 |
| D. any                      |                                 |
|                             |                                 |

5. The police \_\_\_\_\_\_ and arrested this man last week.

- A. has caught
- B. cought
- C. caught
- D. catched

6. How \_

- A. languages do you speak?
- **B.** is your father?
- C. music did you listen to yesterday?
- D. is you?

7. No one enjoyed the show the show very much, \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. had they
- B. didn't they
- C. hadn't they
- D. did they
- 8. Hurry. There is very \_\_\_\_\_\_ time left.
  - A. few
  - **B.** little
  - C. several
  - D. many
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ was hurt seriously in the car crash.
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"My dear fellow," said he, "whenever are you going to come? What about an early start? — and here you are having breakfast, or whatever you call it, at half past ten! They left you the message, because they could not wait."

"What message?" said poor Mr. Baggins all in a fluster.

"If you had dusted the mantelpiece, you would have found this just under the clock," said Gandalf, handing Bilbo a note (written, of course, on his own note-paper).

"That leaves you just ten minutes. You will have to run," said Gandalf.

"But — ," said Bilbo.

"No time for it," said the wizard.

"But — ," said Bilbo again.

"No time for that either! Off you go!"

To the end of his days Bilbo could never remember how he found himself outside, without a hat, a walking-stick or any money, or anything that he usually took when he went out; leaving his second breakfast half-finished and quite unwashed-up, pushing his keys into Gandalf's hands, and running as fast as his furry feet could carry him down the lane, past the great Mill, across The Water, and then on for a mile or more. Very puffed he was, when he got to Bywater just on the stroke of eleven, and found he had come without a pocket-handkerchief!

"Bravo!" said Balin who was standing at the inn door looking out for him.

Just then all the others came round the corner of the road from the village. They were on ponies, and each pony was slung about with all kinds of baggages, packages, parcels. There was a very small pony for Bilbo.

"Up you two get, and off we go!" said Thorin.

"I'm awfully sorry," said Bilbo, "but I have come without my hat, and I have left my pocket-handkerchief behind, and I haven't got any money. I didn't get your note until after 10.45 to be precise."

"Don't be precise," said Dwalin, "and don't worry! You will have to manage without pocket-handkerchiefs, and a good many other things, before you get to the journey's end. As for a hat, I have got a spare hood and cloak in my luggage."

That's how they all came to start, jogging off from the inn one fine morning just before May, on laden ponies; and Bilbo was wearing a dark-green hood (a little weather-stained) and a dark-green cloak borrowed from Dwalin. They were too large for him, and he looked rather comic. His only comfort was he couldn't be mistaken for a dwarf, as he had no beard.

They had not been riding very long, when up came Gandalf very splendid on a white horse. He had brought a lot of pocket-handkerchiefs, and Bilbo's pipe and tobacco. So after that the party went along very merrily, and they told stories or sang songs as they rode forward all day, except of course when they stopped for meals. These didn't come quite as often as Bilbo would have liked them, but still he began to feel that adventures were not so bad after all.

- 1) Where was the message from the dwarves for Bilbo?
  - A. on the table.
  - B. on his fireplace.
  - C. on the bed.
- 2) What time did Bilbo arrive at the meeting point at Bywater?
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  - C. At 11 o'clock.
- 3) What did Dwalin lend Bilbo?
  - A. his pocket handkerchief and a pipe
  - **B.** some clothes
  - C. a pony and a hood
- 4) Why does the writer say that Bilbo didn't look like dwarves?

#### A. He didn't have a beard.

- B. His clothes were too big.
- C. He looked comic.
- 5) Why was not Bilbo completely satisfied with the adventure at the end of this extract?

#### A. He didn't get enough food.

- B. His pipe was wet.
- C. They rode forward too fast.

### 4. Напишите эссе (100-250 слов), высказав свою точку зрения на ОДНО из высказываний:

"Friends show their love in times of trouble, not in happiness." Euripides

"Everything has beauty, but not everyone sees it." Confucius

"Change your thoughts and you change your world." Norman Vincent Peale

"Where there is love there is life." Mahatma Gandhi

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#### 1. Read the text below and decide which answer A, B, C or D best fits each space.

Aristotle lived \_\_\_\_\_\_(1) the same time when Philip of Macedonia was attacking areas of Greece such as Attica. Aristotle \_\_\_\_\_\_(2) to Athens when he was only 17 to study philosophy with Plato. In 343 BC he became a tutor for Alexander the Great, whom he taught for four years. Aristotle \_\_\_\_\_\_(3) the Lyceum, which was well known for its zoo and library, a public garden and a gymnasium. Unfortunately, only a fifth of his writings have \_\_\_\_\_\_(5) day.

| 1. A) on      | B) throughout | C) during  | D) over    |
|---------------|---------------|------------|------------|
| 2. A) reached | B) flew       | C) landed  | D) went    |
| 3. A) form    | B) founded    | C) based   | D) imposed |
| 4. A) traced  | B) survived   | C) rescued | D) saved   |
| 5. A) current | B) now        | C) present | D) close   |

#### 2. Choose the best answer:

1. My father Poland but I haven't. A. has gone in B. has been to C. has been in D. has gone at 2. If he were better off, he buy a car. A. buys **B.** would buy C. would have bought D. will buy 3. The new theater next month. A. are opened B. was opened C. will be opened D. will opens 4. Sophie stopped \_\_\_\_\_ the medicine, as it wasn't doing any good. A. taking B. to take C. take D. have taken 5. The police and arrested this man last week. A. has caught B. cought C. caught D. catched 6. How A. languages do you speak?

#### **B.** is your father?

C. music did you listen to yesterday?

D. is you?

7. No one enjoyed the show the show very much, \_\_\_\_\_?

- A. had they
- B. didn't they
- C. hadn't they

#### **D. did they**

#### 8. It's \_\_\_\_\_ cold today to go surfing.

- A. much
- B. too
- C. very
- D. fat
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ was hurt seriously in the car crash.
  - A. Nobody
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  - C. Anyone
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#### 10. Mary \_\_\_\_\_\_ her bag.

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#### 3. Read the extract from "The Hobbit" by Tolkien and answer the questions:

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"Life's most persistent and urgent question is, 'What are you doing for others?"

Martin Luther King, Jr.

"Change your thoughts and you change your world." Norman Vincent Peale

#### Международная олимпиада по английскому языку «Формула Единства» / «Третье тысячелетие» 2019/2020 г. Задания заключительного тура 9 класс

#### 1. Read the text below and decide which answer A, B, C or D best fits each space.

Is fast food really that bad for us? Some experts \_\_\_\_\_\_ (1) that all food is nutritious to some degree and that it all depends on how we \_\_\_\_\_\_ (2) it in our diet. Chips, for example, are a fairly good source of vitamin C. What is more, the cheese on pizzas is \_\_\_\_\_\_ (3) in protein and burgers contain protein, \_\_\_\_\_\_ (4) and vitamins. However, all these foods have lots of fat, cholesterol and calories which can lead to weight problems and heart \_\_\_\_\_\_ (5).

| 1. A) request     | B) claim    | C) ask      | D) demand    |
|-------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| 2. A) enclose     | B) involve  | C) encircle | D) include   |
| 3. A) great       | B) big      | C) high     | D) tall      |
| 4. A) <b>iron</b> | B) steel    | C) gold     | D) silver    |
| 5. A) unwell      | B) sickness | C) disease  | D) infection |

#### 2. Choose the best answer:

- 1. Don't forget to call Kate, \_\_\_\_?
  - A. don't you
  - B. will you
  - C. do you
  - D. shall you
- 2. If Bob \_\_\_\_\_ his leg, he could have come with us.
  - A. didn't break
  - B. hadn't broken
  - C. wouldn't have broken
  - D. will not break
- 3. The new theater \_\_\_\_\_ next month.
  - A. are opened
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#### C. will be opened

- D. will opens
- 4. Sophie stopped the medicine, as it wasn't doing any good.
  - A. taking
  - B. to take
  - C. take
  - D. have taken
- 5. The robbers \_\_\_\_\_ by the police last week.
  - A. had been arrested
  - B. arrested
  - C. were arrested
  - D. were arresting
- 6. A few years ago my friend \_\_\_\_\_\_ in Canada when he lost his passport.
  - A. was travelled
  - **B.** was travelling

- C. has travelled
- D. used travel

7. They arrived to the airport on time but the plane \_\_\_\_\_\_.

- A. had already leave
- B. has already left
- C. already left
- D. had already left

8. It's \_\_\_\_\_ cold today to go surfing.

- A. much
- B. too
- C. very
- D. fat
- 9. \_\_\_\_\_ was hurt seriously in the car crash.
  - A. Nobody
    - B. Anybody
    - C. Anyone
    - D. Somewhere

#### 10. Mary \_\_\_\_\_\_ her bag.

- A. did probably lose
- B. probably lost
- C. have probably lost
- D. has probably lost

#### 3. Read the extract from "The Hobbit" by Tolkien and answer the questions:

When Bilbo opened his eyes, he wondered if he had; for it was just as dark as with them shut. No one was anywhere near him. Just imagine his fright! He could hear nothing, see nothing, and he could feel nothing except the stone of the floor.

Very slowly he got up, he touched the wall of the tunnel; but neither up nor down it could he find anything: nothing at all, no sign of goblins, no sign of dwarves. His head was swimming, and he was far from certain even of the direction they had been going in when he had his fall. He guessed as well as he could, and crawled along for a good way, till suddenly his hand met what felt like a tiny ring of cold metal lying on the floor of the tunnel. It was a turning point in his career, but he did not know it. He put the ring in his pocket almost without thinking; certainly it did not seem of any particular use at the moment. He did not go much further, but sat down on the cold floor and gave himself up to complete miserableness, for a long while. He thought of himself frying bacon and eggs in his own kitchen at home — for he could feel inside that it was high time for some meal or other; but that only made him miserabler.

He could not think what to do; nor could he think what had happened; or why he had been left behind; or why, if he had been left behind, the goblins had not caught him; or even why his head was so sore. The truth was he had been lying quiet, out of sight and out of mind, in a very dark corner for a long while. But somehow he was comforted. It was rather splendid to be wearing a blade made in Gondolin for the goblin-wars of which so many songs had sung; and also he had noticed that such weapons made a great impression on goblins that came upon them suddenly.

Suddenly without any warning he trotted splash into water! Ugh! it was icy cold. That pulled him up sharp and short. He did not know whether it was just a pool in the path, or the edge of an underground stream that crossed the passage, or the brink of a deep dark subterranean lake. The sword was hardly shining at all. He stopped, and he could hear, when

he listened hard, drops drip-drip-dripping from an unseen roof into the water below; but there seemed no other sort of sound.

"So it is a pool or a lake, and not an underground river," he thought. Still he did not dare to wade out into the darkness. He could not swim; and he thought, too, of nasty slimy things, with big bulging blind eyes, wriggling in the water. There are strange things living in the pools and lakes in the hearts of mountains: fish whose fathers swam in, goodness only knows how many years ago, and never swam out again, while their eyes grew bigger and bigger and bigger from trying to see in the blackness; also there are other things more slimy than fish.

Deep down here by the dark water lived old Gollum, a small slimy creature. I don't know where he came from, nor who or what he was. He was Gollum — as dark as darkness, except for two big round pale eyes in his thin face. He had a little boat, and he rowed about quite quietly on the lake; for lake it was, wide and deep and deadly cold. He was looking out of his pale lamp-like eyes for blind fish, which he grabbed with his long fingers as quick as thinking. Actually Gollum lived on a slimy island of rock in the middle of the lake. He was watching Bilbo now from the distance with his pale eyes like telescopes. Bilbo could not see him, but he was wondering a lot about Bilbo, for he could see that he was no goblin at all.

Gollum got into his boat and shot off from the island, while Bilbo was sitting on the brink altogether flummoxed and at the end of his way and his wits. Suddenly up came Gollum and whispered and hissed:

"Bless us and splash us, my precioussss! I guess it's a choice feast; at least a tasty morsel it'd make us, gollum!" And when he said gollum he made a horrible swallowing noise in his throat. That is how he got his name, though he always called himself 'my precious'.

The hobbit jumped nearly out of his skin when the hiss came in his ears, and he suddenly saw the pale eyes sticking out at him.

- 1. How did Bilbo feel right after finding the ring?
  - A. Unhappy, angry and comforted.
  - B. Unhappy, hungry and confused.
  - C. Hungry, furious but comforted.
- 2. How did Bilbo realize that he was near a lake not a river?
  - A. There were rain drops.
  - B. He couldn't hear the sound of moving water.
  - C. He saw the brink of a deep dark subterranean lake.
- 3. What are some features of the fish in the lake?

#### A. They had big eyes, were slimy and couldn't see.

- B. They had big eyes and lived with their fathers.
- C. They had big eyes and were slimy.
- 4. What objects did Gollum have when he met the hobbit and started speaking to him?
  - A. A boat.
  - **B.** A boat and a lamp.
  - **C.** A boat and a ring.
- 5. What did Gollum mean when he spoke to Bilbo?
  - A. He knew that the hobbit had stolen something precious.
  - B. Gollum was going to eat the hobbit.
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## 4. Choose ONE of the following quotes and write an essay (100-250 words) giving your opinion on it:

"Learning never exhausts the mind". Leonardo da Vinci

"The secret of getting ahead is getting started." Mark Twain

"Life's most persistent and urgent question is, 'What are you doing for others?" Martin Luther King, Jr.

"Where there is love there is life." Mahatma Gandhi

"Real friends are our greatest joy and our greatest sorrow." Fénelon.

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#### 10 класс

#### 1. Choose the correct pronunciation:

1) Since there is no time like the *present*, he thought it was time to *present* the present.

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- B) 1st accent is on the second syllable, 2nd accent is on the first syllable.
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#### 3) The dump was so full that it had to *refuse* more *refuse*.

- A)  $1^{st}$  and  $2^{nd}$  are pronounced like [z].
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- D) 1st "s" is pronounced like [s], 2nd "s" is pronounced like [z].
- 4) We must *polish* the *Polish* furniture.
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5) He could <u>lead</u> if he would get the <u>lead</u> out.

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6) The soldier decided to <u>desert</u> his <u>dessert</u> in the desert.

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**B.** was travelling C. has travelled D. used travel 7. They arrived to the airport on time but the plane . A. had already leave B. has already left C. already left D. had already left 8. The building the earthquake but then by a fire. A. was survived ... destroyed **B.** survived ... was destroyed C. survived ... destroyed D. was survived ... was destroyed was hurt seriously in the car crash. 9.\_\_\_\_ A. Nobody B. Anybody C. Anyone D. Somewhere 10. "What did you do to your hand?" "I \_\_\_\_\_\_ when I was chopping vegetables." A. cut me B. cut C. myself cut D. cut myself

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"There is only one corner of the universe you can be certain of improving, and that's your own self." Aldous Huxley

"All our dreams can come true, if we have the courage to pursue them." Walt Disney

"Think wrongly, if you please, but in all cases think for yourself." Lessing.

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#### 1. Choose the correct pronunciation:

1) The bandage was *wound* around the *wound*.

- A) 1<sup>st</sup> "ou" as in "wow, how, now", 2<sup>nd</sup> "ou" as in "you, too, sue".
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6) The soldier decided to <u>desert</u> his <u>dessert</u> in the desert.

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- 8) A *bass* was painted on the head of the *bass* drum.

A) 1<sup>st</sup> "bass" is pronounced like "base, vase, trace", 2<sup>nd</sup> "bass" is pronounced like "grass, glass, lass".

- B) 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> ones are pronounced like "grass, glass, lass".
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#### 2. Choose the best answer:

| 1. | When he realised I | at him, he | _ away. |
|----|--------------------|------------|---------|
|----|--------------------|------------|---------|

- A. looked ... was turning
- B. was looking ... turned
- C. was looking ... was turning
- D. looked ... turned
- 2. When I saw the vase on the website, I knew exactly what I \_\_\_\_\_\_.
  - A. looked for
  - B. look for
  - C. had been looking for
  - D. have looked for
- 3. We \_\_\_\_\_\_ a party next Saturday. Can you come?
- Δ
  - A. are to have **B.** 're having
  - C. 'll have
  - D. have
- 4. Walking under a ladder \_\_\_\_\_ be unlucky.
  - A. is suppose to
  - B. should
  - C. ought to

#### D. is supposed to

5. The building \_\_\_\_\_\_ the earthquake but then \_\_\_\_\_ by a fire.

A. was survived ... destroyed

#### **B.** survived ... was destroyed

C. survived ... destroyed

D. was survived ... was destroyed

6. Peter the wallet. A. admitted to steal B. admitted steal C. admitted stealing D. admitted him stealing 7. Samantha she would be late for the meeting. She she was feeling ill. A. told that ... said that B. told that ... said me that C. told me that ... said that D. told me that ... said me that 8. We haven't got butter left. A. a **B.** any C. the D. some 9. "What did you do to your hand?" "I when I was chopping vegetables." A. cut me B. cut C. myself cut **D.** cut myself 10. If I had known how difficult the job was, I it. A. won't have taken B. wouldn't have taken C. won't take it

D. mightn't have take

#### 2. Read the extract from "The Hobbit" by Tolkien and answer the questions:

Hobbits can move quietly in woods, absolutely quietly. They take a pride in it. As for Bilbo walking primly towards the red light, I don't suppose even a weasel would have stirred a whisker at it. So, naturally, he got right up to the fire — for fire it was — without disturbing anyone. And this is what he saw.

Three very large persons sitting round a very large fire of beech-logs. They were toasting mutton on long spits of wood, and licking the gravy off their fingers. There was a fine toothsome smell. Also there was a barrel of good drink at hand, and they were drinking out of jugs. But they were trolls. Obviously trolls. Even Bilbo, in spite of his sheltered life, could see that: from the great heavy faces of them, and their size, and the shape of their legs, not to mention their language, which was not drawing-room fashion at all, at all.

"Mutton yesterday, mutton today, and blimey, if it don't look like mutton again tomorrer," said one of the trolls.

"Never a blinking bit of manflesh have we had for long enough," said a second. "What the 'ell William was a-thinkin' of to bring us into these parts at all, beats me — and the drink runnin' short, what's more," he said jogging the elbow of William, who was taking a pull at his jug.

William choked. "Shut yer mouth!" he said as soon as he could. "Yer can't expect folk to stop here for ever just to be et by you and Bert. You've et a village and a half between yer, since we come down from the mountains. How much more d'yer want? And time's been up our way, when yer'd have said 'thank yer Bill' for a nice bit o' fat valley mutton like what this is." He took a big bite off a sheep's leg he was roasting, and wiped his lips on his sleeve. Yes, I am afraid trolls do behave like that, even those with only one head each. After hearing all this Bilbo ought to have done something at once. Either he should have gone back quietly and warned his friends that there were three fair-sized trolls at hand in a nasty mood, quite likely to try roasted dwarf, or even pony, for a change; or else he should have done a bit of good quick burgling. A really first-class and legendary burglar would at this point have picked the trolls' pockets — it is nearly always worthwhile, if you can manage it — , pinched the very mutton off the spits, purloined the beer, and walked off without their noticing him. Others more practical but with less professional pride would perhaps have stuck a dagger into each of them before they observed it. Then the night could have been spent cheerily.

Bilbo knew it. He had read of a good many things he had never seen or done. He was very much alarmed, as well as disgusted; he wished himself a hundred miles away, and yet — and yet somehow he could not go straight back to Thorin and Company emptyhanded. So he stood and hesitated in the shadows. Of the various burglarious proceedings he had heard of picking the trolls' pockets seemed the least difficult, so at last he crept behind a tree just behind William.

Bert and Tom went off to the barrel. William was having another drink. Then Bilbo plucked up courage and put his little hand in William's enormous pocket. There was a purse in it, as big as a bag to Bilbo. "Ha!" thought he, warming to his new work as he lifted it carefully out, "this is a beginning!"

It was! Trolls' purses are the mischief, and this was no exception. "'Ere, 'oo are you?" it squeaked, as it left the pocket; and William turned round at once and grabbed Bilbo by the neck, before he could duck behind the tree.

"Blimey, Bert, look what I've copped!" said William.

"What is it?" said the others coming up. "Lumme, if I knows! What are yer?"

"Bilbo Baggins, a bur — a hobbit," said poor Bilbo, shaking all over, and wondering how to make owl-noises before they throttled him.

"A burrahobbit?" said they a bit startled. Trolls are slow in the uptake, and mighty suspicious about anything new to them.

"What's a burrahobbit got to do with my pocket, anyways?" said William.

"And can yer cook 'em?" said Tom.

"Yer can try," said Bert, picking up a skewer.

"He wouldn't make above a mouthful," said William, who had already had a fine supper, "not when he was skinned and boned."

"P'raps there are more like him round about, and we might make a pie," said Bert. "Here you, are there any more of your sort a-sneakin' in these here woods, yer nassty little rabbit," said he looking at the hobbit's furry feet; and he picked him up by the toes and shook him.

1. What is the skill that hobbits are proud of having?

A. Their superior magic powers.

- B. Their ability to walk without any noise.
- C. Their ability to see in the dark.
- 2. What food were the trolls dreaming about?
  - A. Mutton.
  - B. Humans' meat.
  - C. Roasted pony.
- 3. What were the options that Bilbo had when he saw the trolls?
  - A. To tell his friends about the danger or to steal something.
  - B. To walk away quietly to his friends or to tell them about the danger.
  - C. To walk away quietly to his friends or to ride a pony.
- 4. Why was Bilbo caught by the trolls?
  - A. He tried to steal a magic speaking object.

- **B.** There was a mischief pocket that Bilbo stole.
- C. His head and neck were seen after he had hid behind the tree.
- 5. What does Bert suggest at the end of this extract?

#### A. There are more little hobbits hiding in the forest.

- B. Bilbo has a pie and he can feed the trolls.
- C. The trolls can catch little rabbits with Bilbo's help and make a pie.

# 4. Choose ONE of the following quotes and write an essay (100-250 words) giving your opinion on it:

"There is only one corner of the universe you can be certain of improving, and that's your own self." Aldous Huxley

"Honesty is the first chapter in the book of wisdom." Thomas Jefferson

"The secret of getting ahead is getting started." Mark Twain

"Life's most persistent and urgent question is, 'What are you doing for others?" Martin Luther King, Jr.

"Today you are you! That is truer than true! There is no one alive who is you-er than you!"

Dr. Seuss