**Всероссийская олимпиада школьников по английскому языку**

**Школьный этап 2025-2026 учебный год**

**7-8 класс**

***Time: 70 minutes***

1. **LISTENING**

**Time: 10 minutes**

*Вы услышите текст. Установите соответствие утверждений 1-10 содержанию текста. Отметьте каждое утверждение* ***TRUE****, если оно соответствует содержанию текста,* ***FALSE****, если оно не соответствует содержанию, или* ***NOT STATED****, если в тексте нет точной информации. Вы услышите запись дважды.*

Listen to Kelly and Jason’s conversation. Decide if each statement (1 – 10) is TRUE, FALSE or the information is NOT STATED in the text. Put a tick in the proper box.

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|  |  | TRUE | FALSE | NOT STATED |
| Example | Both Kelly and Jason think that obesity is common today. | V |  |  |
| 1 | Kelly thinks that people’s diets now are less healthy than in the past. |  |  |  |
| 2 | Jason thinks there are a lot of people now who do not know how to relax. |  |  |  |
| 3 | Jason and Kelly share the same opinion about people not sleeping enough. |  |  |  |
| 4 | In Jason’s opinion some people go to bed late as they enjoy dancing at night. |  |  |  |
| 5 | Kelly believes that cycling to school is becoming more popular. |  |  |  |
| 6 | According to Jason’s opinion there are more cyclists in the cities today as they care about pollution. |  |  |  |
| 7 | Kelly says that air pollution in the cities is getting worse. |  |  |  |

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| 8 | Jason says that Kelly is often ill. |  |  |  |
| 9 | Kelly thinks that teens suffer from colds for a couple of days only. |  |  |  |
| 10 | In the end, Jason and Kelly agree about young people’s health. |  |  |  |

**TRANSFER ALL YOUR ANSWERS TO YOUR ANSWER SHEET**

# READING

**Time: 15 minutes**

**Match the texts 1-7 to the titles A-H. There is one extra.**

1. SUCCESSFUL CAREER
2. EDUCATION
3. SPORTS NEWS
4. ORIGIN OF WORDS
5. LONG-A WAITED VICTORY
6. IMPROVING LANGUAGE
7. POPULAR BOOK
8. BOOK REVIEW
   1. For the first time since 1948, the British capital will host the summer Olympic Games. It was the fourth participation of Britain in the battle to host the games after failed attempts of Birmingham for the 1992 Olympics and Manchester for 1996 and 2000. "I am looking forward to what I am sure will be a fantastic Olympic Games,” said Prince William.
   2. There are many factors, both social and psychological, which influence the roles of teachers and learners in the classroom. The book "Roles of Teachers and Learners” by Tony Wright helps teachers understand these roles. And the ways in which co- operative learning may best be fostered.
   3. It’s calculated that Joanne Rowling, the author of very famous books about Harry Potter, is earning $36,000,000 daily and her total profit is already more than

$1,000,000,000.

* 1. In 2005 " Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince” broke the previous record of Potter series itself as well as all other records had ever held by freshly published books: more than 8.9 million copies had been sold within 24 hours since the moment

of release.

* 1. The word "hamburger” comes from the name of the German city Hamburg and not from the word "ham”, and so the word "cheeseburger”, sometimes used to mean a similar kind of sandwich with cheese instead of meat, is based on a false analogy.
  2. Reading works of literature gives students an insight into the variety of ways language has been handled over the last three centuries. It is both rewarding and motivating for learners to discover they can understand the language, and that they can even enjoy the experience of reading an English or American classic.
  3. The world’s famous cycling race comes to its exciting conclusion when the riders cap off three weeks of road racing and 21 stages with a sprint down the Champs Elysees in Paris. The Tour de France will be broadcast live daily at Sport land at 5 p.m.

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1. **Use of English**

**Time: 25 minutes Task1.**

**Put each verb in brackets 1-14 in the correct tense and voice forms. The first one is done for you.**

**An old school friend**

When John (0) **saw**  (see) the large crowd which was gathering in the street, he wasn’t sure at first what (1) (**happen**). There were so many people blocking the entrance to the hotel, that he (2) (**have to push**) his way through them to get to the door. At the door he (3) (**find**) two policemen who (4) (**try**) to hold the crowd back. ‘What on earth (5) (**go)** on?’ he asked them. Then John noticed that some of the crowd (6) (**hold**) placards which read, ‘We (7) (**love**) you, Sally.’ Of course, that was it. Sally Good was a footballer, the first woman to play for England. Although John wasn’t really interested in sport he (8) (**decide**) he (9) ( **join**) the crowd and wait until she (10) (**appear**). About ten minutes later, a smiling woman appeared and waved to the crowd. John was taken completely by surprise when she (11) (**take**) his arm and (12) (**say**), ‘(13)

(you remember) me? I (14) (**be**) the girl who (15)

(**use**) to sit next to you at school.’

**Task 2. Read the text and fill in the gaps with the right forms of the words.**

**Are You Thirsty?**

What’s your favourite drink? Is it a fizzy drink like cola? Or do you like a cold glass of **(1)**  **(LEMON)?** Do you ever wonder what people in other countries like drinking? What are the most popular drinks in the world?

All over the world, many people enjoy drinking green tea. It is very popular in many Asian countries. For example, the **(2)**  **( JAPAN)** just call it ‘tea’. Everyone there knows that if you say ‘tea’, you mean green tea. One very common and popular drink in Europe is mineral water. Many countries, such as France, Italy and **(3)**  **(GERMAN),** have springs where mineral water comes out of the ground. As a result, mineral water is cheap and it’s available everywhere.

After water and tea, the world’s most popular drink is coffee. It is usually very popular with adults who drink it to wake up in the morning.

**(4)**  **(LATE),** though, young people are drinking it to help them study.

You may love coffee, tea or fizzy drinks, but it’s important to drink lots of water also. This, of course, helps you to have a **(5)**  **(BALANCE)** diet, and that’s important for everyone in the world.

# WRITING

(30 minutes)

**You have received an e-mail from your English friend who would like you to run in the summer marathon with her. You don’t really want to take part in the marathon. Write her an e-mail in which you will:**

* thank her for writing to you;
* refuse the invitation politely;
* explain why you don’t want to take part in the marathon;
* suggest a different sports event you could both take part in.

Start your email like this*: Hi Tracy,*

Write about 90-100 words.