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Вводные фразы для 3 задания

В задании 3 по говорению в ОГЭ нужно высказаться на определённую тему и раскрыть четыре пункта плана. В этом задании обязательно нужны вступительная и заключительная фразы. Какие фразы использовать, чтобы рассказ был логичным?

Введение

- Nowadays more and more people understand that... (sport is important). – В настоящее время всё больше людей понимают, что... (спорт важен).
- There is no doubt that... (travelling is interesting and useful). – Несомненно, что... (путешествия интересны и полезны).
- It goes without saying that... (school is a big part of our lives). – Само собой разумеется, что... (школа является значительной частью нашей жизни).
- Many people have... (pets at home). – Многие люди имеют... (домашних животных дома).
- Now I'm going to talk about... – Я собираюсь рассказать о...

Рассказ по пунктам плана

- I think people (travel / do sports / learn languages) because... – Я думаю, что люди... (путешествуют / занимаются спортом / изучают языки), потому что...
- Maybe they want to... – Возможно, они хотят...
- For example, I often... – Например, я часто...
- I would recommend (studying harder / that they study harder). – Я бы порекомендовал (учиться усерднее).
- I advise everyone to... – Я советую всем...
- There are a lot of ... in my (city / school / country / area). – В моём (городе / школе / стране / районе) много...
- Perhaps it's interesting to... (take photos / help elderly people / play mobile games). – Возможно, это интересно... (фотографировать / помогать пожилым людям / играть в игры на мобильном телефоне).

Отношение к чему-либо

- I like / love / adore / am fond of / am keen on… because… – Мне нравится / я люблю / обожаю…, потому что…
- To be honest, I don't like / hate / loathe… because… – Честно говоря, мне не нравится / я ненавижу / терпеть не могу…, потому что…
- My attitude to … is positive / negative / neutral for several reasons. Firstly, … – Моё отношение к … положительное / отрицательное / нейтральное по нескольким причинам. Во-первых, …

Заключение

- That is all I wanted to say about… – Вот и всё, что я хотел сказать о…
- In conclusion, I would like to say that … is important for everyone. – В заключение, я бы хотел сказать, что … важно для всех.
- To sum up, I think everyone needs… (a friend / to do sports / help) – Подводя итоги, я считаю, что всем нужен… (друг / спорт / помощь).
- All in all, … seems… (exciting / interesting / terrible) for me. – В конце концов, … кажется мне (захватывающим / интересным / ужасным).

Используйте любые фразы, можете несколько фраз из каждого раздела вместе. Главная задача – составить логичный рассказ, полностью раскрыв ВСЕ пункты плана.

Вариант 1

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

The Sun is a star like many others in our Milky Way galaxy. It is a yellow dwarf star. It gives off energy as light. The Sun is about a hundred times as wide as the Earth. Since the Sun is all gas, surface features come and go. If the Sun is viewed through a special solar telescope, dark areas called sunspots can be seen. These areas are caused by the Sun's magnetic field. The sunspots only look dark because the rest of the Sun is very bright. A solar eclipse appears when the moon is between the Earth and the Sun. A lunar eclipse happens when the moon passes through the shadow of the Earth which can only occur during a full moon. The number of lunar eclipses in a single year can range from 0 to 3.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Cleaning Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about ecological situation in your region. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. Is the ecological situation in your region good or bad?
2. What ecological problems are there in your region?
3. Are these problems serious? Why?
4. Why is it necessary to protect the environment?
5. What do you do to help our planet?
6. What should the government do to improve the ecological situation in your region?

3 Task 3. You are going to give a talk about travelling. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- why people travel so much nowadays
- what people usually do while travelling abroad
- what country you would like to visit, and why
- what your attitude to travelling is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 2

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Global warming is a slow steady rise in the surface temperature of the Earth. As the Earth's surface temperature becomes hotter, the sea level becomes higher. The sea level rise causes coastal areas to flood. This is partly because water expands when it gets warmer. It is also partly because warm temperatures make glaciers and ice caps melt. The sea level rise causes coastal areas to flood. Weather patterns, including where and how much rain or snow there is, will change. Deserts will probably increase in size. Colder areas will warm up faster than warm areas. Strong storms may become more likely and farming may not make as much food. These effects will not be the same everywhere. The changes from one area to another are not well known.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Healthcare Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about eating habits. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. What do you usually have for breakfast?
2. How many times a day do you usually have meals?
3. Is your diet healthy? Why do you think so?
4. Is eating only healthy food important to you? Why?
5. What time do you usually have your last meal?
6. What would you recommend a teenager who wants to start a healthy diet?

3 Task 3. You are going to give a talk about school. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- what school subject you like most, and why
- what school clubs or societies are interesting for schoolchildren
- how schoolchildren can make their school life better
- what your attitude to school uniform is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 3

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

The Eiffel Tower was built by Eiffel for the 100th anniversary of the French Revolution. There were 107 bids submitted to construct the Eiffel Tower, 50 people worked on the design, and more than 100 built the parts. Construction began on the 28th of January 1887 and was concluded on the 31st of March 1889. When the tower was built, it was only meant to be kept for 20 years. People did not like the Eiffel Tower and reckoned they wanted it taken down because they thought it was an ugly structure polluting the scenery of the Paris sky. After the 20 years, the tower became the property of Paris again. By this time, the city had learned that the tower could be used to help with communications. Today, it is used to send radio and television signals to the capital city of Paris and beyond. After people learned about the many benefits the tower provided, no one wanted it to be taken apart.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Social Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers feel about family relationships. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. How big is your family?
2. Who do you share your room with?
3. When do you prefer to do your household chores?
4. What household chores do you do every day?
5. What do you usually do to keep good relationships with your family members?
6. What would you advise a teenager who often quarrels with his or her parents?

3 Task 3. You are going to give a talk about your future career. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- what you are going to be, and why
- what school subjects you consider most useful for your future career, and why
- who helps you with choosing your future career, and how
- what your attitude to higher education is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 4

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

In nutrition, diet is the sum of food that is eaten by a person or another organism. Diets are about eating the right quantity and type of food at the right time. When people talk about a diet, they are usually referring to a special kind of diet. When someone says they are "dieting", it means that they are trying to lose weight. When the diet is not right, people can gain or lose weight. To get back to their normal weight, they need to change their diet. This may be very hard to do. Often help from a specialist is required. Some people have diseases where they cannot eat certain foods without becoming very sick. They need to change their diet to avoid these foods. Dietary habits and choices play a significant role in health and mortality, and can also define cultures and play a role in religion.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's City Lifestyle Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about public places. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. What is the name of the city, town or village you live in?
2. What is your favourite place in your area? Why do you like it?
3. What other places do you usually go to in your free time?
4. What do teenagers in your area do in their free time?
5. How can teenagers help to keep your city, town or village clean?
6. What could make your area better, in your opinion?

3 Task 3. You are going to give a talk about sports. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- how PE lessons can help children to keep fit
- what sport facilities should be in your school, and why
- if it is important to do any sports, and why
- what your attitude to doing sport is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 5

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

A superstition is a belief in something that is irrational, non-physical and does not follow the rules of science. Superstitions differ among religions and cultures. Some superstitions are connected with good luck, for example, crossing fingers for good luck, knocking three times on wood after mentioning good fortune, a horseshoe hung above the doorway, a four-leaf clover and so on. Some superstitions are thought to bring bad luck. They are: breaking a mirror, opening an umbrella inside the house, Friday the 13th and several others. There is a song called “Superstition” by Stevie Wonder. The song advises not to believe in theories such as superstitions.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It’s the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Reading Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about reading. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don’t have to give your name. So, let’s get started.

1. Do you like reading? Why?
2. What is your favourite book? Who is the author?
3. What is your favourite type of books? Why?
4. Do you prefer paper or electronic books? Why?
5. How many books do teenagers read during the school year?
6. How reading books in English helps you improve your language skills?

3 You are going to give a talk about friendship. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- why people make friends
- what personal qualities are necessary to become a good friend
- if a person can have several best friends
- what your attitude to friendship with your classmates after finishing school is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 6

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Some people say that art is a product or item that is made to stimulate the human senses as well as the human mind, spirit and soul. An artwork is normally judged by how much impact it has on people, the number of people who can relate to it, and how much people appreciate it. Some people also get inspired. Art is divided into the plastic arts, where something is made, and the performing arts, where something is done by humans in action. The other division is between pure arts, done for themselves, and practical arts, done for a practical purpose, but with artistic content. Art can also be a form of expression of emotion. The artist may feel a certain emotion and feel that there is no way to express it other than to create something. Also, art is a way to express something which has a deep meaning inside.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Shopping Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers feel about their pocket money. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. Do you think every teenager should get pocket money? Why?
2. What age is the best to start getting pocket money? Why?
3. How much money a week you think is enough for a teenager?
4. How much money a week do you get?
5. Do you prefer to spend or save your pocket money? Why?
6. What do teenagers in your country usually spend their pocket money on?

3 You are going to give a talk about hobbies. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- why people take up a hobby
- if choosing a hobby depends on character
- what your hobby is
- what your attitude to having a hobby is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 7

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Cats have been domesticated for nearly 10,000 years. They are currently the most popular pets in the world. Their origin is probably the African Wildcat. Cats were probably first kept because they ate mice, and this is still their main "job" in farms throughout the world. Later they were kept because they are friendly and good companions. Domestic cats are found in shorthair, longhair, and hairless breeds. There are also domestic cats which live without being cared for by people. The big cats are well known: lions, tigers, leopards, jaguars, pumas, and cheetahs. There are small, wild cats in most parts of the world, such as the lynx in northern Europe. The big cats and wild cats are not tame, and can be very dangerous.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Culture Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about traditions. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. Do you think traditions are necessary? Why?
2. What family traditions do you and your family follow?
3. What traditional celebrations are popular in your country?
4. How can people keep the traditions of their country alive?
5. Do you think modern people should start new traditions? Why?
6. What tradition of your country should disappear, in your opinion?

3 You are going to give a talk about famous people. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- why some people want to become famous
- if everyone can become famous nowadays, and how
- if a famous person can lead a normal life of an ordinary person
- what your attitude to being famous is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 8

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

The idea of human rights originated from ideas found in religion and philosophy in Western Europe. In law, human rights is the idea that all people should have rights: "All human beings are born free and equal in dignity and rights". Some human rights laws are written in constitutions. The United States Constitution and Constitution of France are two of the oldest set of laws based on human rights. Here is a list of some of the most recognized fundamental human rights: the right to live, to be a citizen of a country, right to housing, right to a fair trial, to own property, safety from any kind of violence to fair trial, and to be considered innocent until proven guilty, the right to get an education, health care and many others. Every person has all of these rights, it is not possible to only grant some of them.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Culture Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about learning foreign languages. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. What foreign languages do you learn?
2. How can you describe your progress in learning languages?
3. What foreign languages are popular in your country?
4. How can people learn a foreign language?
5. Do you think everyone should learn a foreign language? Why?
6. What would you recommend a person who starts learning a foreign language?

3 You are going to give a talk about the Internet. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- how people use the Internet in their everyday life
- if all schools should have an access to the Internet, and why
- how the Internet can be dangerous for children
- what your attitude to the Internet is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 9

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Science is what we do to find out about the natural world. It is the total of physics, chemistry, biology, geology and astronomy. Science makes use of mathematics, and it makes observations and experiments. Science produces accurate facts, scientific laws and theories. People who study and research science and try to find out everything about it are called scientists. Scientists study things by looking at them very carefully, by measuring them, and by doing experiments and tests. Scientists try to explain why things act the way they do and predict what will happen. Scientists must be very careful to make explanations that fit well with what they observe and measure. They compete to provide better explanations. An explanation might be interesting or pleasing, but if it does not agree with what other scientists really see and measure, they will try to find a better explanation.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Sports Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about sports. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. Do you do any sports? Why?
2. Do you think sports are becoming more and more popular nowadays? Why do you think so?
3. Should everyone do sports? Why do you think so?
4. How often should people do sports to keep fit?
5. What sport is the most popular in your country?
6. What would you recommend a person who wants to take up sports?

3 You are going to give a talk about theatre. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- if theatre is popular with teenagers, and why
- what kind of plays could be interesting for teenagers
- if theatre is going to disappear soon
- what your attitude to theatre is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 10

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Language is the normal way humans communicate. Only humans use language, though other animals communicate through other means. Chinese is the language with the most native speakers in the world. English is often called the international language. It is the main second language of the world and the international language of science, travel, technology, business, diplomacy, and entertainment. French had a similar status until the 20th century, and other languages had it at other times. Some languages are made up so that a lot of people around the world can learn them, without the new languages being tied to any specific country or place. These are called constructed languages. One of the most popular of these languages is Esperanto.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Music Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers feel about music. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. What kind of music do you listen to?
2. What kind of music is popular with teenagers nowadays?
3. Who is your favourite performer or musician?
4. How can music affect people's emotions?
5. Is music important to you? Why?
6. Do you think everyone should learn to play at least one musical instrument? Why?

3 You are going to give a talk about ecological problems. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- what ecological problems in your region are
- if the environment in your region has become better or worse, and how you can notice it
- how teenagers help the environment in your region
- what your attitude to teenagers' joining some ecological movement is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 11

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

A natural disaster is a major event caused by natural processes of the Earth. Examples include floods, hurricanes, tornadoes, volcanic eruptions, earthquakes, tsunamis, and others. A natural disaster causes loss of life or property damage and leaves some economic damage afterwards. Often human activities also make causes of natural disasters, such as climate change and deforestation. It is the damage to humans and their property which counts most. The International Red Cross Movement was established to help in emergencies including natural disasters. To live through a disaster, it is important that your family and your city prepare in advance. This may be making a pack of things you need in an emergency, it may be a government sending soldiers to help, or it may be something in between. It is recommended to keep a disaster survival kit with canned goods, in the advent of such a disaster.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Culture Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers feel about television. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. Do you watch TV? Why?
2. What kind of TV programmes is popular in your family?
3. What kind of TV programmes is popular with teenagers in your country?
4. How many hours a week do teenagers spend watching TV in your country?
5. Do you think television is becoming less popular nowadays? Why do you think so?
6. What kinds of TV programmes would be useful for teenages?

3 You are going to give a talk about holidays. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- why people celebrate holidays
- what popular holidays in your country are
- what traditional meals you have on your favourite holiday
- what your attitude to celebrating holidays only with a family is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 12

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

A university is an institution where teaching and research are done. Students can attend university to get an academic degree. Unlike the schooling they have done before, the courses at university are specialized. A person studying biology at university has lots of courses about biology and not very many courses in other fields, like languages or history. To get a higher degree, people must do some research. The universities were born in Europe during the Middle Ages. College is a kind of school or university, a place where people go to learn skills for future jobs. Most college students go to college right after high school but others choose to go later in life. Most students are there because it will help them to earn more money and live better lives.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Technology Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers feel about technological progress. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. Do you follow the news about technological progress? Why?
2. What recent invention or discovery do you think is the most important?
3. Which famous people influenced technological progress in the last 100 years?
4. What technologies do you use in your everyday life?
5. How can new technologies help you study?
6. Do you agree that schools should teach students how to use new technologies? Why?

3 You are going to give a talk about character. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- how character influences people's career choice
- what personal qualities one needs to become successful
- if people can change their character
- what your attitude to sensitive people is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 13

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

A religion is a set of beliefs that is held by a group of people. There are many different religions, each with a different set of beliefs. The beliefs are about the world and the people in it, about how they came into being, and what their purpose is. These beliefs are often linked to supernatural beings such as God, a number of gods or spirits. Each religion has different ideas about these things. Each religion also has a "moral code" which is a set of beliefs about how humans should act. Rituals are an important part of the tradition of many religions. In many religions, it is the tradition for people to meet for a celebration on one day in every week. Some religions have celebrations for different seasons of the year, or when the sun or moon is in a certain part of the sky.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Global Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about global problems of the modern world. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. What is the most serious problem in the modern world? Why?
2. How can people solve this problem or make it less serious?
3. What other problems of the modern world do you know?
4. Do you agree that travelling to other countries should be easy?
5. What country would you prefer to live in? Why?
6. What would you do if you were the president of your country?

3 You are going to give a talk about fashion. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- if fashion is important for teenagers, and why
- how fashion influences our social life and career
- if fashion is a waste of time and money
- what your attitude to fashion is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 14

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

A symbol is a drawing, shape, or object that represents an idea, object, or amount of something. The most common symbols are letters, which are symbols of words and sounds. A symbol can be an actual object, or a certain colour or pattern. Symbols are used often in poetry and other types of literature. A national emblem is a symbol for a certain country. There are thousands of symbols that are recognized by most people all over the world, and many more that are limited to certain regions, religions, sciences, etc. For example, heart is the symbol of love, dove is the symbol of peace, owl is the symbol of wisdom and intelligence. A national emblem is an official symbol for a country. It can be an animal, plant or any other thing. National emblems appear on flags.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Culture Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers feel about eating out. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. How often do you eat out?
2. Why do people eat out?
3. How much money a week do teenagers spend on eating out?
4. What dishes do teenagers usually have while eating out?
5. Do you prefer eating out or at home? Why?
6. What place would you recommend a person who wants to eat out in your city?

3 You are going to give a talk about exchange programs. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- what kinds of exchange programs you know
- if you have ever taken part in an exchange program
- what countries you would visit in terms of an exchange program, and why
- what your attitude to such programs is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 15

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

The South Pole is the most southern point on the Earth. The South Pole is hard to reach. Unlike the North pole, which is covered by the sea and flat sea-ice, the South Pole is on a mountainous continent called Antarctica. It is covered by thick ice (more than a mile thick in the centre). The South Pole is very high up and is very windy. It is far from places where people live, and ships going there often have to find their way through thick sea ice. Once ashore, land-travelling explorers have to travel more than a thousand miles to get to the pole. The South Pole has a desert climate. It almost never gets any precipitation. Air humidity is near zero. However, high winds can cause the blowing of snowfall.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Social Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about social networks. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. What social networks do you use?
2. How often do you use social networks?
3. How many hours a day do you spend texting with you friends?
4. What do you usually use social networks for?
5. How can social networks help you study?
6. What do you think about using social networks only by those who are older than 14? Explain your opinion.

3 You are going to give a talk about food. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- what you usually cook and how often
- what the most famous national dish in your country is, on what occasions people eat it
- what your favourite dishes are
- what your attitude to fast food is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 16

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

An igloo is a shelter made from blocks of snow placed on top of each other, often in the shape of a dome (like half of a hollow ball). They were used in winter as temporary shelters by hunters when they were away from their regular homes. They were most often built in places where a lot of snow covers the land for weeks or months at a time, such as the far north of Canada and Greenland. Most igloos are built by native Inuit people. They could build an igloo out of snow bricks in just a couple of hours. Snow is full of air spaces, which helps it hold in warmth. With just a blubber lamp for heat, an igloo could be warmer than the air outside. Sometimes people would build larger igloos that would last longer and hold more people, even for dancing.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Dental Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers care about their teeth. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. How many times a day do you brush your teeth?
2. What else do you do you do to protect your teeth?
3. Do you think your teeth are healthy? Why?
4. How often do you go to see the dentist?
5. What food is bad for teeth, in your opinion?
6. What would you recommend teenagers who want to have healthy teeth?

3 You are going to give a talk about teachers. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- if you remember your first teacher, and why
- what personal qualities people need to become good teachers
- if you would like to become a teacher, and why
- what your attitude to strict teachers is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 17

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Chocolate is a food made from the seeds of a cacao bean. The taste of chocolate is often described as sweet because chocolate makers usually add a lot of sugar and milk for taste. This means that chocolate can be bad for your teeth and health. There are three main types of chocolate: white chocolate, milk chocolate, and dark chocolate. White chocolate tastes much sweeter than the other two types because it has more of the sweeter ingredients in it. White chocolate is mostly made of cocoa butter. Milk chocolate is sweet, but not as sweet as white chocolate. Dark chocolate is the least sweet and has the strongest chocolate flavour. Chocolate is safe to eat unless it is eaten in large amounts. Some animals, like dogs and cats, become sick even if they eat only a little chocolate. People with diabetes can also get sick from eating chocolate.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Art Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about art. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. Do you think art is important? Why?
2. What kind of art do you like most?
3. How often do you go to art galleries? Why?
4. Do you have Art lessons at school?
5. Do you create any works of art? If yes, what are they?
6. Would you like to make your career in art? Why?

3 You are going to give a talk about natural disasters. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- what natural disasters are the most damaging
- how people can protect themselves against natural disasters
- if it is possible to prevent natural disasters, and why
- what your attitude to natural disasters chasers is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 18

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Tea is a drink that is popular all over the world. It is made by soaking the dried tea leaves in hot water. Tea can have other herbs, spices, or fruit flavours in it, like lemon. Sometimes the word "tea" is used for other drinks that have been made by soaking fruit or herbs in hot water, like "rosehip tea" or "camomile tea". These are called "herbal teas". There are two main types of tea: black tea and green tea. Green tea is made by putting freshly picked leaves into a steamer. This keeps them green. Then they are crushed and dried in ovens. India is the biggest maker and user of green tea. The word “tea” can also be used as another word for an afternoon meal. The word also applies to "afternoon tea", a small snack meal served sometimes, usually featuring sandwiches, cakes and tea. This small snack meal is also called "tea time".

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It’s the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Souvenir Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about souvenirs. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don’t have to give your name. So, let’s get started.

1. Why do people buy souvenirs?
2. Where can people buy souvenirs?
3. What are the most popular souvenirs in your country?
4. Do you agree that souvenirs are good presents? Why?
5. Have you ever bought souvenirs?
6. What souvenirs would you like to get? Why?

3 You are going to give a talk about pets. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- why people have pets
- if everyone should have a pet
- what pets are the easiest to take care of
- what your attitude to having exotic animals as pets is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 19

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

A boomerang is a flying tool that is best known for its ability to return to the thrower. In the past, it was made of wood, but most of the modern boomerangs are made of other materials. The oldest boomerang was found in a cave in Poland and is more than 20,000 years old. This kind of boomerang does not return to the thrower, but it can fly longer distances and more stably than other things which can be thrown. These days returning boomerangs are usually used for recreation. Most of the boomerangs do not have the classical L-shape. The modern boomerang is special in that it will return to the one who threw it if it is thrown correctly. There are a lot of boomerang clubs in many countries all over the world. These clubs organise workshops and tournaments.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Computer Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers feel about computers. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. What do people use computers for?
2. Do you have a computer at home?
3. Should everyone have a computer?
4. Do you use a computer for your school studies?
5. How can computers help people learn foreign languages?
6. Do you think computers will replace teachers soon? Why?

3 You are going to give a talk about tattoos. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- why people had tattoos in the past
- why people have tattoos nowadays
- if teenagers should be allowed to have tattoos, and why
- what your attitude to tattoos is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 20

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Hunting is going out to find and kill animals. Animals and some humans hunt for food. People have hunted at least since the stone age. They used spears, and now people mostly use guns and bows. Some people kill the animals for fur, to make clothes and shelter, or to decorate their homes, or to sell. Fox hunting is sometimes a sport. Many places have rules that limit hunting. Hunting can be good by keeping animal populations from getting too high. Hunting too much, though, can kill off species of animals, making them extinct. Before they invented herding people got meat by hunting. Boar hunting and fox hunting became popular in early modern times. Another form of hunting is not to use guns, bows and arrows or spears, but by animal trapping.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Safety Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers feel about safety. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. What safety rules do you follow at home?
2. Who should explain safety rules to children?
3. What age is the best to start teaching safety rules to a child?
4. Where can a teenager find information about safety rules?
5. What should parents do to keep their children safe on the road?
6. Do you think that video showing accidents can help children follow the rules?

3 You are going to give a talk about presents. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- if you like to give and get presents, and why
- what the best present you have ever got was
- if the price of a present is important, and why
- what your attitude to handmade presents is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 21

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Moscow is the capital city of Russia. 11.5 million people live there, so it is Europe's biggest city. It is also the seventh biggest city in the world. Moscow is an important political, cultural, economic, religious, financial and transportation centre. It is a global city. Moscow was founded by Prince Yuri Dolgoruki in 1147. The middle of the city is an ancient walled city called the Kremlin. There are important government buildings, museums and churches in the Kremlin. Many of the buildings in Moscow are very beautiful and famous. There are also modern buildings. The many art galleries have big collections. Moscow has many scientific and educational buildings, as well as some sports complexes built for the 1980 Summer Olympics. Transport includes four international airports, nine railroad stations and the second busiest (after Tokyo) metro system in the world, which is famous for its artwork.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Food Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers feel about cooking. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. Do you like cooking?
2. What dishes can you cook?
3. What are your favourite dishes?
4. Who cooks most often in your family?
5. Do you think that cooking is easy? Why?
6. What is the best way to learn how to cook?

3 You are going to give a talk about homework. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- if you always do your homework, and why
- if teachers should give marks for students' homework
- if copying homework is unfair or not
- what your attitude to homework is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 22

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

A rainbow is an arc of colour in the sky that can be seen when the sun shines through falling rain. The rainbow has no definite number of physical colours but seven are traditionally listed. The pattern of colours starts with red on the outside and changes through orange, yellow, green, blue, to violet on the inside. Sometimes a second, larger, dimmer rainbow is seen. A rainbow is created when white light is refracted while entering a droplet of water, split into separate colours, and reflected back. A rainbow is actually round like a circle. On the ground, the bottom part is hidden, but in the sky, like from a flying aeroplane, it can be seen as a circle around the point opposite the Sun. Rainbows often appear after storms, and are popular symbols for peace in many cultures.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Sports Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers feel about extreme sports. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. What extreme sports do you know?
2. What extreme sports do you think are the most dangerous? Why?
3. Do you do any extreme sports?
4. What extreme sports would you like to try? Why?
5. What traits of character should people have to do extreme sports?
6. Do you agree that extreme sports should be banned? Why?

3 You are going to give a talk about excursions. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- what kind of excursions your school organizes
- what kinds of excursions could be interesting and useful for teenagers
- what places you would like to visit
- what your attitude to excursions is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 23

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Ballet is a type of dance. It is only done by dancers who have had special training. Ballet involves the creation of the dance itself, often a type of imaginary story. The story is told with the help of dance and mime. Ballet is a form of expression. It presents a story in a new form to the audience. Ballet is always performed to music, and in many cases, the music was specially composed for a particular ballet. Ballet is a major part of theatre, and a popular example is "The Nutcracker". It is a classical ballet in two acts. Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky wrote the music. Marius Petipa and Lev Ivanov designed the dances. "The Nutcracker" was first performed at the Mariinsky Theatre in St. Petersburg, Russia, on 18 December 1892 to a modest success and rarely seen the next years.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Career Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers feel about professions. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. What professions are popular in your country?
2. Have you chosen your future profession yet?
3. Who or what helps you with choosing your profession?
4. What profession or professions do you find most suitable for you?
5. What traits of character do you need for your future profession?
6. Do you think that everyone should go to university in order to be successful?

3 You are going to give a talk about poetry. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- if poetry is important for society, and why
- what famous poets you know
- what your favourite poem is
- what your attitude to learning poems by heart is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 24

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Water is a transparent, tasteless, odourless, and almost colourless chemical substance which covers over 70% of Earth's surface. No known life can live without it. Water is the most common liquid on Earth. Pure water has no smell, taste, or colour. Lakes, oceans, and rivers are made of water. Precipitation is water that falls from clouds in the sky. It may be rain if warm, or it may be frozen if cold. If water gets very cold, it freezes and becomes ice. If water gets very hot, it boils and becomes steam. Water has been present on Earth since its earlier days and is constantly moved around it by the water cycle. Water is very important for life. However, some studies suggest that by 2025 more than half the people around the world will not have enough fresh water.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Social Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers feel about school problems. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. Do you have any problems at school?
2. What school problems are the most upsetting for you?
3. What do you do to solve your school problems?
4. Who helps you when you have problems at school?
5. Do you agree that problems with school grades are more serious than problems with classmates? Why?
6. What would you recommend a teenager who has problems at school?

3 You are going to give a talk about cycling. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- if cycling is popular nowadays, and why
- if cycling is good for health, and why
- if you have a bicycle and if you can ride it
- what your attitude to cycling in a city or a town is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 25

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

The brain is the part of the body which lets us, as well as animals, make sense of things. The brain is made up of a special type of cells. They are connected with each other and with the nerves in our body. The brain does the thinking, learning, and feeling for the body. It is the control centre of the whole body. The brain also controls basic autonomic body actions, like breathing, digestion, heartbeat, that happen automatically. These activities, and much else, are governed by unconscious functions of the brain and nervous system. In humans, the brain also controls our use of language. In all animals, the delicate brain is protected in some way. Human brain is protected by the bones of the skull.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Leisure Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about holidays. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. Why do you think people like celebrations?
2. What is your favourite holiday?
3. Who do you celebrate your favourite holiday with?
4. Do you decorate your house for holidays and celebrations?
5. What else do you do to prepare for different celebrations?
6. Do you agree that having fun is more important than presents? Why?

3 You are going to give a talk about appearance. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- if people's appearance can tell about their character
- what people can do to look more attractive
- why some people want to look like celebrities
- what your attitude to unusual appearance is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 26

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Dolphins are mammals. They are part of the toothed whales. Generally, they are among the smaller whales. Most live in salt water oceans, but some live in rivers – there are oceanic dolphins and river dolphins. Dolphins are from 1.5 metres to 4 metres long, but the largest dolphin, the killer whale, can be up to 8 metres long. Dolphins breathe air. A dolphin's nose is on top of its head so the dolphin can easily breathe on the surface of the water. The skin of a dolphin has no scales. It is soft and smooth. However, it is very firm, due to how much muscle they have. Dolphins are very social and help each other fight off predators. Dolphins have fought off sharks in this way. They can kill large sharks by ramming them over and over again with their snouts and heads.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Sleep Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about sleep. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. How many hours per night do you usually sleep?
2. What time do you usually go to bed?
3. What do you usually do before going to bed?
4. Do you sleep during the daytime?
5. What helps you sleep well?
6. Who or what wakes you up in the morning?

3 You are going to give a talk about clothes. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- where you usually buy clothes
- what kinds of clothes you prefer
- how much you usually spend on clothes a month
- what your attitude to designer clothes is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 27

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Literacy means the ability to read and write. Being able to read and write is an important skill in modern societies. Usually, people learn how to read and write at school. People who can read and write are called literate; those who cannot are called illiterate. According to UNESCO, illiteracy is not being able to write or read a simple sentence in any language. They estimated that, in 1998, about 16% of the world's population were illiterate. One of the causes of illiteracy is that someone who can manage to live without being able to read and write often does not have any reason to learn it. Cultural factors also play a part, such as having a culture in which communicating by speaking is more important than writing.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Photography Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about photography. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. Do you like taking pictures?
2. What do you usually take pictures of?
3. What camera do you use to take pictures?
4. Do you prefer taking pictures or having your pictures taken? Why?
5. How often do you take selfies?
6. What would you recommend a person who wants to take up photography?

3 You are going to give a talk about news. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- if you follow the news, and why
- where you usually get the news
- what you think the biggest news of this year was, and why
- what your attitude to watching news on TV is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 28

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

William Shakespeare was an English playwright, poet, and actor. He wrote 39 plays (with about half of them considered comedies) and two long poems in his lifetime. His plays are still performed today. They are of different kinds. There are histories, tragedies and comedies. These plays are among the best known in English literature and are studied in schools around the world. Shakespeare wrote his works between about 1590 and 1613. Shakespeare's plays are written in poetic language. Many of the plays are set in strange, distant places and times. The stories are often exciting and make people want to know what happens to his characters. He says much about things that are still important today, like love, sadness, hope, pride, hatred, jealousy, and foolishness. Shakespeare added new words and phrases to the English language. He also made some words more popular. He created over 1,700 English words.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Healthcare Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about happiness. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. Do you think you are a happy person? Why?
2. What makes you happy?
3. Do you believe that happy people make their friends and relatives happy too?
4. What do you do if you feel unhappy?
5. Do you agree that any person can be happy?
6. What would you recommend a person who finds it difficult to be happy?

3 You are going to give a talk about bad travelling experience. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- what country you will never want to visit, and why
- what problems can make your trip awful
- what kinds of people you will never travel with, and why
- what your attitude to travelling alone is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 29

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Homeschooling is a form of education where the parent is the instructor. The reason for this form of education is that the parent is not happy with the nearby schools, or sometimes for religious or moral purposes. A common situation is for several families to come together to provide the skills needed. This serves two purposes. First, the range of knowledge and skills is wider. Second, schooling has a more social angle, which itself is good for the development of children. However, there are some problems with homeschooling. For example, education may be uneven, leaving children with a patchy grasp of many subjects. The children would also get to know fewer other children than they would if they were attending a school. Also, it is obvious that some parents are better placed to organise home education than others.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Human Problems Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about motivation. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. Are you a motivated person?
2. What activities are you most unmotivated to do?
3. How do you motivate yourself?
4. Do you have to motivate yourself to study or you just like it?
5. How do you reward yourself for a good job?
6. How do you punish yourself for a bad job?

3 You are going to give a talk about bad habits. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- what bad habits you have or had
- how you fight or fought them
- if you think it is possible to have only good habits, and why
- what your attitude to people who have bad habits is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 30

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

A pyramid is a structure, usually of stone, built in the shape of a pyramid. From ancient to modern times people in many different parts of the world have built such structures. The Pyramids of Egypt are among the largest structures ever built and are one of the most important examples of Ancient Egyptian civilization. Most were built during the Old and Middle Kingdom periods. The pyramids were mostly made of limestone. The ancient Egyptians built pyramids as tombs for the pharaohs and their queens. There are about eighty pyramids known today from ancient Egypt. The best-known of these pyramids is the 'Great Pyramid'. There are also ancient pyramids in other parts of Africa, Central America, Europe, North America, and Asia. There is a famous modern glass pyramid in front of the Louvre Museum in Paris.

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Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Human Problems Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about fears. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. Are you a brave person?
2. What makes you scared?
3. What are you afraid of most in life?
4. How do you cope with your fears?
5. Do you like horror films? Why?
6. Some people say that if you are afraid of something, you should do it or face it. Do you agree? Why?

3 You are going to give a talk about technology. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- what technologies you use every day
- in what jobs robots will replace people, and why
- what the greatest invention is, and why
- what your attitude to technology is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 31

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Stonehenge is a prehistoric World Heritage Site in England. It is made of a henge, with standing stones in circles. There were three main building phases, each between about 3100 BC and 1950 BC. The first circle was made of timber. Around 2600 BC, the builders gave up timber in favour of stone. Most of the construction took place between 2640 and 2480 BC. No one knows who built Stonehenge or why they built it. During the summer solstice, the sunrise lines up with some of the stones in a particular way. This suggests that the arrangement of stones may work as a calendar. In Egypt and South America, similar ancient buildings can be found. They also show the time of the solstice. Stonehenge itself is owned by the Crown and managed by English Heritage.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Social Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers feel about cafés. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. How often do you go to cafés?
2. Who do you go to cafés with?
3. What do you usually eat in cafés?
4. What is important for you when you choose a café?
5. Why do people go to cafés?
6. What café in your city would you recommend a tourist? Why?

3 You are going to give a talk about sightseeing. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- what places people usually want to see in foreign cities or countries
- what sights in your country you would recommend foreign tourists, and why
- what sight you would like to visit
- what your attitude to sightseeing is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 32

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Harry Potter is a series of seven fantasy novels by J. K. Rowling, a British author. It is named for its hero, the fictional boy named Harry Potter. The eight books in the series have sold over 500 million copies across the world in over 70 languages and it is the best-selling book series of all time. Rowling has won many awards for the Harry Potter series of books and has earned over $1 billion. The last book of the series was released on 21 July 2007. All of these books have been made into movies. The first one was released on the 16th of November 2001. The final movie was divided into two parts. The first part was released in late November 2010, the second part was released in July 2011. There have been many other spin-off products that come from Harry Potter as well.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Social Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers feel about English. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. How long have you been learning English?
2. Where and how do you learn English?
3. Who helps you when you have problems with learning English?
4. How do you use English in your life?
5. Why do you think more and more people are learning English nowadays?
6. What would you recommend a person who starts learning English?

3 You are going to give a talk about homemade food. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- if homemade food is popular nowadays, and why
- whether you prefer homemade food or fast food, and why
- what food you usually cook
- what your attitude to eating only fast food is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 33

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

The London Underground is a system of electric trains which are in London, United Kingdom. It is the oldest underground railway in the world. It started running in 1863 as the Metropolitan Railway. After the opening, the system was copied in many other cities, for example, New York and Madrid. Even though it is called the Underground about half of it is above the ground. The "Tube" is a slang name for the London Underground because the tunnels for some of the lines are round tubes running through the ground. The Underground has got 274 stations and over 408 kilometres of track. 14 Stations are outside of London. The escalators in the London Underground system are some of the longest in Europe. They run 20 hours a day, 364 days a year and are used by 13,000 people per hour, with 95% of them running at one time.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Social Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers feel about school holidays. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. How many school holidays do you have during a school year?
2. What school holidays are your favourite?
3. What do you usually do on your winter holidays?
4. What do you usually do on your summer holidays?
5. Do you think that schoolchildren should have more school holidays? Why?
6. What is the best way to spend school holidays, in your opinion?

3 You are going to give a talk about circus. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- if circuses are popular in your region, and why
- how often you go to the circus
- if it is right to make animals perform in circus shows, and why
- what your attitude to circuses is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 34

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

Sherlock Holmes is a character from books written by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. His most famous story was The Hound of the Baskervilles. Many of the stories were made into movies and television dramas. Sherlock Holmes is a detective who tries to find out who committed crimes. He has a sharp mind and solves even the most difficult and strange cases. He works with his friend Dr Watson, a retired army officer. Holmes plays the violin and smokes a pipe. Sometimes when he has not got any cases to solve, he uses drugs. He is very smart. He first appeared in 1887 and is known for his detective skills. Sherlock Holmes has been known in every country of the world. There is a monument in London dedicated to him.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Social Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how people feel about poverty. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don't have to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. Do you agree that there are more and more poor people in the world?
2. Why is the problem of poverty so serious?
3. Who should solve the problem of poverty?
4. What can government do to end poverty?
5. Do you think that education helps poor people earn more money? Why?
6. How can rich people help the poor?

3 You are going to give a talk about traditions. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- what traditions are popular in your region
- what young people can do to save traditions of their families
- if you follow any of your family traditions and which one
- what your attitude to traditions is

You have to talk continuously.

Вариант 35

1 Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

A soap opera is a television or radio program that airs in episodic series. This means that each episode continues telling a story, which, in turn, tells more of the last episode's story. A single story on a soap opera can be told for weeks, months, or sometimes even years. In America, each soap opera airs every day, Monday through Friday, in the afternoon. Because they air at this time, they are sometimes called daytime serials. In the UK and other countries, the soap operas air in the evening, twice or three times a week. The term “soap opera” originated from radio dramas being sponsored by soap manufacturers. The world's longest-running television soap opera is “Coronation Street”, which was first broadcast on ITV in 1960.

2 Task 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Hello! It’s the electronic assistant of the Marvel's Social Centre. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out how teenagers feel about first day of school. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous – you don’t have to give your name. So, let’s get started.

1. When is the first day of school in your country?
2. Is this day important to you? Why?
3. Do you feel happy or sad on the first day of school?
4. Do you make any resolutions on this day?
5. What are the traditions of the first school day in your family?
6. What would you do to make your first day of school better?

3 You are going to give a talk about diseases. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

Remember to say:

- what diseases are the most serious and dangerous in the world, in your opinion
- what people can do to protect themselves from these diseases
- what you usually do to have fun when you are ill
- what your attitude to modern medicine is

You have to talk continuously.



Меня зовут Светлана, я преподаватель английского языка. Я люблю помогать людям, вдохновлять и дарить положительные эмоции. Я хочу помочь вам разобраться с экзаменами и сделать подготовку эффективной.

Я знаю ЕГЭ и ОГЭ изнутри. Я несколько лет была проверяющим экспертом на ОГЭ и ЕГЭ, экзаменатором-собеседником на устной части ОГЭ (когда она проводилась без компьютера, в старом формате), координатором ППЭ (главным организатором-наблюдателем), организатором и ответственным организатором в аудитории. А ещё в апреле 2018 года я сама сдала ЕГЭ (результат – 97 баллов), чтобы изучить экзамен ещё и с позиции ученика!

Я внимательно изучаю все инструкции и знаю, где найти ответы на вопросы. Я всегда беру информацию из официальных источников и даю на них ссылки в спорных вопросах. Я тот самый человек, который читает все эти скучные инструкции и многостраничные документы, чтобы докопаться до истины. Долой мифы о ЕГЭ и ОГЭ!

Моя цель – дать вам все инструменты для подготовки и помочь ученикам сдать ОГЭ и ЕГЭ на максимальные баллы. Именно поэтому я создала всё это:

- группу ВКонтакте для подготовки к ОГЭ и ЕГЭ "Svetlana English Online" https://vk.com/svetlana_english_online
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- бот по грамматике в Telegram https://telegram.me/svetlanaenglishonlinebot
- курсы для преподавателей по подготовке к ОГЭ и ЕГЭ https://svetlanaenglishonline.ru

Надеюсь, что данное пособие поможет максимально эффективно использовать тренажёр по устной части ОГЭ и готовиться к устной части в удобном формате! Буду рада вашим отзывам о тренажёре и пособии тут: https://vk.com/topic-96973096_35194397.

Ваша Светлана

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