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Заключительный этап

Класс: 10

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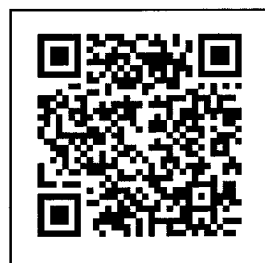
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ПОДПИСЬ УЧАСТНИКА



ВАРИАНТ 2

Task 1.a

- 1) work
- 2) push
- 3) idea
- 4) grab

Task ~~2.a~~ 1.b

And the first thing is passion. Freeman Thomas says, "I'm driven by my 'passion'". TED-sters do it for love, they don't do it for money. Carol ~~Selle~~ Coletta says, "I would pay someone to do what I do". And the interesting thing is, if you do it for love, the money comes anyway!

Task 1.c

- 1) The emphasis on "I" implies passion drives the speaker only, not any other person in the society.
- 2) The emphasis on "driven" implies passion specifically drives the ~~spoken~~ speaker, not frustrates, encourages, but drives to the goal.
- 3) The pauses and stressings make the presentation moving and dynamic, fully drawing attention of listeners.



Task 2

- 1) I don't really lack anything in life, but what I would really love to change is the amount of attention I get. Being in a public eye is pressurising, I'd rather have more solitude.
- 2) Surely, my wife and children influence my business profoundly, even so they are quite far ~~fr~~ from technology. Still, I innovate in a bid to secure a great future for humanity and my family, too.
- 3) Teaching children good values is vital, I believe. For mine I do my best to stay a role model, actively involving them in my business and sharing my career insights. I will be glad if they follow in my footsteps.
- 4) Sustainability is one of the most valued ~~pro~~ priorities today, and for my company it is no exception. Environmental issues are now threatening humanity, and since I strive to secure a better future ~~for~~ for all people, my business goes green.
- 5) Strike while the iron is hot! Many young people considering entrepreneurship sit and wait until the end of university, but acting now is the best decision. Start from something small, and it will certainly grow bigger and



become influential.

5) I'm quite used to public criticism and setbacks in my career, those are normal ~~part~~ things in everybody's professional path, ~~so~~ I don't bother. The only criticism ~~I~~ ~~that~~ I'll take into account is from someone with the ~~some~~ some success. I've never met any.

Task 3

1) Unless conflicting priorities are resolved, organizational productivity will significantly decrease.

"Unless" holds the meaning "if not", it takes the negative part 'not' to itself, making a sentence ~~short~~ shorter and easy to grasp.

2) Communication is an essential skill of the success in the modern workplace.

"Communication" acts as a subject as it's the main focus of the sentence. A reader instinctively puts stress on the word this way and grasps its importance.

3) There is a shift toward sustainability occurring in global societal values.

"There is" is a construction used at the beginning of ~~a~~ the sentence to introduce



a new idea and draw attention to it. This way the idea of "a shift toward sustainability" is introduced.

4) To thrive, organizations must embrace calculated risk-taking.

"To thrive" is used in order to show the purpose of the activity. Organizations do something in a bid to reach their purpose ("to thrive")

5) Were it not for technological advancements, would this task be impossible?

Here the second conditional describes the imaginary situation in the present. It ~~is~~ implies that technological advancement now actually exist.

Task 4

1) A

It took Neil six months of unemployment to ~~finally~~ eventually find a job.

2) A

Maggie's behaviour isn't consistent anyhow. She can get extremely angry with no reason.



3) D

~~My~~ My neighbour has threatened to sue me for property disagreements.

I was threatened by my neighbour to be sued for property disagreements.

4) B

It was ~~raining~~ raining heavily without any stops for the whole night.

5) C

If you have the important ingredients, you can easily cook a meal without anything else.

6) A

Tara has always been a travelling lover, she is now on her trip to India.

7) C

I suppose you raised a painful and controversial topic about Ralph's upcoming retirement.



8) D

Simon has finally healed from his illness after six months in hospital.

9) A

Many people are reluctant to give it a try and set up their business due to economic decline.

10) C

You will be sent email notifications about further examination amendments.

Task 5

1- C

2- B

3- J

4- A

5- L

6- H

7- E

8- I

9- G

10- F



Business News:

The aim of business news is to inform about current events in the world of marketing, stock markets, banks and economy in general. The audience consuming business news can be quite wide, but usually they are grown-up people interested in economy or whose job is related to the sphere. The specific features include using specialised vocabulary (e.g. stock market, traditional industries) coupled with statistics. ~~The~~ Sentences are rather long with complex grammar structures (e.g. relative clause in order to illustrate the idea with special examples).

Personal Diary Entry:

The aim of a personal diary entry is to reflect on situations in a life of a specific person. No audience is implied in this genre, a diary is solely for personal usage; however, some diaries can be published (e.g.) ~~(e.g. Anne Frank's diary)~~. Some genre features include using figurative methods (e.g. similes, personification, metaphors), emotionally vivid vocabulary. As for grammar structures, most of the time sentences are rather short without complicated grammar ~~structures~~ structures.



Crime Thriller Novel

The main aim of a crime thriller novel is to entertain ~~the~~ readers. Mostly thriller novels' target audience consists of teens and grown-ups. Some features are using figurative language (similes, personification, metaphors), vivid vocabulary. As for grammar, sentences are usually long with various grammar structures (e.g. relative clause) due to a multitude of events happening in a novel at the same time.

Scientific Article

The purpose of a scientific article is to systemise and demonstrate the findings in a particular science. The target audience is narrow if not limited. Usually students and scholars observe scientific articles for their own researches. Some features include specialised vocabulary couple with statistics and writing clichés. As for grammar, sentences are rather long with various grammar structures making the text hard to understand after reading for the first time.

Spoken Anecdote

Spoken Anecdote don't bear a specific purpose though they are ~~a~~ meant to entertain people and exchange emotions.



The target audience is wide, ~~the~~ however, teens are the ones who tell anecdotes mostly. Some features include basic vocabulary and using plain grammar structure that are ~~are~~ easy to grasp.

Instruction Manual

The aim of an instruction manual is to explain in detail how something works and what people can do with it. The target audience is ~~for~~ ~~is~~ basically everyone, who is willing to work out how a device functions. Some features include specialised vocabulary coupled with pictures, ~~sent~~ there are a lot of clichés. ~~Sentences~~ Sentences are usually short without complex grammar structures so that it ~~will~~ would be easy to understand.

Task 6

Fallacy 1, sent. 4

Explanation: this is a fallacy as it ~~states~~ claims all drivers are inconsiderate, which is a generalisation. Moreover, it doesn't fully relate to the topic of pollution, making it irrelevant.

Improved sentence: People in ~~city~~ cities usually ~~drive~~ use their car excessively, this way contributing to pollution significantly.



Fallacy 2, sent. 5

Explanation: this ~~#~~ is a fallacy as not only cars contribute to pollution, but also factories and public transport. Banning cars won't eliminate air pollution completely.

Improved sentence Banning cars wouldn't eliminate air pollution ~~completely~~ completely; however, it would ~~#~~ certainly make ~~#~~ a city a cleaner place.

Fallacy 3, sent. 7

Explanation: ~~not~~ only cars are responsible for traffic accidents but public transport and motorcyclists too. Banning cars won't ensure absolute safety.

Improved sentence: For example, if cars were ~~banned~~ banned, ~~they~~ there would be fewer accidents, ensuring better safety for pedestrians and cyclists.

Fallacy 4, sent. 9

Explanation: banning cars won't substantially help the situation with the noise pollution as there are many sources of ~~it~~ other sources of it, such as public transport, ~~public~~ digital spaces.

Improved sentence: banning cars would help fight noise pollution in the city though not eliminate it ~~comple-~~ely.



Fallacy 5, sentence 11

Explanation: banning cars solely ~~can~~ can't be the best way to improve life in ~~the~~ cities, in a bid to genuinely enhance it a multitude of measure should be taken.

Improved sentence: Though banning cars can significantly influence life in cities in a ~~positive~~ positive way, a multitude of measures should be taken (establishing green spaces, working on infrastructure and eliminating waste).

