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Заключительный этап

Класс: 11

Профиль: ИНОСТРАННЫЙ (АНГЛИЙСКИЙ) ЯЗЫК

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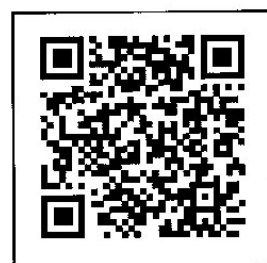
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ВСЕГО СТРАНИЦ

07

ПОДПИСЬ УЧАСТНИКА



Variant 2

Task 1.a.

1. work
2. push
3. idea
- x. good

Task 1.b.

And the first thing is passion. Freeman Thomas says, 'I'm driven by my passion'. TED-speakers do it for love, they don't do it for money. Carol Colestan 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) It would mean that the person saying the words is impressed that he is the one who gets driven by passion.

2) It would mean that unexpectedly, drive is what passion does to the speaker.

3) The stressing of the key words and making pauses right after prioritises them in listeners' minds, makes them memorable.

Task 2) If I could, I would spend more time with my family. Unfortunately, my job makes me spend most of the day working, and I've recently realised I didn't even notice my children missing because of my timetable.



Task 2. 2) My main motivation for making new projects is the thought of the world changing for the better so that my family could live in a greater place. Everything I do, I do in order to provide for my family.

3) I teach my children my experiences by giving them probe tasks in a while. Nothing serious, but their success or failure is a great teacher by itself.

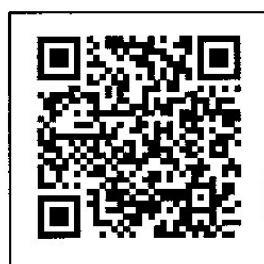
4) Without sustainability, there is no stability. And what progress could there be if everything's in chaos? I make sure sustainability is a priority by only hiring truly motivated and intelligent people.

5) I don't really care about public criticism. It doesn't matter for as long as my family supports me. As for setbacks, yes, it's unfortunate, but easy to manage. Just work hard.

6) The best advice I can give to young entrepreneurs is to never feel self-doubtful. If you don't believe in yourself, no one will. But there will be many people searching for mistakes you haven't even done. Just be confident.

Task 3.

1) "Unless" makes the sentence sound more real, like it's a serious phrase, while "if" would make the situation more theoretical.



Task 3.

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

"Communication" is the subject of the sentence because the author wanted to underline the importance of it. That way, the sentence sounds official.

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

"There is" is used at the beginning ~~because~~ the according to the grammar rule, and it plays the role of the subject of the sentence.

4) To thrive organisations must embrace calculated risk-taking.

"To thrive" is used to show the necessity of following the advice. The sentence becomes more convincing.

5) Were it not for technological advancements, this task would not be possible.

Conditional II is used here and it implies that current situation meets the requirements for greater things.

Task 4

1. B

By the time Neil had been unemployed for six months, his state worsened.

2. B

Margare is always in such a dark mood. She is incli-



ned to get angry for no reason.

3) A

My neighbour informed me that he would me me because of our disagreement about territory borders.

4) B

It was pouring heavily without a second to stop this night.

5) D

If you have the main ingredients for the dish, there is no need for the rest.

6) D

Tara is collecting her things for a trip to India because she's never able to sit still.

7) C

You probably hurt Ralph's feelings when you reminded him of his forthcoming retirement.

8) A

After being held in a hospital for half a year, Simon is free at last.

9) A

Many people refuse to take the risk and start their own business because they are scared of the state of the economy.



20) C

We'll send you all the changes concerning examination specifications.

Task 5

1. C

Extract F:

2. B

Purpose: to explain how to construct furniture.

3. J

4. A

Audience: for those who ~~has~~ bought new furniture.

5. L

6. H

Features: clear and simple, straightforward so that it would be easier to understand.

7. E

8. D

9. G

10. F

Extract L:

Purpose: to inform people of economical processes.

Audience: for those who work in business.

Language Features: many terms, officiality for more clearness.

Extract B:

Purpose: to summarise the results of a scientific experiment.

Audience: scientists.

Features: scientific words and processes, simple sentences for clear consequence.

Extract H:

Purpose: to scare and intrigue the ~~viewer~~ reader.

Audience: people older than 18 yo.

Features: darkness and mystery to keep the audience in suspense.



Extract C:

Purpose: to show the beauty of the nature

Audience: everyone who can read

Features: slow and beautiful, full of details to show the rhythm of the nature.

Task 6.

Sentence 11

It's a fallacy as it claims that banning cars is the only way to solve the environmental issue, but it creates a load of other problems for citizens, so it cannot be the best way.

Improved sentence: While some may agree to the ban, it is far from an ultimate solution.

Sentence 5

It's a fallacy as it claims that banning cars would magically eliminate all problems while in reality cars aren't the main reason for pollution, it's a much more diverse problem and wouldn't go away as easily.

Improved sentence: Therefore, banning cars would ~~seem to~~ ease air pollution and make cities ~~so~~ cleaner to some extent.

Sentence 7.

It's a fallacy as it claims that banning cars would ensure safety for pedestrians and drivers. It's not true because public transport and motorcycles often cause accidents too.

Improved sentence: If cars were banned, the number of accidents would decrease, but it would still be far from zero.



Sentence 8

It's a fallacy as it claims that all people using cars are indifferent to environmental issues while in reality many people start using electric cars instead of regular ones to reduce damage done to the nature.

~~Improved~~ Improved sentence: Not all people who drive in city centre think only about themselves.

Sentence 9

It's a fallacy as it claims that banning cars would bring peace to city centres which isn't true because pedestrians can also cause a great deal of noise, especially, the ones with children.

Improved sentence: Banning cars wouldn't magically transform the city centre into a land of peace and quiet, but it would partially turn down the noises.

