

### 1. Reading.

**You are going to read Jane's story. For questions 1 -7, choose the correct answer A, B, C or D.**

During the baking hot months of the summer holidays my mother and I used to escape to one of the scattered lakes north of Prince Albert. In its magic surroundings we used to spend the long summer days in the open air, swimming and canoeing or just lying dreaming in the sun. In the evening the lake was always a bright, luminous grey after the unbelievable sunset colours had faded.

The last summer before we returned to England was particularly enchanted. For one thing, I was in love for the first time. No one will ever convince me that one cannot be in love at fifteen. I loved then as never since, with all my heart and without doubts or reservations or pretence.

My boyfriend Don worked in Saskatoon, but the lake was "his place" – the strange and beautiful wilderness drew him with an obsessive urgency, so I suspected it was not to see me that he got on his motor-cycle as many Fridays as he possibly could, and drove three hundred-odd miles along the pitted prairie roads to spend the weekends at our place.

Sometimes he couldn't come, and the joy would go out of everything until Monday, when I could start looking forward to Friday again. He could never let us know in advance, as we were too far from civilization to have a phone or even a telegraph service. Three hundred miles in those conditions is quite a journey. Besides, Don was hard up, and sometimes worked overtime at weekends.

One Friday night a storm broke out. I lay in bed and listened to the thunder and the rain beating on the roof. Once I got up and stood looking out over the treetops, shivering. I tried not to expect Don that night hoping he would have enough sense to wait until the storm ended. Yet in my frightened thoughts I couldn't help imagining Don fighting the storm. His motorbike, which had always looked to me so heavy and solid, seemed in my thoughts frail enough to be blown onto its side by the first gust that struck it. I thought of Don pinned under it, his face pressed into the mud.

I crawled back into bed, trying to close my throat against the tears. But when my mother, prompted by the deep sympathy and understanding between us, came in to me, she kissed my cheek and found it wet.

"Don't get upset, Jane," she said softly. "He may still come."

When she had tucked me in and gone, I lay thinking about Don, about the danger of the roads. You couldn't ride or walk along them safely after heavy rain; your feet would slip from under you. The roads in Northern Canada are not like the friendly well-populated English ones, where there are always farmhouses within walking distance and cars driving along them day and night.

It was hours later, that I suddenly realized the sound of the roaring engine was real. The storm was dying.

#### **1. Every summer Jane used to spend**

- A. in the camp
- B. by the sea side
- C. near the lake
- D. in the village

#### **2. The last summer was particularly fascinating for Jane because she**

- A. spent it in the magic surroundings.
- B. had a lot of fun in the open air.
- C. enjoyed unbelievable sunsets by the lake.
- D. fell in love for the first time.

#### **3. Jane believes that love at fifteen is**

- A. a sincere deep feeling.
- B. associated with doubts.

- C. full of reservations.
- D. connected with pretence.

**4. Don travelled three hundred-odd miles every weekend because he was**

- A. desperate to see the author before she left.
- B. fond of riding his motorcycle.
- C. attracted by the beauty of the lake.
- D. fond of spending weekends with his friends.

**5. Sometimes Don didn't come to see Jane and her mother on Friday because he**

- A. thought they were too far from civilization.
- B. had given up hope of seeing the author.
- C. worked to make some extra money.
- D. hated travelling in exhausting conditions.

**6. Mother came into Jane's room during the storm because she**

- A. felt Jane was afraid of the thunder.
- B. felt Jane was worried about Don.
- C. heard Jane walking in the room.
- D. heard Jane crying in her bed.

**7. According to the author the roads in Northern Canada were**

- A. slippery.
- B. muddy.
- C. lonely.
- D. busy.

## **2.Grammer.**

- A. 1.I will never forget... dinner you gave in my honour, dear.  
a) the, b) a, c) an, d) — .
- 2.He had an accident yesterday and was taken to ... hospital.  
a) the, b) — , c) a, d) an.
3. Sometimes they invite us to ... breakfast.  
a) a, b) — , c) an, d) the.
4. My dream is to visit... Sahara.  
a) the, b) a, c) — , d) an.
- 5.Do you know ... man that lives next door?  
a) — , b) a, c) an, d) the.
- 6.He spent his childhood in ... Scotland.  
a) a, b) an, c) the, d) —
- 7.He is ... man who robbed the bank.  
a) — , b) a, c) an, d) the.
- 8.... hour has 60 minutes.  
a) — , b) a, c) an, d) the.
- 9.... Volga is longer ... Thames.  
a) a, b) ---, c) an, d) the
- 10.This is a picture of... town where I was born.  
a)— , b) a, c) an, d) the.
- 11.I read the story from ... beginning to ... end.  
a) — , b) a, c) an, d) the.
12. ...Petrovs have moved into a new flat.  
a) — , b)a, c) an, d) the.
- 13.School year begins on ... 1st of September.

a) — , b) a, c) an, d) the.

14. He is very honest, he never tells ... lie.

a) — , b) a, c) an, d) the.

15. What... awful weather we're having today.

a) — , b) a, c) an, d) the.

**B. Choose the right variant to complete the sentences.**

1. I... glasses since I was a child,

a) wear, b) wore, c) am wearing, d) have been wearing.

2. When the phone rang, I... dinner.

a) cook, b) was cooking, c) had been cooking, d) have been cooking.

3. He usually had dinner at 4 p.m., ... ?

a) had he, b) hadn't he, c) did he, d) didn't he.

4. He works ... and makes good progress.

a) hard, b) hardly, c) good, d) badly.

5. He reminds me ... someone I knew in the army.

a) of, b) to, c) from, d) about.

6. Mary is here. Where are ... ?

a) other, b) others, c) the others, d) another.

7. What ... bad weather we are having today!

a) the, b) a, c) an, d) — .

8. Did you read ... English books at school?

a) some, b) many, c) much, d) none.

9. I want to know what ...,

a) are you doing, b) were you doing, c) will you do, d) you are doing.

10. I've made ... mistakes now than I made last time.

a) few, b) a few, c) fewer, d) less.

11. Can ... of you help me?

a) some, b) any, c) somebody, d) anybody.

12. This translation is twice as ....

a) easy, b) easier, c) the easiest, d) much easier.

13. We ... two compositions this month.

a) write, b) wrote, c) were writing, d) have written.

14. I had a feeling that somebody ... there before.

a) is, b) was, c) has been, d) had been.

15. She won't see him ... he phones her.

a) except, b) after, c) unless, d) because.

16.... only one theatre and two cinemas in this city ten years ago.

a) there is, b) there was, c) there are, d) there were.

17. My watch....

a) stops, b) has stopped, c) have stopped, d) stop.

18. Do you know when he ... ?

a) comes, b) will come, c) shall come, d) come.

19. I don't have any pets. Neither ....

a) she does, b) does she, c) is she, d) does she have.

20. His parents didn't let him ... TV late.

a) to watch, b) watch, c) watching, d) watched.

**3. Socio-cultural competence**

1. What's the name of the most famous clock in Britain?

a) Big Albert, b) Big Stephen, c) Big Wren, d) Big Ben.

2 Where is Glasgow situated?

a) in Scotland, b) in Wales, c) in England, d) in Northern Ireland.

3. What's the name of the London underground?  
a) Metro, b) Tube, c) Subway, d) Underground,
4. Who is the head of the state in Britain?  
a) Mayor, b) Prime Minister, c) Queen, d) Speaker.
5. What is Humpty Dumpty?  
a) a toy, b) an egg, c) an animal, d) a bird.
6. Where is the official residence of the Queen?  
a) Chatham House, b) Regent Palace, c) Westminster Palace, d) Buckingham Palace.
7. What is the emblem of Scotland?  
a) Rose, b) Daffodil, c) Thistle, d) Shamrock.
8. What's the name of the Queen's eldest son?  
a) Charles, b) Philip, c) Andrew, d) Edward
9. What monument is there in the centre of Trafalgar Square?  
a) Cromwell's statue, b) Nelson's Column, c) Queen's statue, d) Edward Elgar's statue.
10. For Christmas dinner the English usually have ....  
a) chicken, b) roast beef, c) fish, d) turkey.
11. The US consists of... states.  
a) 38, b) 49, c) 50, d) 51.
12. Who was the first president of the United States?  
a) Ronald Reagan, b) George Washington, c) Abraham Lincoln
13. What is the main figure in the national emblem of the USA?  
a) the Lion, b) the Eagle, c) the Mickey Mouse
14. When did Columbus discover America?  
a) 1506, b) 1647, c) 1492
15. What is the largest city in America?  
a) Los Angeles, b) New York, c) Washington D.C.

## **Пояснительная записка к итоговой контрольной работе по английскому языку за 10 класс.**

Контрольная работа состоит из трех разделов:

**1. Чтение** - проверяется понимание основного содержания прочитанного текста.

После прочтения текста учащиеся должны закончить предложения по содержанию текста, выбрав один правильный ответ. За каждый правильный ответ учащиеся получают 1 балл. Максимальное количество баллов за задание – 7.

**2. Грамматика** – этот раздел состоит из двух частей А и В.

В задании части «А» учащиеся должны выбрать правильный артикль, чтобы закончить предложение. За каждый правильный ответ учащиеся получают 1 балл. Максимальное количество баллов за задание – 15.

В задании части «В» учащиеся должны выбрать правильную грамматическую форму, чтобы закончить предложение. За каждый правильный ответ учащиеся получают 1 балл. Максимальное количество баллов за задание – 20. Максимальный балл за задание по грамматике – 35.

**3. Социокультурная компетенция** – этот раздел содержит вопросы по страноведению. Учащиеся должны выбрать один правильный ответ на вопрос. За каждый правильный ответ учащиеся получают 1 балл. Максимальное количество баллов за задание – 15.

### **Критерии оценивания.**

Максимальный балл за контрольную работу -57.

Если учащийся выполняет 80%-100 % правильно, что составляет 46-57 баллов, то ставится отметка «5». Если учащийся выполняет 60%-79 % правильно, что составляет 34-45баллов, то ставится отметка «4». Если учащийся выполняет 40%-59 % правильно, что составляет 23-33баллов, то ставится отметка «3».