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<b>ШИФР</b>	Часть 1	Часть 2	Часть 3	Итого баллов
	Max 40	Max 30	Max 30	Max 100

## АНГЛИЙСКИЙ ЯЗЫК

### 8-9 классы

Время выполнения заданий – 90 минут  
Максимальная оценка – 100 баллов

#### *Variant 2*

#### **PART I. Reading** (40 points: 1-10 - 1 point each; 11-25 - 2 points each)

**Task 1.** Read and reconstruct the text by adding the missing fragments in the gaps. Write the appropriate letter in the box after each number.

#### **The Australian Young Photographers' Competition**

Every year the Australian Young Photographers' Association organises a photography competition for young people. Later this year the organisation will be 30 years old and, to celebrate, we have a **1. [ ]**. If you win, you will go on a trip for two (you and a parent or another adult in your family) to the rainforest in Borneo! If you are an Australian high school student aged between 12 and 18, **2. [ ]**. There are two second prizes of \$200 each (one for 12-14-year-olds and one for 15-18-year-olds) and **3. [ ]** of \$100 each (one for 12-14-year-olds and one for 15-18-year-olds).

We are looking for photographs that show either Australia's amazing wildlife - its birds, snakes, animals or insects - **4. [ ]** - its open spaces, rainforests, rivers and beautiful cities. A photograph can show so much more about a country than a written description.

You may enter the competition as many times **5. [ ]** but all entries must be accompanied by the \$5 entrance fee.

To enter, go online at [www.youngphotographers.au/competition](http://www.youngphotographers.au/competition) and upload your photograph using the form provided. If you are 14 years of age or under, you need to provide us **6. [ ]** of a responsible adult. If you are 15 years or over, you can use your own email address. If you prefer, you can print the form and send us your photograph **7. [ ]**.

The competition opens at midnight on 1 February. The closing date for online entry is Monday 31 March. The closing date for entries by post to be received in the Competition Office is Monday 24 March. Winners will receive the news by email or **8. [ ]** than Monday 6 April. There will be a special **9. [ ]** in City Halls between Monday 29 April and Monday 5 May.

If you are one of our winners, you must agree to  10.  , photograph and/or voice for an unlimited period of time, without payment, for advertising purposes. We will not tell you each time we do so.

A	by post
B	very special prize
C	phone no later
D	with the email address
E	two third prizes
F	exhibition of photographs
G	then enter our competition
H	the organisation using your name
I	as you wish
J	or its dramatic landscapes

**Answers:** 1-B, 2-G, 3-E, 4-J, 5-I, 6-D, 7-A, 8-C, 9-F, 10-H

**Task 2.** Look through the text again. Mark the statements below as T (if it is true), F (if it is false), NS (if there is not enough information in the text to make the judgment).

STATEMENTS	T	F	NS
11. The Young Photographers' Association was started nearly 30 years ago.			
12. Two of the winners will go to Borneo.			
13. Photographs can be accompanied by a written description.			
14. You can enter the competition more than once.			
15. You can enter the same photograph as last year unless it won the competition.			
16. Children under 15 should send an adult's email address as well as their own.			
17. If you apply on the internet, you should send your entry by 31 March.			
18. All young people entering the competition should send a photograph of themselves.			
19. Photographs showing people should be avoided.			
20. A fee will be sent to the photographer if a photo is used for advertising.			

**Answers:** 11-T, 12-F, 13-NS, 14-T, 15-NS, 16-F, 17-T, 18-NS, 19-NS, 20-F

**Task 3.** Read the text and choose the right answer.

### Underwater research

*Fourteen-year-old Miguel Diaz talks about an exciting science project*

Last month I got the chance to take part in an underwater research project in an area of the Gulf of Mexico called the Flower Gardens. A team of professional researchers, led by the scientist Dr. Matt Phillips, was trying to learn more about the fish and various creatures that live in this part of the sea. The Flower Gardens are a long way from the shore and we spent three days on a boat.

The team used a piece of underwater equipment called a Remotely Operated Vehicle (ROV) to collect information. The ROV could measure water depth and temperature and it also had a

camera that sent live film back to the boat. The ROV was great fun. It was controlled by a computer on the boat, and I was allowed to operate it a few times.

However, the thing I enjoyed most was diving into the water. At first, I was quite frightened, mainly because I couldn't see land in any direction. But as soon as I jumped into the water, I wasn't afraid anymore. It was amazing to see the colourful fish swimming around and I could see all the way to the Flower Gardens, which are almost 30 metres down.

I will never forget the Flower Gardens. The trip was like a holiday but I also learnt new things about science and research projects. The team was very friendly and everyone was happy to explain what they knew about the sea. It was a great opportunity and it has made me think about my goals in life. The experience will definitely help me work harder to become a scientist.

21. What is Miguel Diaz doing in the text?
- He's describing the part he played in a science project.
  - He's explaining how to apply for a place on a science trip.
  - He's giving advice on understanding difficult areas of science.
22. What does Miguel say about the ROV?
- It could only go so far under water.
  - It was an expensive piece of equipment.
  - It recorded what was happening under water.
23. What was Miguel's attitude towards diving?
- His main worry was losing sight of the boat.
  - His feelings changed once he was in the water.
  - He was quite disappointed by the variety of fish.
24. What effect has the trip had on Miguel?
- It has improved the way he works in a team.
  - It has made him a lot more interested in the sea.
  - It has encouraged him to work towards his goals.
25. What might Miguel write in his diary about the trip?
- It was very interesting working with Dr Phillips and his team but I wish someone else my age had been on the trip.
  - Going to the Flower Gardens was great fun. I now know much more about science but I realise there is still a lot more to learn.
  - The trip was like a holiday and I saw some amazing fish. The only thing I disliked was collecting information about the sea.

**Answers:** 1-a, 2-c, 3-b, 4-c, 5-b

## **PART II. Use of English** (30 points - 3 points each)

**Task 4.** Read the text and choose the right word that fits the gap.

## Superheroes

A superhero is a fictional character with special powers. (1) the first Superman story was written in the USA in 1938, superheroes have (2) in various comic books around the world. But more recently they have (3) better known as film characters.

(4) superhero powers vary widely, superhuman strength and the ability to fly are common. (5) superheroes do not have special powers but have (6) other important abilities. In order to protect friends and family, a superhero's identity is normally (7) secret, which often means superheroes have a complicated double life.

(8) have been successful superheroes in countries other than the USA. Examples (9) Cybersix from Argentina and the heroes of AK Comics from Egypt. Japan is the only country that has created as many superhero characters as the USA. However, most Japanese superheroes are short-lived. While American entertainment companies reinvent superheroes, (10) they will stay popular, Japanese companies frequently introduce new characters.

1	A Until	B Since	C From	D Before
2	A shown	B entered	C come	D appeared
3	A become	B returned	C changed	D grown
4	A Because	B If	C Although	D So
5	A Each	B Some	C Another	D Both
6	A made	B increased	C prepared	D developed
7	A held	B put	C kept	D got
8	A These	B That	C There	D Those
9	A consist	B involve	C contain	D include
10	A hoping	B requiring	C needing	D asking

**Answers:** 1-B Since, 2-D appeared, 3-A become, 4-C Although, 5-B Some, 6-D developed, 7-C kept, 8-C There, 9-D include, 10-A hoping

### PART III. Socio-cultural awareness (30 points - 3 points each gap)

**Task 5. Complete the sentences. Write from 1 to 3 words.**

- On December 25 people in the UK celebrate \_\_\_\_\_. Children decorate \_\_\_\_\_ with lights and write letters to \_\_\_\_\_.
- London is the capital of \_\_\_\_\_. More than six million people live in London. London lies on both banks of \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ is the official residence of the British monarch in London, England.
- \_\_\_\_\_ is the largest country in the world. It covers the eastern part of Europe and \_\_\_\_\_ part of Asia. The country is rich in beautiful lakes. The world's deepest lake \_\_\_\_\_ is situated in Russia.
- When in Rome, do as \_\_\_\_\_.

**Answers:**

1. Christmas ; Christmas trees ; Father Christmas/Santa Claus
2. Great Britain / England / the UK / the United Kingdom / Britain ; the River Thames / the Thames
3. Buckingham Palace
4. Russia / The Russian Federation ; the northern ; Baikal
5. the Romans do