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Ellenőrizd, hogy *a 6 oldal 8 feladattal* maradéktalanul megvan-e! A feladatlapok kitöltéséhez csak tollat használhatsz. Ha bármit elrontanál, a javítást jelöld egyértelműen! *Hibajavítót ne használj!* Kérjük, hogy a munka megkezdése előtt figyelmesen olvasd el a feladatokat!

A verseny időtartama 60 perc

TASK 1 **Match a line from column A with a line from column B to form an English proverb. Write the appropriate letter on to the dotted lines. There is an example marked with a zero for you.**



"This hammer keeps hitting two inches to the left."

Column A	**Column B**
~~*a) A bad workman*~~	…….. while the sun shines.
b) If a job is worth doing	…….. make light work.
c) Make hay	…….. what you can do today.
d) Many hands	…….. for idle hands.
e) Too many cooks	…….. makes you healthy, wealthy and wise.
f) Early to bed and early to rise	*…a)…* ~~*blames his tools.*~~
g) Never put off till tomorrow	…….. it's worth doing well.
h) The devil makes work	…….. catches the worm.
i) All work and no play	…….. spoil the broth.
j) The early bird	…….. makes Jack a dull boy.

9 points/

TASK 2 **You are going to read a text. Some words are missing from it. Choose the most appropriate option (A-D) for each gap (1-10) in the text. <u>Underline</u> the correct option. There is an example marked with a zero for you.**

Jane's a nurse, but (0) _____ to find a new job. Although she (1) _____ looking after people, nursing is not very well paid, and she cannot afford to pay all her bills. She finds it impossible to live (2) _____ such a low salary without (3) _____ her account at the bank. Her flat needs redecorating, and she would like (4) _____a car.

She (5) _____to save enough last year for a short holiday by (6)_____some extra money in her spare time, and this year, she's hoping to visit some friends in France. She (7) _____to go to the theatre, which (8) _____one of her greatest pleasures.

She's thinking of working in America, where she could earn a higher salary in a private hospital, but would prefer staying in this country if possible. She likes being able to see her parents whenever she wants to. A friend of (9) _____ went to America after leaving university, but began to miss her friends so badly that she (10) _____to come back.

(0) A tries	B 's trying	C has tried	D try
(1) A enjoy	B enjoys	C enjoyed	D used to enjoy
(2) A of	B in	C with	D on
(3) A overdrawing	B to overdraw	C overdraws	D overdraw
(4) A buys	B to buy	C to bought	D to buying
(5) A used to manage	B managed	C had managed	D has managed
(6) A searching	B doing	C working	D earning
(7) A has stopped	B stopped	C stops	D is stopping
(8) A was	B is	C used to be	D is being
(9) A her's	B she	C hers	D she's
(10) A is having	B has	C had	D have

10 points/

TASK 3 Fill in the missing prepositions in the following sentences. There is an example marked with a zero for you.

He went abroad __*on*__ **(0)** business.

I was _____ **(1)** a hurry, so I chose a book _____ **(2)** random.

The tomb was discovered _____ **(3)** accident.

I can't get _____ **(4)** touch _____ **(5)** him. His telephone is _____ **(6)** _____ **(7)** order.

Have you anyone _____ **(8)** mind _____ **(9)** the job?

Help! Help! My house is _____ **(10)** fire.

10 points/

TASK 4 Complete the following sentences using a verb in an appropriate tense which denotes part of the body. There is an example marked with a zero for you.

You have no money. *Face (0)* the facts. You can't go on spending money as though you were a millionaire.

Could you _____ (1) me that book on the table next to you?

In the final minutes of the football match, Robson _____ (2) the ball into the back of the net.

She _____ (3) the car carefully out of the garage, and drove off.

The bank robber _____ (4) with a knife and a gun.

I ran out of petrol on the motorway, so I had to _____ (5) a lift to the nearest petrol station.

After his father's death, Tom had to _____ (6) the responsibility for his family's debts.

She _____ (7) the material gently. It felt as smooth as silk.

7 points/

TASK 5 Each of the following groups of four words is in some way connected with the same thing. Write down this word for each of the groups. There is an example marked with a zero for you.

0. clutch, motorway, drive, Volvo (3)

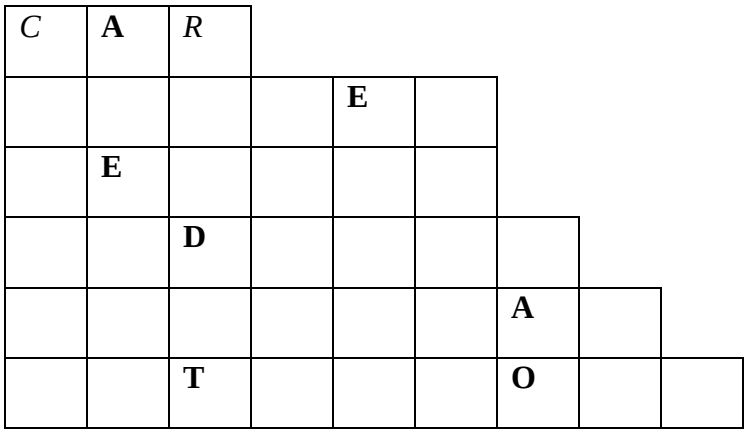
1. petal, stem, rose, garden

2. umpire, net, set, court

3. bride, ring, church, photographer

4. matron, ward, patient, illness

5. telescope, Venus, galaxy, science



5 points/

TASK 6 You are going to read about Halloween. Some words are missing from the text. Choose the most suitable verb or phrase from the box for each gap (1-10) in the text. There is an example marked with a zero for you. *There are two extra words that you do not need to use.*

"Trick or treat!", costumes, celebrated, jack-o-lantern, matches, skeletons, dead, evil, treat, witches, pumpkin, tradition, trick, candle, ghosts, broom

The old word Halloween, or Hallowe'en, was originally "Hallows Evening" the night before All Hallows or All Saints' Day. *Celebrated* **(0)** on 31st October, Halloween is a night when spirits of the _____ **(1)** were believed to walk the earth.

Now people (especially children) observe this holiday by dressing up in _____ **(2)** of _____ **(3)** _____ **(4)**

_____ **(5)** bats, black cats, etc. and going door to door to get sweets. The children shout, _____ **(6)**, and you'd better give them some candy - a _____ **(7)** or they just might play a nasty _____ **(8)** on you like throwing toilet paper in a tree in front of your house!



Another Halloween _____ **(9)** is to carve a/an _____ **(10)** from a big, round vegetable called a/an _____ **(11)**. First, you cut a hole in the top, then take out the insides, cut holes for the eyes, nose and mouth, and, finally, put a/an _____ **(12)** inside it so that the face glows in the night and protects you from _____ **(13)** spirits.

13 points/

TASK 7 Replace the words in bold in the following sentences with a single word. The first letter is given to you. There is an example marked with a zero for you.

0. *The reason I like my present flat is that I have such friendly* ***people living next door.*** ***-neighbours***
1. After thinking about it for a long time, I finally **made up my mind** to take the job. – **d**……..
2. My **sister's daughter** was taken to hospital last week.- **n**……..
3. I was totally **tired and worn out** after the football match on Saturday .- **e**……..
4. A ship could be seen on the **line where the sky seemed to meet the sea**.

   - **h**……..
5. I want you to come here **without any delay or whatsoever**. - **i**……..
6. I don't like the new girl very much as she is always **complaining** about something or other.- **m**……..

6 points/

TASK 8 Here are two jumbled letters. One is written to a hotel, and the other to a friend. Decide which sentences go with which letter, and put them in the right order.

<u>Letter to a hotel</u>: 1)___ 2)___ 3)___ 4)___ 5)___ 6)___ 7)___ 8)___

Correct order: 1)____ 2)____ 3)____ 4)____ 5)____ 6)____ 7)____ 8)____

<u>Letter to a friend:</u> 1)___ 2)___ 3)___ 4)___ 5)___ 6)___ 7)___ 8)___ 9)___ 10)___11)___

Correct order: 1)____ 2)____ 3)____ 4)____ 5)____ 6)____ 7)____ 8)____ 9)____ 10)____11)____

a. I would like a single room with a shower.

b. I'm writing to ask you a favour.

c. I don't mind where you put me. I'll sleep anywhere!

d. I have a further request.

e. I would like to make a reservation for the nights of 22nd, 23rd, and 24th January.

f. I hope the above is convenient.

g. Write soon and let me know.

h. I'm coming down to London at the end of the month to go to a conference.

i. Could I have a bite to eat when I arrive?

j. I hope you are all well, and that you've recovered from the busy Christmas period.

k. I would be extremely grateful.

l. Could I possibly have a room at the back as I find the front rooms rather noisy?

m. Could you put me up for a few days?

n. Just a sandwich will do.

o. I look forward to your reply.

p. It's the 22nd–24th January.

q. As I will be arriving quite late, could you possibly put a cold buffet in my room on the 22nd?

r. I hope that's all right.

s. There's something else I'd like to ask you. **19 points/**



THIS IS THE END OF THE COMPETITION.
THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION!

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