

Országos angol nyelvi verseny
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második (megyei/fővárosi) forduló

Kedves Versenyző Tanuló!

Mielőtt hozzáfognál a feladatok megoldásához, pontosan töltsd ki az alábbi adatlapot.

A forduló feladatainak megoldásához 1 óra 30 perc (90 perc) áll rendelkezésedre. Minden egyes feladatnál figyelmesen olvasd el az utasításokat! A feladatlap kitöltésekor használhatsz ceruzát és radírt, de ügyelj, hogy maradjon időd tollal átírni a végső megoldásokat! Áthúzott, átfestett, zárójelbe tett vagy „vakart” megoldásokat nem fogadunk el.

A feladatok értelmezéséhez és megoldásához tanári segítséget ne kérj, szótárt ne használj!

Az iskolai fordulóban elért eredményedről szaktanárodtól kapsz tájékoztatást.

Jó munkát, eredményes versenyzést!

A versenyző tölti ki

NYOMTATOTT NAGYBETŰVEL KÉRJÜK KITÖLTENI

Versenyző neve:	
Évfolyam/osztály:	
Megye:	
Iskola neve:	
Iskola címe, irányítószáma:	
Felkészítő tanár neve:	

A szaktanár tölti ki

A tanuló iskolai fordulóban elért pontszáma:	
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szaktanár aláírása

Exercise 1 Easter jokes

Match the beginning of the Easter jokes with their ending.

e.g.: What did the rabbit say to the carrot?

a; Have you ever seen a rabbit wearing glasses?

(1) How does the Easter bunny keep his fur neat?

b; EGG-xercise and HARE-robics.

(2) How do you catch the Easter bunny?

c; A hare brain.

(3) What do you call a dumb bunny?

d; With a hare brush.

(4) How do you know carrots are good for your eyes?

e; Hide in a bush and make a noise like a carrot.

(5) How does the Easter bunny stay fit?

f; It's been nice gnawing you!

<i>e.g.</i>	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
<i>f</i>					

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Exercise 2 Below are directions for getting to Pat's house written in British English. Change the words in **bold** so that her friend from Chicago can find her way there. Write your correction above the words.

freeway/expressway

As soon as you leave the **motorway** (*e.g.*), you'll be on the road towards the old city **centre**(6). You'll see a **petrol station** (7) on your right and the entrance to the **casualty department** (8) of the city hospital ahead of you. Turn left here, go past to the **cinema** (9), and carry on until you see a big **car park** (10) on the corner opposite the **chemist's** (11) and an **off-licence** (12). Park here, cross the street and my **flat** (13) is just in front of you. If you decide not to drive, there's a **tube station** (14) next to the hospital. As you come out onto the **pavement** (15), turn right and I am just 50 yards away on the same side of the street.



Exercise 3 Rewrite the sentences using the words suggested.

e.g.: Some people are millionaire but they are not happy at all. – although

Although some people are millionaire, they are not happy at all.

(16-17) I don't speak German, and I don't speak Spanish. – neither, nor

(18-19) The doctor advised him not to smoke. He is still smoking. – in spite of

(20-21) Samuel didn't attend the meeting. His son was ill. – due to

(22-23) I have decided to work hard from the beginning. I don't want to fail the exam. – in order to

(24-25) The old man has been injured badly. He has fallen over a stone. – The reason why ... is that

Exercise 4 A little literature – Poems

Exercise 4a Read the following poem, 'The Confession' by Brian Patten and put the verses into the correct order, number them 1-3.

The Confession
by Brian Patten

When he showed her the photograph again, she said,

(26) __ 'It was a July afternoon.
The day was hot and my body hummed.
I was bored and in search of an adventure
That seemed beyond you.

(27) __ 'Yes, I remember taking it.
I was incredibly young then.
You handed me the camera
And telling me over and over how to use it
You posed, smiling stiffly.
You were so pompous, so blind to everything.

(28) __ 'Yet how can I forget that day?
Look closer at the photograph.
See there in the background,
In the corner behind you
The other boy, grinning so openly.'

I am Completely Different
by Karoda Saburo

I am completely different.
Though I am (29) _____ the same tie as
yesterday,
am as (30) _____ as yesterday,
as good for (31) _____ as yesterday,
today
I am completely different.
Though I am wearing the same (32) _____
am as drunk as yesterday,
living as (33) _____ as yesterday, nevertheless
today
I am completely different.
Ah –
I (34) _____ close my eyes
on all the grins and (35) _____
on all the twisted smiles and horse laughs –
and glimpse then, (36) _____ me,
one beautiful white butterfly
fluttering towards tomorrow.

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Exercise 4b Read the poem, 'I am Completely Different' by Karoda Saburo and complete the missing words from the list.

poor, clothes, clumsily, smirks, inside, patiently, wearing, nothing

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Exercise 4c Tick the correct column for each of the questions below.

Which poem:	The Confession	I am Completely Different
(37) talks about clothes?		
(38) talks about an incident in the past?		
(39) has three people in it?		
(40) is written by a poet talking about himself or herself?		
(41) is more optimistic than pessimistic?		
(42) is about a long-kept secret?		
(43) talks about two people smiling very differently?		

Exercise 5 A Puzzling Proverb

Fill in the answers to the following clues. Then, transfer the letters to the corresponding numbered blanks to reveal a famous proverb.

e.g. If the capital of Hawaii is Honolulu, circle **P**. If not, circle O.

(44) If there are five rings on the Olympic flag, circle O. If there are six, circle A.

(45) If an insect has eight legs, circle T. If not, circle W.

(46) If the result of two numbers added together is called the sum, circle C. If not, circle N.

(47) If 131 is a numerical palindrome*, circle F. If not, circle H.

(48) If there are 14 in a baker's dozen, circle T. If not, circle D.

(49) If antonyms mean the opposite, circle Y. If not, circle N.

(50) If a comma is used in a contraction, circle N. If not, circle T. (49)

(51) If a name for low clouds is fog, circle R. If it is not, circle A.

(52) If an eight-sided figure is called an octagon, circle A. If not, circle M.

(53) If a baby kangaroo is a kid, circle Y. If it is a joey, circle M.

(54) If Washington is one of the four presidents carved on Mt. Rushmore, circle U. If not, circle H.

(55) If your mother's sister is your grandmother, circle H. If not, circle N.

(56) If 2,000 pounds equals one ton, circle H. If not, circle F.

_____ ' _____ P _____ until _____

48 44 55 50 e.g. 54 50 44 47 47 50 44 53 44 51 51 44 45

_____ .

45 56 52 50 49 44 54 46 52 55 48 44 50 44 48 52 49

Please, explain the meaning of this proverb in English. Use your own words.

(57-58) _____

*words/sentences spelt and can be read forwards as well backwards (e.g.: level)

Exercise 6 Which adjective? Match each adjective to go with the noun in each sentence.

minute, wild, heavy, full, sharp, fierce, sheer

e.g.: The latest figures show a sharp increase in crime.

- (59) I've no idea how much it costs – this is just a _____ guess.
 (60) He'll face a _____ fine if he's found guilty of speeding.
 (61) He explained in _____ detail how the photocopier worked.
 (62) There is _____ competition to get a place in that university.
 (63) It was by _____ luck that I knew the answer to every question.
 (64) She accepted _____ responsibility for the mistake.

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Exercise 7 Match the two halves of the sentences, then decide they are used in formal (F) or informal (I) letters.

Beginning	Ending	F / I
<i>e.g.: I'm really sorry</i>	a; if you could send us your contact information.	<i>e I</i>
(65-66) I'd love to	b; forward to hearing from you again.	
(67-68) Thanks for your	c; please do not hesitate to contact us.	
(69-70) Should you have any other questions,	d; to hear from you again!	
(71-72) We are pleased	<i>e; I didn't write sooner.</i>	
(73-74) We would be grateful	f; letter which I received on 5 th May.	
(75-76) With reference to	g; to inform you that your application has been received.	
(77-78) I can't wait	h; your letter of April 4 th , we would like to confirm your registration.	
(79-80) We look	i; be in touch with you.	

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Exercise 8 Complete the text below with the correct form of the words in capitals.

THE MODEL-T FORD



One of the most important (e.g.) *achievements* in the history of the motorcar was the (81) _____ of the Model-T Ford in 1913, which was the first car to be (82) _____ on a large scale. The (83) _____ of this method of production was Henry Ford, the founder of the Ford Motor Company. The production line, as it came to be (84) _____, offered (85) _____ to thousands of (86) _____. It cut costs as well, making cars (87) _____ to consumers. In addition, the replacement of old work practices made cars more (88) _____, while (89) _____ improvements to the interior of the car made driving a pleasure. So, car (90) _____ have Henry Ford to thank for his enormous contribution to the car industry.

ACHIVE
DEVELOP
PRODUCT
INVENT
KNOW
EMPLOY
WORK
AFFORD
RELY
NUMBER
OWN

Exercise 9 Abbreviations

Complete the crossword by putting in the full forms of the abbreviations.

Dr. Graham Kent
25 Market Sq.
Shakespeare Rd.
Birchchester

Prof. Margaret Baker
Dept. of Linguistics
Churchill Bldg.
Univ. of Birchchester
Milton Ave.
Birchchester

The Johnson Computer Co. Ltd.
77-79 King St.
Birchchester

A FAMOUS QUOTATION
Big Brother is watching you.
- George Orwell,
Nineteen Eighty-Four,
Pt. 1, Chap. 1, p. 1

SOME WORLD RECORDS
The highest active volcano:
Ojos del Salado, 6885 m. (22588 ft.)
The longest river:
The Nile, 6670 kms. (4145 mls.)
The longest space flight:
Vladimir Titov and Musa Manarov,
365 days 22 hrs. 39 mins. 47 secs.
(21 Dec. 1987
- 21 Dec. 1988)

CROSSWORD WORDS:
1: D
2: O
3: C
4: T
5: O
6: R
7: D
8: E
9: C
10: E
11: M
12: B
13: E
14: R