

Контрольная работа для 10 класса

Раздел 1. АУДИРОВАНИЕ

B1

Вы услышите 6 высказываний. Установите соответствие между высказываниями каждого говорящего A—F и утверждениями, данными в списке 1—7. Используйте каждое утверждение, обозначенное соответствующей цифрой, только один раз. В задании есть одно лишнее утверждение. Вы услышите запись дважды. Занесите свои ответы в таблицу.

1. I'm ashamed to be a part of our generation.
2. Not all teens are awful.
3. I don't think much has changed since I was a teen.
4. Teens' attitudes have changed over the years.
5. Every generation hates their teenagers.
6. Modern teens are immature.
7. Teens are not as bad as they are thought to be.

Говорящий	A	B	C	D	E	F
Утверждение						

Раздел 2. ЧТЕНИЕ

B2

Установите соответствие между заголовками 1—8 и текстами A—G. Занесите свои ответы в таблицу. Используйте каждую цифру только один раз. В задании один заголовок лишний.

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| 1. Exotic Pets | 5. Massive Destruction |
| 2. Going Back in Time | 6. Buried Treasure |
| 3. Small Screen Addiction | 7. Reason for Extinction |
| 4. Body Language | 8. Intelligent Enemies |

A. The VLT (Very Large Telescope) is the world's largest telescope and it is taking scientists further back to the Big Bang than they ever thought possible. In other words, the VLT is a kind of a time machine, giving astronomers detailed views of events that took place in the earliest days of the cosmos. One day, we will have a much clearer picture of how our planet was born.

B. The latest development in the debate amongst scientists about what killed the prehistoric dinosaurs is the suggestion that acid rain was the cause. Some geologists suggest that a large meteor hitting the earth at 65 kilometres per second would have led to strongly acidic rain falling all over the world. This idea is fascinating but it would mean the dinosaurs would all have died within a very short time.

C. In 1948, a British farmer discovered an interesting lump of metal while ploughing his field. At first he thought the metal bits were parts of an old bed. Then more 'parts of old beds' turned up and the farmer took them to the local museum. 'But these bits are priceless!' exclaimed the keeper of the museum. 'They are Iron Age jewellery and coins!' Over the next 40 years, more and more items were found in the same field.

D. Rats may have had a bit of a hard time over the years but these days lots of people are forgetting about guinea-pigs and hamsters and are buying rats instead. Domestic rats aren't the same as the ones that run around rubbish bins — they're actually quite cute. They are very intelligent and can be trained like dogs. They come in different colours and — a big bonus — they will eat anything!

E. In Western cultures, people look each other in the eye during a conversation to show interest and trust, but in many Asian countries, it's rude to look people in the eye, especially a superior such as a teacher. One of the most basic and powerful signals is when a person crosses his or her arms across the chest. This can indicate that a person is putting up an unconscious barrier between themselves and others.

F. Earthquakes happen all the time in all parts of the world but we don't notice most of them because they are small. However, big earthquakes are really dangerous. They can make buildings fall down, set off landslides and do other deadly things. The highest death toll caused by an earthquake was in China in 1556, when at least 830,000 people died.

G. According to scientists, Americans watch more TV on average than any other nationality. In fact, many people, particularly children, sit for 35 hours or more per week glued to the box. What's wrong with watching all that TV? Studies have linked it to everything from obesity to aggression in children not to mention that it puts your mind into a sort of sedated state. Habitual television watching, over long periods of time, has been known to cause depression, and anger.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G

Раздел 4. ПИСЬМО

C1

You have received a letter from your English-speaking pen friend Jessica who writes:

*...By the way, we are doing a project at college on the fashion industry in different countries. It would be nice if you could tell me what clothes are popular with teenagers in Russia. Do you have any special fashion for teens? What kind of clothes do you prefer? Why?
As for me, I bought a new dress yesterday ...*

Write a letter to Jessica.

In your letter

— answer her questions

— ask 3 questions about her tastes in clothes

Write 100 — 140 words.

Remember the rules of letter writing.

Раздел «ГОВОРЕНИЕ»

1

Imagine that you are preparing a project with your friend. You have found some interesting material for the presentation and you want to read this text to your friend, whose role will be played by the examiner. You have 1.5 minutes to read this text silently; then be ready to read it out loud. You will not have more than 1.5 minutes to read it.

The British have a reputation for having unusual hobbies that confuse people of other countries. However, there are some sports and hobbies that confuse even British people. Perhaps, the strangest of them is 'trainspotting'.

'Train spotters' try to 'spot' a certain type of trains. In all weathers these hobbyists stand by railways for hours at a time. They usually take packed lunches with them. Every time a train goes by, they write down its type, number and its name (if it has one) in their notebooks. Some train spotters now use a tape recorder instead of a notebook. When they meet, train spotters exchange information about the trains they have seen.

Certain train operating companies in the UK are now banning train spotters from taking photographs on railway platforms. The reasons for the ban are security and concerns about terrorism.