



**KONKURS JĘZYKA ANGIELSKIEGO**  
**dla uczniów szkół gimnazjalnych**

# TEST

**Etap szkolny 2018/2019**

Kod ucznia: \_\_\_\_\_

Liczba uzyskanych punktów: \_\_\_\_\_ / 70

Wynik procentowy: \_\_\_\_\_ %

## INSTRUKCJA DLA UCZNIĄ

Przeczytaj uważnie instrukcję i postaraj się prawidłowo rozwiązać wszystkie zadania.

- Przed przystąpieniem do pracy sprawdź czy Twój test jest kompletny. Jeśli zauważysz usterki, zgłoś nauczycielowi.
- Zadania czytaj uważnie i ze zrozumieniem.
- Na napisanie testu i przeniesienie rozwiązań na kartę odpowiedzi (ANSWER SHEET) masz 60 minut.
- Odpowiedzi wpisuj czarnym lub niebieskim długopisem. Odpowiedzi zaznaczone ołówkiem nie będą brane pod uwagę.
- Nie używaj korektora. Jeżeli się pomylisz, przekreśl błędną odpowiedź i obok napisz poprawną.

**Powodzenia!**

**I. Read the following article. Use the words from the box to complete the spaces (1-10) in the article. (10 points)**

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**Is it time to give up meat?**

I care about climate change, animal suffering and the condition of people in developing countries. So six months ago I became a **0. vegetarian** or, as a friend puts in, I stopped eating anything with a face or a **0) fin**.

It hasn't been easy, and I'm in danger of **1).....**, but I'm glad I did it and I still believe in all the reasons that persuaded me to say 'no' to meat and fish.

The first and most obvious reason why I gave up meat was because I'm against cruelty to animals. With the aim of maximising profits and minimising cost, animals are **crammed** into confined spaces, and they rarely see the light of day before being **2).....**. These animals are **3).....** of exercise, fed drugs to fatten them up and genetically altered to grow faster. As a result, conditions are ideal for the spread of disease such as bird **4).....** and foot-and-mouth.

Secondly, I wanted to do my bit to fight global warming. The meat industry is one of the leading sources of the greenhouse gases that has led to global warming. In fact, a United Nations report found that the meat industry produces more greenhouse gasses than all the cars, trains and planes in the world combined. In other words, there's no point in driving fuel-efficient cars and using energy-saving light bulbs if you eat meat every day of your life.

Giving up meat also helps the global poor. 840 million people are still going hungry today, and yet there is more than enough food in the world to feed the entire human population. The problem is that **crops** that could be used to feed the hungry are instead being used to fatten animals **5).....** for food.

Finally, I became a vegetarian for health reasons. A diet high in meat and low in fresh fruit and vegetables leads to higher rates of heart disease, **stroke**, cancer and diabetes.

And I must admit, I have felt better since I've shunned meat and fish. But my friends continue to treat me like an eccentric animal-lover with a **fussy** attitude to food. They worry about **6).....** me for dinner, and I'm getting bored with **soggy** lasagne and goat's cheese salad. What is more, one of the reasons that I'm in danger of having to compromise my beliefs is that it's almost impossible to find a restaurant that has a **decent** vegetarian menu.

I still believe that being a vegetarian has many benefits. However, you don't need to **give up** meat altogether to make a difference. According to the Environmental Defense Fund, if every American **7).....** one meal of chicken per week and substituted vegetarian foods instead, the **8).....** dioxide savings would be the same as taking more than half a million cars off the US roads.

On balance, I think that it is possible to eat **9).....** meat and fish from animals that have lived a wild and free life, and **10).....** the moral high-ground. Like so many things in life, it's all about moderation.

**II. Look at the words highlighted and underlined in the article. Match them with their definitions (1-8). Write the infinitive if the word is a verb. (7 points)**

0. vegetarian: a person who does not eat meat or fish
1. ....: squeeze or pack tightly
  2. ....: unpleasantly soft and wet
  3. ....: hard to please
  4. ....: medical condition in which blood is blocked from reaching the brain
  5. ....: plant grown and harvested for food
  6. ....: of an acceptable standard or quality; satisfactory
  7. ....: stop doing something

**III. Fill in the blank spaces with appropriate letters to make words. (8 points)**

0. A teenager has been accused of a r s o n after he was seen setting fire to an empty factory.

1. This pen that my grandfather gave me is one of my most treasured p \_ s \_ e \_ \_ \_ \_ s .
2. They said we should stay another night, but I didn't want to take advantage of their h \_ \_ p \_ \_ \_ l \_ \_ \_ .
3. About a month ago, my husband and I received an invitation to attend her big 50th wedding anniversary c \_ l \_ \_ \_ a \_ \_ o \_ .
4. There are dangers in avoiding d \_ \_ \_ y products such as milk or cheese, because they provide calcium, protein vitamins A and D, as well as other nutrients.
5. On the final day of the trip Mr Higgins enjoyed some s \_ \_ \_ \_ s \_ \_ \_ \_ g around the capital of Beijing.
6. For years, young people have been inspired by c \_ \_ \_ b \_ \_ \_ i \_ \_ like pop stars and footballers.
7. She competed regularly in junior t \_ \_ r \_ \_ e \_ t\_ throughout Ohio and was good enough to play in national events.
8. We installed special panels on the roof so that we can use s \_ \_ \_ \_ energy to make electricity.

**IV. Fill the spaces in the text (1-7) changing the base word given in bold and CAPITALS on your right. The required word may be a noun, adverb, adjective or verb and it may be either positive (e.g. helpful) or negative (e.g. unhelpful). (7 points)**

*MARATHON DREAMS*

<p>The idea of taking part in long-distance running races seems (0) <b>appealing</b>. After all, who hasn't watched TV (1) _____ of the London, Paris or Warsaw Marathon and been moved by the stories of everyday people attempting to run that most epic of enduring races. Sitting (2) _____ on your armchair, your heart swells with (3) _____ for the contenders as they cross the finish line, on the point of (4) _____, yet exhilarated. Inspired, you promise to regain your own previous fitness levels and do something similar. Taking a step forward, tomorrow you'll put on your trainers and have a go at 20 minutes around the park nearby. But when tomorrow comes, the motivation is no longer that strong. (5) _____, you give up because you find the wet weather rather (6) _____ or you make the effort and suffer terribly afterwards. This usually happens when you try to do too much too soon because you become (7) _____ for the results. Indeed, top runners say that it's advisable to begin with a trip to the doctor to see if you are physically fit enough to embark on the training</p>	<p><b>APPEAL</b> <b>COVER</b></p> <p><b>COMFORTABLE</b> <b>ADMIRE</b> <b>EXHAUST</b></p> <p><b>POSSIBLE</b> <b>COURAGE</b></p> <p><b>PATIENT</b></p>
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**V. Complete the following sentences using *a / an / the / -* (no article). (5 points)**

0. ....*The*... Statue of Liberty was dedicated in 1886.

1. Many people go trekking in the mountains like ..... Alps or climb Mont Blanc.

2. .... Tower of London is on the north side of the Thames.

3. He bought ..... pair of jeans and the most fantastic suit I've ever seen.

4. .... University of Cambridge is one of the most famous in the United Kingdom if not in Europe.

5. The Nile flows from near ..... Lake Victoria to the Mediterranean.

**VI. For each of the sentences below, paraphrase the original sentence, but using the word given. This word must not be changed in any way. (8 points)**

1. They are delivering Kate's new car this afternoon.

**having** Kate ..... this afternoon.

2. He believes the suspect is in hiding somewhere across the border.

**believed** The ..... in hiding somewhere across the border.

3. If you don't request next-day delivery, we will send the goods by normal first-class post.

**unless** ..... send the goods by normal first-class post.

4. Unfortunately, I'm not as agile as I used to be.

**were** If ..... as I used to be.

5. There can be no doubt that the solicitor has received the information by now.

**must** The solicitor ..... the information by now.

6. There is no obligation to get an international driving licence for this country.

**have** You ..... an international driving licence for this country.

7. Anna started attending the course for translators in May.

**been** Anna has ..... May.

8. Eric is too impatient to wait for his gift so long.

**enough** Eric ..... to wait for his gift so long.

**VII. Complete the sentences with the right prepositions. (5 points)**

0. He is interested in sport.

1. They complained \_\_\_\_\_ the quality of the service.

2. Apart from the constant electricity shortage, we were also deprived \_\_\_\_\_ the possibility of taking everyday showers.

3. Five participants have been expelled \_\_\_\_\_ the survival course for their disobedience.
4. You should be ashamed \_\_\_\_\_ what you have done. Don't ever hit your brother again!
5. It wasn't at all easy for the European members of the expedition to get accustomed \_\_\_\_\_ so hot and humid a climate of South America.

**VIII. Circle the correct option: a), b), c) or d). (7 points)**

1. I used to be a member of a choir, \_\_\_\_\_ might come as a bit of a surprise to you.  
a) that                                      b) which                                      c) who                                      d)-
2. A more developed model of this car \_\_\_\_\_ in the showroom soon.  
a) was shown                                      b) is going to show                                      c) has been shown                                      d) will be shown
3. It was \_\_\_\_\_ fantastic news that I couldn't believe it at first.  
a) such a                                      b) so a                                      c) such                                      d) so
4. \_\_\_\_\_ the fact I rarely write, I think of you often.  
a) Despite                                      b) In spite                                      c) Even though                                      d) Although
5. Continued high-blood pressure is dangerous, \_\_\_\_\_ it can increase the risk of heart disease and stroke.  
a) however                                      b) so that                                      c) for instance                                      d) as
6. If Tom hadn't acted so quickly they \_\_\_\_\_ now.  
a) might have been killed                                      b) weren't alive                                      c) could be dead                                      d) will be dead
7. Martha said \_\_\_\_\_ the next day.  
a) she'll do it                                      b) she'd do it                                      c) she's doing it                                      d) she's done it

**IX. Complete phrasal verbs with the correct particles. (7 points)**

0. They got caught quite easily as their runaway car **broke down** after few miles.

1. Don't smoke in the forest. Fires **break** ..... easily at this time of the year.
2. I **look** ..... **to** seeing my friends again.
3. I'm afraid; we have **run** ..... of apple juice. Will orange juice do?
4. **Look** ..... the word in a dictionary.
5. His mother can't **put** ..... **with** his terrible behavior anymore.
6. As an excuse for being late, she **made** ..... a whole story.
7. The firemen **put** ..... the fire.

**X. Choose one of the options in bold and italics. (6 points)**

0. *Cambridge* / ***Oxford*** / *London University* is Britain's oldest university.

1. Ben Nevis, the highest mountain in the United Kingdom, is located in *England* / ***Scotland*** / *Ireland*.
2. ***Canberra*** / *Sydney* / ***Melbourne*** is the capital city of Australia.
3. Thanksgiving is celebrated in the USA on the fourth Thursday in ***October*** / *November* / ***December***.
4. Rowan Atkinson is a famous ***American*** / ***British*** / ***Canadian*** actor and comic.
5. The patron saint of Scotland is Saint ***Patrick*** / ***Andrew*** / ***George***.
6. Yellowstone National Park is located principally in northwestern ***California*** / ***Nebraska*** / ***Wyoming***.

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