

**Задача 1**

Найдите пять ОРФОГРАФИЧЕСКИХ ошибок в представленном тексте и исправьте их. В ответе укажите ИСПРАВЛЕННЫЙ вариант каждого слова. Ответы располагайте В ТОМ ЖЕ ПОРЯДКЕ, в котором слова расположены в тексте.

"Forget the kind of machoe astronauts you are used to seeing in films - space travel to farway solar systems will probably be a family affair conducted by married couples and their kids," says US anthropologist, John Moore.

"The family has the kind of natural organisation to deal with the tensions likely to characterise space trips of 200 years or longer to settle on remote planets," says Moore. "We are less likely to go crazy in space and more likely to accomplish our missions by using creues that are organised along family lines. Whenever colonisation is done on Earth, it is always by people looking for a better life. All of the colonisations that I know about have been done by families, especially young couples."

1.

2.

3.

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5.

Ответ
1 - macho
2 - faraway
3 - tensions
4 - accomplish
5 - crews

**Задача 2**

Прочитайте предложения. Если в предложении есть лексическая или грамматическая ошибка, укажите номер соответствующего пункта. Если ошибок нет, выбирайте цифру 0.

1. It's officially fall, which for humans often means
2. snuggling up inside and anticipating the holidays ahead.
3. Conversely, for many animals, it's a season

4. of intense preparation for the looming winter.
5. From deers to birds to bears, many species
6. are triggered by the shortening day.

<b>Ответ</b>
1 - 5

### Задача 3

Прочитайте предложения. Если в предложении есть лексическая или грамматическая ошибка, укажите номер соответствующего пункта. Если ошибок нет, выберите цифру 0.

1. Studies have shown that dogs are more sociable
2. then wolves raised in similar circumstances,
3. generally paying more attention to humans
4. and following our directions and commands more effectively.
5. Since evolving from a shared ancestor with wolves
6. at least ten thousand years ago, domestic dogs have helped us find food and protected us.

<b>Ответ</b>
1 - 2

### Задача 4

Прочитайте предложения. Если в предложении есть лексическая или грамматическая ошибка, укажите номер соответствующего пункта. Если ошибок нет, выберите цифру 0.

1. Folktales are as old as human civilization itself.
2. A syntheses of the spoken and the scripted, a fusion of different accounts of the same story.
3. The story of Cinderella, for example, appeared in ancient China and in ancient Egypt.
4. Details in the story change depending on the storyteller's cultural origins.

5. In Egypt, her slippers are red leather,

6. while in the West Indies, breadfruit, not a pumpkin, is the transformative object.

<b>Ответ</b>
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1 - 2
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### Задача 5

Прочитайте предложения. Если в предложении есть лексическая или грамматическая ошибка, укажите номер соответствующего пункта. Если ошибок нет, выберите цифру 0.

1. The common belief that Thomas Edison

2. singlehandedly invented electric lighting in 1879 isn't true.

3. The first electric light was the arc light,

4. invented by Sir Humphry Davy in 1807.

5. Inspired by the electric battery invented by Alessandro Volta in 1800,

6. Davy had built a huge electric battery in the basement of the Royal Institution in London.

<b>Ответ</b>
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1 - 0
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### Задача 6

Прочитайте предложения. Если в предложении есть лексическая или грамматическая ошибка, укажите номер соответствующего пункта. Если ошибок нет, выберите цифру 0.

1. Some 80 percent of all the planet's earthquakes

2. occur along the rim of the Pacific Ocean,

3. called the "ring of fire" because of the preponderance of volcanic activity there, as well.

4. Most earthquakes occur at fault zones,

5. where tectonic plates—giant rock slabs that are making up the Earth's upper layer -

6. collide or slide against each other.

**Ответ**

1 - 5

### Задача 7

Заполните пропуски в тексте словами из перечня, ПРЕОБРАЗОВАВ ИХ таким образом, чтобы они лексически и грамматически соответствовали тексту.

In the past, astronauts had to be specially trained and physically very fit to survive in very small space capsules, but spacecraft size is no longer a [STRAIN] , making it possible to take ordinary people such as midwives, [ELECTRIC]  and cleaners. For a space crew that is going to colonise space and reproduce for many generations, these kinds of people will be just as important as space technologists.

Starting with a population of [CHILD]  married couples also works best on board a spaceship because it will give the initial crew a few years to adjust to their new [SURROUND]  without the distraction and responsibility of caring for children.

People may be [HORROR]  at the idea that children will be living and dying in space, with their only images of Earth coming from pictures and videos. But, according to John Moore, parents have always made choices affecting their children's lives.

**Ответ**

1 - constraint

2 - electricians

3 - childless

4 - surroundings

5 - horrified

### Задача 8

Для каждого словосочетания, выделенного ЗАГЛАВНЫМИ БУКВАМИ, подберите идиому, которая соответствует смыслу словосочетания. Две идиомы являются лишними.

1. No one was surprised when they got a divorce. It **HAD BEEN SO LIKELY TO HAPPEN**. Everyone who knew them expected the outcome.

2. I know there's a lot to take in, but your partner has been here for over 10 years and will EXPLAIN AND DEMONSTRATE TO YOU HOW TO DO THE JOB PROPERLY.	<input type="text"/>
3. I hadn't worked in an office for several years, so it took me a while TO GET USED TO DOING IT AND BECOME INVOLVED again.	<input type="text"/>
4. The new James Cameron movie has A LOT OF FAULTS AND PROBLEMS. The story doesn't make any sense.	<input type="text"/>
5. We'd like to address the HUGE AND OBVIOUS PROBLEM THAT EVERYONE IS AVOIDING. If we don't, it will ruin our friendship.	<input type="text"/>

Возможные варианты:

1	show you the ropes
2	everything but the kitchen sink
3	more holes than a Swiss cheese
4	had been on the cards
5	bull in a china shop
6	to get into the swing of it
7	elephant in the room

<b>Ответ</b>
1 - had been on the cards
2 - show you the ropes
3 - to get into the swing of it
4 - more holes than a Swiss cheese
5 - elephant in the room

### Задача 9

Прочитайте два текста. Выберите утверждения, которые соответствуют первому тексту (A); выберите утверждения, которые соответствуют второму тексту (B); выберите утверждения, которые соответствуют и первому, и второму тексту (C).

#### Text 1

There are so many different types of plastic, and it's such a versatile material, that it's now used in thousands of ways, and we find it difficult to imagine living without it. Plastics are the choice for so many products featuring in different areas of our lives at the moment, from car parts to toy parts, from soft drink bottles to the refrigerators they're stored in. I believe that there are three main reasons why plastics have scored over other materials in satisfying the consumers' needs. These are - safety, performance and, last but not least, value.

Just consider the changes we've seen in the food retail business in recent years. The introduction of plastic bottles has meant that even an economy-size bottle of juice can easily be lifted - glass is much heavier, of course. And should you accidentally drop that bottle, it's far less likely to break. Plastic wrap helps keep food fresh and free from contamination, which is particularly important with meat. In each case, plastics help to make your life easier, healthier and, of course, safer.

Plastics also help you get maximum value from some of the high-cost items you need to buy. They ensure that cellphones and laptops really are light and easy to carry. They help to make sure that major appliances like refrigerators and dishwashers will resist the corrosive effects of moisture and certain chemicals, which guarantees they'll last longer. These appliances also operate more efficiently thanks to the use of plastics.

Food safety is of key importance to the consumer, and packaging such as heat-sealed plastic pouches and wraps means the resources that went into producing the food in the first place aren't wasted.

It's the same thing once you get the food home, where resealable plastic containers keep your leftovers protected. In fact, packaging experts have estimated that every kilo of plastic packaging can cut food waste by 3.74 kilos. That's a statistic that very few people are aware of.

Plastics also help to conserve energy in your home, lowering your heating and cooling bills by cutting electricity consumption. Indeed, plastic parts and insulation have helped to improve the energy efficiency of air conditioners by up to 50 per cent since the 1970s. And these appliances run more quietly than earlier designs that used other materials.

## **Text 2**

In the opinion of a growing number of environmental campaigners, the plastic bag is an unnecessary and damaging item that we should get rid of at all costs. This simple innovation, which was welcomed in the 1950s as an attractive modern material with many practical applications, is now seen by many as a major source of pollution.

1957 saw the launch of the sandwich bag, first produced and promoted in the USA as a good way of keeping lunchtime snacks fresh and clean. American companies quickly recognized the value of plastic bags, and by 1966 the bread industry, for instance, used them for about one third of packaging.

But it wasn't just in the area of food packaging that the plastic bag was beginning to enjoy success. In 1969, the New York City Sanitation Department's 'New York City Experiment' showed how much cleaner, safer and quieter it was to use plastic bags in garbage collection, and the public soon started to line their metal trash cans with specially produced bags.

However, even in the late 1960s, people were still bringing home their shopping in baskets or brown paper sacks. The commercial production of plastic grocery bags didn't start until 1973, with the opening of the first manufacturing plant. The plastic carrier bag soon became an indispensable part of everyone's life, something that governments and campaigners worldwide are now trying to reverse. In 2002, for example, the Irish government introduced a new tax payable by consumers of fifteen cents a bag, which, in the two years following its introduction, raised 23 million euros for environmental projects. In the same year, the government of another country, Bangladesh, had to take a more drastic approach, banning the production of plastic bags and introducing an on-the-spot fine for using one. Since then, many governments have introduced similar measures and it now seems that the days of the plastic bag may indeed be numbered.

№	Statement	
1.	Plastic gained popularity due to its flexibility.	<input type="text"/>
2.	Plastic materials make utensils lighter and more efficient.	<input type="text"/>
3.	One of the advantages of plastic packaging has always been preserving the properties of food.	<input type="text"/>
4.	According to statistics, plastic is helping to solve the problem of food shortage.	<input type="text"/>
5.	Plastic has quickly become essential for managing garbage collection.	<input type="text"/>

Возможные варианты:

1	A
2	B
3	C

Ответ
1 - C
2 - A
3 - C
4 - A
5 - B

### Задача 10

Сопоставьте имена выдающихся личностей Великобритании и США и их известные высказывания.

Person's name	Quote
<input type="text"/>	A. If your only goal is to become rich, you will never achieve it.
<input type="text"/>	B. We would fight not for the political future of a distant city, rather for principles whose destruction would ruin the possibility of peace and security for the peoples of the earth.
<input type="text"/>	C. To find a man's true character, play golf with him.
<input type="text"/>	D. A riot is the language of the unheard.
<input type="text"/>	E. Elegance is the only beauty that never fades.
<input type="text"/>	F. The more successful the villain, the more successful the picture.
<input type="text"/>	G. A child who has overcome challenges with proper emotional support will emerge stronger.
<input type="text"/>	H. Failure is the condiment that gives success its flavor.

<input type="text"/>	I. If you fear making anyone mad, then you ultimately probe for the lowest common denominator of human achievement.
<input type="text"/>	J. Any customer can have a car painted any color that he wants so long as it is black.

Возможные варианты:

1	Martin Luther King Jr.
2	Henry Ford
3	Alfred Hitchcock
4	Truman Capote
5	John D. Rockefeller
6	Neville Chamberlain
7	Jimmy Carter
8	Catherine Middleton
9	Audrey Hepburn
10	P.G. Wodehouse

<b>Ответ</b>	
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