

ტესტი ინგლისურ ენაში

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გისურვებთ წარმატებას!

TASK 1: LISTENING (12 points)

You will hear an interview with a man called Jason Smith who runs a summer camp for teenagers. For questions 1-12, fill in the gaps with one or two words. You now have 45 seconds to look through the task. You will hear the recording twice.

1. The summer camp participants usually stay in a
2. Camping gives people the opportunity to make
3. To build a was one of the last year's tasks of the summer camp.
4. Campers have to solve a mystery by finding hidden around the campsite.
5. This summer camp offers less outdoor than other camps do.
6. Dream Day is a day when the participants' can come true.
7. The summer camp is beneficial for the who don't have enough opportunities.
8. This year a 'Battle of the Bands' is organised on the of the camp.
9. On the day of the 'Battle of the Bands' campers set up pop groups to make their own
10. The duration of the training that the staff initially receives is
11. The Summer Camp starts
12. Those 50 teenagers who apply will become the September Camp participants.

TASK 2: LISTENING (4points)

Listen to four people talking about job interviews. For questions 1-4 choose from the list A-F what each speaker says. Use each letter only once. Two letters are extra. You now have 30 seconds to look through the task. You will then hear the recording twice.

Which speaker recommends

- A. avoiding giving short answers to the questions?
- B. avoiding concentrating on your free-time interests?
- C. finding out as much as you can about the company?
- D. focusing on all your achievements?
- E. hiding the reasons you want to work for that company?
- F. speaking honestly about your weak points?

TASK 3: READING (10 points)

Read the text. Then read the statements which follow (1-10) and decide whether they are True or False. If the sentence is true, mark the appropriate box (A-F) in the TRUE section of the answer sheet. If the sentence is wrong, mark the appropriate box (A-F) in the FALSE section of the answer sheet. For each statement mark only one box.

The mystery of Shakespeare's identity

A. William Shakespeare, the poet and dramatist we know as the Bard of Avon, has contributed immeasurably to the culture of the British Isles and beyond. This prolific author wrote 37 plays, 154 sonnets and contributed over 1700 new words to the English language. Often quoted and misquoted, he regularly appears in the top ten Britons of all time and occupies a place in the hearts of literature lovers across the world. But what if all is not as it seems? Skeptics started questioning the true identity of Shakespeare in the late 19th century. Suspicion was first raised in academic circles and has increasingly gained ground over the last century. Astonishingly, the William Shakespeare conspiracy theory proposes that the beloved writer was, in fact, a fake, and his works were written by somebody else.

B. Born in 1564 in Stratford-upon-Avon, England, William Shakespeare seemed destined to follow in his father's footsteps as a glover, but his life took an unexpected turn. The young William received a grammar school education, which ended in his mid-teens. By the time he was eighteen, Shakespeare was married and children soon followed. Shortly afterward he abandoned his wife and three children and moved to London to become a member of a leading London theatre company. Almost immediately his plays began to appear on the London stage, and soon he gained fame and admiration as one of the best writers of his generation. In 1616, Shakespeare died unexpectedly at the age of 52, leaving behind a large body of work.

C. So, why do many academics want to prove that the Bard of Avon was, in fact a fake? The answer lies in Shakespeare's background. Incredibly, some are skeptical that a man of Shakespeare's relatively modest academic and social background could have the breadth of knowledge and talent to write so prolifically and with such knowledge on so many subjects. Shakespeare's

plays depict in detail Elizabethan court life and show a wide knowledge of arts, music and travel. Evidence found in his works proves that the author of the plays was a highly educated, multilingual expert in the law, who had read a wide range of both ancient Greek and Latin texts. And yet, our Stratford man was no nobleman. He was from a lower middle-class family with a provincial background and no university education.

D. But if Shakespeare didn't write the plays attributed to him, who did? The mystery deepens further. Doubting scholars look to well-travelled writers and aristocrats – like the philosopher and essayist Sir Francis Bacon and the poet and playwright Christopher Marlowe as more likely candidates. However, the strongest competitor in the greatest manhunt in literary history is Edward de Vere, the 17th Earl of Oxford – a poet and courtier with intimate knowledge of the court life of Elizabeth I. He was a prominent and influential theatre patron who travelled widely. One idea is that Edward de Vere wrote under the pen name of William Shakespeare because due to the high nature of his birth, it would have been impossible for him to reveal himself as a common playwright.

E. So, was this son of a tradesman really the stunning genius that contributed so much to British culture and the English language? Or was he a fake, an actor who struck lucky when an unknown aristocrat asked him to take the credit for his work to avoid social embarrassment? The consensus of most academics is that William Shakespeare, the Bard of Avon, truly was the greatest writer in the English language. Despite this, the William Shakespeare conspiracy theory refuses to die because so little is known of Shakespeare's life.

F. One thing is for sure - unlike most of us, Shakespeare would know how to disprove his critics and silence his doubters. Perhaps he might have also suggested that the world should focus on the work itself and not its authorship. In the words of one of his own characters 'What's in a name? That which we call a rose by any other name would smell as sweet.' After all, this could be much ado about nothing. Or maybe, one day, the truth will come out. As Charles Dickens put it, 'The life of Shakespeare is a fine mystery, and I tremble every day lest something should turn up.'

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1. William Shakespeare's unique talent was appreciated only after his death.
2. Shakespeare's works reveal that the author of the plays was of low social status.
3. Shakespeare enriched the English language by inventing new words.
4. Scholars name more than one most probable alternative candidates for the authorship of Shakespeare's works.
5. Following his family's long established tradition, Shakespeare became a playwright.
6. For Shakespeare the author's name would be less important than the work itself.
7. Doubts about Shakespeare's identity began to emerge already in Shakespeare's lifetime.
8. Edward de Vere might have used 'William Shakespeare' as a pseudonym to mask his true identity.
9. Shakespeare's humble origins make some scholars doubt that he was a literary genius.
10. The Shakespeare conspiracy theory is kept alive due to the lack of information about the author.

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TASK 4: READING (6 points)

Six sentences have been removed from the text given below. Choose from the sentences (A-H) the one which best fits each gap (1-6). There are two extra sentences.

Julia Morgan – a famous American architect

Julia Morgan, a famous American architect, was born in San Francisco on January 20, 1872. Although highly respected as an architect, not much is known about her personal life. (1). Julia Morgan preferred to stay humble throughout her life. Julia Morgan graduated from the University of California at Berkeley with a degree in engineering. She was the first woman to get an architect's licence in the State of California. After graduating, Julia Morgan studied architecture privately under the guidance of the local architect Bernard Maybeck. (2). She became the first woman to be enrolled in the architecture section of the École des Beaux-Arts, a fine arts grand school of Research University in Paris, France. During her career, Julia Morgan designed more than 700 buildings in California. (3).

William Randolph Hearst was a media genius who extensively influenced publishing, politics, Hollywood, the art world and everyday American life. Mr Hearst hired Julia Morgan to design the main building and guest houses for his ranch in San Simeon, California. Mr Hearst was sure that Morgan's classical training would be ideal for the project. He wanted something that would be more comfortable than the tent-type construction, which he previously used at the ranch. He instructed Julia Morgan throughout the whole project. In the process, Mr Hearst often changed plans. (4). All 165 rooms and 127 acres of gardens, terraces, pools and walk ways were built to demonstrate Hearst's legendary art collection.

Morgan worked on the building of the Hearst Castle over the course of 28 years. She supervised nearly every aspect of construction at the Hearst Castle. Morgan organised the purchase of everything from Spanish antiquities to reindeer for the Castle's zoo. (5). In addition, she even designed servants' quarters paying attention to the smallest details. (6). Along with Hearst Castle, Julia Morgan also worked on projects for Hearst's other properties. Julia Morgan was 78 years old when she retired and led an isolated life until her death in 1957.

- A.** Later Morgan continued her studies in Paris.
- B.** Julia Morgan met interesting people throughout her life.
- C.** Moreover, Morgan personally designed the structures, grounds, pools and animal shelters.
- D.** She gave no interviews and did not write about herself.
- E.** Permanent changes in the project were unbearable to Morgan, but she was tolerant.
- F.** Mr Hearst had inherited the land as well as other Hearst properties.
- G.** However, Morgan is best known for her work on Hearst Castle in San Simeon, California.
- H.** These servants' quarters contained servants' bedrooms, baths and even smoking porch for them.

TASK 5: READING/WORDBUILDING (10 points)

Read the text below. Use the words given in brackets to form a word that fits into the space. Do not copy the extra words from the text on the answer sheet.

Satellites

Artificial satellites are built by people and launched by rockets into space, where they orbit around the Earth. They are used for broadcasting television programmes, relaying telephone calls, making maps. Some satellites are used to collect information about the planets and stars. Some provide global positioning system services. They are used for (1. NAVIGATE) by both military and civilians. Since the late fifties many artificial satellites have been put into the Earth's orbit. There are (2. CURRENT) over a thousand active satellites orbiting the Earth. The size, altitude and design of a satellite depend on its purpose.

Some of the satellites have become outdated and are no longer in (3. ACT) - just scrap metal in space, which may be involved in (4. COLLIDE) with other useless satellites. On the other hand, there are satellites which provide (5. RELY) information for weather forecasting as well as for different kinds of scientific research. For example, there are satellites which can measure..... (6. MOVE) in the earth's crust. It may indicate earthquake activity in the near future. Satellites may have many..... (7. DIFFER) functions and can be used for (8. VARY) purposes. For example, there are satellites which can indicate the exact (9. LOCATE) of forest fires long before they could be seen by observers on Earth. Some satellites have very sensitive photographic (10. EQUIP) which can show how well crops are growing in the fields.

TASK 6: READING/CORRECTION OF MISTAKES (10 points)

Read each line (1-10) of the text carefully and, if you find a mistake in it, in the answer sheet mark the type of the mistake A-I. If the line has no mistake, mark the letter J. There may be only one mistake in the line.

Refer to the list of the types of the mistakes.

See the task on the next page.

	Dear Mrs Ford, I am writing to tell you how much I enjoyed your spring classes last year. I would also like to
1	let you know that I sincerely appreciate all your efforts and that I can't think on a teacher who
2	could have made those accounting classes more special than you do. Your teaching style and
3	caring personality helped me to see the difference in the quality of my work from the beginning of
4	our course to an end of it. I will never forget all the fun activities and games you included in your
5	class to enhance learning. Without your dedication I wouldn't have been able to mastering
6	accounting the way I did. Being able to count on you for extra help was really specially for me
7	and showed me how much you cared about your students. If you hadn't related your lessons to
8	real-life examples then, the material won't be so logical for the students. With the help of your
9	tasks it seemed so simple to understand the main points. All this made it easier for me to recall the
10	material during my test in accounting. Thank you for all your dedication and support.
	Sincerely, Naomi Smith

TASK 7: WRITING (6 points)

One of the advertising companies has announced a job vacancy for the position of the computer (IT) specialist. You would like to apply. Write a letter to Mr Black, the director of the company, saying why you think you would be suitable for this job and what your relevant work experience is.

You should write between 140-160 words.

Do not write your or anybody else's name or surname in the letter.

TASK 8: WRITING (16 points)

Some people think that teachers should be observed at least three times a year by their colleagues. Others disagree with this idea. Which idea do you agree with and why? Give specific reasons to support your answer.

You should write between 180-230 words.