

English Olympiad Test, 2017

Grade 7

Task 1: Read the passage given below, and answer the questions that follow.

Dane's Adventure

This passage tells what happened when someone got lost in the jungle.

Dane had not eaten or drunk anything for two days and he felt weak. Once again, he thought of his friends, Mat and Harry. Were they safe? Perhaps they were still looking for him. The three of them had come to the jungle for a hunting trip but had become separated while running from a wild elephant. Dane had lost his equipment and food supply, but he knew that he should not give up. He prayed for strength to find a way out of the thick tropical jungle.

Dane was completely lost and was going round in circles. Wherever he went he was plagued by mosquitos and other insects. As if that was not enough, the leeches were draining his blood little by little. He was too scared to eat leaves or berries for fear of upsetting his stomach. He came across some animals' footprints which led him to a watering hole. There, he drank greedily until he was full. Then, to keep off the biting insects, he rolled himself in the mud. He decided to stay near the watering hole to wait for a search party.

Early in the morning of the fourth day, Dane was awakened by something exploring his body. Shaking his fear, he realised that it was an elephant's trunk examining him, but as soon as he shouted, the frightened elephant crashed away through the jungle. Dane was thankful that he was safe, for the elephant might have stood on him and crushed him. Another time, Dane woke up from a short sleep to find a wild boar noisily licking him. Frightened, he leapt up and screamed. Fortunately, the startled animal disappeared off into the trees.

By the sixth day, Dane was feeling very thirsty and feverish. He heard a plane flying over heard but was too weak to shout. He began to despair.

Then, later in the day, Dane thought he heard voices calling him. With the little strength he had remaining, he let out a feeble cry.

The rescuers stared in disbelief to see Dane covered in mud from head to foot. He was quickly carried out of the jungle. A few hours later, Dane was in the hospital, remembering his experience and wondering how he had survived the terrible ordeal.

Answer the following questions based on the passage above.

1. Where was Dane when the story begins?

2. Why do you think Dane had lost his food and equipment?

3. How do you think the mud would keep off the biting insects?

4. From the last paragraph, find a word that means ‘a painful or difficult experience’.

5. From the second paragraph, find a word that means ‘to annoy, to bother’.

2,5 (5x0,5) /

Task 2: For each question, fill in the space with one of the words from the table below.

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| stomach | finger |
| teeth | nose |
| neck | head |
| mouth | eyes |
| back | feet |

1. If your _____ hurt, you should go to the dentist.
2. If you open your _____ , you will see better!!
3. A wedding ring is worn on the _____ .
4. Pinocchio got a very big _____ because he told too many lies.
5. If you are very cold, put a woolen scarf around your _____ .
6. Eating is very easy. You just put food into your _____ !
7. If you drink too much beer, your _____ will hurt the next day.
8. Be careful not to injure your _____ when you lift something heavy.
9. Men who drink a lot of beer often have a large _____ .
10. You put socks on your _____ .

5 (10x0,5)/

Grammar

3 . Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verb in brackets.

- 1 I think people _____ (use) mobile phones more in the future.
- 2 We _____ (watch) television when there was a power cut.
- 3 I _____ (not have) a pet when I was younger.
- 4 She's a good dancer. She _____ (practise) every day.
- 5 If she's very tired, she _____ (not go) to the disco tomorrow. **2,5 (5x0,5)/**

Task 4:

A. Choose the correct option **5 (10x0,5)/**

1. A. Where did you have dinner last night?
B. Where have you had dinner last night?
C. Where do you have dinner last night?
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2. I was born
- A. Before 30 years
B. Thirty years ago
C. The last thirty years
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3. Do you mind if I open the window?
- A. Yes, that's fantastic
B. Don't be silly
C. No, not at all
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4. A. I should stop smoking
B. I should to stop smoking
C. I must to stop smoking
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5. You
- A. Mustn't to go
B. Don't have to go
C. Needn't to go

— If you don't want to.

6. A. I really should to talk to her
B. I really need to talk to her
C. I really must to talk to her
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7. I'm
- A. Going to take a long walk
B. Going taking a long walk
C. Going a long walk
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8. A. Are you going party on Friday?
B. Are you going partying on Friday?
C. Are you going to the party on Friday?
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9. A. I'm not working tomorrow
B. I'm not to working tomorrow
C. I don't working tomorrow
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- 10 A. Did you rather go to a different movie?
B. Would you rather go to a different movie?
C. Would you didn't go to a different movie?

Name / Surname _____

School Name / # _____