

TASK 2. Choose the answer that best maintains the meaning of the underlined word. (10x0.3=3)

Ընտրել այն պատասխանը, որն ունի ընդգծված բառի իմաստը:

1. I can't believe that someone who was once such a show-off is now so self-effacing.
(A) willing to take credit for everything (B) able to fix mechanical objects
(C) modest; content to stay in the background (D) furious; filled with angry thoughts
2. Luckily, Theresa is not a person who is vindictive. She is usually willing to forgive and forget small injuries.
(A) filled with a need to learn (B) forgetful (C) hard to understand (D) looking for revenge
3. People think of writers as lonely hermits, but Robert Benchley was a sociable sort, who enjoyed both people and parties.
(A) friendly (B) foolish (C) sloppy (D) truthful
4. People who love animals become indignant when they see someone mistreat a helpless pet.
(A) homeless (B) filled with joy
(C) angry because of something unfair or mean (D) less able to remember things correctly
5. Despite the shocking news, he remained stolid, showing no sign of surprise or distress.
(A) filled with cheer and good humor (B) hard to excite; lacking in emotion
(C) unwilling to serve his country (D) fearful of losing his money
6. Let someone else give Carlos credit. He will seem egotistical if he says the project was his idea.
(A) concerned with numbers (B) aware of danger
(C) reckless or lacking in common sense (D) too self-centered
7. One child became sullen and uncooperative when the others decided to play a different game.
(A) sulky and silent; quiet because of a bad mood (B) eager to please someone else
(C) excited about the future; filled with joy (D) sorry about past behavior
8. Most scientists are skeptical of new theories until the ideas are proven by several people.
(A) full of smiles (B) innocent of wrongdoing
(C) able to see clearly (D) filled with doubts
9. The horse was so reluctant to cross the bridge that Yani had to get off, cover the animal's eyes, and lead it across.
(A) glad (B) unwilling (C) too stupid (D) proud
10. Neither candidate was snobbish. In spite of their money and power, they were both as polite to their drivers and household workers as they were to the mayor.
(A) able to forget a wrong that had been done to them
(B) one who looks down on people with less money or rank
(C) quick to begin but slow to finish
(D) strange in their clothing or actions

TASK 3. Complete each set of two sentences with the same word in each gap. (10x0,3=3)

Լրացնել երկու նախադասություններից բաղկացած շարքը՝ յուրաքանչյուր բացատում գրելով նույն բառը:

0. a) I think we'll have to start FROM scratch.
b) Judging FROM the design, it's going to be a very modern building.
1. a) She's _____ up with some amazing scheme to double her income.
b) She was determined not to _____ in last, so she ran faster.
2. a) How did the fire _____ out?
b) The latest dictionary will _____ new ground.
3. a) When did your brother _____ up the company?
b) The planners _____ out to improve the traffic situation.

4. a) I made good progress at first, but I couldn't keep it _____.
 b) We thought about going to a French restaurant, but we ended _____ in a pizzeria.
5. a) Did they manage to put _____ the fire?
 b) When we started _____, we knew we would need more money.
6. a) Could you _____ me posted, please?
 b) They wanted to _____ us in the dark about the results.
7. a) I'd like a couple of days to think _____ their offer.
 b) She tried hard to win him _____, but he refused to be persuaded.
8. a) He got _____ of the wrong end of the stick.
 b) I tend to _____ my cards close to my chest.
9. a) His actions are at _____ with what he says.
 b) It makes no _____ when we leave.
10. a) You'll be told _____ a need-to-know basis.
 b) She's very observant; she picked up _____ tiny detail in the painting.

TASK 4. Match each idiom with its meaning. (10x 0.3=3)

Համապատասխանեցնել յուրաքանչյուր իդիոմը՝ իր նշանակության հետ:

1.	a backseat driver	A.	someone who stops being your friend when you are having problems or difficulties
2.	a big shot	B.	an experienced person; someone who has done a job for a long time and is very good at it
3.	a blue-eyed boy	C.	a dull or boring person who tries to spoil other people's fun
4.	a fair-weather friend	D.	a passenger in the back of a car who gives the driver unwanted advice on how to drive
5.	a live wire	E.	a person who has greater capabilities than he/she shows or that people are aware of
6.	an old hand	F.	something that costs a lot of money but has no useful purpose
7.	a white elephant	G.	a person who annoys everyone by claiming to know everything and trying to sound clever
8.	a rough diamond	H.	an important and influential person
9.	a smart aleck	I.	a very active and lively person
10.	a wet blanket	J.	a man who is liked and admired by someone in authority (e.g. his boss)

TASK 5. Match each word with its meaning. (10x 0.3=3)

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EXAMPLE: OVERSIGHT – I

	WORD		Meaning A
0.	Oversight	A.	to conceal or protect
1.	Peruse	B.	to apply a fine powder
2.	Fast	C.	firmly fixed
3.	Weather	D.	to decorate or add
4.	Dust	E.	to pelt with stones
5.	Sanction	F.	heading to a destination
6.	Screen	G.	to permit or approve
7.	Trim	H.	to split apart or sever
8.	Stone	I.	a failure to notice
9.	Cleave	J.	to erode or wear away
10.	Bound	K.	to read carefully in a detailed way

TASK 6. Classify the following phrasal verbs according to their semantic groups. Each group must contain THREE phrasal verbs. (12 x 0.25=3)

Դասակարգել հետևյալ հարադրավոր բայերը՝ ըստ իմաստային խմբերի: Յուրաքանչյուր խումբ պետք է պարունակի ԵՐԵՔ հարադրավոր բայ:

feast on	knock down	club together	kick off
sit out	pig out	back up	key in
peck at	filter out	splash out	rip off

1. FOOD

2. SPORT

3. MONEY

4. COMPUTERS

TASK 7. Find and correct the mistake. (10x0.3=3)

Գտնել և ուղղել սխալը:

were open

Example: He was surprised. Both window and, door of the cottage was open.

(A)

(B)

(C)

(D)

1. A sudden thought struck him and he suggested to search all the other rooms in the house.
(A) (B) (C) (D)
2. He awoke suddenly with a start. He stretched his cramped body and wondered what time was it.
(A) (B) (C) (D)
3. When we burn our skin by touching something extremely hot, it is the high temperature that kill the cells.
(A) (B) (C) (D)
4. I didn't believe it would happen until I saw your boat to come through the timber rafts.
(A) (B) (C) (D)
5. Worn with travel and greatly discouraged we were reached the shore of the Great Salt Lake.
(A) (B) (C) (D)
6. He wondered now weather Harris was the man he ought to work for.
(A) (B) (C) (D)
7. Babylon is one of the most important cities of the ancient world, who is location today is marked by a broad area of ruins just east of the Euphrates River.
(A) (B) (C) (D)
8. He was so tired that he felt he couldn't move any longer: so he laid on his back in the old grass looking up.
(A) (B) (C) (D)
9. He was a third-year student, just begin his in-hospital training and willing to learn as much as possible.
(A) (B) (C) (D)
10. He was in a great hurry and had no time to think it over. Otherwise he had found another way out.
(A) (B) (C) (D)