

## Школьный этап ВОШ 5-6 класс

### Part 1

### Listening

Listen to Jay talking to a friend about a holiday he went on with his family. For each question, choose the right answer (A, B or C). The first has been done for you. You will hear the conversation twice.

Example:

0. Jay came back from holiday on

- A. Friday.
- B. Saturday.
- C. Sunday.

1. The hotel Jay stayed in was

- A. in a city center.
- B. near the sea.
- C. in the mountains.

2. Jay often spent his time

- A. playing tennis.
- B. swimming.
- C. playing golf.

3. Jay's room had

- A. a computer.
- B. a fridge.
- C. a television.

4. Jay ate a lot of

- A. pasta.
- B. fish.
- C. salads.

5. Jay's parents thought the hotel was

- A. too expensive.
- B. very comfortable.
- C. too noisy.

## Part 2

## Reading

### Read the text and do the tasks:

*blind* — слепой

*save* – спасать

### Dogs

You know that a dog is a man's best friend. The dog is also man's oldest friend. More than ten thousand years ago, dogs didn't live with people. They were wild. Now dogs live with people and do many good things for them. Dogs can be "eyes" for *blind* people. There was a dog, Bruno, who *saved* 40 people in the mountains. Dogs help geologists to find metals. They help police officers to catch criminals.

If you have a dog, you know how clever dogs are. You can teach your dog to do many tricks: to bring things to you, to carry your bag when you do shopping, to help you with your school-bag when you come home from school.

Dogs usually like to swim and you can teach your dog to swim. But you must remember that some dogs are afraid of water.

Where do you leave your dog, when you go on holiday? Leave him in good hands: with a neighbour or a family friend. Take your dog to these people before you go away. Sit down and talk to them. Show your dog that they are your friends and he will like them.

Take care of your dog; never let him run wild in the street. If you are good to your dog, he will be your real friend.

### Task 1. Read the text again and put the events in the correct order:

1. Dogs help police officers. \_\_\_\_
2. More than ten thousand years ago dogs didn't live with people. 1
3. Never let your dog run wild in the street. \_\_\_\_
4. When you go on holiday, you can leave your dog with a family friend. \_\_\_\_
5. Now dogs do many good things for people. \_\_\_\_

### Task 2. Choose True (A) if the sentence agrees with the text and False (B) if it doesn't agree with the text:

6. Many thousand years ago, dogs were wild.  
A) True. B) False.
7. Dogs help to find people in the mountains.  
A) True. B) False.
8. You can never teach your dog to swim.  
A) True. B) False.
9. Your dog can carry your bag from the shop.  
A) True. B) False.
10. The dogs are not very clever.  
A) True. B) False.

## Part 3

## Use of English

### Task 1. Read the story. Choose the best word A, B or C for each gap 1 – 16:

#### The mice and the cat

Long, long ago there lived a lot of (1) \_\_ in an old house. There lived a cat in (2) \_\_ house too. The mice (3) \_\_ afraid of the cat but they (4) \_\_ what to do. So, one day they all (5) \_\_ to an old clever mouse and began talking (6) \_\_ the cat.

“What (7) \_\_\_ we do?” they (8) \_\_\_. “The cat will kill (9) \_\_\_ all.” Suddenly one little mouse (10) \_\_\_, “Let’s put a bell round the cat’s neck and we (11) \_\_\_ it.”

They were all very (12) \_\_\_ and they (13) \_\_\_ to dance. Suddenly (14) \_\_\_ clever old mouse said, “(15) \_\_\_ want to ask one question. Who will put the bell round the cat’s neck?”

1. A) mouse B) mice C) mouse’s
2. A) these B) those C) that
3. A) were B) was C) is
4. A) doesn’t know B) won’t know C) didn’t know
5. A) came B) comes C) will come
6. A) at B) about C) for
7. A) couldn’t B) can C) cannot
8. A) will say B) says C) said
9. A) us B) we C) our
10. A) will say B) said C) say
11. A) heard B) will hear C) is hearing
12. A) bad B) glad C) sad
13. A) begins B) began C) begun
14. A) the B) an C) –
15. A) Me B) My C) I

**Task 2. Complete the e-mail. For questions 1–10 write ONE word for each space. There is an example for you (0).**

From: Parveen

To: Marta

Hi Marta,

I hope (0) you are well. I was trying (1) to call you yesterday but you didn’t answer. Is your phone broken, (2) but have you lost it again? Anyway, I wanted to ask (3) when you could come to my birthday party next Saturday. My birthday was actually two weeks (4) ago, but I couldn’t have the party then (5) because lots of people were (6) on holiday. I’ve invited (7) a few people from our swimming club, as well as my friends from school. (8) will you think your brother (9) is free that day? Please invite (10) me to come too. The party’s at my house and starts at 8 p.m.

Parveen

1. A) to B) on C) in
2. A) but B) and C) or
3. A) when B) if C) where
4. A) late B) ago C) later
5. A) because B) while C) when
6. A) at B) on C) in
7. A) a B) an C) the
8. A) will B) does C) do
9. A) are B) am C) is
10. A) him B) her C) me