**Английский язык, 11 класс**

**Демо-Вариант**

***1)Уста­но­ви­те со­от­вет­ствие между за­го­лов­ка­ми 1–8 и тек­ста­ми A–G. За­пи­ши­те свои от­ве­ты в таб­ли­цу. Ис­поль­зуй­те каж­дую цифру толь­ко один раз. В за­да­нии есть один лиш­ний за­го­ло­вок.***

1. GLOBAL LANGUAGE

2. HOW IT ALL BEGAN

3. GREAT BORROWER

4. THE LANGUAGE OF COMPUTERS

5. ENGLISH IN OTHER LANGUAGES

6. FRENCH INFLUENCE

7. CRAZY ENGLISH

8. DO YOU SPEAK COCKNEY?

**A.** It’s strange that the differences in Britain itself are greater than those between Britain and other English-speaking countries. For a Londoner, it’s easier to understand an American than a Cockney. Cockney has a pronunciation, accent and vocabulary unlike any other dialect. Cockney speech is famous for its rhyming slang. A word is replaced by a phrase or a person’s name which rhymes with it.

**B.**Other languages absorb English words too, often giving them new forms and meanings. So many Japanese, French, Spanish and Germans mix English words with their mother tongues that the resulting hybrids are called Japlish, Franglais, Spanglish and Denglish, In Japanese, for example, there is a verb Makudonaru, to eat at McDonald’s.

**C.** Have you ever wondered why the English language has different words for animals and meat? When William the Conqueror invaded England in 1066, French became the official language of the court. The English would look after the animals and cook the meat, still calling the animals pig, sheep and cow. The Normans, when they saw the cooked meat arrive at their table, would use French words – pork, mutton and beef.

**D.** English is mixing with other languages around the world. It’s probably the biggest borrower. Words newly coined or in vogue in one language are very often added to English as well. There are words from 120 languages in its vocabulary, including Arabic, French, German, Greek, Italian, Russian, Spanish and Turkish. 70 per cent of the English vocabulary are loan words and only 30 per cent of the words are native.

**E.** Have you ever wondered how many people speak English? It’s around 400 million people. Geographically, English is the most wide-spread language on earth, and it’s second only to Chinese in the number of people who speak it. It’s spoken in the British Isles, the USA, Australia, New Zealand and much of Canada and South Africa. English is also a second language of another 300 million people living in more than 60 countries.

**F.**In Shakespeare’s time only a few million people spoke English. All of them lived in what is now Great Britain. Through the centuries, as a result of various historical events, English spread throughout the world. There were only 30,000 words in Old English. Modern English has the largest vocabulary in the world – more than 600,000 words.

**G.**In the English language blackboards can be green or white, and blackberries are green and then red before they are ripe. There is no egg in eggplant, neither mush nor room in mushroom, neither pine nor apple in pineapple, no ham in hamburger. Why is it that a king rules a kingdom but a queen doesn’t rule a queendom? If the plural of tooth is teeth, shouldn’t the plural of booth be beeth? And in what other language can your nose run?

***2) Прочитайте текст и заполните пропуски 13–18 словами, напечатанными в правой колонке под цифрами 1–8. Каждое из этих слов может быть использовано только один раз. В ответе укажите цифры, под которыми значатся выбранные Вами слова. Два слова в этом списке 1–8 лишние.***

1) fly

2) electricity

3) near

4) used

5) cross

6) fast

7) come

8) explore

**Alternative power**

Nowadays solar energy is widely 13 \_\_\_\_\_\_ as an alternative form of power. Solar panels transform the energy from the sun into 14 \_\_\_\_\_\_. The first plane that does not need fuel was constructed in France, in 2015. It uses only the sun's energy. The panels are placed on the huge wings of the plane. It doesn’t fly very 15 \_\_\_\_\_\_. Solar energy can make the plane move at only 140 miles an hour. However, the plane is able to travel round the world. It is safe and can successfully 16\_\_\_\_\_\_ areas of bad weather. In the future, engineers hope to construct a model that people can 17 \_\_\_\_\_\_ in. Our dream of environmentally friendly transport may 18 \_\_\_\_\_\_ true very soon. Would you like to take a flight on the solar plane?

*3)* ***Прочитайте приведённый ниже текст. Преобразуйте, если необходимо, слова, напечатанные заглавными буквами в конце строк, так, чтобы они грамматически соответствовали содержанию текста.***

A kind man

Jack, a truck driver, was driving 100 penguins to the New York Zoo. On the freeway his truck suddenly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (BREAK) down. Jack got out of the car. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (LOOK) at the engine when another truck stopped by. The second truck driver, Peter, asked if \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (HE) colleague needed any help. Jack explained that he was taking the penguins to the zoo and asked if Peter could take the penguins to the zoo. Peter agreed. Some hours \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (LATE), the Peter drove past Jack, who was still waiting on the freeway for help to come. The penguins, however, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (BE) still in the truck! “I thought I asked you to take \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (THAT) penguins to the zoo,” shouted Jack. Peter replied, “I did, but I had some money left, so we’re going to the cinema now.”

**4. 1. These are photos from your photo album. Choose one photo to describe to your friend.**

**(12–15 sentences).**

1) where and when the photo was taken

2) what/who is in the photo

3) what is happening

4) why you keep the photo in your album

5) why you decided to show the picture to your friend

You have to talk continuously, starting with:

“I’ve chosen photo number… ”

