

XII WOJEWÓDZKI KONKURS JĘZYKA ANGIELSKIEGO 2020
ETAP WOJEWÓDZKI, CZĘŚĆ PISEMNA

Imię i nazwisko:	Liczba punktów:
Szkoła:	

Na rozwiązanie całego testu przeznaczają się 120 minut. Maksymalna liczba punktów: 100

Zadanie 1: *Wybierz jedną poprawną odpowiedź i wpisz odpowiednią literę. Umieść odpowiedzi również w tabeli do odpowiedzi (10 pkt.)*

1. In September 1620, a small ship called the Mayflower left Plymouth, England, carrying 102 passengers—an assortment of religious separatists seeking a new home _____ and other individuals lured by the promise of prosperity and land ownership in the New World. After a treacherous and uncomfortable crossing that lasted 66 days, they dropped anchor near the tip of Cape Cod, far north of their intended destination at the mouth of the Hudson River. One month later, the Mayflower crossed Massachusetts Bay, where the Pilgrims, as they are now commonly known, began the work of establishing a village at Plymouth.

- a. when they could freely practice their faith
- b. where they could freely practice their faith
- c. so they could freely practice their faith
- d. that they could freely practice their faith

2. Throughout that first brutal winter, most of the colonists remained _____, where they suffered from exposure, scurvy and outbreaks of contagious disease. Only half of the Mayflower's original passengers and crew lived to see their first New England spring.

- a. on board the ship
- b. on the board the ship
- c. on board of the ship
- d. on the board of the ship

3. In March, the remaining settlers moved ashore, where they received an astonishing visit from an Abenaki Indian who greeted them in English. Several days later, he returned with another Native American, Squanto, a member of the Pawtuxet tribe who had been kidnapped by an English sea captain and sold into slavery before _____ on an exploratory expedition.

- a. escaping to London and returning to his homeland
- b. escape to London and returning to his homeland
- c. escape to London and return to his homeland
- d. escaping to London and return to his homeland

4. Squanto taught the Pilgrims, weakened by malnutrition and illness, how to cultivate corn, extract sap from maple trees, catch fish in the rivers and avoid poisonous plants. He also helped the settlers forge an alliance with the Wampanoag, a local tribe, _____ and tragically remains one of the sole examples of harmony between European colonists and Native Americans.

- a. which would have endure for more than 50 years
- b. which would have endured for more than 50 years
- c. which would endure for more than 50 years
- d. which would endured for more than 50 years

5. In November 1621, after the Pilgrims' first corn harvest proved successful, Governor William Bradford organized a celebratory feast and invited a group of the fledgling colony's Native American allies, including the Wampanoag

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chief Massasoit. Now remembered as American's "first Thanksgiving" – although _____ at the time – the festival lasted for three days.

- a. the Pilgrims themselves may have not used the term
- b. the Pilgrims themselves may not have used the term
- c. the Pilgrims themselves could not have used the term
- d. the Pilgrims themselves could have not used the term

6. Historians have suggested that _____ using traditional Native American spices and cooking methods. Because the Pilgrims had no oven and the Mayflower's sugar supply had dwindled by the fall of 1621, the meal did not feature pies, cakes or other desserts, which have become a hallmark of contemporary celebrations.

- a. many of the dishes likely were prepared
- b. many of the dishes were prepared likely
- c. likely many of the dishes were prepared
- d. many of the dishes were likely prepared

7. Pilgrims held their second Thanksgiving celebration in 1623 _____ that had threatened the year's harvest and prompted Governor Bradford to call for a religious fast. Days of fasting and thanksgiving on an annual or occasional basis became common practice in other New England settlements as well.

- a. to mark the end of a long drought
- b. to mark the end of a long draught
- c. to mark the end of a long dries
- d. to mark the end of a long draft

8. In 1817, New York became the first of several states to officially adopt an annual Thanksgiving holiday; _____ and the American South remained largely unfamiliar with the tradition. In 1827, the noted magazine editor and prolific writer Sarah Josepha Hale – author, among countless other things, of the nursery rhyme "Mary Had a Little Lamb" – launched a campaign to establish Thanksgiving as a national holiday.

- a. each celebrated it on a different day, notwithstanding,
- b. each celebrated it on a different day, although,
- c. each celebrated it on a different day, therefore,
- d. each celebrated it on a different day, however,

9. For 36 years, she published numerous editorials and sent scores of letters to governors, senators, presidents and other politicians. Abraham Lincoln finally heeded her request in 1863, at the height of the Civil War, _____ to ask God to "commend to his tender care all those who have become widows, orphans, mourners or sufferers in the lamentable civil strife" and to "heal the wounds of the nation."

- a. in a proclamation, that entreated all Americans
- b. in a proclamation by entreating all Americans
- c. in a proclamation entreating all Americans
- d. in a proclamation to entreat all Americans

10. He scheduled Thanksgiving for the final Thursday in November, _____ every year until 1939, when Franklin D. Roosevelt moved the holiday up a week in an attempt to spur retail sales during the Great Depression. Roosevelt's plan, known derisively as Franksgiving, was met with passionate opposition, and in 1941 the president reluctantly signed a bill making Thanksgiving the fourth Thursday in November.

- a. and it was being celebrated on that day
- b. and it has been celebrated on that day
- c. and it was celebrated on that day
- d. and it had been celebrated on that day

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Zadanie 2: W każdą z luk wpisz po jednym wyrazie. Umieść odpowiedzi również w tabeli do odpowiedzi (20 pkt.)

A new model for storing nuclear waste

Current methods for storing high-level nuclear waste are "severely" unsafe, scientists 1) _____ warned. Researchers at Ohio State University discovered that long-term plans to store radioactive waste from nuclear arms production are unsustainable and would result 2) _____ radioactive materials 3) _____ released into the environment.

The materials 4) _____ to store the hazardous waste corrode far more 5) _____ than previously thought, researchers write in a study 6) _____ in scientific journal *Nature Materials* detailing their findings. "This indicates that the current models may not be 7) _____ to keep this waste safely stored," said Xiaolei Guo, a deputy director at Ohio State and lead author of the study. "8) _____ shows that we need to develop a new model for storing nuclear waste."

Most countries 9) _____ have no disposal sites for high-level nuclear waste, 10) _____ can remain radioactive 11) _____ tens of thousands of years. Finland has 12) _____ work on a long-term repository, 13) _____ the US is also considering a permanent site in Nevada for its waste.

The storage solution 14) _____ mixing the waste with other products to form glass or ceramics, 15) _____ encasing them inside metallic canisters and burying them deep underground. 16) _____ to changes in the chemistry of the nuclear waste 17) _____ time, the glass and ceramic materials end 18) _____ causing "severe" corrosion of the metal canisters. "19) _____ specific conditions, the corrosion of stainless steel will go crazy. It creates a super-aggressive environment that can corrode surrounding materials," Mr Guo said. The authors of the study believe one solution could be to develop a compatible barrier material to put 20) _____ the metal and the glass or ceramics in order to prevent the corrosion.

Adapted from *The Independent*, 2020

Zadanie 3: Zaznacz część zdania, w której występuje błąd gramatyczny. Podaj poprawną wersję zaznaczonego fragmentu. Umieść odpowiedzi również w tabeli do odpowiedzi (10 pkt.)

PRZYKŁAD: As (A)she has moved to (B)the suburbs, she (C)hardly never goes to the theatre (D)any more.
ODPOWIEDŹ: (C) *hardly ever goes*

1. (A) A massive hole has been discovered in the Antarctic's glacier (B) suggesting it may be melting even faster than scientists have long feared; (C) the Thwaites ridge would send sea levels surging by up to two feet (D) if it dissolves completely – enough to submerge major coastal cities across the globe.

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2. When it comes to loneliness, I have a feeling that (A) the culprit isn't so much technology as the fact that (B) many millennials are in the 30s, (C) which is a natural time for friendship dynamics to change: people start focusing on advancing their careers and building families (D) rather than socialising with pals.

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3. (A) There were disturbances and police charges on Via Laietana (B) near the headquarters of the Spanish national police during Friday afternoon but, (C) no sooner had the demonstration begun to disperse at 6.30pm (D) that rioting broke out in the city centre.

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4. A study on female participation in university spinout companies (A) found that women in decision-making positions were more likely to work in smaller spinouts – (B) those with less than 25 employees – and that (C) the more female founders a spinout company had, (D) the less financial investment it tended to receive.

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5. Weather permitting, people around the world (A) will witness the first supermoon of the decade on 9 February; one of the best times (B) to view the moon is when it is close to the horizon, (C) due to an optical illusion that makes it to appear even bigger (D) due to its relative size compared to buildings, trees and statues in the distance.

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6. I have counselled so many people (A) who have seen their doctors countless times, (B) desperately trying to find answers to the debilitating symptoms (C) interfering with their personal and work lives, (D) only to have told that they are too young for midlife crisis.

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7. As the annual development of pharmaceuticals and personal care products (A) expands the list of dangerous substances entering our water supplies, (B) all what we know at this point (C) is that their molecules transform in both natural and engineered systems (D) and thus render a higher level of uncertainty regarding their toxicity.

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8. (A) It is by any means unusual (B) for one partner to be slightly older than the other within relationships, but (C) the bigger the age gap between them, the more long-lasting (D) the adverse impact on them will be.

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9. (A) After 12,000 years of feeding humankind, all farming (B) apart fruit and vegetable production is likely (C) to be replaced by ferming: (D) brewing microbes through precision fermentation.

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10. Karyn Harty, dispute resolution and litigation (A) partner at a major law firm, says the impact of emerging technologies (B) on the legal industry is two-fold: (C) not only it is changing how law firms operate, the type of work (D) they do for their clients is also changing as a result.

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Zadanie 4: *Uzupełnij poniższe zdania jednym pasującym słowem. Każda kreska zastępuje jedną literę. Nie zmieniaj liter już podanych. Umieść odpowiedzi również w tabeli do odpowiedzi.*

(10 pkt.)

PRZYKŁAD: Unfortunately, the project has turned out a complete _ a _ _ _ _ _ .
ODPOWIEŹ: FAILURE

1. With ivory poaching in the news, it's easy to overlook another existential threat to elephants: _ _ _ _ t _ _ loss caused by skyrocketing human population growth.
2. Some factors such as stress, obesity, smoking and a _ _ _ d _ _ _ _ _ _ _ lifestyle are commonly associated with health problems.
3. Many companies may go bankrupt if they fail to meet their _ _ _ b _ _ _ _ _ _ _ .
4. One of the rescuers tried in vain to _ _ _ n _ _ the bleeding with a scarf.
5. As new windows were very expensive, we simply chose to fit a second _ _ n _ of glass, which has considerably improved insulation efficiency.
6. A famous painter, Gustav Klimt, was _ _ _ m _ _ _ _ _ _ _ to do a series of pictures for our office walls.
7. Many new buildings look like cold glass boxes, _ _ v _ _ _ of character and cosiness.
8. The elderly may be more _ _ s _ _ _ _ _ _ _ to loneliness because of decreased mobility and independence, and the deaths and loss of friends and family members.
9. The career of the judge has to depend solely on their professionalism, incorruptibility, _ _ _ _ _ c _ _ _ _ reputation and trust of society.
10. After a two-week trial period, a customer can pay for the _ u _ _ _ _ _ _ _ equipment by monthly instalments.

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Zadanie 5: *Uzupełnij poniższe zdania, wpisując w każdą z luk jeden przyimek. Umieść odpowiedzi również w tabeli odpowiedzi. (10 pkt)*

PRZYKŁAD: I'm looking FOR my glasses. Have you seen them anywhere?

1. When it comes to the development of our company, we must take concrete measures to make sure we do not lag _____ our competitors.
2. Someone went to a lot of trouble to tip _____ the police, and I would like to know who that snitch was.
3. I tried to muster _____ the courage to tell everybody that it was my fault.
4. I do not want to harp _____ all the unpleasant consequences, but you do know what can happen if you ignore my advice.
5. I just do not see the need to get together and hash _____ all the details before it is absolutely necessary.
6. If you provoke him, he'll strike _____ sooner or later.
7. He said he needed a few more days to mull _____ your offer before making a final decision.
8. In this job you will have to fling yourself _____ work in order to gain recognition and success.
9. The witnesses went to the middle of the road and waited to flag _____ the ambulance.
10. He has managed to put _____ enough money to enjoy a comfortable life.

Zadanie 6: *Przetłumacz części zdań na język angielski. Nie zmieniaj niczego we fragmentach już przetłumaczonych. Umieść odpowiedzi również w tabeli do odpowiedzi. (20 pkt.)*

1. The government is proposing to weed out students who arrive on a visa but
(a) *nigdy nie zapisują się na kurs*, and use their visa instead (b) *żeby zdobyć dostęp do kanadyjskiego rynku pracy*.
(a) _____
(b) _____
2. Twenty people (a) *zostało aresztowanych* during the demonstration, (b) *z których czworo oskarżono o vandalism*.
(a) _____
(b) _____

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3. Although **(a)** *mieszka na Alasce od 10 lat*, Marino **(b)** *jeszcze się nie przyzwyczał do the cold winters*.

(a) _____

(b) _____

4. All the inhabitants had to **(a)** *złożyć zeznania przed sądem* during **(b)** *cztero-tygodniowego procesu*.

(a) _____

(b) _____

5. “This was **(a)** *niezwykła skamielina*, almost like something out of Game of Thrones,” said Professor. “Its mouth was filled with bony spikes **(b)** *które nadawały mu groźny wygląd smoka*,” he added.

(a) _____

(b) _____

Zadanie 7: *Uzupełnij tekst, wpisując w każdą lukę jeden wyraz w odpowiedniej formie. Wyrazy powinny być utworzone od słów w nawiasach. Umieść odpowiedzi również w tabeli do odpowiedzi (10 pkt.)*

PRZYKŁAD: Unfortunately, the project has turned out a complete _____ (FAIL).
ODPOWIEDŹ: FAILURE

Computers have 1) _____ (DOUBT) revolutionized the educational world in terms of 2) _____ (EFFICIENT) and it would seem that teaching is being made easier as well. However, 3) _____ (LONG) sitting before a computer has been known to cause several health problems, including 4) _____ (REPEAT) strain injuries, eye problems, headaches and stress related 5) _____ (ORDER). Health 6) _____ (CONSIDER) require that good ergonomic practices should be 7) _____ (COURAGE) among teachers and students to provide the 8) _____ (SATISFY) environment and to diminish the risks of the above health problems. Thus, blinds or curtains should be installed in sunny work areas in order to minimize 9) _____ (REFLECT), frequent breaks should be taken, and air-conditioning systems should be serviced and cleaned in order to minimize 10) _____ (AIR) pollutants inside the computer room.

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Zadanie 8: *Uzupełnij poniższe zdania jednym pasującym wyrazem. Umieść wyrazy również w tabeli do odpowiedzi (10 pkt.)*

PRZYKŁAD: “For better or for worse, for richer, for poorer, in _____ and in health...”
(*Marriage vows*)

ODPOWIEDŹ: SICKNESS

1. “We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of _____.” (*The United States Declaration of Independence, 1776*)
2. “_____ of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the Earth.” (*Abraham Lincoln, Gettysburg Address, 1863*)
3. “And the star-spangled banner in triumph shall wave; O'er the land of the _____ and the home of the brave!” (*the national anthem of the United States, 1814*)
4. “I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one _____ under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.” (*the Pledge of Allegiance, 1892*)
5. “I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully _____ the office of President of the United States, and will to the best of my ability, preserve, protect, and defend the Constitution of the United States.” (*the Oath of Office*)
6. “God save our _____ Queen! Long live our noble Queen! God save the Queen!” (*the national anthem of the United Kingdom, 1745*)
7. “I know I have the body of a weak and feeble woman, but I have the heart and _____ of a king, and of a king of England too.” (*Queen Elizabeth I*)
8. “No free man shall be seized or imprisoned, or stripped of his rights or possessions, or outlawed or exiled, or deprived of his standing in any other way, nor will we proceed with force against him, or send others to do so, except by the lawful judgement of his equals or by the _____ of the land.” (*Magna Carta Libertatum, ‘the Great Charter of the Liberties’, 1215*)
9. “Never in the field of human conflict was so much owed by so many to so _____.” (*Winston Churchill, a wartime speech on the Battle of Britain, 1940*).
10. “Will you solemnly promise and swear to govern the _____ of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, the Union of South Africa, Pakistan, and Ceylon, and of your Possessions and the other Territories to any of them belonging or pertaining, according to their respective laws and customs?” – “I solemnly promise so to do.” (*Monarch’s Coronation Oath, 1953*)