



Prijímacie skúšky z anglického jazyka
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Kód žiaka: Počet bodov: Podpisy hodnotiteľov:

A. READING

Read the article about Halloween. Are the sentences below 'True' or 'False'?

Like many other holidays, Halloween has changed throughout history. Over 2,000 years ago people called the Celts people living in what is now Ireland, the UK, and parts of Northern France. November 1 was their New Year's Day. They believed that the night before the New Year (October 31) was a time when the living and the dead came together.

More than a thousand years ago the Christian church named November 1 All Saints Day (also called All Hallows.) This was a special holy day to honor the saints and other people who died for their religion. The night before All Hallows was called Hallows Eve. Later the name was changed to Halloween.

Like the Celts, the Europeans of that time also believed that the spirits of the dead would visit the earth on Halloween. They worried that evil spirits would cause problems or hurt them. So on that night people wore costumes that looked like ghosts or other evil creatures. They thought if they dressed like that, the spirits would think they were also dead and not harm them.

The tradition of Halloween was carried to America by the immigrating Europeans. Some of the traditions changed a little, though. For example, on Halloween in Europe some people would carry lanterns made from turnips. In America, pumpkins were more common. So people began putting candles inside them and using them as lanterns. That is why you see Jack 'o lanterns today.

These days Halloween is not usually a religious holiday. It is mainly a fun day for children. Children dress up in costumes like people did a thousand years ago. But instead of worrying about evil spirits, they go from house to house. They knock on doors and say "trick or treat." The owner of each house gives candy or something special to each trick or treater.

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| 1. The Celts thought the spirits of dead people returned to the earth on October 31st. | True | False |
| 2. The Celts created All Hallows. | True | False |
| 3. All Hallows is on October 31st. | True | False |
| 4. The word Halloween comes from the word Hallows eve. | True | False |
| 5. A thousand years ago Europeans wore costumes to get candy. | True | False |
| 6. Americans still carve turnips to use as lanterns. | True | False |
| 7. Today Halloween is especially for children. | True | False |
| 8. Children get candy by saying "trick or treat." | True | False |

Počet bodov časť A: / 16

B. GRAMMAR 1

Choose the correct answer. There is only one correct answer.

1. Many car accidents by dangerous driving.
A. caused B. are caused C. cause D. causes
2. His sister to church on Sundays.
A. don't go B. doesn't go C. don't goes D. is not going
3. My cousin by his grandmother.
A. bring up B. brought up C. was brought up D. brings up
4. His sister likes at the weekends.
A. dance B. dancing C. to dancing D. danced
5. My good friendsTV every day.
A. watches B. watch C. are watching D. watching
6. Jack is Joe.
A. as quieter as B. much quiet than C. more quiet than D. quieter than
7. do you go to the cinema?
A. How many B. How much C. How often D. Who
8. This house 20 years ago and we moved here in 2000.
A. built B. was building C. was built D. build
9. When I come from school, I usually to music.
A. listening B. listen C. am listening D. to listen
10. My mother put salt in the soup.
A. a lots of B. a few C. too much D. many

Počet bodov část' B: / 30

C. GRAMMAR 2

Complete the text. Write ONE suitable word for each space.

Valentine's Day is **1** very old holiday. It goes back to the times of Ancient Rome. One of the characters we often see **2** Valentine's Day is Cupid. He was the son **3** Venus, the goddess of love. He shoots people with arrows of love. When a man and a woman are hit by his arrows, they will fall in love. Today people celebrate Valentine's Day **4** February 14. Men and women who **5** in love give each other gifts. The most popular gifts are flowers (especially roses) and chocolates. Couples may also go **6** a restaurant for a very nice dinner or plan something else romantic. In the United States, Valentine's Day is **7** just for lovers. Children **8** special Valentine's cards **9** their classmates. Families and friends can **10** candy or other small gifts to each other. It can be a fun day.

Počet bodov část' C: / 20

D. VOCABULARY 1

Choose the correct answer. There is only one correct answer.

1. I want to _____ to you for a minute.
A. talk B. tell C. say D. speak
2. For dinner we had _____ and rice.
A. chicken B. cow C. pig D. sheep
3. I stopped gardening when the rain started. I didn't want to get _____ .
A. hot B. windy C. dry D. wet
4. This exercise is too _____ for me.
A. hard B. noisy C. empty D. heavy
5. We will _____ a DVD this evening.
A. look B. see C. watch D. listen
6. Can I have a _____ room for me and my husband?
A. single B. one C. double D. two
7. It's cold outside today, you should take a _____ with you.
A. sock B. scarf C. belt D. glove
8. My father works as a _____ in a hotel.
A. cooking B. cook C. cooker D. cookery
9. Can I help you _____ your homework?
A. work B. make C. do D. turn
10. You must be _____ during the test.
A. quiet B. quite C. quietly D. quitely

Počet bodov časť D: / 20

E. VOCABULARY 2

Complete the letter. Write ONE suitable word for each space.

Dear Sir / Madam,

I stayed 1 _____ the Grand Hotel last week 2 _____ Tuesday to Thursday. I think I left a gold ring 3 _____ my hotel room. I 4 _____ in room 309. It 5 _____ be in the cupboard next to the bed. Please 6 _____ you look for it? 7 _____ you find it, can you send it to me?

Thank you very much,

Celia Hicks.

Počet bodov časť E: / 14

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