

OLIMPIADA NAȚIONALĂ DE LIMBA ENGLEZĂ – ETAPA LOCALĂ

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CLASA a IX-a - SECȚIUNEA A

BAREM ȘI SOLUȚII

Toate subiectele sunt obligatorii. Nu se acordă puncte din oficiu. Timpul efectiv de lucru este de 3 ore.

SUBIECTUL I – USE OF ENGLISH

(40 points)

I. Read the following text and put the verbs in brackets in the correct form. 10 x 1p = 10 points

1- were sitting, 2- had been, 3- had just read, 4- were detailed, 5- have been, 6- left, 7- didn't know, 8- say/would say, 9- did they give/would they give, 10- may/might appear

II. Use the word given in brackets to form a word that fits in each sentence. 10 x 1p = 10 points

1. FAMOUS
2. PEACEFUL
3. CERTAINLY
4. MARVELLOUS
5. MISTY
6. MYSTERIOUS
7. SHADY
8. FLOWING
9. TASTEFUL/TASTY
10. FANTASTIC

III. Complete the second sentence using the word in bold. Use two to five words including the word given. Do not change the word given. 10 x 1p = 10 points

1. has her hair // cut by
2. make up // her mind
3. in case // they ask
4. is not // as intelligent as
5. should have // studied for
6. although she // has played
7. is forbidden for // visitors who/that / is forbidden//if you/visitors
8. is thought // to be
9. I knew where // they sold
10. not to // do that

IV. Translate into English.

10 points

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| grammar structures | 4 points |
| vocabulary | 4 points |
| fluency | 2 points |

SUGGESTED ANSWER

He could have caught the eight o'clock bus in the morning, but, as he was approaching the stop, he caught sight of a young woman, and it seemed to him that she was waiting for him, seated on a bench, pretending to be reading. He saw her constantly look up from her magazine and glance around with curiosity, sometimes turning her head towards the tables on the pavement. Emanuel walked down the first little street that came his way, and, as he very soon saw a barber's, went in there. When he came back, at about half past eight, the woman was still there, on the bench, bored, leafing through her magazine. Emanuel hesitated for a few moments, then he went back again and looked for a café. He asked for a cup of tea and drank it at ease, thoughtfully.

SUBIECTUL II – INTEGRATED SKILLS

(60p)

I. READING 5x2p = 10 points

- 1.F, 2.D, 3.E, 4.A, 5.C

II. WRITING - LETTER OF APPLICATION (50 points) - According to marking scheme