

Langwest 2019 Országos Tehetségkutató Tanulmányi Verseny

Angol nyelv – V. kategória (C1 – felsőfok)

A feladatlap kitöltése alatt semmilyen segédeszköz nem használható! A rendelkezésre álló idő: 90 perc

A megfelelő válasz betűjeléhez tegyél X-et a válaszlapon!

Grammar

1. I I can't see as well as I used to.
A/am admitting B/admits C/admit D/was admitting
2. When he realised Iat him, he away.
A/looked was turning B/was looking turned
C/was looking was turning D/looked turned
3. When I saw the vase in the shop window, I knew it was exactly what I
A/looked for B/look for C/had been looking for D/have looked for
4. In the next few years, thousands of speed camerason major roads.
A/are appear B/appearing C/are to appear D/are appearing
5. to Bangkok by the end of June.
A/I aim getting B/I'm aiming getting C/I aim to get D/I'm aim to get
6. We each other later that day, but I had to phone and cancel.
A/see B/are seeing C/were seeing D/saw
7. The police arrested him for criticising the government because he was speaking at Speakers' Corner in Hyde Park.
A/mustn't have B/had C/should have D/can't have
8. The traffic lights green and I pulled away.
A/got B/became C/caught D/went
9. to do in Birmingham at Christmas?
A/What there are B/What is there C/What are there D/What there is
10. I always associate
A/pizza at Italy B/pizza by Italy C/Italian pizza D/pizza with Italy
11. You don't object late tonight, do you?
A/to working B/to work C/work D/working
12. thinks that Phil should be given the job.
A/Neither of us B/The majority of my colleagues
C/Several people D/A number of people
13. 'Wait a minute,' said Frank,
A/running through the door B/run through the door
C/ ran through the door D/runs through the door
14. in my seventies and rather unfit, I might consider taking up squash.
A/Were I not B/Have I not been C/Weren't I D/Were me
15. It was midday., I put on the light.
A/Even so B/Although C/Even D/Even though
16. been diverted, they would have arrived early.
A/Had the plane not B/Hadn't the plane C/The plane had not D/The plane not had
17. When Bond saw Vanya taking photographs of the plane, that she was a spy.
A/dawned on him B/it dawned him C/it dawned on him D/it dawned on

18. I couldn't deny Eve's a reasonable excuse.
 A/having made B/being making C/been made D/having making
19. You filled in the forms, which would have saved you a lot of trouble.
 A/needn't have B/didn't need to have C/oughtn't have D/mustn't have
20. about his opinion in time, he would surely have no objection now.
 A/Did he be asked B/Were he asking C/Should he been asked D/Had he been asked

Culture

21. Which 19th-century author created famous characters such as Mr Micawber and Scrooge?
 A/William Wordsworth B/Jane Austin C/John Milton D/Charles Dickens
22. Which South American country invaded the Falkland Islands in 1982?
 A/Peru B/Argentina C/Chile D/Bolivia
23. Which party, led by Winston Churchill, was in government between 1951 and 1964?
 A/Conservative B/Labour C/Liberal Democrats D/Green
24. Where is the land formation of the Giant's Causeway?
 A/Northern Ireland B/Scotland C/England D/Wales
25. On St David's Day in Wales, which flower would you expect to see people wearing?
 A/Daffodil B/Primrose C/Gladioli D/Aster
26. Who was Geoffrey Chaucer?
 A/Author of *The Canterbury Tales* B/Archbishop of Canterbury
 C/Lord Protector D/Leader of the House of Commons
27. The Brit Awards is an annual event that gives awards in which industry?
 A/Television B/Sport C/Music D/Film
28. What happens on 11 November every year?
 A/Bonfire Night B/Remembrance Day C/Good Friday D/Shrove Tuesday
29. Haggis, a dish traditionally made from a stuffed sheep's stomach, is typical in which country of the UK?
 A/Northern Ireland? B/Scotland C/England D/Wales
30. 26 December is usually referred to as which of the following?
 A/Christmas Day B/New Year's Eve C/St George's Day D/Boxing Day
31. In the USA Father's Day is celebrated in which month?
 A/June B/July C/May D/August
32. How were Elizabeth I and Mary, Queen of Scots related?
 A/They were sisters B/They were cousins
 C/Mary was Elizabeth's daughter D/They were half-sisters
33. Which of these countries was part of the British Empire during Victoria's reign?
 A/France B/Switzerland C/The USA D/India
34. What is the name of the National Anthem of the UK?
 A/Land of Hope and Glory B/I vow to thee my country
 C/The Star Spangled Banner D/God Save the Queen
35. Where is Poets' Corner?
 A/In St Paul's Cathedral B/In Hyde Park
 C/In Westminster Abbey D/On Trafalgar Square
36. What's the name of the ship in which the Founding Fathers arrived in Massachusetts?
 A/Santa Maria B/Mayflower C/Sunflower D/Queen Elizabeth

37. Who delivered the very famous 'I Have a Dream' speech?
 A/John F. Kennedy B/Martin Luther King, Jr.
 C/George Washington D/Abraham Lincoln
38. Who is an *agony aunt* in the USA?
 A/advice columnist. B/grandmother's sister
 C/political advisor D/nurse
39. "The Old Man and the Sea" was written by
 A/F. Scott Fitzgerald B/Ernest Hemingway C/Arthur Miller D/Nathaniel Hawthorne
40. Bill Clinton, elected president in 1992, was
 A/from the Republican Party. B/from the Democratic Party.
 C/from the Labour Party. D/an independent candidate.

Reading I

Put the correct words from the table below in the above article.

Ecotourism is a (41) ____ business that many tour operators cite as being helpful to nature. Every year, millions of people (42) ____ on protected and pristine natural areas to observe rare species. However, a new report (43) ____ doubt on the value of this form of tourism. In fact, it suggests that ecotourism is more damaging than helpful to nature. Details are published in a report in the journal 'Trends (44) ____ Ecology and Evolution'. Researchers believe tourists are disrupting animals in their natural (45) _____. They pointed to a recent event where sea turtles in Costa Rica had problems laying their eggs because of the hordes of tourists who had (46) _____ to watch the turtles' nesting habits.

The report says that ecotourism is making animals bolder and that this could (47) _____ the animals. A regular human presence might make animals tamer and (48) _____ cautious about other animals around them, and this could put them at risk of being attacked by their natural (49) _____. "Then they will suffer higher mortality when they encounter real predators," the report says. It added: "When animals interact in 'benign' ways (50) _____ humans, they may let down their guard." The report said it was essential, "to develop a more comprehensive understanding of how different species in different situations respond (51) _____ human visitation and under what precise conditions human exposure might put them at (52) _____."

41. A/brimming	B/booming	C/blooming	D/bombing
42. A/rescind	B/descend	C/decant	D/reside
43. A/lurches	B/spirals	C/peels	D/casts
44. A/by	B/in	C/at	D/to
45. A/habitual	B/habitat	C/cohabitate	D/inhabit
46. A/congealed	B/congaed	C/congregated	D/congratulated
47. A/engender	B/endgame	C/endanger	D/endemic
48. A/lessen	B/lesser	C/less	D/more
49. A/threatens	B/treaties	C/treats	D/threats
50. A/with	B/by	C/at	D/of
51. A/to	B/for	C/as	D/on
52. A/riskiness	B/risky	C/risk	D/risked

Put the correct words from the table below in the above article.

A French stuntman who specializes (53) _____ scaling skyscrapers has been banned from climbing any building in the UK. Alain Robert, 56, was (54) _____ a 20-week prison sentence on Friday, suspended for two

The judge who (59) ____ over Mr Robert's case told the climber: "You are demonstrably an accomplished climber, but there is always the danger that your actions could be (60) ____ by those less proficient, with potentially fatal consequences." Another judge described the incident as a "publicity (61) ____". He pointed (62) ____ that it appeared Robert had been sponsored to climb the building because he was wearing a T-shirt emblazoned with the logo of a company. Robert was prepared (63) ____ his arrest. When London Police apprehended him at the foot of the tower on Thursday, he immediately (64) ____ officers his passport and the telephone number of his lawyer.

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| 53. A/on | B/in | C/of | D/as |
| 54. A/handled | B/handed | C/hand | D/handing |
| 55. A/subbed | B/scrubbed | C/rubbed | D/dubbed |
| 56. A/responsibly | B/response | C/responsible | D/responsive |
| 57. A/numeral | B/number | C/numerical | D/numeracy |
| 58. A/nude | B/stripped | C/bare | D/undressed |
| 59. A/pressed | B/presented | C/presided | D/presumed |
| 60. A/cremated | B/inflated | C/imitated | D/relegated |
| 61. A/slant | B/shunt | C/stint | D/stunt |
| 62. A/out | B/up | C/in | D/on |
| 63. A/for | B/to | C/of | D/as |
| 64. A/palmed | B/knuckled | C/handed | D/fingered |

65. Keep sugary drinks if you want to stay slim.
A/back B/off C/up D/on

66. I've been over in my mind what happened the other day. I think we have a big problem.
A/going B/taking C/calling D/blowing

67. The children are very quiet. I hope they are not up to mischief.
A/making B/doing C/taking D/getting

68. I must say I was taken when I saw how much cost was involved.
A/aback B/out C/off D/away

69. A new era has to come being or we will simply be left behind.
A/under B/for C/into D/off

70. I was down by a police officer who checked the car and told me that one of my tyres was worn.
A/pulled B/flagged C/woken D/picked

71. If cloud or smoke blots the sun, it covers it and prevents it from being seen.
A/in B/out C/back D/down

72. If the sun, it shines very strongly and makes the air hot.
A/holds off B/beats down C/mists over D/rolls up

73. The sea is away at the cliff and houses close to the edge are at risk.
A/going B/coming C/eating D/making

74. It was my mum's birthday, so my sister and I her to a night out.
A/treated B/tricked C/played D/rolled

75. When the music started, we all our shoes off to dance anyway.
A/flung B/picked C/cut D/removed
76. I had no time to think about what I looked like, so I on my old jeans.
A/dolled B/pulled C/let D/rolled
77. We've had the bedroom in pale green.
A/done out B/put out C/done in D/put in
78. The support of my friends and family helped to me through a very difficult situation.
A/put B/pull C/pack D/pick
79. The head teacher his speech more towards the parents than the pupils.
A/picked B/ranked C/geared D/fixed
80. We weren't sure how to celebrate our anniversary until James on the idea of spending the weekend in Paris.
A/leapt B/hit C/occurred D/went
81. We all need to take some time to reflect what has happened.
A/on B/in C/across D/through
82. on by her supporters, Jenny Hints beat the world record.
A/Waved B/Found C/Cheered D/Went
83. When she heard how the story ended she burst laughing.
A/into B/out C/in D/up
84. She has such an awful voice, it just grates me every time she sings.
A/to B/at C/on D/with

Idioms, proverbs

I, Match the two halves of the sentences

85. Every cloud A/spice of life
86. Variety is the B/the mother of invention
87. Necessity is the C/nothing gained
88. Nothing ventured D/has a silver lining

II, Choose the correct answer

89. They finished the race
A/face and face B/arm and arm C/hand and hand D/neck and neck
90. After the match, the players' legs were
A/black and red B/black and purple C/black and yellow D/black and blue
91. With no qualifications he hasn't got a in hell's chance.
A/dog B/cat C/horse D/duck
92. She won't apologise because she doesn't want to lose –
A/face B/leg C/hair D/tooth
93. Nick and Maria have broken up! The course of the true love never did smooth.
A/go B/come C/run D/move
94. I'm single and still waiting Charming to appear on his white horse.
A/Duke B/Prince C/King D/Earl

95. There may be a big argument with someone close to you. But don't worry, it will just be a storm in a
A/teapot B/teacup C/bath D/shower
96. His dramatic performance sent shivers down on my
A/spine B/shoulders C/stomach D/arms
97. You shouldn't just snack – try to have at least one meal every day.
A/square B/round C/around D/circle
98. People who are rude to others make my blood
A/stick B/catch C/freeze D/boil
99. Katy has been down in the since she failed her exam.
A/mud B/dumps C/sands D/soil
100. You've been behaving very badly. It's time to turn over a new and start behaving responsibly.
A/leaf B/wood C/letter D/sheet
101. The cakes I made were a disaster. They were hard and nobody could eat them.
A/stone B/rock C/hill D/cliff
102. Don't believe their promises. There's no such thing as a free
A/dinner B/breakfast C/supper D/lunch
103. My dad hates bad manners, so mind your
A/Bs and Cs B/gap C/Ps and Qs D/business
104. The police didn't do anything about the situation, so we decided to take into our own hands.
A/cases B/stories C/matters D/ways

Reading II

Answer questions 105-112 by referring to the brochure describing various landmarks in Kilkenny, Ireland.

105. It served as a residence to one family over a span of many generations. A B C D
106. It was left to Ireland by an old aristocratic family..... A B C D
107. It was used as a prison..... A B C D
108. It was rented to the country. A B C D
109. Its construction included material which was obtained from all parts of the country. A B C D
110. It changed hands as a result of political turmoil. A B C D
111. It has been given a mention in a literary work. A B C D
112. It was attacked by military forces and was virtually destroyed..... A B C D

Text A: St Canice's Cathedral

The ancient city of Kilkenny was named after St Canice, a 6th century monk. His memory lives on in the beautifully restored St Canice's Cathedral, built overlooking the city in the first decade of the thirteenth century. Ireland's second largest medieval cathedral, it was established by St Canice as a monastic settlement. Much of the building on the cathedral was carried out between 1215 and 1260 under the patronage of William the Earl Marshall. St Canice's Cathedral is richly endowed with many stained glass windows. The choir stalls are decorated with fine continental carvings and the sanctuary floor is paved with different coloured marble from the four provinces of Ireland. Oliver Cromwell's troops wreaked havoc on the cathedral in 1650, but it survived and was restored in the 18th century.

Text B: Kilkenny Castle

Kilkenny Castle, one of Ireland's most magnificent and early-recognisable landmarks, was built by the Normans who arrived in the city during the 12th century. William the Earl Marshall built the first stone castle on the site in 1260. This was a square-shaped castle with towers at each corner; three of these

original four towers survive to this day. The castle was bought by the illustrious Butler family in 1391, and for over five hundred years, until 1935, they continued to live there. The property was bequeathed to the Nation in 1967 and the castle and grounds are now managed by Dúchas, the Irish National Heritage Council. The gardens adjoining the castle are open to the public and the recently opened Parade Tower is Kilkenny's newest function and conference venue.

Text C: Grace's Old Castle

Grace's Castle is presently used for sittings of the Circuit and District Courts. The site was originally a town house of the wealthy Grace family who leased the building to the Crown in 1566. Used as a gaol from 1566, it was transformed into a courthouse around the end of the 18th century. Archival material suggests that Sir Jerome Fitzpatrick carried out the extensive renovations needed to convert the building into a courthouse. Another architect, William Robertson, remodelled the facade and added other features such as a balcony and stone staircase. The front of the building, which is visible from street level, still retains some of the original features of the gaol.

Text D: Rothe House

Rothe House was built by John Rothe Fitz-Piers in 1594, when the Italian Renaissance was at its height. The house was built in three parts, which Rothe referred to as the first, second and third houses. John Rothe married Rose Archer, daughter of another leading Kilkenny dynasty and they lived in style and comfort with their family of four sons and eight daughters until 1653, when due to a change in government, the house was confiscated. The house was returned to the Rothers in 1660 after the Restoration of Charles II. Rothe House passed from the family for the last time in 1691. In the 18th century, the building became a school which had listed among its distinguished pupils the Banim brothers, in one whose novels the house is described. By the end of the 19th century the second and third houses were roofless. The house was bought by Kilkenny Archaeological Society in 1962. It was then restored and opened as a museum in 1966.

Spelling

One of the four words is **misspelt**. Choose the **wrong word**.

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| 113. A/assistance | B/reference | C/tolerance | D/incessant |
| 114. A/disappearance | B/turbulance | C/performance | D/adolescence |
| 115. A/relative | B/achieve | C/receive | D/wierd |
| 116. A/ordinary | B/imaginery | C/picturesque | D/splendid |
| 117. A/employment | B/announcement | C/preferance | D/proposal |
| 118. A/scenario | B/schene | C/scene | D/science |
| 119. A/bordom | B/wisdom | C/kingdom | D/freedom |
| 120. A/stream | B/heal | C/seige | D/deceive |