

### I. READING

How many sports do you like? How many sports are you good at? Jessica Ennis is a British heptathlete. She became a heptathlete in 1997, when she was eleven. The heptathlon is an outdoor athletics competition. In Greek 'hepta' means 'seven' and 'athlon' means 'contest'.

This means that Jessica does seven sports in athletics competitions. The seven different events are: 100 metres hurdles, high jump, shot put, running 200 metres, long jump, javelin and running 800 metres. Heptathletes score points for each event. The person with the highest score wins the competition. The outdoor heptathlon is only for women athletes.

Jessica started athletics at school when she was a teenager. She enjoyed all the sports, so she trained at all of them! Therefore it wasn't a difficult decision to become a heptathlete. Her favourite sport of the seven is running and she finds javelin the most difficult.

Jessica became World Champion in 2009 when she was only 23. The next year she became European Champion. Then, she was World Champion in 2011 and 2015. She also became Olympic Champion in 2012. She won the gold medal for the heptathlon in the London Olympics. The next year she won another award – the CBE (*Order of the British Empire*) – from Queen Elizabeth II for services to athletics. Finally, Jessica won the silver medal in the 2016 Olympic Games in Rio de Janeiro.

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#### Glossary:

heptathlete - семиборець; heptathlon - семиборство; hurdles - біг з бар'єрами; shot put - штовхання ядра; javelin - спис; services - заслуги

#### 1. Jessica Ennis comes from

- ☒ A) the United Kingdom.  
☐ Б) Greece.  
☒ B) Britain.  
☐ Г) Greek.

#### 2. Jessica is ..... years old.

- ☐ A) twenty-three      ☐ Б) twenty-six  
☐ B) twenty-nine      ☒ Г) thirty-three

#### 3. .... athletes take part in outdoor heptathlons.

- ☐ A) All  
☒ Б) Women  
☐ B) Men  
☐ Г) Only twenty-three-year-old

#### 4. Jessica became World Champion

- ☐ A) once.      ☐ Б) twice.  
☒ B) three times.      ☐ Г) four times.

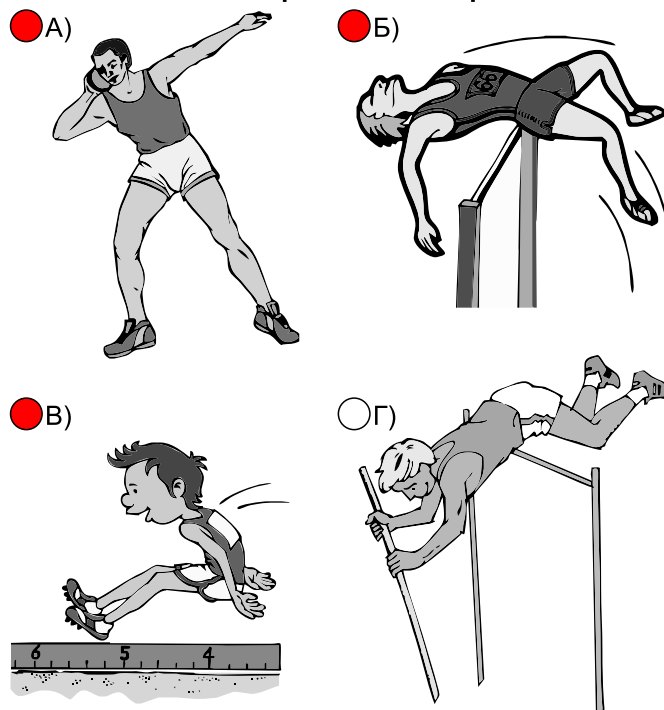
#### 5. Jessica likes ..... the most.

- ☒ A) 100 metres hurdles  
☐ Б) javelin  
☒ B) running 800 metres  
☒ Г) running 200 metres

### 6. Choose the true sentences

- ☒ A) Jessica won two Olympic medals.  
☒ Б) Jessica became European Champion in 2010.  
☐ B) Jessica finds shot put the most difficult event.  
☒ Г) Jessica became Olympic Champion in the London Olympic Games.

### 7. Women outdoor heptathletes compete in:



### II. COMMUNICATION

#### 8. A: Could you feed my cat while I'm on holiday, please?

B: .....

- ☒ A) Yes, sure. No problem.  
☐ Б) I'm sorry, I forgot.  
☐ B) Yes, I did. Every morning.  
☒ Г) Yes, of course I will.

#### 9. A: Can I try these jeans on?

B: .....

- ☐ A) Of course I can.  
☒ Б) Sure. The changing rooms are over there.  
☐ B) I don't know where it is.  
☒ Г) Yes, certainly.

10. A: I'd like a ticket to Worcester, please.

B: .....

- ☐ A) Next please!  
☐ Б) Platform three.  
☒ В) Single or return?  
☐ Г) How much is a return ticket?

11. Students ..... use their smartphones during the exam.

- ☐ A) don't have to  
☒ Б) mustn't  
☒ В) aren't allowed to  
☒ Г) can't



12. A: It's my birthday party on Saturday evening.  
Can you come?

B: .....

- ☒ A) I'm really sorry. I can't go, I'm afraid.  
☒ Б) I'd love to.  
☐ В) Never mind. Next Saturday, perhaps.  
☒ Г) Yes, with great pleasure!

13. A: I was ill at the weekend.

B: .....

- ☒ A) That's terrible!  
☒ Б) Poor you!  
☒ В) What a shame!  
☐ Г) No way!

### III. VOCABULARY

14. My dad used to have a penfriend who was

- ☐ A) Japanese. ☐ Б) Germany.  
☒ В) Japanese. ☒ Г) Dutch.

15. When it's cold, you should wear ..... around your neck.

- ☐ A) gloves ☒ Б) a scarf  
☐ В) a belt ☐ Г) tights

16. An American dollar is often called

- ☐ A) a dime. ☒ Б) a buck.  
☐ В) a penny. ☐ Г) a nickel.

17. We need ..... to play a game of table tennis.

- ☐ A) two rockets ☐ Б) shin pads  
☒ В) a net ☒ Г) two bats

18. Shaun and his friends are crazy about football.  
They are ..... of Manchester United Football Club.

- ☐ A) umpires ☒ Б) fans  
☐ В) onlookers ☒ Г) supporters

19. Don't eat these berries! They are

- ☒ A) disgusting. ☒ Б) poisonous.  
☒ В) harmful. ☐ Г) tasteful.

20. .... is a vegetable. It contains vitamins and minerals.

- ☒ A) Lettuce ☐ Б) Loin  
☐ В) Cod ☒ Г) Cabbage

21. Lucy's aunt is a ..... . She works in a hospital.

- ☐ A) miner ☒ Б) physiotherapist  
☒ В) surgeon ☒ Г) nurse

### IV. GRAMMAR

22. I need to buy ..... bread for my birthday party.

- ☒ A) a lot of ☒ Б) some  
☒ В) a little ☐ Г) a few

23. I promise I'll ..... speak much better English next summer.

- ☐ A) can ☐ Б) have  
☐ В) must ☒ Г) be able to

24. Jeff ..... his left hand yesterday.

- ☒ A) burnt ☒ Б) burned  
☒ В) cut ☐ Г) cutted

25. We can't go out ..... it's raining heavily.

- ☐ A) and ☐ Б) so  
☒ В) because ☐ Г) but

26. The River Thames is ..... the Mississippi River.

- ☒ A) not as long as  
☐ Б) shorter as  
☐ В) not as longer as  
☒ Г) shorter than

27. Matthew and Jim aren't at home. They

- ☐ A) ride their bikes.  
☐ Б) often watch the football match.  
☒ В) are at school.  
☒ Г) are playing football in the school pitch.

28. There isn't ..... butter on the table.

- ☒ A) much ☐ Б) a ☒ В) any ☐ Г) some

29. Tom ..... to go to Spain on holiday in the summer.

- ☐ A) can ☒ Б) would like  
☒ В) wants ☐ Г) be able

30. We haven't got ..... eggs in the fridge.

- ☐ A) some ☐ Б) much ☒ В) many ☒ Г) any