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I. Olvasott szöveg értése



Fontos tudnivalók

- Az utasításokat pontosan kell követni.
- Csak az utasításban megadott helyre beírt megoldás fogadható el.
- Szótár nem használható.
- Minden kérdésre csak egy helyes válasz adható.
- Csak az olvasható írás értékelhető, érdemes nyomtatott nagybetűt használni.
- Az üres, nem besatírozott négyzetekbe kell beírni a válaszokat.
- Javítani lehet, de csak egyértelmű megoldások fogadhatók el.

Task 1

You are planning to visit England and are looking at a tourist brochure on hotels. Read the information about four different hotels. In which text (A-D) can you find the information (1-7)? Write your answers in the boxes. There is an *example* (0) at the beginning.

Text A:

If you're visiting London you'll need a comfortable hotel which is not far from the London attractions. The Premier Court Hotel is located in the West End of London just a few minutes from the main business and shopping centres and the Underground is just a five-minute walk. It is a family run hotel with a friendly and helpful service at budget prices. It has some large family rooms, where two children up to 15 can stay free. The rooms were traditionally designed and they are all very comfortable. Facilities also include a Wireless Internet.

Text B:

The Fisherman's Inn is an idyllic hotel overlooking the sea on the East Devon coast. It is situated in a beautiful picture postcard village, which was once famous for its smugglers. This part of the country is ideal for long walks along the coast or fishing. The hotel is not big, there are only 8 bedrooms but they are all tastefully furnished. There is a cliff-top beer garden overlooking the sea, which is very popular in the summer. Because of its location the restaurant specializes in fresh local seafood, though there is a wide range of other dishes too.

Text C:

Park Hotel is a romantic 17th century country house hotel. It is surrounded by a beautiful garden with some of the oldest trees in England. Guests can relax and enjoy the idyllic atmosphere but if they want to do some shopping or go out in the evening, the hotel is only about a 10-minute drive from the centre of Birmingham. All of the bedrooms are furnished at a high standard but in different styles. Guests can take a swim in the beautiful Roman Bath style pool or relax in the Jacuzzi or steam room. There is a free bus when four or more guests are travelling together from or to Birmingham International Railway station or airport.

Text D:

A very warm and friendly welcome awaits you at Moonlight Guesthouse in Stratford-upon Avon. You can enjoy the beautiful luxury rooms, the excellent service and delicious home cooking. All rooms are on the ground floor and have a separate entrance from the garden. These rooms have recently got fully renovated English style furnishings. The house is situated opposite a pleasant park and there is also an outdoor heated swimming pool, so it is ideal for families with children. There is a choice of full English, continental or vegetarian breakfast from fresh local products. Those who want to visit the theatres can easily do it as they are within walking distance.

Adapted from <http://www.thehotelguru.com/best-hotels-in/united-kingdom/dorset>

Information to find:

- 0** *This hotel is not very expensive.*
- 1** You can have a drink and enjoy the view at the same time.
- 2** Restored furniture was put in not long ago.
- 3** The furniture in each room looks different.
- 4** The managers of the hotel are a family.
- 5** You can go into your room straight from outside.
- 6** Food for breakfast is produced in the area.
- 7** You don't have to pay for younger children.

Write your answers here:

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
A							
✓							

7 pont

Task 2

You are going to read a newspaper article about an actress, Julie Walters. Parts of some sentences are missing. Choose the most suitable part from the list (A-M) for each gap (8-17). There is one extra part that you do not need to use. Write your answers in the boxes after the text. There is an *example (0)* at the beginning.

British character actress Julie Walters was born in Birmingham **_0_**, on the 22nd of February, 1950. She was the youngest of three children and the only daughter of Irish Catholic parents. Her parents were simple people who worked full time **_8_** or for reading and education. There were hardly any books in the house.

In her teens Julie didn't like school, **_9_**. She was a bad student and she missed a lot of classes. The situation became so bad that in the end, the headmaster of the secondary school that she went to decided to write to the parents. In the letter he asked them **_10_** back to school. He gave the letter to Julie to take it home to her parents. But Julie did not give it to them. She opened it and when she saw what was in it, **_11_**. At home she just told her parents that she had decided to leave school and find work.

Her mother wanted her to have a nursing career, **_12_**, Julie enrolled in a training course in a Birmingham hospital. But in the second year of her studies she became interested in acting, left her course, and started studying English and Drama at the Manchester Polytechnic where **_13_**, although not in the same course.

At first her mother was angry because she wanted her daughter to **_14_** but later she became proud of her success. When she died, in 1989, Julie found a box in which her mother had collected all the newspaper articles written about Julie's many successes.

But success **_15_**. After college she joined a small theatre group and also **_16_** with different smaller groups. Her first real theatre success came in 1980 with the Royal Shakespeare Company. After this **_17_** several television productions and films, too. Today she is one of the most popular British entertainers and TV personalities.

Adapted from <http://www.imdb.com>

- A in a working class family
- B although she had some good friends there
- C didn't come to her easily
- D have a proper job
- E her boyfriend was a student
- F not to send their daughter
- G she appeared in
- H she threw it away
- J so they had little time for their children
- K so to please her
- L worked as a comedian
- M writing poetry and drama

Write your answers here:

0	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
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Task 3

You are going to read a newspaper article. For statements 18-25 choose the option (a, b or c) that best completes them. Only ONE option is correct. Write your answers in the boxes after the text. There is an *example (0)* at the beginning.

THE E-BOOK ERA IS HERE: BESTSELLERS GO DIGITAL

Publishing circles speculate how long it will take before e-books become a majority of the industry's sales. No one doubts that that is where the market is headed. Amazon, the industry leader, already sells three times as many Kindle e-books as hardcovers. Last week, the Association of American Publishers announced that in January, for the first time, monthly e-book sales had been higher than hardcovers. Paperbacks are still the first, for now.

E-books are by far the fastest-growing part of the otherwise slow, problematic publishing business. The acceleration has been quick and dramatic, and in some ways this may get faster if physical outlets for books, like bookstores, disappear faster than expected.

After Borders, the second largest bookstore chain in the country, crashed last month, the question arose as to whether the popularity of e-books had caused its collapse. One of the main problems was that Borders didn't maintain its own website, but decided to sell through Amazon. In contrast, rival Barnes & Noble sells its own popular e-reader, the Nook, and B&N.com features a lively store that has seen its e-book sales take off. Still, both chains are light-years behind Amazon, creator of the Kindle, by far the best-selling e-reader in the market.

Despite the growing popularity of e-books, they present a challenge for publishers. The industry still makes over 90% of its profits from print. That means major publishers have had to maintain their print business while at the same time grow their digital side. It is not that digital isn't profitable. Digital at its present level makes few or none of the costs of running a print business go away. That means huge stores, well-trained salespersons and extensive systems. What's more, publishing has always been based on the number of copies printed, and with a reduction of the number of paper books, printing is becoming more expensive.

So are print books going to disappear? That's not expected — at least not yet, say experts. They compare publishing to the music business, in which CD sales have dropped but not ended. Also, certain genres aren't practical as e-books. It doesn't make sense yet for digital cookbooks, travel books, information books and textbooks.

The fact that a customer can order and download a book in a second is not enough to make print books disappear. Some people just like to have books in their house. Basically, if you just want to read a book, a print book is still a pretty good choice.

Adapted from <http://www.time.com>

Example:

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| 0 | The publishing world believes that
a) <i>e-books will never be more popular than print books</i>
b) <i>hardcovers are the future of publishing</i>
c) <i>in a few years more e-books than print books will be sold</i> | 0 | c | ✓ |
| 18 | In January, most books sold in the U.S. were
a) e-books.
b) hardcovers.
c) paperbacks. | 18 | | |
| 19 | The sale of e-books
a) has increased enormously.
b) is slower because of the drop of business.
c) will have problems if more bookshops close. | 19 | | |
| 20 | The reason for Borders' crash was that
a) books are becoming more popular.
b) it gave up independent trading.
c) its website was not as good as B&N.com. | 20 | | |
| 21 | The most popular e-book reader is
a) the Amazon.
b) the Kindle.
c) the Nook. | 21 | | |
| 22 | The publishing industry
a) can reduce costs by selling only print books.
b) earns most of its profits from print books.
c) makes no money from e-books. | 22 | | |
| 23 | Printing is becoming more expensive because
a) digital format is costly.
b) less books are being printed.
c) more salespeople need to be hired. | 23 | | |
| 24 | The sale of CDs
a) continues despite digital downloads.
b) has started to rise.
c) will last longer than the sale of print books. | 24 | | |
| 25 | Experts believe that
a) people are not attached to print books.
b) print books are easier and quicker to get.
c) textbooks are still better in print. | 25 | | |
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This is the end of this part of the exam.

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I. Olvasott szöveg értése	Task 1	7	
	Task 2	10	
	Task 3	8	
FELADATPONT		25	
VIZSGAPONT		33	