

## ИТОГОВАЯ РАБОТА № 2.

Итоговое задание по теме нужно выполнить и отправить на проверку своему учителю с помощью *электронного дневника* или электронной почты.

1. 10 класс
2. Английский язык
3. Чтение, Модуль 4/Темы по планированию: (1 - 7)

**Задание 1.** Match texts 1-7 with headings A-H. There is one you do not need to use.

**A. ELIMINATE WASTE**

**E. AWARENESS DAY**

**B. CLIMATE CHANGE**

**F. CITY BAN PROPOSAL**

**C. IS BIGGER BETTER?**

**G. CONSERVATION PROGRAMME**

**D. ON THE RISE**

**H. A NATURAL**

<p>1 A study by a group of Australian researchers suggests that global sea levels could go up by as much as 50 cm over the course of this century, should current trends continue. This is particularly worrying for island nations like the United Kingdom who already lose hundreds of square miles of land each year due to erosion. The research is based on data from locations around the globe and covers a 130-year period.</p> <p>2 How can we live less wastefully and support the environment so that it may be healthy for generations to come? It may seem like an overwhelming task but it takes just three steps to make a real difference: we must reduce, reuse and recycle! Before we throw anything away, we must think if there is any way we can use it for another purpose. It is good for your finances too!</p> <p>3 The Earth has warmed by three quarters of a degree centigrade over the last hundred years. Alarmingly, more than half of this warming has occurred since the 1970s. We can no longer question whether human activity has contributed to this rise. The emission of greenhouse gases such as carbon dioxide, methane and nitrous oxide has affected our climate dramatically. Depending on our emissions, the average global temperature could rise between 1.1 and 6.4 degrees by the end of the century.</p> <p>4 Declared a World Heritage area in 1981, The Great Barrier Reef is the largest structure built</p>	<p>by living organisms. It is the only living organic collective that is visible from the Earth's orbit. Covering a territory of more than 300,000 square kilometres, it is made up of beautiful islands and idyllic coral cays. It contains the world's largest collection of coral reefs. No wonder the Australians are so proud!</p> <p>5 Birkback College is open to the public on the 23rd of May from 11 am to 5.30 pm to get us thinking on a wide variety of topics. Join in the many workshops and you will get the opportunity to find out how your lifestyle affects the environment, the dos and don'ts of recycling and much, much more! You can even bring in your heating bills and get expert advice on how you can save energy at home!</p> <p>6 Want to live and/or work in a pleasant environment, a laid-back city? Then private cars must go! The only permitted motor vehicles would be buses, small taxis and vehicles for essential services. This would solve the current problems of congestion and parking and improve the quality of the air. Who wants to drive at six miles per hour, pollute the atmosphere and fight with pedestrians? We can beautify the city and improve the quality of life for people who live in the centre if we so desire!</p> <p>7 Genetic modification has made it possible for farmers to grow crops that previously seemed impossible: huge plants bursting with natural pesticides and vitamins. Such crops mean that people in third-world countries won't have to go hungry every day because there will be enough to feed the whole of the world's population. On the other hand, some people fear that GM crops could pose more risks than benefits to humans.</p>
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Ответы: (максимально 7 баллов)

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Задание 2. Read the text, then choose the correct answer (A, B, C or D) for questions 1-7.

## THE PYRAMIDS OF EGYPT

Since ancient times, the pyramids at Giza in Egypt have been one of the world's most popular tourist destinations. The largest of these, the Great Pyramid of Giza, or Khufu's Pyramid, is the only one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World that still survives today. It was the tallest building in the world for almost 5,000 years - that is, until the Eiffel Tower was built in 1889.

Pharaohs, the first rulers of Egypt, built pyramids to show their power to the people. The first Pharaohs built much simpler tombs called mastabas. These mastabas were square buildings with a room inside big enough for the coffin, the mummy of the pharaoh's body and his treasures. Ancient Egyptians believed that dead people still needed their bodies and treasures, such as paintings, gold and jewels, for their life after death.

Many of the pyramids were decorated inside, especially in the room where the dead pharaoh was laid. Archaeologists discovered many pictures in the tombs and mysterious writing on the walls called hieroglyphics. Invented about 5,000 years ago, hieroglyphics are the oldest form of writing. They were just simple drawings of everyday things we see and hear. The Egyptians believed that both the hieroglyphics and the tomb pictures were magical, which is why they painted them inside the pyramids.

When we look at the pyramids today, it is easy to see that they were built to last for a very long time. Have you ever wondered how these great monuments were built? Many archaeologists believe that the builders first studied the stars to decide which direction the pyramid would face, as Egyptians believed the pharaohs would join the stars after death. Then, they built a small mastaba on the ground. Next, they put dirt and stones all over it, leaving a tunnel to the outside. To raise the stones to the top of the pyramid, they probably built long ramps and then rolled the stones up them.

The city of Giza is on the River Nile. The Nile was also very important in the building of the pyramids as it was used to transport the stones from far away. Granite and marble, for example, were brought from Aswan, which is over 500km

away. Many ships also brought limestone, used for the outside walls of the pyramids, from the city of Tura, which was just across the river from Giza.

Just to give you an idea of how large the Great Pyramid is - it is the height of a modern 40-storey building, or over 145 metres. It covers an area of land the size of seven city streets. Workers used 2,300,000 blocks to build it, each weighing 2,500 kilograms (2.5 tons). It took about 36,000 workers (mostly slaves and farmers) between 20 and 30 years to build it. This means that for every minute they worked, they added three blocks to the pyramid!

In conclusion, there is still a great deal of wonder and mystery surrounding the pyramids. No one knows for certain exactly when and how they were built. So far 46 of them have been found in Egypt. However, maybe there are others lying underneath the sand just waiting to be discovered. Only time will tell!

1 Khufu's Pyramid...

- A is the world's most popular tourist destination.
- B is the tallest of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World.
- C was built about five thousand years ago.
- D is taller than the Eiffel Tower.

3 The Egyptians decorated the pyramids with

- A only hieroglyphics.
- B only pictures.
- C hieroglyphics and pictures.
- D gold and jewels.

5 The Egyptians built the pyramids

- A a long way from the River Nile.
- B in order to study the stars.
- C next to a mastaba.
- D using long ramps.

2 The mastabas...

- A were pyramids.
- B were simple places to bury dead pharaohs.
- C were bigger than pyramids.
- D contained the mothers of the pharaohs.

4 Which of the following is not true about hieroglyphics?

- A They are an ancient form of writing.
- B Egyptians thought they were magical.
- C They showed everyday things.
- D They are painted on the outside of the pyramids.

6 The limestone used came from

- A Giza.
- B the river.
- C Aswan.
- D Tura.

7 The Great Pyramid of Giza

A has 40 storeys.

B looks like a modern building.

C took many years to build.

D was built by 2,300,000 workers.

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