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## Введение

Настоящие учебно-методические материалы предназначены для студентов IV курса, обучающихся по направлениям подготовки «Лингвистика», «Педагогическое образование» и «Филология», и представляют учебные темы IV курса в виде функционально-семантических схем и лексико-грамматических парадигм. Словарь также предлагает тренировочные тесты для закрепления изучаемых единиц и систематизирует лексику и лексико-грамматические модели, используемые в смысловой интерпретации текста и комментировании материалов периодической печати.

В методическом аспекте организация словаря представляет собой подстановочную таблицу инвариантных моделей, служащих для порождения множества речевых произведений. Методическая целесообразность словаря проявляется в возможностях его использования в подготовке к устному введению темы в форме полилога, коммуникативных и ролевых игр и других упражнений, предполагающих семантизацию лексики и её тренировку в общении. Словарь служит ориентировочной схемой для запоминания материала, подлежащего усвоению, и для планирования развернутых высказываний.

В словаре отражена вариативность, эквивалентность лингвистических единиц, синонимия, антонимия, словообразование, сочетаемость, правила трансформаций-парафразов, употребление предлогов, артиклей, стилистическая дифференциация.

Лексико-грамматические средства распределяются в словаре по трем колонкам, которые выделены на основе наиболее общих семантических признаков: предметности (*objects*); качества, признака, свойства (*qualities*); процесса, действия, состояния (*processes, actions, states*).

***Topic: UPBRINGING***Problems of Upbringing

bringing up children /  
the younger generation  
child rearing  
moulding a child's  
character  
the teacher-pupil / parent-  
child relationship  
mutual understanding  
the treatment and  
training of the child  
within the home

to be of great concern to / the greatest  
concern of the school / the older  
generation / adults / parents / teachers  
to be much spoken of / widely  
discussed by / studied by  
educationalists / psychologists /  
sociologists  
to be of utmost importance  
to be no easy matter / a matter of  
experience  
to take a great deal of experience

AdultsAdults' Qualities Conducive to Effective Upbringing

love for children  
wisdom  
tolerance  
patience  
a sense of humour  
tact  
culture

to be at the basis of  
to be required in .../ for...  
to be an indispensable quality of ... /  
for...  
cannot be overestimated  
to be necessary / indispensable /  
particularly important / of utmost  
importance in ... / for ...

Problems of Adult Behaviour

leniency  
permissiveness  
overstrictness  
familiarity  
negligence  
overindulgence  
indifference

to lead to / to result in  
to be the cause of / reason for / at the  
basis of  
to fail one's duty

Adults: Educational Goals

parents

to educate / bring up / raise the  
younger generation

<i>objects</i>	<i>qualities</i>	<i>processes, actions, states</i>
teachers		to be concerned with / in charge of / to
the older generation		have the charge of the educational
grown-ups		development of children
father(s)		to prepare sb for life
mother(s)		to maintain a correct sense of values
		to mould sb / sb's character /
		personality
		to bring up / mould / nurture a worthy
		person / man / citizen
		to mould / nurture / cultivate / bring
		out personal qualities: truthfulness,
		generosity, compassion etc
		to teach sb (children) the art of living
		together
		to develop sb's personality / talent /
		outlook / abilities
		to broaden / deepen sb's outlook /
		scope / knowledge

#### Adults: Behaviour

to deal with / cope with sb / sth  
to have sb's interests / welfare at heart  
to take sb's interests / welfare /  
mistakes / failures close to heart  
to communicate with sb  
to succeed in doing sth  
to fail to do sth

#### Adults: Desirable Qualities, Efficient Behaviour and Success

wise	to be wise etc
clever	to act wisely etc
intelligent	to create a friendly relaxed atmosphere
sensible	to make one's home / school a
reasonable	welcoming place for children
considerate	to welcome sb / children under the
competent	home-roof
efficient	to develop / welcome / encourage sb's
caring	inquisitiveness / creativity / reasoning /
well-read	independence / thinking / decision
cultured	making

*objects*

*qualities*

*processes, actions, states*

cultivated	to encourage / motivate / stimulate sb
witty	to do sth
artistic	to involve sb in work / purposeful activity
creative	to direct sb's energy / ideas / inquisitiveness / creativity / vigour into
enthusiastic	constructive / noble / the right channels
resourceful	to treat sb with respect / trust / confidence
inventive	to show adequate response / understanding / respect / consideration
stimulating	to trust / respect sb
broad-minded	to have confidence in sb
tolerant	to handle sb gently and subtly
patient	to coax / cajole / talk sb (a child) into / out of doing sth
flexible	to reason with sb (a child)
impartial	to find a way with sb
prudent	to put up with sb / sth
tactful	to leave sb alone
consistent	to afford sb freedom / privacy
honest	to pass over petty / minor offence / wrong-doing
sincere	to laugh sth off
punctual	to take a different line of behaviour
responsible	to outweigh the evil of the outside world / damaging / unfavourable influences / surroundings / environment
responsive	to consult a psychotherapist
sympathetic	to know when to make a stand and then to give way
benevolent	to hit it off with sb
amiable	to provide a secure emotional background
affectionate	
generous	
self-sacrificing	
exacting	
strict	

**The Teacher's Profession**

**The Teacher's Behaviour**

to have a great talent for teaching / to

*objects*

*qualities*

*processes, actions, states*

be a born teacher / to have all the makings of a teacher / to be cut out for teaching

to work / do wonders / magic / miracles

to give one's enthusiasm to sb/sth

to get sb interested

to excite sb by an idea

to create enthusiasm / a business-like atmosphere

to capture sb's attention

### Establishing Order and Discipline

to take up a firm attitude from the very beginning

to take firm action

to show sb / make sb see who's boss (coll.)

to set one's class in order

to forbid sb to do sth

to criticize / reprimand sb / sb's behaviour

to pass over petty offences

to put sb off

to tell sb off

to lecture sb

to notify sb's parents

to bring sb before the school-board / the form meeting

to report to the Head-teacher

to summon the wrong-doer's parents to the school

to send the wrong-doer away from the lesson

to detain the wrong-doer after class

to sentence the wrong-doer to some work

to provide an incentive (for sb's inquisitiveness / creativity / learning)

to establish / create a mood

*objects*

*qualities*

*processes, actions, states*

to show flexibility and impartiality  
to win / gain sb's love / respect /  
affection / confidence  
to establish / assert one's authority  
to give individual attention to sb  
to get adjusted to sb  
to maintain/ keep up / establish  
discipline / order

Adults: Undesirable Qualities, Inefficient Behaviour and Failure

unwise	to fail one's duty
stupid	to neglect / corrupt / spoil sb
unreasonable	to damage / hamper / hinder (the development of) sb's personality
incompetent	to (over)indulge sb / sb's desires / sb's whims
inefficient	
uncultured	to lavish sb with creature comforts / praise
narrow-minded	
shallow	to pamper / to make too much of sb
dull	to give in / to yield to a child's demands
uninspiring	to be too lenient / permissive / strict / peremptory
indifferent	
negligent	to give sb too much rope
intolerant	to play right into sb's hand
impatient	to shield sb from life / the disappointments of life
imprudent	
tactless	to be too much of a dictator
inconsistent	to use parental pressure / strict supervision
dishonest	
unpunctual	to interfere into sb's private world / life / affairs
irresponsible	
unresponsive	to deny sb freedom / independence
callous	to use corporal punishment
unfriendly	to punish / smack / spank / beat / to cane sb (severely / cruelly)
irritable	
selfish	to rap one's knuckles
arrogant	to threaten / scare / mistreat sb
resentful	to scold / reprimand / abuse sb
hostile	to extract obedience through fear / threats / scaring / shouting
permissive	



*objects**qualities**processes, actions, states*

(over)indulgent	to act as an unreasonable dictator
devoid of pedagogical ability	to be hard on sb
authoritative	to humiliate sb
	to hurt sb's feelings
	to make a fuss about a trifle
	to find fault with
	to exaggerate the value of pedagogical talks
	to take one's irritation out on sb
	to blame sb / sth for one's failures
	to impose one's opinion / standards on sb
	to put an ugly creak into sb's / one's relations

**Youngsters:****Educational Goals**

intelligence	inherent	to justify oneself by the pressure of
creativity	inborn	modern society
self-reliance	cultivated	to lose touch with / alienate / embitter sb
inquisitiveness	acquired	to aggravate the situation
honesty	real	to be a virtue / a desirable / sympathetic / praiseworthy quality
truthfulness	sincere	to be a goal of education / upbringing / one of the educational goals
a sense of responsibility	assumed	to be characteristic of / typical of / for / peculiar to / in the nature of children
a correct / adequate sense of values	false	to be cultivated / developed / moulded / brought out / encouraged
loyalty to one's country	pretended	to be (not easy)
sensitivity		
amiability		

**Problems of Behaviour and Character**

lack of purpose	adolescent	to occur
In life	permanent	to be the result of / consequence of / due to / caused by / provoked by
delinquency	occasional	to be an unsympathetic / undesirable quality
rowdiness	deliberate	
violence	(un)intentional	

<i>objects</i>	<i>qualities</i>	<i>processes, actions, states</i>
parent-battering	inborn (quality)	to be a fault / drawback / failing /
rebellion	acquired	shortcoming of character
peer pressure	teenage	to be much spoken of / a real cause for
hanging about	inexplicable	concern
stealing	intolerable	to worry / irritate / annoy / frustrate /
pinching	shocking	strain the patience of parents and
misbehaviour	revolting	teachers
offence		must be discouraged / punished / dealt
wrong-doing		with / fought with / got rid of
misdeed		to lead to / to cause undesirable
breach of		qualities
discipline		

### Desirable Qualities

youngster	bright	to be brought up / raised / educated
youth	creative	to be taken (much/little/no) care of
teenager	talented	to be well / badly looked after
adolescent	inquisitive	to have a happy / unhappy home /
offspring	intelligent	family background
boy	inventive	to be made much of
girl	resourceful	to be brought up in a one-parent family
baby	responsive	to feel father-hungry
kid	honest	to be encouraged / motivated /
	truthful	stimulated to do sth etc
	responsible	to come into contact with
	self-reliant	to be confronted with drugs / sex /
	sensitive	alcohol / foul language
	amiable	to be subject to / prone to / exposed to
	sociable	many unsatisfactory influences
	compliant	to show disregard for sb
	self-disciplined	to pass / go through a difficult period
	balanced	of one's life / a puberty development /
	outgoing	a transition period
	courteous	to observe / imitate sb (parents,
	discreet	teachers, adults, one's contemporaries,
	respectful	peers) unconsciously
	generous	to follow one's example
	considerate	to learn by example
		to look up to sb / down on sb
		to have / share one's duties about the

*objects*

*qualities*

*processes, actions, states*

compassionate  
hard-working  
industrious  
diligent  
persevering  
conscientious  
grateful  
obedient

house / household duties /chores  
to go one's own way  
to give an outlet to one's energy /  
feeling  
to segregate into groups  
to protest against one's parents  
conventions  
to withdraw from ordinary society  
to get together  
to assert oneself  
to strive / long for self-assertion / self-  
expression  
to do sth in self-defence  
to obey / disobey sb / sth  
to trust / distrust sb / sth  
to reject sb / parental authority  
to test out adults / teachers

Undesirable Qualities

immature  
dull  
stupid  
dishonest  
irresponsible  
indifferent  
selfish  
self-centred  
callous  
cruel  
ruthless  
hostile  
resentful  
violent  
unsociable  
disrespectful  
hypocritical  
ill-mannered  
ill-behaved  
disorderly

to dislike routine work  
to have / develop complexes / an  
inferiority complex  
to opposed to authority  
to challenge / resist sb's authority  
to talk back  
to defy sb  
to disobey  
distrust  
despise  
to resent sb / sth  
to undermine / break / disrupt  
discipline  
to get / be out of control / hand  
to misbehave / to do wrong  
to go astray  
to go to extremes  
to run wild  
to break / defeat sb  
to develop acquisitive tendencies  
to have no sense of decency

*objects*

*qualities*

*processes, actions, states*

undisciplined	to get under sb's skin (inf.) syn. to irritate, to annoy, to get on one's nerves
disobedient	
mischievous	to have / develop a lopsided view of things
naughty	
awkward	to behave unreasonably / like a hoodlum / gangster
submissive	
unresponsive	to demonstrate a chilly lack of response / interest
irritable	
arrogant	to bully sb
impudent	to rag a teacher
unrestrained	to undergo penalties
rough	to be brought before the school board
complacent	to have a criminal record
unruly	to hang about
unmanageable	to show off
belligerent	to commit a crime / suicide
wicked	to be unruly
wayward	to be / become / develop / grow / turn into a wrong-doer / a bully/ an offender / a delinquent / a coward / an idler / a good-for-nothing man / a consumer / a philistine / a disgrace to one's family / to society
stubborn	
obstinate	
self-willed	
eccentric	
truant	
idle	
good-for-nothing	
secretive	
buttoned-up (inf.)	
intolerable	
inexplicable	

**Education**

**Types of Education**

educational institution / establishment / system	to be much spoken of / widely discussed / criticized
preschool education	to be decades behind / ahead
primary education ( <i>esp. BrE</i> )   elementary education ( <i>AmE</i> )	to be in line with what the world has achieved
secondary education	to arouse a great deal of criticism

<i>objects</i>	<i>qualities</i>	<i>processes, actions, states</i>
further education		to be of vital importance / significance
higher / tertiary ( <i>formal</i> ) education		to study / do (BrE) sth (at / in an institution)
vocational training / education		to study for a degree / one's doctorate / diploma
compulsory		to study full-time / on a full-time basis
all-round		to study part-time / on a part-time basis
extra-mural		to study hard / diligently
fee paying		to eliminate / stamp out illiteracy
		to pay fees
		to charge fees
		to be in / pursue further / higher education
		to have / get / receive tuition in sth
		to study under sb
		to go into teaching
		to enter / go into / join / leave the teaching profession
		to begin / to continue / to give up / to stop studies
		to develop / to design / to plan a curriculum
		to develop / to design / to plan a syllabus
		to apply (to a college / university)
		to apply for admission
		to make / submit / put in an application (for a place at a college / university)
		applicant
		to apply for a place (at a college / university)
		to enter / get into / go to (a) school / college / university
		to enroll (at / in a school / college / university)
		to graduate (from college / university / school)
		to graduate in sth (from college / university / school)
<u>Admission, Graduation</u>		
entry / entrance to / into sth		
admissions (board / department)		
admissions dean / dean of admissions		
admissions tutor / officer		
competition (for places)		
a school-leaver / school leaver ( <i>BrE</i> ) / high-school graduate ( <i>AmE</i> )		
a graduate		
graduation paper /		

essay / thesis

to receive / earn / get / gain / obtain /  
take a degree (at / from a university)

### Tests and Examinations

test in sth (a broad  
subject)

to have / take / do / sit (*BrE*) (*formal*) a  
test / exam

test on sth (a particular  
topic)

to retake / resit (*BrE*) an exam

in / on a test / exam

to test / examine sb (in / on sth)

retake / resit (exam /  
examination)

to perform / do well / badly (in / on an  
exam / test / on a paper / section /  
part)

entrance / entry /  
admissions exam / test

to meet / conform to / comply with  
standards

(test / exam) paper

to raise / improve / enhance standards /  
to lower standards

final / degree exams /  
finals

to pass (1) [*transitive; intransitive*] to  
succeed

sessional (exam)

to pass (an exam) with flying colours /  
honours / distinction / to get a  
distinction

mid-sessional (exam) /  
end-of-term exam

to pull / scrape / squeeze through (an  
exam / test)

to sail / breeze through (an exam /  
test)

to fail / to flunk (*esp. AmE*)

to study / prepare / do preparation for  
an exam / test

to swot (*BrE*) (*informal*) / to cram / to  
grind (*AmE*)

to read up on / about sth

to borrow a book (from a library) / to  
take / get a book out (of a library) / to  
check a book out (of a library) (*AmE*)

to return a book (to a library) / to check  
in a book (at a library)

### Expulsion

dropout

to expel / to exclude

dropout rate

to flunk out

to drop out (of sth)

*objects*

*qualities*

*processes, actions, states*

### Buildings and Grounds

on / off campus  
hall of residence / hall  
(*esp. BrE*) / dormitory /  
dorm (*informal*) /  
residence hall (*AmE*)  
great hall  
staff room / faculty  
room  
reference library

## ***Topic: MARRIAGE AND FAMILY RELATIONS***

### Marriage as a Social Institution

#### Marriage

<u>of</u> love / <u>of</u> convenience	to make a family
early / late	to be a legal union of man and woman as husband and wife
mixed / interracial / interfaith	to be a life-long union
church	to be a momentous step
arranged	to involve not only loving a person but living with him
civil	to be different from love
trial	to be the primary / basic social institution
ideal / happy	to be a unit of society
(un)successful	to provide a basic triangle of a mother, a father and a child
responsible	to rest on the foundation of responsibility and commitment
inspiring	to develop ≠ to damage one's personality
sacred	to contribute <u>to</u> ≠ to hamper / hinder personality development
long-lasting / life-long	to have a vital effect <u>on</u> sb
hasty	to be a bargain / compromise
sudden	
loveless	
dying	
broken	

childless / childfree

#### Family

to be a success ≠ to be a failure  
to work

*objects*

*qualities*

*processes, actions, states*

one-parent / single-parent  
one-child  
childless  
broken  
divorced

not to be a bed of roses  
to be a hard job  
to be a big commitment  
to fail / to go astray  
to split up / to break up / to collapse  
to fall short of one's expectations  
to depend on the mates/the person  
one is married to / such factors as...  
to be based on / ensured by: cultural /  
social / spiritual / intellectual  
similarities

Factors That Are Conducive to Marital Happiness

mutual understanding  
common interests  
the similarity of social  
/cultural / educational /  
family background  
family values  
a proper / solid  
financial / economic  
foundation  
the advice / counsel of  
the elders  
proper upbringing  
cooperation  
emotional intimacy  
commitment  
equal give and take

Problems

choosing the right mate  
raising a family  
building up/ creating a  
home / harmonious  
family relations  
saving a marriage  
divorce

(un)civilized  
conflict  
inevitable

to be a real cause for concern  
to be of great concern to society/the  
government / state  
to be taken care of by  
to be a matter of the utmost / vital  
importance / necessity / significance  
to be no easy matter  
to be anything but easy  
to weigh much / little with sb



*objects*

*qualities*

*processes, actions, states*

to take a great deal of time / patience

to be a hard job

to be widely discussed by  
psychologists / sociologists

to weigh **up** pros and cons

to consider all the consequences

to be emotionally distressing

to ruin the relationship

to make sb feel miserable / lonely /  
frustrated / devastated

to be a blow for sb

to be hard **on** sb

to have a devastating / traumatic effect  
upon sb

to be caused by a mate's adultery /  
marital infidelity / cheating **on** the  
partner / heavy drinking / family  
tensions / disagreements /  
incompatibility/parental opposition /  
interference / lack of mutual  
understanding etc.

### Relationships, States

acquaintance

long / short

to spring up

courtship

casual

to last

partnership

sincere

to grow into

comradeship

tender

to ripen into

companionship

true

to result in

friendship

exciting

to fade away

romance

romantic

to influence sb

love affair

(extra)ordinary

to interfere **with** one's work / studies /  
career

engagement

remarkable

to promote ≠ to hinder career

betrothal (lit.)

long-term

to be **in** the way of smth

spiritual affinity

life-long

disagreement

violent

to put a creak into relationship

discord

perpetual

to lead to / result in a divorce

quarrel

constant

to become destructive

crisis

tragic

to give rise to

<i>objects</i>	<i>qualities</i>	<i>processes, actions, states</i>
separation	heart-breaking	to increase the tension
brawl	serious	to alienate sb from sb
squabble	petty / minor	to drive sb away from sb
tension		

### Feelings

love	at first sight	to be a life-long / affectionate and tender devotion
affection	on one side / one-sided / unrequited	to be a complex feeling defying definition
passion	pure	to come when least expected
infatuation	mature	to overwhelm / to take a mighty hold of sb
attachment	mutual	to be predominant in marriage
obsession	deep	to increase / grow
	unconditional	to last
	wild	to fade away
	unreasoning	to die
	crazy	to come to an end
	consuming	
	blind	
	sacrificing	
	eternal	
	(un)real	

### Acquaintance, Courtship

people	admirable	to get acquainted
boyfriend	courteous	to make sb's acquaintance
girlfriend	shy / timid	to get to know sb
date	extravagant	to get involved with sb
admirer	(un)sophisticated	to pick sb up
candidate	worthy	to make friends with sb
bachelor	good-natured	to fall <b>in with</b> sb (coll.)
widower	easy-natured	to court sb
rival	considerate / caring	to dance attendance <b>on</b> sb
old flame	smart	to pay sb a compliment
love birds (hum.)	gullible	to see much / little of sb
	practical-minded	to win sb's love
	greedy / stingy	to have a crush on sb (coll.)
	scheming / calculating	to go out with sb

*objects**qualities**processes, actions, states*

sensible  
 deep-natured  
 etc.

to date sb  
 to go out on a date with sb  
 to make a date with sb  
 to walk sb home  
 to flirt  
 to trifle with sb  
 to fall **out with** sb (coll.)  
 to get nowhere with sb  
 to get what one is after  
 to break (off) one's relations  
 to dump sb (coll.)  
 to twist sb round one's little finger  
 to walk out on sb (coll.)  
 to remain single

Falling in Love and Being in Love

moral support

marital fidelity

intellectual community

spinster

old maid

widow

romantic-minded

sentimental

sensitive

to capture sb's imagination  
 to take sb's fancy / to fancy sb (coll.)  
 to take a fancy / liking to sb  
 to be fond of  
 to appeal  
 to fall **in** love / **out of** love with sb  
 to be sweet **on** sb  
 to take to sb (coll.)  
 to be mad/crazy about sb  
 to be blind/sick with love for sb  
 to worship  
 to be infatuated with sb  
 to be attached / drawn / attracted to sb  
 to fall / be deeply / madly / head over heels in love with sb  
 to gain / win sb's love / affection  
 to return sb's love / the sentiment  
 to inspire love  
 to love sb back (coll.)  
 to make one's declaration of love  
 to propose marriage  
 to propose to sb

to romanticize  
to be together as a couple  
to be on good terms with  
to let one's heart rule one's head  
to idealize sb  
to exaggerate / magnify / overestimate  
sb's virtues  
to ignore sb's faults  
to see everything through rose-  
coloured spectacles

### Getting Engaged and Married

fiance(e)	to propose marriage
bride	to propose to sb
(bride)groom	to accept sb's proposal
the newly weds	to consider / take smth into consideration
newly wedded	to weigh up (the) pros and cons
young marrieds	to become / be engaged to sb
couple	to announce sb's engagement
husband and wife	to reject / refuse sb outright
married couple	to look for perfection
mate (coll.)	to break off the engagement
match	to cancel the engagement
spouse	to put off the engagement
partner	to leave / forsake / desert / jilt sb (coll.) / abandon / dump sb. (coll.)
the/one's loved one	to throw sb over (coll.)
lover	to release sb
sweetheart	to ask for parental counsel
darling	to accept / ignore parental advice
mistress	to make arrangements for one's wedding
beloved	to hurry into matrimony
	to marry sb / get married to sb
	to wed sb / be wedded to sb
	to make a match of it
	to have a wedding party / reception
	to be blessed by the church

*objects*

*qualities*

*processes, actions, states*

to have a honeymoon  
to live as man and wife  
to marry young / late / remarry  
to marry one's superior / inferior  
to marry beneath oneself  
to marry for life  
to build a life-long union / a long-term relationship  
to marry for love / money / convenience  
to marry a bank account / a title  
to marry into money / position / a rich family  
to marry to please one's parents / to have a home of one's own / to have children / for emotional security / for freedom from parental control  
to drift into marriage without knowing what it means  
to settle down to home life

### Parents

to wish / mean well  
to have one's children's interests at heart  
to arrange a / sb's marriage  
to give one's consent  
to marry sb to sb  
to marry sb off

### Attitudes and Behaviour Conducive to a Happy Marriage

people	loving	to be suited to each other
	affectionate	to suit one's temperament
	of a loving nature	to make a good match / husband / wife for sb
	considerate	to get on / along with sb
	loveable	to feel very much at ease / safe with sb
	tender	to have much in common
	agreeable	to care much for sb
	understanding	

*objects**qualities**processes, actions, states*

tolerant	to treat sb / each other with love
generous	to love wholeheartedly / devotedly /
reserved	with all one's heart
even-tempered	to adore sb / dote <b>on</b> sb
deferent	to be contented / pleased / fascinated
faithful	with one's marriage
devoted	to overcome difficulties
supportive	to value / appreciate sb
self-reliant	to deserve sb's love
homely	to share household duties / chores
forgiving	to run the home together
family-oriented	to laugh conflicts <b>off</b>
family-conscious	to have it out with sb
	to make it up / to patch up a quarrel
	to evade conflicts
	to smooth things <b>over</b>
	to share intimacy and closeness
	to create an atmosphere of love and
	cherishing which is conducive to...
	to go through thick and thin together
	to have an equality of opportunity for
	each to grow / in decision making
	to give in / yield / make concessions to
	sb / create a warm family atmosphere
	to build up / create harmonious family
	relations
	to behave up to sb's expectations
	to be concerned <b>with</b> raising children
	to withstand the pressure / period of
	sth
	to be supportive <b>of</b> each other

Attitudes and Behaviour Leading to an Unhappy Marriage

people	stupid	to quarrel about sth
	selfish	to pick up a quarrel with sb
	ill-bred	to make a scene / scandal
	self-willed	to have / make a row
	quick-tempered	to provoke a quarrel
	capricious	to make a fuss about nothing/a trifle
	self-contented	to become bored with sb

*objects**qualities**processes, actions, states*

self-conceited	to be too critical of sb's faults
self-assured	to reproach sb for sth
unforgiving	to blame, to insult, to ill-treat
bossy / peremptory	to abuse sb's trust
domineering	to cheat on sb
crude / vulgar	to have / feel aversion for sb
brutal	to put sb / each other in the wrong
cynical	to fret about sth/to sulk
resentful	to nag <b>at</b> sb, to bully sb
secretive / reserved / buttoned-up	to dominate sb
meek / humble / submissive	to be <b>in</b> command at home
jealous	to enforce one's rights <b>over</b> sb
peevish	to expose sb to physical and emotional abuse
quarrelsome	to feel subdued to sb
nagging	to reform sb's character
sulky	to correct sb
slovenly / untidy	to find fault with sb
evil-tongued	to fail to find a new balance in marriage
ill-natured	to turn into a tyrant
worthless	to fight over every difference of opinions
good-for-nothing	to humiliate
hostile	to hurt / injure sb's feelings
unscrupulous	to bring sb <b>to</b> one's heel
deceitful	to risk one's marriage
malicious	to be under sb's thumb
treacherous	to carry on a flirtation / an intrigue / a love affair / a fling
	to have extra-marital affairs
	to be unfaithful to sb
	to commit adultery
	to lead one's own life / a double life
	to lead a cat and dog life
	to feel trapped / to feel chained
	to trample down on / over sb's ideals / feelings
	to taste to the dregs the bitterness of an unhappy marriage
	to be worn out by one's married life

to be sick and tired of sth  
to give sb a bad time  
to become a slave to sb's wishes  
to put a creak into sb's relations  
to have no domestic skills  
to indulge in / take to wine / drinking  
to neglect sb  
to take sb / sth for granted  
to draw within oneself  
to feel insecure about one's relationship  
to break up one's family / home life / hearth and home  
to ruin one's life / to make a mess of one's life  
to prefer loose living / promiscuity  
to leave / desert / forsake / abandon sb  
to elope with sb  
to separate  
to divorce sb / to be / get divorced  
to face a family crisis  
to bring a divorce against sb  
to dissolve marriage  
to dissolve the bonds of matrimony  
to sue for a divorce  
to take / start divorce proceedings  
to obtain a divorce from sb  
to go through a divorce  
to observe decencies / to save / keep up appearances  
to be involved in the divorce  
to hold sb against sb's will  
to share children / to fight for / have the child's custody  
to win the child over to one's side  
to pay an / the alimony



**Topic: YOUTH PROBLEMS**

AIDS threat	serious	to be a real cause <b>for</b> concern / worry / fear
social injustice	grave	
economic insecurity	long-term	to face humanity / young people
poor housing	long-standing	to cause / bring about / lead to / result in serious problems
poverty	chronic	
educational deprivation	shocking	to increase the number of social / youth problems
unemployment	widespread	to increase / grow / spread / expand
generation gap	severe	to be observed / recognized / reported/ discussed
loss / lack of interest/purpose in life	disheartening	to come into the open
loneliness	frustrating	to be concealed / hidden / hushed up / swept under the carpet
frustration	devastating	
nihilism	desperate	to be prevented / combated / fought
apathy	dangerous / hazardous	
cruelty	atrocious	
violence	tragic	
delinquency		
crime		
mob-wars		
street-battles		
suicide		
drug addiction		
toxicomania		
gambling		
prostitution		
early pregnancy		

**Drug Addiction**

drug addiction / taking / using / eating /abuse	to be addicted to / dependent on / to be hooked on
drug dependency	to be a compulsive drinker
the drug habit	to take to
alcohol abuse / addiction	to be a disease / a crime
dipsomania	to create health risk
drug business / trade / supply / smuggling / traffic(ing)	to prevent from spreading
	to be done away with / annihilated / eliminated

<i>objects</i>	<i>qualities</i>	<i>processes, actions, states</i>
<u>Intoxicants</u>		
narcotic / drug / intoxicant	narcotic	to be taken / used / given to sb / obtained / bought / sold / delivered / smuggled / distributed
alcohol	harmful	
marihuana / marijuana	dangerous	to hit cities / countries
dope(pot)	poisonous	to be smoked / chewed / injected / inhaled / consumed
grass (coll)	addictive	to become an epidemic
hashish (dried hemp leaves and flowers)	illegal	to blunt (the) senses
cannabis (Indian hemp)	home-made	to produce complete insensibility / trance / euphoria / nirvana
cocaine [kou'kein]	easily available	to be / become addicted
coke (sl)		to consume / indulge in
heroin		to drink to excess / deep / hard / heavily / like a fish
morphine / morphia		to crave for alcohol / drugs
opium (from poppy seeds)		to take to drinking / intoxicants
crack		to be on drugs
ecstasy ['ekstəsi]		to be on the drink
drug mixtures / concoctions		to have a drinking-bout
pain pills		to drug / drink oneself to death
diet pills		to stupefy oneself
LSD		to intoxicate oneself with
tranquilizers		to be paralyzed by the disease
a dose / a portion		to die from an overdose
an overdose		to suffer from withdrawal pains / withdrawals
		to be at risk
		to be prone to psychiatric disorders

#### Drug Dealers

drug-dealer / pusher / peddler / producer / lord / smuggler / trafficker / supplier	ruthless	to be killed in disputes over drugs / in drug wars
pot-dealer	notorious	to break the law / be in trouble with the law
	cruel	to commit suicide / a crime
	unscrupulous	to be prosecuted
		to be hospitalized
		to mess around with drugs (coll.)
		to degrade / to feel rootless / lost

*objects*

*qualities*

*processes, actions, states*

to be treated / rehabilitated  
to stay away from  
to cope with addiction  
to abstain from / to stay clean

Consequences, Pathological States

drug dependency	complete
death	utter
injuries	mental
crimes	psychic
hospital emergencies	severe
suicide	deep
euphoria	grave
intoxication	drug-related
insensibility	
stupor	
trance	
indifference	
apathy	
anxiety	
irresponsibility	
depression	
unresponsiveness	
degradation	
frustration	
devastation	
loneliness	
impairment	
aggressiveness	
the inferiority / superiority complex	
a pre-suicidal syndrome	

to be produced / induced / caused /  
afflicted by drug consuming  
to take place  
to be observed  
to set in  
to develop

AIDS

Disease

Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome /	dangerous catching	to spread / expand to be a cause for worry / concern
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<i>objects</i>	<i>qualities</i>	<i>processes, actions, states</i>
AIDS	contagious	to be caused by negligence / violation
infection	infectious	of sanitary rules
epidemic	severe	to affect / strike sb
virus	tragic	to mutate
HIV / Human Immune	mortal	to attack / influence / destroy /
Deficiency Virus	incurable	threaten
	uncontrollable	the defense system / life / public health
	unchecked	to be a source of danger
	wide-spread	to be diagnosed / detected / identified
	destructive	to be transferred / caught / contracted
		/ injected / passed from sb to sb
		to cut the population growth
		to spread through sexual contact /
		through blood (blood transfusion or
		dirty syringes) / from an infected
		mother to her child (during pregnancy
		or feeding)
		not to spread through everyday ways /
		by casual contact
		to require / demand a hard struggle
		to be prevented from spreading
		to be cured / conquered / combated

#### Sick People, Risk Groups

virus-carriers	AIDS-infected	to be screened / examined / tested for
drug-addicts	sick / afflicted	AIDS
AIDS patients / sufferers	careless	to go through / undergo AIDS blood
homo / hetero-sexuals /	reckless	test
bisexuals	light-minded	to give a blood sample
prostitutes	irresponsible	to test positive / negative
VD-patients	innocent	to be AIDS / HIV positive / negative
donors	criminal	to carry the virus
expectant mothers	malicious	to develop the disease
medical workers		to become infected
medics		to contract / catch / get the virus
		to violate sanitary rules
		to spread / pass / transmit AIDS
		to be deported / barred from the
		country / hospitalized / doomed
		to donate one's blood

<i>objects</i>	<i>qualities</i>	<i>processes, actions, states</i>
<u>Equipment</u>		
syringes [ <i>si'rin dʒiz</i> ]	disposable	to be used / shared / changed
needles	sterilized	to be sterilized / boiled
means of diagnosis	(dis)infected	to be at sb's disposal
blood transfusion	available	to be provided
systems	clean / dirty	to guarantee a high measure of safety
blood products	used / unused	
AIDS-test systems	infected	
check systems	non-sterile	
	contaminated	
	high / low quality	
<u>People Combating AIDS and Measures</u>		
the government		to prevent the spread of the disease
government		to call on sb to combat AIDS
officials		to combat / fight AIDS
medical workers		anti-AIDS campaigns
youth organizations		to build / open houses of
associations for		sanitary education
combating AIDS		to raise money / funds / donations for
customs officials		the equipment
		to launch / organize charity campaigns /
		AIDS prevention campaigns
		to safeguard people against AIDS
		to advertise AIDS prevention
		to enforce / advocate tough / stronger
		measures
		to deport virus-carriers
		to bar virus-carriers from entering the
		country
prophylactic (a	individual	to be carried out / introduced /
medicine, device, course	mass	ensured
of action)	voluntary	
persuasion	effective	
education		
prevention		
treatment		
hygiene [ <i>'hai dʒi:n</i> ]		
work therapy		

<i>objects</i>	<i>qualities</i>	<i>processes, actions, states</i>
<b><u>Institutions</u></b>		
houses of sanitary education		to be opened / established / founded / set up / much spoken of
consulting rooms		to carry out prophylactic / prevention measures
disease prevention centers		to prevent the spread of the disease
disease control centers		
AIDS detection laboratories		
<b><u>Crime and Violence</u></b>		
a / the rise / increase <b>in</b> crime / violence	great	to be observed / reported / discussed, etc.
the crime rate	appalling	to be a real cause <b>for</b> concern
	unprecedented	to cause concern
crime	petty	to take place
offence	serious / grave	to be committed
violence	cruel / aggravated	to be organized / financed / sponsored
delinquency	violent	to be investigated
assault	monstrous / horrible	to be detected / come into the open
(see the table)	widespread	to be hushed up
<b><u>Criminals</u></b> (see the table)		
	cruel	to total a high figure
	violent	to be caused by / due to / result from
	ruthless / merciless	to commit a crime
	vicious	to beat sb to death
	out-and-out	to humiliate / victimize / threaten / intimidate
	juvenile	
	professional	to be driven by envy / fury / frustration
	hired	to be tempted to crime
<b><u>Victims</u></b>		
	defenceless	to show resistance
	helpless	to use a weapon <b>in</b> self-defence

*objects*

*qualities*

*processes, actions, states*

desperate  
unresisting

to become a victim of  
to stand **up for** oneself  
to defend / protect oneself  
to revenge oneself **on** sb  
to escape

Combating Crime

citizens  
the government  
the police  
the authorities

to deal with / tackle the problem  
to prevent / combat/fight crime  
to enforce / advocate tough measures

Punishment

a fine

heavy / hefty

to pay a fine / to pay \$100 **in** fines  
to impose a fine **on** smb  
to fine smb for doing smth  
to fine smb \$200

disqualification from  
driving

to be disqualified from driving

confiscation

to confiscate smth

imprisonment /  
incarceration

to imprison / to incarcerate smb

a prison sentence

stiff/heavy/long  
light / short

to get / be given a prison sentence

life imprisonment

to be sentenced **to** (life / a X-year  
imprisonment)

wrongful

imprisonment

to serve time

a prison term

a prisoner / an inmate

custodial / non-custodial  
sentence

suspended

sentence

corrective / labour camp

capital punishment / the  
death penalty

to abolish capital punishment

<i>objects</i>	<i>qualities</i>	<i>processes, actions, states</i>
<u>Conviction and Acquittal</u>		
court		
a court house		to be brought <b>before</b> court
a court room		to bring a case to court
proceedings		to bring / begin / open legal proceedings against smb
a lawsuit		to sue smb for smth
		to stand / face trial
a prosecutor		to prosecute
the jury		to sit / serve <b>on</b> the jury
a juror		
a defendant / the accused		
circumstances	aggravating mitigating / extenuating / attenuating	
a verdict	unanimous	to bring in / deliver / return a verdict to announce the verdict
acquittal		to acquit smb <b>of</b> smth
conviction		to convict smb <b>of</b> smth
a convict		
guilt	guilty <b>of</b> smth	to declare smb guilty / innocent
innocence	innocent	to admit one's guilt to deny one's guilt
pardon		to give / grant smb a pardon to appeal <b>for</b> pardon
prison / jail		to be released from prison
parole		to be given / granted parole to be denied parole
probation		to be put / placed <b>on</b> probation to be given / granted probation



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## **Political Issues**

politics

to be in / be involved in politics  
to go into / enter / go in for / to get involved in politics  
to retire from politics  
to discuss politics / talk (about) politics  
to adopt / develop / formulate a policy (on smth / regarding smth / towards smth)  
establish / set a policy  
to pursue / implement / carry out / operate / follow / adhere to a policy  
to politicize

politician  
statesman /  
stateswoman  
the ruling elite

political  
distinguished / leading / prominent  
influential (**in** doing smth)  
respected  
respectable  
wise / astute / shrewd  
far-sighted  
discreet / cautious / careful  
staunch / steadfast / stalwart  
incorruptible / incorrupt  
fair / just  
objective / unbiased / impartial  
tolerant (**of** / **towards** smth)  
self-denying  
eloquent  
  
dishonest / crooked  
tricky / crafty  
thick-skinned

*objects*

*qualities*

*processes, actions, states*

thin-skinned  
arrogant / self-  
important /  
supercilious / haughty  
careless / indiscreet  
reckless / rash  
glib / smooth-talking  
tongue-tied  
wishy-washy  
fickle  
notorious / infamous  
evil / vile / wicked  
bossy / dictatorial /  
domineering /  
peremptory /  
overbearing  
slavish / servile /  
submissive /  
subservient  
spineless  
mercenary / venal  
corruptible / corrupt  
unfair / unjust  
subjective / partial /  
biased / prejudiced  
intolerant

a (public) image  
image building

to build (up)/create / cultivate a  
(public) image  
to improve smb's image  
to project / present / promote an  
image  
to maintain an image  
to tarnish / hurt an image

a reputation

to have / enjoy / hold a reputation  
to acquire / establish / build (up) /  
develop / earn / win a reputation  
to enhance a reputation

<i>objects</i>	<i>qualities</i>	<i>processes, actions, states</i>
slander / traducement a slanderer / a traducer libel a libeller corruption	slandorous  libellous  corrupt / corruptible	to damage / destroy / harm / ruin a reputation to blacken smb to slander / traduce  to libel  to corrupt to expose corruption to eliminate / eradicate / root out corruption
<u>Elections</u>		
nomination	presidential / vice presidential	to nominate smb <b>for</b> the presidency / for president / for prime-minister / for premiership / for vice president / for governor to campaign for the nomination
a nominee / a candidate a party candidate	successful / victorious unsuccessful / defeated presidential / vice presidential / parliamentary Conservative / Tory / Labour / Liberal / Liberal Democrat / Democratic / Republican / independent general	to elect a nominee / a candidate to withdraw one's nomination
an election (to / for smth)	national / local / municipal presidential / gubernatorial / mayoral	to run / stand <b>for</b> election / <b>for</b> the presidency / <b>for</b> president / <b>for</b> governor
an elector electorate a voter voter apathy	parliamentary / congressional hotly contested / close	to elect / re-elect smb (as) president <b>for</b> a term to schedule an election / to fix / set a date for an election / an election is due in / on... to hold an election to win an election

<i>objects</i>	<i>qualities</i>	<i>processes, actions, states</i>
		to lose an election to disrupt an election
ballot rigging / vote fixing / fraud		to fix / rig an election / the vote / the ballot / the election results
<u>Voting</u>		
		to vote for / in favour of / against smb to vote Labour / Conservative / Liberal / Democratic
the polls the polling day abstention from voting voter turnout / voter participation	a turnout <b>of</b> 4,000,000 high / heavy low	to go to the polls to stay away from the polls / to abstain from voting
a vote / ballot the deciding vote / ballot count of votes recount of votes	direct, secret, open	to cast a vote to win / gain / get / receive votes to lose votes to count votes to recount votes to elect smb <b>by</b> secret ballot
a ballot (paper)	spoilt (spoiled) ballot papers	to be <b>on</b> the ballot to put smb's name on the ballot to cast a ballot (fro smb / smth) to count ballots
an absentee ballot a ballot box a polling station / the polls / a polling place a polling booth / a voting booth	margin / majority narrow / slim /small / thin wide /big/ large / significant	to win <b>by</b> a narrow / wide margin to win <b>by / with</b> a majority

## Appendix I

crime	criminal	action
offence	offender	to offend
violence		
delinquency	delinquent	
assault / aggravated assault / assault and battery / indecent assault /sexual assault	assaulter	to assault
murder	murderer	to murder, kill
homicide		
manslaughter		
assassination	assassin	to assassinate
rape / gang rape	rapist	to rape
destruction of property	destroyer	to destroy
vandalism	vandal	to vandalize
arson	arsonist	
smuggling	smuggler	to smuggle
kidnapping	kidnapper	to kidnap
hijacking	hijacker	to hijack
skyjacking	skyjacker	to skyjack
abduction	abductor	to abduct
blackmail	blackmailer	to blackmail (smb into doing sth)
forgery	forger	to forge
swindling	swindler	to swindle (smb out of smth)
stealing, theft	thief	to steal
robbery	robber	to rob
burglary	burglar	to burgle
mugging	mugger	to mug
shop-lifting	shop-lifter	to shop-lift
pickpocketing	pickpocket	to pickpocket
gangsterism	gangster, mafiosi	
racketeering	racketeer	to racketeer
bribery	bribe taker	to bribe, take bribes
fraud	fraudster	
counterfeiting	counterfeiter	to counterfeit
embezzlement	embezzler	to embezzle
extortion	extortionist	to extort (smth from smb)
treason /high treason	traitor	to betray
speeding		
tailgating		to tailgate
joyriding	joyrider	to joyride
drink-driving (BrE) / drunk-driving (AmE) / drinking-and-driving / driving while intoxicated (DWI) / driving under the influence (DUI) / impaired driving	drink-driver	
carjacking	carjacker	to carjack

## Appendix II

### UPBRINGING

#### 1. Give synonyms:

to bring up	petty
grown-ups	to encourage
outlook	to coax sb into doing sth
wrong-doing	to tolerate
compassion	friendly
prudent	

#### 2. Give antonyms:

the older generation	malevolent
to succeed in doing sth	mean
unreasonable	strictness
selfish	prejudice

#### 3. Give derivational nouns:

wise	flexible
tolerant	sincere
patient	punctual
negligent	benevolent
indulgent	amiable
responsive	indifferent
responsible	generous
consistent	sympathetic
honest	

#### 4. Give the English for:

любовь к детям	направлять энергию в конструктивное
невозможно переоценить	русло
безразличие	найти подход к ребенку
формировать характер	отшутиться
поощрять любознательность	обеспечить благоприятный
вовлекать в целенаправленную	эмоциональный фон
деятельность	

#### 5. Insert prepositions where necessary:

to be ___ the basis of	to be in charge ___ the educational
to lead ___	development of children
to result ___	to have sb's interests ___ heart

to be the reason \_\_\_ truancy  
to be the cause \_\_\_ misbehavior

to take sb's interests close \_\_\_ heart  
to welcome children \_\_\_ the home-roof  
to hit it \_\_\_ with teens

## THE TEACHER'S PROFESSION

### 1. Give synonyms:

to be a born teacher  
to create a mood  
to win love  
to assert authority  
to keep up discipline  
to give in to  
to reprimand sb

to exaggerate  
v be characteristic of  
to be subject to  
to strive for  
to despise  
to hamper development  
to break discipline

### 2. Give antonyms:

reasonable  
competent  
efficient  
punctual  
responsible  
responsive  
consistent  
obedient

mature  
hard-working  
well-mannered  
disciplined  
cultured  
inspiring  
tolerant

### 3. Give Derivational Nouns:

hypocritical  
violent  
mature  
self-reliant  
amiable  
discreet

considerate  
persevering  
truthful  
inquisitive  
diligent

### 4. Give the English for:

обеспечить мотивацию для  
обучения  
утвердить авторитет  
занять твердую позицию  
вызвать родителей в школу  
выгнать с урока  
задержать нарушителя дисциплины  
после занятий  
потакать прихотям

защитить от разочарований  
быть суровым по отношению к  
кому-либо  
навязывать свое мнение  
усложнить ситуацию  
оправдывать себя  
переходный возраст  
подчиняться (правилам)

5. *Insert prepositions where necessary:*

to get adjusted \_\_\_ sb, sth

to tell sb \_\_\_

to lavish sb \_\_\_ creature comforts

to play right \_\_\_ sb's hand

to extract obedience \_\_\_ fear

to act \_\_\_ an unreasonable dictator

to find fault \_\_\_ sb

to take one's irritation \_\_\_ sb

to lead \_\_\_ undesirable qualities

to do sth \_\_\_ self-defence

to talk \_\_\_

## EDUCATION

1. *Give Synonyms:*

higher education

educational institution

elementary education

to study part-time

to study hard

to enter the teaching profession

to develop a curriculum

to put in an application

to receive a degree

to borrow a book from a library

to return a book to a library

to eliminate illiteracy

2. *Give the English for:*

абитуриент

учебный план

учебная программа

приемная комиссия

председатель приемной комиссии

конкурс (на место в ВУЗе)

обязательное образование

учиться под руководством кого-либо

обучение

профессиональное образование

выпускник школы

выпускник вуза

готовиться к экзамену

быть принятым в учебное заведение

получить степень

бросить учебу

вылететь за неуспеваемость

3. *Insert prepositions if necessary:*

to be \_\_\_ vital importance

to study \_\_\_ a degree

to study \_\_\_ a full-time basis

to be \_\_\_ higher education

to study \_\_\_ sb

to apply \_\_\_ a college

put \_\_\_ an application

to enroll \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ a college

to graduate \_\_\_ sth \_\_\_ college

to pull \_\_\_ an exam

to read \_\_\_ sth

## YOUTH PROBLEMS

### Test 1

1. *Give synonyms:*

serious

cruel

to combat drug dependency

to take drugs

to contract the virus

to affect

to pass the virus

reckless



*2. Give antonyms adding negative prefixes:*

curable	to increase
sterile	available
sensibility	responsive
infected	controllable

*3. Give derivational nouns:*

addicted	to prevent
cynic	malicious
frustrated	to threaten
to donate	deep

*4. Translate into English:*

подростковая (детская) преступность	нарушать санитарные нормы
транквилизаторы	унижать
притуплять чувства	мошенник

*5. Insert prepositions where necessary:*

an increase \_\_\_\_ the number of crimes  
to be a real cause \_\_\_\_ concern  
to be prone \_\_\_\_ psychiatric disorders  
to revenge oneself \_\_\_\_ sb  
to abstain \_\_\_\_ voting

**Test 2**

*1. Give synonyms:*

long-term	contaminated
to be concealed	to break the law
drug taking	to be screened for AIDS
to be diagnosed	inferiority complex

*2. Give antonyms adding negative prefixes where possible:*

justice	to resist the temptation
guilty	to take to drugs
to be accepted	contented
harmful	corrupt

*3. Give derivational nouns:*

to deprave	charitable
cruel	to require
dependent	severe
to impair	light-minded

*4. Translate into English:*

угрожать здоровью  
кража  
добровольный  
беззащитный  
расследовать ограбление магазина  
одноразовые шприцы

*5. Insert prepositions where necessary:*

to die \_\_\_\_ an overdose  
to drink \_\_\_\_ excess  
to prevent \_\_\_\_ spreading  
to stand \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ oneself  
to combat \_\_\_\_ AIDS

**Test 3**

*1. Give synonyms:*

atrocious	dirty syringes
alcohol addiction	to pass a virus
grave	infectious
to fight AIDS	go into politics

*2. Give antonyms adding negative prefixes where possible:*

inferiority	legal
to yield to a temptation	available
sterile	to hamper
careful	malevolent

*3. Give derivational nouns:*

devastated	desperate
responsive	psychiatric
anxious	perverted
notorious	rebellious

*4. Translate into English:*

застигнуть на месте преступления	выступать сторонником жестких мер
смертельный	запускать кампанию по борьбе с
злоупотреблять алкоголем	наркотиками
подделка (преступление)	идти на выборы
малолетний преступник	

5. *Insert prepositions where necessary:*

to crave \_\_\_\_ alcohol

to be \_\_\_\_ risk

to take \_\_\_\_ drinking

to safeguard people \_\_\_\_ AIDS

to be \_\_\_\_ sb's disposal

#### **Test 4**

1. *Give synonyms:*

to result in

to start charity campaigns

to drink heavily

drug addict

to break the law

teenagers

capital punishment

drug-affected

2. *Give antonyms adding negative prefixes where possible:*

responsibility

careful

to be hushed up

innocent

to take to drugs

infected

curable

used

3. *Give derivational nouns:*

mortal

to assault

curable

to resist

to bribe

reserved

to tempt

to diagnose

4. *Translate into English:*

одурманивать себя наркотиками

совершить преступление

контрабанда наркотиков

эпидемия

азартные игры

нестерильные шприцы

5. *Insert prepositions where necessary:*

to run \_\_\_\_ president

to be a real cause \_\_\_\_ concern

to carry \_\_\_\_ prevention measures

to combat \_\_\_\_ the spread of the disease

to go \_\_\_\_ AIDS blood test

## Test 5

### 1. Give synonyms:

to stay clean	reckless
drug-dealer	malicious
ruthless	frustrated
to catch the virus	to be done away with

### 2. Give antonyms adding negative prefixes where possible:

security	hopeful
equality	maturity
to increase	petty
sterile	moral

### 3. Give derivational nouns:

to burgle	to convict
to alienate	anxious
to deport	to depend
curable	promiscuous

### 4. Translate into English:

ломка	победить с большим преимуществом
контрабанда наркотиков	невинная жертва
справиться с зависимостью	профилактика

### 5. Insert prepositions where necessary:

to die \_\_\_\_ an overdose  
to be prone \_\_\_\_ psychiatric disorders  
to indulge \_\_\_\_ drugs  
to drink oneself \_\_\_\_ death  
the increase \_\_\_\_ juvenile delinquency

## Test 6

### 1. Give synonyms:

to transmit AIDS to sb	to become addicted to smth
to fight a problem	to be swept under the carpet
drug trade	to yield to a temptation
alcoholic	to eliminate corruption

### 2. Give antonyms adding negative prefixes where possible:

infected	effective
responsiveness	notorious
acquitted	progress
malevolent	experienced

*3. Give derivational nouns:*

to investigate	grave
to intimidate	stupid
to rob	malicious
to swindle	light-minded

*4. Translate into English:*

предстать перед судом  
быть убитым в разборках из-за наркотиков  
испытывать ломку  
подвергаться судебному преследованию  
нарушение санитарных норм  
заразиться вирусом иммунодефицита

*5. Insert prepositions where necessary:*

to result \_\_\_ moral degradation  
to charge sb \_\_\_ murder  
to bar \_\_\_ entering the country  
to affect \_\_\_ sb's health  
to spread \_\_\_ blood

## **MARRIAGE AND FAMILY RELATIONS**

### **Test 1**

*1. Give synonyms:*

to affect	sensible
quarrel	perpetual
considerate	to magnify smb's virtues
to make it up	quick-tempered

*2. Give antonyms adding negative prefixes where possible:*

forgiving	to provoke a quarrel
submissive	good-natured
similarities	to contribute to
to accept the proposal	to marry for love

*3. Give derivational nouns:*

frustrated	sensitive
to court	timid
romantic	infatuated
to exaggerate	reserved

*4. Translate into English:*

брак по расчету	общность социального происхождения и
союз на всю жизнь	культурного уровня
неполная семья	взвесить за и против
соперник	перерасти в более глубокое чувство
духовная близость	супружеская верность
	финансовая стабильность

*5. Insert prepositions where necessary:*

to be suited \_\_\_ each other  
to be a real cause \_\_\_ concern  
to be hard \_\_\_ smb  
to interfere \_\_\_ career  
to result \_\_\_ marital failure

**Test 2**

*1. Give synonyms:*

to break up	sulky
to hamper personality development	to go out with smb
shy	domineering
to forsake	to make a row

*2. Give antonyms adding negative prefixes where possible:*

fidelity	sophisticated
considerate	romantic-minded
compatibility	ordinary
even-tempered	well-bred

*3. Give derivational nouns:*

sincere	to exaggerate
tender	to propose
mature	tender
to court	single-minded

*4. Translate into English:*

внести разлад в отношения	неотразимый
разногласия	привязанность
крушение брака	закоренелый холостяк
влюбленность	вдовец
безответная любовь	поклонник

*5. Insert prepositions where necessary:*

to smooth conflicts \_\_\_\_  
to patch \_\_\_\_ the quarrel  
to dote \_\_\_\_ smb  
to be supportive \_\_\_\_ each other  
to put each other \_\_\_\_ the wrong

**Test 3**

*1. Give synonyms:*

to give rise to	the newly weds
devastated	to love smb back
peevish	hostile
crude	to adore

*2. Give antonyms adding negative prefixes where possible:*

ordinary	to overestimate
forgiving	to accept the proposal
worthy	superior
greedy	sincere

*3. Give derivational nouns:*

attached	generous
rival	deferent
self-conceited	cynical
to tempt	infatuated

*4. Translate into English:*

проводить домой	порвать отношения
ухаживать	испытывать притяжение к кому-либо
делать комплимент	признаться в любви
встречаться с кем-либо	любовь с первого взгляда
флиртовать	общие интересы

*5. Insert prepositions where necessary:*

to marry \_\_\_\_ money  
to settle \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ home life  
to make a fuss \_\_\_\_ a trifle  
to cheat \_\_\_\_ smb  
to find fault \_\_\_\_ smb  
to be \_\_\_\_ command at home  
to take smth / smb \_\_\_\_ granted

## Test 4

### 1. Give synonyms:

scheming	to evade conflicts
one-sided love	reserved
to have a love affair	to sulk
to be deeply in love	to take a fancy to smb

### 2. Give antonyms adding negative prefixes where possible:

counsel of the elders	to fall in love with smb
to increase the tension	hot-tempered
fidelity	compatibility
faithful	mutual love

### 3. Give derivational nouns:

jealous	resentful
to humiliate	slovenly
deceitful	promiscuous
to get engaged	attached

### 4. Translate into English:

любовь с первого взгляда	желать добра
смотреть сквозь розовые очки	дать согласие
новобрачные	делить домашние обязанности
супруг(а)	вести домашнее хозяйство вместе
вести приготовления к свадьбе	устроить скандал

### 5. Insert prepositions where necessary:

marriage \_\_\_ love  
to marry \_\_\_ convenience  
to be a real cause \_\_\_ concern  
to be hard \_\_\_ smb  
to interfere \_\_\_ career  
to result \_\_\_ marital failure

## Test 5

### 1. Give synonyms:

to alienate	devoted
to take a mighty hold of smb	one-parent family
miserable	brawls
unfaithfulness	to be drawn to sb

### 2. Give antonyms adding negative prefixes where possible:

compatible	greedy
similarity	security



married  
devoted

to underestimate  
self-centered

*3. Give derivational nouns:*

malicious  
treacherous  
self-reliant  
stupid

hostile  
generous  
cynical  
deferent

*4. Translate into English:*

поднимать шум из-за пустяков  
«пилить»  
обидчивый  
циничный  
скрытый

самовлюбленный  
переделывать характер  
испытать до дна горечь неудачного брака  
замкнуться в себе  
разрушить семейный очаг

*5. Insert prepositions where necessary:*

to divorce \_\_\_ smb  
to sue \_\_\_ a divorce  
to bring a divorce \_\_\_ smb  
to keep \_\_\_ appearances  
to go \_\_\_ a divorce  
to win smb \_\_\_ one's side  
to fight \_\_\_ the child's custody

**Test 6**

*1. Give synonyms:*

slovenly  
to be under smb's thumb  
self-willed  
affectionate

to indulge in drinking  
parental counsel  
one-parent family  
to weigh up pros and cons

*2. Give antonyms adding negative prefixes where possible:*

inspiring  
sincere  
to provoke a quarrel  
tactful

marriage of love  
to fall in love  
extravert  
to accept a proposal

*3. Give derivational nouns:*

inspiring  
devoted  
compatible  
to exaggerate

to alienate  
to flirt  
greedy  
obsessive

*4. Translate into English:*

предпочитать свободные отношения  
жить как кошка с собакой  
пренебрегать желаниями  
партнера / супруга  
расстаться  
платить алименты

получить право опеки над ребенком  
соблюсти приличия  
начать бракоразводный процесс  
подать на развод  
столкнуться с семейным кризисом

*5. Insert prepositions where necessary:*

to dance attendance \_\_\_ smb  
to be sweet \_\_\_ smb  
to break \_\_\_ the engagement  
to hurry \_\_\_ matrimony  
to be crazy \_\_\_ sb  
to cheat \_\_\_ sb

## Appendix III

### RENDERING

Rendering of a Russian article in English cannot be considered to be equal to its translation or retelling. It is rather a critical review of the content of the text and your own meditations on the problems and the way the author tackles them.

#### **Plan for rendering:**

1. The subject matter of the article (what problem or issue the article is devoted to), the author's communicative aim (for what purpose the article has been written) and the controlling idea of the article (its message).

2. The plot of the article on a large scale, making clear the author's point of view.

3. Your own extended attitude to the problem and the content of the article under consideration.

**Useful expressions (the following list cannot be considered to be exhaustive):**

#### **I**

The article under consideration is headlined/ entitled/ goes under the headline....  
(The article) is devoted to / deals with

**The author** focuses our attention on

calls upon us (the readers) to  
is sure to make us reconsider our attitude to  
wants us to meditate on / ponder over the problem of  
tackles / touches upon / dwells upon / draws our attention to the (acute, burning, crucial, vital, topical) problem of  
reveals the reasons for/ causes of / motives of/ roots of  
reveals the advantages (merits) / disadvantages (demerits, drawbacks) of  
weighs up the pros and cons of  
compares  
gives pieces of (practical) advice  
warns us / parents / adults against making common mistakes  
states / believes / assumes / considers / declares/ proclaims  
underlines / emphasizes / highlights / throws light upon / brings into focus  
the idea / feels strongly that...  
preaches smth / doing smth  
advocates the idea / some measures / theories  
(dis)approves of smth  
protests against / takes up a firm attitude against  
criticizes / ridicules

## II

The plot runs as follows, the plot centers on the relations / behavior / smb's fate

The author starts by telling the reader (about, that...)

The author writes (states, claims, stresses, thinks, points out) that...

The article describes...

According to the text...

Further the author reports (says) that...

The article goes on to say that...

In conclusion...

The author comes to the conclusion that...

## III

I find / found the article topical /urgent / acute, interesting, important, of no value, etc. because...

In my opinion the article is worth reading because...

I share the author's ideas / meditations / position /...

I also feel strongly about

I would like to add

It would be right / wrong to assume

I can only partly agree with the author, etc.

## Appendix IV

### TEXT INTERPRETATION

#### The introduction

To transfer a (gloomy / tragic / sad / optimistic / ironic etc) mood // positive / negative impression over to the reader

To evoke an emotion

To create a mood

To see sb's life presented directly / indirectly

The reader has to read between the lines

To touch upon / raise / tackle the problem of / to deal with the problem of

The plot develops (gradually, chronologically, logically, step by step)

The plot covers the time span of...

An involving plot, a simple / logical / complicated / slow-developing / fast-developing plot

The actual events are intermingled with the main character's reminiscences

A traditional composition / a jumbled composition

Composition-wise the story is traditional

The author employs metaphoric (expressive / everyday / outdated / high-flown / colloquial / slang) language

To reveal one's philosophy

#### The interpretation body

The narration / plot / story starts with the description of // is followed by the description of

The scene setting paragraph tunes the reader to a serious tone

To employ / resort to / make use of a (stylistic device)

Through this metaphor the author renders the idea of

The author brings it home to the reader that...

To underline / stress out / emphasize / manifest (an idea)

The extract reveals...

To imply

The description is realistic / convincing

Character / conflict drawing

it allows me / us to conclude / infer

The character is described as...

it would be right to assume that...

To draw / portray / depict a character

it testifies to (smb's quality)

The author creates a convincing type of...

it manifests/reveals

Vivid, life-like, realistic characters

The central conflict of the story is...	to be the manifestation of the conflict
To represent / reveal a conflict	to give rise to the conflict
To give rise to a conflict...	to aggravate the situation
To intensify a conflict	to be the breaking point of the narration
To bring a conflict to its climax	to experience an emotional reversal

### Conclusion

It is obvious from the story that ...

To ponder over / comment on / meditate upon / contemplate the things depicted, etc.

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