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Тестирование может проводиться либо как промежуточный, либо как контролирующий этап работы над грамматикой и позволяет дать полную и объективную картину сформированности требуемых грамматических навыков у студентов.

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Present tenses

Test

I. Open the brackets using the correct tense-form of the verbs:

1. We (have) a good time at John's house at the moment. He (have) a lot of games to entertain his guests.
2. Someone (knock) at the door. Shall I answer it? - I (come) in a minute. I just (wash) my hands.
3. I won't tell you my secret unless you (promise) not to tell anyone.
4. When water (boil), it (give off) steam.
5. He always (spill) coffee on his shirt! It (make) me furious!
6. What time your badminton class (start)?
7. The level of unemployment (to get) worse.
8. We (to start) the meeting until everybody (to arrive).
9. It (rain) for two hours and the ground is too wet to play on, so the match (be) postponed.
10. Supposing I (to change) my plans and (to come) to the party. Where can I take the ticket?
11. I (not to use) my car today. They (to repair) the brakes.
12. One shouldn't drink when one (to drive).
13. Imagine how much they (to learn) since they (to come) here.
14. He is very tired. He (to overwork).

II. Complete the sentences.

1. Ever since I saw you last Tuesday...
2. They have been working in the garden...'
3. I don't believe him anymore. He... always...
4. The rent cost... Things will never be the same.
5. Hurry up! The train...
6. Why are you so dirty? - I ...
7. I'll come home after...
8. Since Mariam...
9. I will be washing up while you...
10. They will give him another chance to resit the exam in case...
11. Do you know when the train...
12. I won't open his secret in case...
13.just now.
14. Every time I am reading a new book I...

III Translate into English.

1. Вы понимаете, что он говорит?
2. Почему у него такая отдышка? – Он бежал и пытался успеть на последний поезд.
3. Ты всегда говоришь мне обидные вещи.
4. Какую бы книгу ты ни читала, всегда выписывай новые слова.
5. На этой неделе наши занятия заканчиваются на час позднее.
6. Где Джулия? – Вот она. Спускается по лестнице.
7. До меня дошли слухи, что ты планируешь пересдать экзамен. (use *hear*)
8. Что ты собираешься делать в выходные? — Пойду на встречу с одноклассниками. А ты? — Я по субботам всегда навещаю родственников.
9. Пациенту становится все хуже.
10. Я сохраню этот файл на компьютере на случай, если кто-то сотрет мои данные.
11. Он ведь уже сдал все экзамены, не так ли?
12. Наконец-то он завершил диссертацию, но он работал над ней в течение 3 лет.
13. Когда я напишу курсовую работу, можно будет пару дней отдохнуть.
14. Допустим, он пропустит свой поезд? Когда отправляется следующий?

IV. Insert the articles where necessary.

1. Colin goes to ... primary school in London.
2. ...dusk was falling on our village.
3. ... hospital was repaired last spring.
4. He remained with us till ... daylight
5. He was taken to ... prison for speeding.
6. Ron was particularly interested in ... ancient sculpture.
7. When he finished at... midnight, he went straight to... bed.
8. It was ... early morning when the train pulled into the station.
9. Outside was ... cold, drizzling night.
10. When we get back to ... town, we'll find someone to help you.
11. What ... fine weather we're having today!
12. I know ... work I've done is ... good work, the best of my life.
13. ... dawn was breaking among ... olives.
14. ... fact that she won ... scholarship from the Governor has really made Kate arrogant.

Speaking about future

Test

I. Open the brackets using the correct tense-form of the verbs.

1. What our city (be like) in the year 2035?
2. Elisabeth (not be) happy until she (see) the dentist this afternoon.
3. This time next year I probably (live) on the other side of the world.
4. I (not watch) the horror film that is on tonight. I know it (give) me nightmares.
5. By the end of this week we (raise) over £800 for the children's charity.
6. I swear I (do) my best from now on. Things (be) different, you (see).
7. In 24 hours' time I (to relax) in my country house.
8. By the time you (to get) back Harry (to leave).
9. What you (to do) on Saturday evening? Would you like to go out?
10. Tell me when she (to return) home.
11. What you (to give) John on his birthday? Have you decided yet?
12. You can't leave early. We (to have) a meeting.
13. Oh, my! I've broken a glass. What your mum (to say)?
14. According to the weather forecast, it (to rain) tomorrow.

II. Complete the sentences.

1. When he arrives at St. Petersburg ...
2. He will buy the tickets for the express train when ...
3. By this time next month...
4. When his parents come at his place ...
5. When you come at his place next Friday your visit will be quite out of place because he...
6. These examination candidates... for an hour before they are allowed to leave the room.
7. They will be going sightseeing when ...
8. When he waits at the railway station tomorrow ...
9. He will be hiking in the mountains next month while ...
10. When summer comes ...
11. We're late. By the time we arrive they ...
12. When we arrive they ... for more than three hours.
13. Next year I ... my vacation in my country house.
14. I hope I will have learnt to speak Chinese a bit by....

III. Insert the articles where necessary.

1. I wanted to look in at ... hospital before it was too late for visitors.
2. She was dressed for ... church.
3. I had known Jan slightly in ... high school.
4. In ... morning I went as usual to ... school.
5. I'll drive you to ... town this morning.
6. Outside it was ... night.
7. It was ... warm night.
8. ... night outside seemed very quiet.
9. ...modern science is ...wonderful thing.
10. Even in ... broad day she looks beautiful.
11. What ...bad news we are having!
12. He found ... wonderful work of Rembrandt in her gallery.
13. It was ...useful information and they knew it.
14. What ... fine weather we are having today!

IV. Translate into English.

1. Я поговорю с ним об этом, когда встречу его.
2. Насколько я знаю, в следующем году вы пойдете на пенсию. Сколько на тот момент вы проработаете в компании?
3. Мы надеемся, что он примет участие в этой работе.
4. Завтра утром к ним лучше не заходить: ровно в 8 они будут писать эссе к экзамену.
5. К тому времени, как ты освободишься, я уже закончу писать реферат.
6. Когда я поступлю в институт, я буду много времени уделять языкам.
7. Мы поедем в Англию, как только закончатся занятия в Университете.
8. Мне будет жаль, если Вы пропустите эту лекцию.
9. Ты не знаешь, сможет ли он помочь нам с организацией конференции?
10. К концу года я потрачу все деньги, которые заработал.
11. Сложно сказать, сможет ли она пересдать экзамен.
12. Я уверен, что, когда ты придешь домой, твоя мама будет готовить ужин.
13. Я ему завтра буду писать и расскажу о твоей просьбе.
14. К ноябрю цены на продовольственные товары поднимутся на 15 %.

Past tenses

Test

I. Give past simple and past participle forms of the verbs:

Rise, lay, stick, cut, ski, fly, fall, fail, wring, feel, raise, hang, flow, choose, lose, bend, rinse, ring, bear, shrink, sting.

II. Open the brackets using the correct tense-form of the verbs.

1. The clock just (to strike) twelve, when Cinderella (to come) back from the ball.
2. While we were at University, we (to go) to that café for a cup of tea.
3. Peter (to look) for the right person to be his wife for five years before he (to meet) and (to fall) in love with Sally
4. Last Sunday he (to look) smart because he (to wear) a new suit.
5. Jemma (to take) the next flight to Paris, so she had to cut short the interview.
6. They (to be paid) every two months. Now they are paid weekly.
7. It (to rain) through the whole night yesterday.
8. She (to try) to get him on the phone when he (to enter) the classroom.
9. By the age of twenty-six, Grace Kelly (to give up) her film career.
10. When I (to return) to my hotel room, the maid (to make) the bed.
11. I (to hope) to get a good result for my finals but unfortunately failed.
12. John couldn't understand why her computer (to crash); it (to work properly) for as long as she (to remember).
13. Liz (to sing) as she was hoovering the floor.
14. The shop (to sell) the book by the time I got there.

III. Complete the sentences.

1. By the time we came...
2. Hardly had they stepped inside, ...
3. just now.
4. It was obvious that...
5. My mother was mending my jeans while...
6. How long had you been...?
7. She was ever...
8. ... than she fell asleep.
9. When I met her she...
10. I looked in. The people...

11. Yet she didn't suspect that...
12. After he..., he began to...
13. She wondered why the man...
14. At this time yesterday...

IV. Translate the sentences into English.

1. Как только я постучал, дверь сразу распахнулась, как будто кто-то уже ждал меня.
2. В саду было сыро и холодно. Дождь шел уже несколько часов.
3. Мы жили в новом доме уже месяц, когда впервые увидели наших соседей. Они были в отъезде.
4. Она говорила тебе много раз, что работала над этим переводом день и ночь в течение недели.
5. Она накрыла на стол, выключила духовку и принялась ждать гостей.
6. Ты выключила свет, когда уходила?
7. Я вас ждал в 10 часов вечера. Почему вы не пришли?
8. Когда занятия закончились, и мы пошли домой, шел сильный дождь.
9. К счастью, он не заметил ее красных глаз и не догадался, что она плакала.
10. Летом она ему не писала, потому что потеряла его адрес.
11. К 5 часам он сделал все задания и включил телевизор.
12. Она бывало не спала до самого утра. Однако, сейчас она всегда придерживается строгого режима дня.
13. Он сидел за столом и писал. Не успел он написать и двух страниц, как позвонил его отец.
14. После того, как он провалился осенью на экзамене, он много занимался и осенью сдал экзамен.

Mixed tenses

Test

I. Open the brackets using the correct tense-form of the verbs:

1. He (to work) here for five years now.
2. Before he went to England he (to read) tons of guidebooks.
3. When Carol (to call) last night, I (to watch) my favorite show on television.

4. We were late because we had some car problems. By the time we (to get) to the train station, Susan (to wait) for us for more than two hours.
5. By this time next summer, you (to complete) your studies and (to find) a job.
6. While we (to clean) the house tomorrow, the boys (to prepare) dinner, so everything will be ready by 3 o'clock.
7. I (meet) my girlfriend's parents tomorrow evening and I (be) very nervous.
8. "The weather (to be) very good next weekend", (say) the old man looking at the sky.
9. When we arrive they (to celebrate) for more than three hours.
10. When we land in New York, it (to rain) probably.
11. I do not need to hurry. I (to finish) my essay just now.
12. You ever (to find) fault with me. It is unfair.
13. No sooner he (to come) than we (to sit) at table.
14. Helen (to learn) German. She is going to Germany soon.

II. Complete the sentences.

1. In a month's time my parent s... for 46 years.
2. Ever since I got a credit card, I.... a lot of money on many unnecessary things.
3. Many people usually ... most of their time online.
4. We ... in Devon for nearly 25 years until we moved to Scotland two years ago.
5. I was driving on a road in the mountains when I
6. John came in with a very dirty face and I wondered what he....
7. I wonder when.... We ... for three months.
8. If Vera keeps drinking she ...
9. For the time being we are studying for the exam, but this time tomorrow we....
- 10.... than everybody stood up.
11. Mother reminded Al that he
12. He will feel much better after...
13. At this time on Monday....
14. Unless you ...

III. Find and correct the mistakes.

1. Yesterday, my colleagues talk too loudly on the conference.
2. When the girls talk loudly on the bus, the driver turned around and asked them to be quiet.

3. Even after the teacher ask the children to be quiet, they kept talk. It was very annoying!
4. Look out the window and see the kites. They fly all over the sky.
5. While you look out at the clouds, you are looking so beautiful.
6. I am thinking about what colors you can using to drawing a picture of those fields.
7. Tomorrow, I was bringing my sister to the office with me so she will be meeting my colleagues.
8. My friend is wearing her favorite green dress when she comes there with me tomorrow.
9. When she is talking to my colleagues tomorrow, they are thinking how smart and focused she was.

IV. Translate into English.

1. Никто не знал, когда дети вернуться из школы.
2. Я так и не понял, о чем он говорил все это время.
3. В это время завтра я буду уже подъезжать к Лондону.
4. Она уехала год назад и с тех пор ни разу не позвонила.
5. Не подглядывай в ответы, когда будешь писать домашнюю работу.
6. Этот дом пустует уже два года.
7. Я не люблю Питера. Вечно он всем противоречит.
8. Джек делает большие успехи. Его немецкий становится лучше день ото дня.
9. Ты не пойдешь гулять, пока не сделаешь уроки.
10. Она бывало подолгу сидела в библиотеке и мечтала о путешествиях.
11. К 5 часам я закончу писать письмо и отправлюсь на почту.
12. Не успел он выйти из дома, как начался дождь.
13. Мы шли уже полчаса, когда вдали показалась гора.
14. После того, как мы сдадим экзамены, я улечу отдохнуть.

Passive voice

Test

I. Open the brackets using the correct tense-form of the verbs.

1. The attendance of the students (to check) regularly by a strict supervisor.
2. Admittedly, little progress (to make) in grammar till now, but by the middle of the next year all of the grammar points (to deal) with.
3. The laptop isn't working. It (to damage) during our move.

4. We were late for the conference, because we (not to inform) well in advance.
5. I hope, the plan (to approve) by the committee.
6. Ted (to award) a scholarship recently thanks to his success at Uni.
7. I'm sorry my office is so messy but it can't (to clean) until tomorrow morning at the earliest.
8. Jeremy (to rob) in the street on his way home.
9. He tried to sell the book that (to steal) from the library.
10. Our University website (to redesign) by next academic year.
11. The Dean decided that the conference (to hold) next Wednesday.
12. For a couple of days I (to work) in another office because mine (to redecorate) at the moment.
13. As we speak Jim (to reprimand) by his freshman adviser.
14. Your coffee (to bring) to you in a minute. Please wait.

II. Transform into passive voice.

1. I hope they will hire me soon.
2. Someone had broken the window by 5:00 p.m.
3. A strange man was watching us.
4. Paris will hold the Olympics in 2024.
5. You are to stick to the rules.
6. Did anyone tell him the truth?
7. Workers are building a new fun park in town.
8. Have they translated this bestseller into Russian already?
9. Who delivered you the parcel? (2 variants)
10. Have they installed the new music system yet?
11. They won't take a decision until the next meeting.
12. You must not drop litter in the street.
13. People will need public transport.
14. She will have washed all the dishes by the time he comes.

III. Translate into English.

1. Участников попросили подождать за дверью.
2. К сожалению, стиральную машину уже нельзя починить.
3. Ей сказали, о чем они разговаривали.
4. За его родителями уже послали.
5. Майкл был уверен, что закончит писать эссе к выходным.
6. Не поднимай крышку, пока варятся овощи.

7. Марго была возмущена, потому что с ней никогда да этого так не поступали.
8. Я чувствовала, что за мной наблюдают.
9. Торт был испечен и стол накрыт, когда пришли первые гости.
10. В приюте за животными будут ухаживать лучше, чем дома.
11. Студенты будут отчислены, если им не будут поставлены все необходимые зачеты.
12. Тебе уже все рассказали?
13. Белье постирали и выгладили, полы пропылесосили и протерли.
14. Никогда не слышали, чтобы имя его дяди где-то звучало.

IV. Insert the articles where necessary.

1. Do you take ...sugar in ...coffee?
2. I hope you ...have lovely time and ...good weather.
3. On Sundays my father stays in ...bed till 8 o'clock.
4. Her aunt went to ... school to talk to ... headmaster.
5. It was ... cloudy afternoon.
6. He was sent to ... prison for four months for stealing ... plant equipment.
7. He was appointed ... editor-in-chief.
8. She went up to ... bed and took her sleeping child.
9. He got ... job in ... south and spent ...two years doing ... work he enjoyed.
- 10.... day after ... passed without news.
11. The inhabitants of the town left ... church unhurriedly.
12. When we get back to ... town we'll get ... doctor to see your throat.
13. It was ... morning.
14. On ... day of his departure we had no classes.

Examination Grammar Test Winter Term

I. Open the brackets using the correct tense and voice verb form.

1. When the train (to leave)? – At 7 p.m.
2. Hardly (to buy) the flat when he (to move in).
3. These vacuum cleaners (to be) on sale for two weeks but today the price (to increase).
4. I do not know much about this incident because little information (to pass around).
5. John, you ever (to talk) at the lesson! I'll call you parents if you (to continue).

6. The room looks nice and cosy though it (not to live in) for some time.
7. I'll cook dinner while you (to play) with my daughter.
8. The patient complained (to examine) carelessly by the doctor.
9. Kate (to learn) French. She (to go) to France in a month.
10. I hope it (not to rain) tomorrow.
11. Our exams (to begin) in some days.
12. Tom (to be) in hospital since Friday.
13. Ann came home. Her husband (to sit) in the armchair and (to read) the book.
14. By the end of this month she (to finish) (to translate) the article.

II. Change the sentences into reported speech.

1. Mother said to her son, "You mustn't talk with your mouth full".
2. Peter asked his friend, "When did you start your business?"
3. "You are such a good friend!" she said.
4. Kate said, "Let's go for a walk".
5. "Sit down and be quiet", said the teacher.
6. "I'll be back soon," she said.
7. Alice said ponderously, "Life is love."
8. She said to him, "I graduated from University in 2015."
9. He said, "Don't worry, I'll drive you home."
10. "How nice of you to visit me!" she told her grandchildren.
11. He asked his former classmate, "Are you still living in Moscow?"
12. She asked him, "What are you going to eat?"
13. Tom asked the girl, "Have we met before?"
14. Jack wondered, "What time did they leave?"

III. Complete the sentences.

1. We haven't repaired the house since ...
2. Please, sit down and have a rest while the table ...
3. By the time we were to go home the snow ...
4. As soon as the linen is washed...
5. The teacher promised to answer all the questions only after ...
6. While I'm cleaning ...
7. When she was a child she used to ...
8. At this time tomorrow ...
9. How many years ...?
10. I won't help you unless ...
11. Kate had hardly ...
12. I don't know if she ...
13. We ... for two hours when it started snowing.
14. You ... constantly ...

IV. Translate into English.

1. Ты не научишься печь пироги, пока не начнешь делать это сама.
2. Он стал серьезнее, после того как поступил в университет.
3. Мне предлагали помощь, и я зря отказалась.
4. Мы ехали около часа, когда увидели замок.
5. Интересно, сколько книг ты прочитала?
6. Как только мы вышли из дома, начался дождь.
7. Он обычно много путешествовал. Сейчас редко уезжает куда-либо.
8. Ты не пойдешь в кино, пока не сделаешь уроки.
9. Попросите ее подождать, если она придет.
10. Как долго ты жила в Москве до того, как вернулась?
11. Ты еще не готова? Что же ты делала?
12. На его шутку не обратили внимания.
13. Ты постоянно споришь со мной!
14. О больном следует позаботиться немедленно.

V. Insert the articles where necessary.

1. It's no ... easy matter to keep ... house.
2. Why don't you clean the carpet with ... vacuum-cleaner.
3. I always do ... washing by ... hand as I don't have ... washing machine.
4. On coming home Ann found her room in ... mess.
5. Kate is ... efficient housewife, she puts everything in ... order in no time.
6. For ... lunch I prefer ... cold meat, ... cup of tea and ... ice-cream.
7. Let's draw up ... menu for ... party.
8. What do you usually have for ... dessert?
9. Ann, will you flavour .. soup with parsley now?
10. ... salad tastes of ... garlic, I won't eat it!
11. ... dinner we had yesterday at ... Greens was very delicious!
12. John always prefers ... substantial breakfast while his wife never has ... breakfast at all.
13. I never eat any breakfast, just ... cup of coffee and ... toast and honey.
14. After ... dinner Jane decided to go for a walk.

Term II.

Verbals. The Infinitive

Test

I. Put «to» before the infinitive where necessary.

1. She believed Peter ... be her real friend.
2. Kate was never heard ... complain.
3. Will you help me ... turn out the flat?
4. You'd better ... go home with us.
5. He was made ... translate the article.
6. John wanted his guests ... enjoy the party.
7. The girl began ... earn for her living when she was sixteen.
8. I won't have you ... go home alone at such a late hour.
9. What made her ... leave the house so unexpectedly?
10. Why not ... eat out tonight?
11. I saw the man ... climb up the stairs and ... disappear.
12. I'd rather ... stay at home than ... go out.
13. His Mother had him ... learn the poem.
14. My goal is ... master Spanish.

II. Open the brackets using the correct form of the infinitive.

1. She seems (to read) the book for more than three hours.
2. She likes (to watch) her friend (dance).
3. There is nothing left (to do) but (to wait).
4. I have something (to tell) you.
5. She is pleasant (to look) at.
6. We expect them (to arrive) soon.
7. I want you (to stop) worrying.
8. I felt the blood (to rush) into my cheeks.
9. He is sure (to ask) about it.
10. They meant (to arrive) early on Monday but their car got into a terrible traffic jam.
11. It is not the right time for us (to speak) about it.
12. My younger sister hates (to read) but she likes (to read) to.
13. They seem quite (to forget) us already.
14. Only yesterday we happened (to meet) the man.

III. Transform the sentences using the infinitive.

1. I am surprised that Kate has passed the exams.

2. It is reported that the delegation has left Moscow.
3. He was very tired and couldn't go for a walk.
4. Who allowed you to take my things?
5. He doesn't like when he is interfered with.
6. He is ill. They say so.
7. She was composed enough and controlled the situation.
8. I am certain that she will pass the exam.
9. John returned home and never left the place again.
10. It happened that Ann broke her leg while skiing.
11. This is the man who can help you.
12. He waited till she spoke.
13. It proved that he was a very experienced worker.
14. It seems likely that there will be a storm on the sea.

IV. Translate the sentences using the infinitive.

1. Он, кажется, уехал на Средиземное море.
2. Она, вероятно, будет дома в семь часов вечера.
3. Он, оказывается, читал эту книгу недавно.
4. Этот фильм нелегко забыть.
5. Говорят, что он лучший ученик в школе.
6. Слышали, как открылась дверь, и кто-то вошел в дом.
7. Предполагалось, что вы уберете в квартире. Почему вы не сделали этого?
8. Ее заставили открыть чемодан на таможне.
9. Сказать правду, он оказался настоящим профессионалом.
10. Маловероятно, что они закончат свою работу до конца мая.
11. Она была слишком взволнована, чтобы продолжать разговор.
12. Он не тот человек, который даст вам нужный совет.
13. Он случайно увидел ее на конференции.
14. Почему бы тебе не переделать это платье?

V. Insert the articles where necessary.

1. As Barbara had ... acute stomachache her relatives called ... ambulance
2. I had ... acute pain in my stomach and soon became obsessed with the idea that it was ... cancer.

3. It was ... early morning when the train pulled into ... station.
4. ... public school Jake has told us about is one of the best in Paris.
5. When we get back to ... town we'll get ... doctor to see your throat.
6. Holly spent ... evening preparing for her seminar.
7. Mr. Richardson was ... owner and ... editor-in-chief of the publishing house.
8. I am afraid I have to cancel ... dinner tonight.
9. She brought him a cup of tea and ... toast.
10. His old hat was of ... felt, with ... wide brim.
11. Every event in the book is described in ... detail.
12. There was ... rash all over his body.
13. He is ... connoisseur of ... French wine.
14. They discussed ... modern architecture.

Verbals. The Infinitive and the Gerund

Test

I. Open the brackets using the correct form of the infinitive or the gerund.

1. It's interesting (to hear) you (to say) that.
2. That's no reason (to give in).
3. Jane denied (to say) that.
4. The child needs (to take) care of.
5. My parents won't leave without (to see) me.
6. Why not (to try) (to make) her (to go) to the doctor?
7. I don't like (to shout) at.
8. He felt someone (to follow) him.
9. She (to wait) for quite a while before she understood that there was no use (to wait) longer.
10. Kate suggested (to make) a cake and began (to make) the cream.
11. The milk was slightly warmed before (to give) to the child.
12. He was looking forward (to visit) his granny.
13. She talked on but nobody seemed (to listen to).
14. He suddenly stopped (to write). There was no point (to go) on.

II. Complete the sentences using the infinitive or the gerund.

1. The actor was experienced enough...

2. When I saw my friend I couldn't help...
3. Kate objected...
4. My brother is unlikely...
5. She could do nothing...
6. The doctor prevented his patient...
7. The article is difficult...
8. She didn't mind...
9. You'd better...
10. He avoided...
11. Ann remembered...
12. My hair needs...
13. John went to the dentist's...
14. My sister was upset, she was made...

III. Find and correct the mistakes.

1. She overheard say that she's thinking of moving to London.
2. They watched to play football until it started to rain.
3. He let me to borrow his car while he was on holiday.
4. He longed the holidays to come so that he could be with his family again.
5. My parents always encouraged work hard at school.
6. Bob promised me to show me how to fish for salmon, but he never had the time.
7. We expect be back in two days.
8. The woman pretended to read and not to hear the bell.
9. I hate to be bothered you but the students are still waiting to give books for their work.
10. She was seen leave the house early in the morning.
11. I disapproved of him smoking in the house.
12. He happened to have seen the film before.
13. Jane is glad for her sister to have become a star.
14. His death was supposed to be caused by fire.

15. Translate the sentences using the infinitive or the gerund.

1. Нам бы хотелось, чтобы вы рассказали о своем путешествии в Африку подробнее.
2. Он был первым, кто снял фильм об этом ученом.

3. Я не возражаю, чтобы поехать с вами на море.
4. Он был счастлив при мысли, что скоро встретится со своими родственниками.
5. Спасибо, что помогли мне подготовиться к экзамену.
6. Петр ждал, пока его брат вернется из командировки.
7. Я знала, что он не способен принимать решения.
8. Мама настаивала, чтобы ее дочь осмотрел врач.
9. Это очень интересная книга, ее стоит прочитать.
10. Напомни мне, чтобы я зашла в аптеку купить лекарство.
11. Предполагается, что они поедут отдыхать вместе.
12. Тебе бы лучше остаться дома, у тебя температура.
13. Я слышала, как он ссорился со своей подругой.
14. Не имеет смысла говорить с ним, он все равно не поймет.

V. Insert articles where necessary.

1. Tom goes to ... primary school in London.
2. She had ... hacking cough.
3. He remained with us till ... daylight.
4. She was operated on for ... appendicitis.
5. I saw ... bed made up for me, and placed ... book on ... bed-side table.
6. They were revising for the exam till ... midnight.
7. He was ... gentleman enough to help them.
8. ... lunch was excellent, but I noticed that Walter ate very little.
9. Susan's father works as ... dentist.
10. Will you fetch ... dress in ... larger size.
11. They played ... tennis and ... bridge and knew all the latest dances.
12. He had ...beer in ... living-room.
13. ...Chinese silk is very beautiful.
14. It will take ...great effort to help her.

Verbals

Test

I. Open the brackets using verbals.

1. (To leave) the house, Jane went straight to the station.

2. I regret (to tell) him about it.
3. (To finish) the letter, he went to the post office.
4. Her goal was (to enter) university.
5. (To read) this book, I always remember my childhood.
6. He came back and stood on the steps (to lead down) to the street.
7. I don't remember (to lock) the door.
8. A crowd of (to excite) people were watching the firemen (to try) to save the burning building.
9. (To come) into the room, he felt some change in the atmosphere at once.
10. When (to be) a boy, he liked to play basketball.
11. She advised me (to apply) at once.
12. I was amused (to see) him (to dress) like a beggar.
13. She was sitting in an armchair (to read) a book.
14. Yesterday she had her coat (to clean).

II. Complete the sentences using verbals.

1. As the patient's health was neglected the doctor accused him...
2. My brother is in the habit...
3. Being tired, ...
4. He is not the person...
5. They liked the idea...
6. The letter having been written, ...
7. How often do you have ...
8. I heard them...
9. Ann was seen...
10. I want this flat...
11. Entering the room, ...
12. Make sure that the dress is your size before...
13. You had better...
14. I am sure...

III. Paraphrase the following sentences using verbals.

1. Kate altered her sister's dress. She thanked her.
2. When Mr. Norman entered the surgery, his heart sank.
3. They suspected that John had stolen their money.
4. When we had passed the last examination, we began to look round for a job.

5. She entered the room, there was a book in her hand.
6. She suggests that Kate should do the cooking.
7. My brother is a person with whom it is interesting to talk.
8. We hoped that we would do the work in time but we failed.
9. I am sure that she will like this costume.
10. She stayed in the house alone. She was afraid of it.
11. It is supposed that Bob has arrived in Moscow.
12. While Tom was reading the letter he felt that anger was rising inside him.
13. The text was too complicated. I couldn't understand it.
14. Ann was the first who helped me.

IV. Translate into English using verbals.

1. Начнем с того, что я никогда не была знакома с этим человеком.
2. Я видел, как темные тучи покрыли небо, и слышал, что поднялся ветер.
3. Она знает английский язык достаточно хорошо, чтобы поехать в командировку без переводчика.
4. Не разрешайте детям купаться в реке. Вода очень холодная.
5. Говорят, что это здание было построено в XV веке.
6. Сказав это, она вышла из комнаты.
7. Повернув направо, мы увидели красивое здание.
8. Будучи опытным врачом, он сразу понял, что случилось.
9. Женщина, открывшая мне дверь, выглядела очень молодо.
10. Слышали, как несколько минут тому назад они спорили на террасе?
11. Брайан сунул деньги в карман, не сосчитав их.
12. Она показала мне письмо, написанное в 1942 году.
13. Услышав шаги, он поднял голову.
14. Будучи ребенком, он не смог понять, что случилось.

V. Insert articles where necessary.

1. He was in ... hospital for 2 weeks.
2. She got ... pneumonia working in the street in ... winter.
3. I paid my first visit to her on ... clear cold December night.
4. ... hospital was repaired last year.
5. ... doctor shrugged his shoulders and sat down beside... bed.
6. It was ... early morning and the air was grateful and cool.

7. They made him ... leader.
8. They gave ... dinner in honour of ... Professor Johnson.
9. We have ... whole weekend free to explore the town.
10. He was dressed in ... white from ... crown to ... toe.
11. His father had come several times on ... tiptoe into ... room to see if he was breathing.
12. Roy and I happened to drop in for ... tea.
13. She smiled at us with ... unusual friendliness.
14. It was ... hard work and she got tired very quickly.

Modal verbs Test

I. Fill in the blanks with appropriate modal verbs or their equivalents.

1. I ... to have had a drawing lesson that day but the teacher cancelled it.
2. My brother ... swim when he was four.
3. It was a pity that my sister was ill and ... not go.
4. Kate, you ... have walked there. You could have taken a taxi.
5. You ... hurry. You have a lot of time yet.
6. We ... to see Jane tonight if she doesn't forget her appointment.
7. Mrs. Brown, ... I speak to you a moment?
8. I don't believe you! Mike ... have done it.
9. You ... to be ashamed of your behaviour.
10. It was a shock to me. You ... have warned me.
11. There is no sense in delaying the exciting news. I know how much you ... have been waiting for.
12. Mr. Green was familiar to me. Where ... I have met her?
13. What ... have happened?
14. It was because of the bad weather I ... not me at home in time.

II. Complete the sentences.

1. What about your granny? You ought
2. You are late. You shouldn't not have
3. That night we were ...
4. What a delicious pie you have baked. May I ...?
5. Where is John? – He may... .
6. It's late. I have
7. I don't believe you. You can't have

8. I know what happened in his house. You needn't
9. When you go to New York, you could
10. We didn't go out last night. We could ... to the cinema but we decided to stay at home.
11. When her arm is better, she
12. I ... visit my friends so often as it's a long way from the city.
13. When I arrived, everyone was asleep. Fortunately, I ... wake my sister and she let me in.
14. I ... go to Italy in July.

III. Paraphrase the sentences using modal verbs or their equivalents.

1. It's possible it won't snow tonight.
2. I don't believe that Bob dislikes you.
3. Perhaps they have left a message.
4. Maybe we'll get the letter tomorrow.
5. There is a possibility that she'll be invited to the party.
6. Is it all right if I use your phone?
7. Visitors are not allowed to stay in the hospital after 10 p.m.
8. I think Mother is still at work.
9. It is not necessary to retell the text today.
10. Do you think it is possible that Ann has changed so much?
11. I don't believe she has been meaning to do it.
12. I am certain that he was asleep and didn't hear the telephone.
13. I forbid you to go home alone.
14. Evidently, Tom's car was undergoing repairs.

IV. Translate the sentences using modal verbs and their equivalents.

1. Она знала, что ей не надо присутствовать при их разговоре.
2. Давай позвоним Майку, нам может понадобится его совет.
3. Можно мне здесь подождать? – Да, конечно.
4. Студенты могут получить эту книгу в библиотеке.
5. Вы могли бы приходить вовремя. Вы всегда опаздываете.
6. Могу я помочь вам?
7. Я не могу вспомнить его адрес. – Неужели ты даже улицу забыла?
8. Может быть, он еще ждет.
9. Здесь нельзя купаться.
10. Иногда отсюда можно видеть море.

11. Вы, возможно, забыли свои перчатки дома.
12. Вам придется написать ему еще раз.
13. Вчера вечером автобус был полупустой, и мне не пришлось стоять.
14. Мне надо видеть его сегодня же.

Examination Grammar Test Summer Term

I. Open the brackets using finite and non-finite forms of the verbs.

1. No sooner (to sell) the house than the family (to move in).
2. I (to wash the dishes) while you (to play) with your brother.
3. I (to watch) the tailor (to alter) the suit.
4. He never (to see) her since she (to leave) the town.
5. The house (to look) nice though it (not to live in) for a long time.
6. You'd better (to do) this task again.
7. The student kept (to miss) classes though he (to give a reprimand) by the Dean.
8. He denied (to take) the money and warned us (not to call) the police.
9. I (to share) a flat with my friend since I (to come) back to London but I'd like a place of my own.
10. How fortunate he is (to pass) his exams successfully.
11. He is supposed (to work) on his book for a month.
12. On the 4th of June they (to marry) for 15 years.
13. I'll be able (to talk) to him when I (to see) him.
14. My sister won't have me (to come) home late.

II. Complete the sentences using finite and non-finite forms of the verbs.

1. Hardly had he...
2. The doctor insisted ...
3. He was too excited ...
4. Mr. Norman succeeded...
5. The girl ... is my sister.
6. She entered the room, ...
7. You are likely...

8. The doctor prevented the patient...
9. Time permitting, ...
10. There was no point...
11. Do you know when...
12. Don't worry. I don't mind...
13. I had some difficulty...
14. While my mother...

III. Paraphrase the sentences using verbals, modal verbs and patterns of indirect speech.

1. "You'd better keep to bed", said the doctor to the patient.
2. "Let's go out tonight", said John to Kate.
3. The doctor insisted that the patient should be examined thoroughly.
4. I won't stand that you speak to me in such a way.
5. "I bought this car in 2015", said Robert to his friend.
6. She waited till he spoke.
7. He has missed many classes. It is hardly possible that he will pass the exams successfully.
8. He went to the Dean's office where he learnt that he was on the verge of flunking out.
9. It seems that the weather is changing for the worse.
10. Evidently the train has been cancelled..
11. There was no need to do the shopping. So she didn't.
12. John entered the room. There was a happy smile on his face.
13. It wasn't easy to find Jane's new house, as we didn't know her address.
14. You should check the oil before you start the car.

IV. Translate the sentences into English.

1. Потеряв ключ, она не смогла войти в комнату.
2. Мальчик, бегущий мимо дома, вдруг остановился.
3. Полагают, что он глубоко привязан к своей семье.
4. Он без труда найдет себе работу в Москве.
5. Будучи занят, он не сразу услышал меня.
6. Я знала, что он не способен принимать решения.
7. Когда она смотрела этот фильм, она вспоминала свое детство.
8. Жена фермера приходила каждый день, чтобы убрать комнаты.
9. Так как в комнате было темно, я не видел его.

10. Вчера нам починили забор.
11. Я жду вашего прихода.
12. Его наверняка об этом спросят.
13. Слышно было, как она весело смеялась.
14. Ему трудно угодить.

V. Insert articles where necessary.

1. It was ... high day when it thundered.
2. ...scarlet fever is ... childhood disease, adults being affected rarely.
3. She was seized with ... fever. It turned out to be ... flu.
4. Then ... day came when I had to go back to ... school.
5. She wanted to assure him that the treatment was perfect in ... hospital to which he had sent her.
6. ...next day his knee was badly swollen.
7. She is proud of being ... daughter of... surgeon.
8. As I sat at ... breakfast I looked out at the autumn mist.
9. But now and then Helen prepared ... dinner for him in ... apartment
10. Will you fetch ... dress in ... larger size?
- 11.... Husband ... and wife discussed their family budget.
- 12....anger that she felt was mixed with ...despair and ...fear.
13. Her cherish dream was to learn ...Spanish Language.
14. Though he was ...bad painter, he had ... delicate feeling for art.

Answer Keys

Examination Grammar Test (Winter Term)

- I. Open the brackets using the correct tense and voice verb form.
1. is the train leaving

2. had bought, when moved in
3. have been on sale, has increased
4. has been passed around
5. are ever talking
6. has not been lived in
7. are playing
8. to have been examined
9. is learning. is going
10. won't rain
11. begin
12. has been
13. was sitting and reading
14. will have finished translating

II. Change the sentences into reported speech.

1. Mother told her son not to talk with his mouth full.
2. Peter asked his friend when he had started his business.
3. She exclaimed what a good friend he was.
4. Kate suggested their going for a walk.
5. The teacher told her pupils to sit down and be quiet.
6. She promised to be back soon.
7. Alice said ponderously that life is love.
8. She told him that she graduated from university in 2015.
9. He advised me not to worry and added that he would drive me home.
10. She told her grandchildren that it was very nice of them to visit her.
11. He asked his former classmate if he was still living in Moscow.
12. She asked him what he was going to eat.
13. Tom asked the girl if they had met before.
14. Jack wanted to know what time they had left.

III. Complete the sentences.

1. Past Simple
2. Present Continuous Passive
3. Past Perfect
4. Future Simple Passive
5. Past Perfect
6. Future Continuous
7. Present Simple
8. Future Continuous
9. Present Perfect Continuous
10. Present Simple / Present Perfect
11. Present Perfect when Past Simple
12. Future Simple
13. Past Perfect Continuous
14. Present Continuous

IV. Translate into English.

1. You won't learn how to make pies until you begin doing it yourself.
2. He became more serious after he had entered the university.
3. I was offered help and it's a pity I have refused.
4. We had been driving for about an hour when we saw a castle.
5. I wonder how many books you have read.
6. Hardly had we left the house when it started raining.
7. He used to travel a lot. Now travels quite seldom.
8. You won't go to the cinema unless you do your homework.
9. Ask her to wait a bit if she comes.
10. How long had you lived in Moscow before you returned?
11. Aren't you ready yet? What have you been doing?
12. His joke was not paid attention to.

13. You are constantly arguing with me!
14. A sick person must be immediately taken care of.

V. Insert the articles where necessary.

1. -, -.
2. a.
3. the, -, a.
4. a.
5. an, -.
6. -, -, a, -.
7. the, the.
8. -.
9. the.
10. the, -.
11. the, the.
12. a, -.
13. a, -.
14. -.

Examination Grammar Test (Summer Term)

- I. Open the brackets using finite and non-finite forms of the verbs.
 1. No sooner had sold than moved in.
 2. am washing, are playing
 3. watched, alter / altering
 4. has never seen, left
 5. looked, had not been lived in

6. do
7. missing, had been given a reprimand
8. taking, not to call
9. have been sharing, came
10. to have passed
11. to have been working
12. Will have been married
13. to talk, see
14. Come

II. Complete the sentences using finite and non-finite forms of the verbs.

1. Past Perfect, when Past Simple
2. on + gerund
3. to-Infinitive
4. in + gerund
5. participle
6. participle (absolute)
7. to-infinitive
8. from + gerund
9. participle (absolute)
10. in + gerund
11. Future Simple
12. Gerund
13. in + gerund
14. Present Continuous, Future Continuous

III. Paraphrase the sentences using verbals, modal verbs and patterns of indirect speech.

1. The doctor advised the patient to keep to bed.
2. John suggested Kate their going out that evening.

3. The doctor insisted on the patient's examining thoroughly.
4. I won't have you speak to me in such a way.
5. Robert said to his friend that he bought the car in 2015.
6. She waited for him to speak.
7. He has missed many classes. He is unlikely to pass the exams successfully.
8. He went to the Dean's office to learn that he was on the verge of flunking out.
9. The weather seems to be changing for the worse.
10. The train must have been cancelled.
11. She didn't need / didn't have to do the shopping.
12. John entered the room, a happy smile on his face.
13. It wasn't easy to find Jane's house without knowing her address.
14. You should check the oil before starting the car.

IV. Translate the sentences into English.

1. Having lost the key, she couldn't enter the room.
2. The boy running near the house suddenly stopped.
3. He is believed to be close to his family.
4. She is sure to find a well-paid job with no difficulty.
5. Being busy, he didn't hear me at once.
6. I knew he was incapable of taking decisions.
7. (While) watching this film, she remembered her childhood.
8. The farmer's wife came every day to clean the rooms.
9. The room being dark, I couldn't see him.
10. Yesterday we had the fence repaired.
11. I am waiting for you to come.
12. He is certain to be asked about it.
13. She was heard to laugh heartily.
14. He is hard to please.

V. Insert the articles where necessary.

1. -.

2. -, a.

3. -, -.

4. -, -.

5. -.

6. The.

7. a, a.

8. -.

9. -, the.

10. a, a.

11. -, -.

12. -, -, -.

13. the.

14. a, a.

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