

**Демонстрационный вариант  
диагностической работы по английскому языку для 8-го класса**

**Раздел ЧТЕНИЕ**

При выполнении заданий 1–3 определите, какой из четырёх приведённых заголовков соответствует содержанию каждого текста.

**1** The programme “Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?” originated in the United Kingdom. The original working title for the show was Cash Mountain. The title comes from a popular Cole Porter song of the same name. Ironically, the answer to the question in the song is “I don’t!” When the programme first appeared in the UK on 4 September, 1998, it was a new idea in the game show genre.

- 1) Named after a song
- 2) A show born in the 21st century
- 3) An old game turned into a show
- 4) A popular TV programme from America

**2** Only one contestant plays at a time (similar to some radio quizzes), and suspense is more important than pace. In most versions there are no time limits to answer the questions; contestants are given the question before they must decide whether to try and give an answer. The player is asked more and more difficult general knowledge questions by the host (the first – the easiest, the last – the most difficult). Questions are multiple choice: four possible answers are given (A, B, C and D), and the contestant must choose the correct one.

- 1) Rules of the game
- 2) The further the easier
- 3) Three answers to choose from
- 4) A limited time to answer

**3** If at any point the contestant is unsure of the answer to a question, they can use one or more prompts or “lifelines”. *Fifty-Fifty* (the contestant asks the host to eliminate two incorrect answers, leaving the player with a choice between the correct answer and the incorrect one), *Ask the Audience* or *Phone-A-Friend*. After using “lifelines”, contestants can either answer the question, use another “lifeline”, or walk away and keep the money. Each prompt can only be used once. “Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?” is the most internationally popular television programme of all time, having appeared in more than 100 countries worldwide.

- 1) Help is impossible
- 2) Only one chance to get help
- 3) The player can stop playing
- 4) Playing against the audience

**Раздел ГРАММАТИКА И ЛЕКСИКА**

*Прочитайте текст и выполните задания 4–9.*

*Прочитайте текст с пропусками. Преобразуйте слова, напечатанные заглавными буквами в скобках, так, чтобы они грамматически соответствовали содержанию текста. Заполните пропуски полученными словами.*

My parents say that if we travel to the USA in February or March next year, we **4** \_\_\_\_\_ (TAKE) part in *Ice Alaska*. It happens every year and promotes art, culture and tourism.

It **5** \_\_\_\_\_ (START) in 1934 by Kay Huffman and Clara Murray West. They used to organise the Fairbanks Winter Carnival with parades and dog races.

Four years later, it **6** \_\_\_\_\_ (BECOME) the Ice Carnival and Dog Derby, and artists carved thrones from ice for the carnival queen and king.

The event grew and turned into an international ice-carving contest. In 1990, the first competition took place, and a French team was the winner. Since then, hundreds of artists from all over the world **7** \_\_\_\_\_ (PARTICIPATE) in *Ice Alaska*.

Visitors can watch the artists at work and see all the finished sculptures in a fantastic light display. Children can have fun, too, in the Kids’ Park, which offers a wide range of **8** \_\_\_\_\_ (ACTIVITY), including rides, slides, mazes, and trains.

Today, involvement in *Ice Alaska* as a sculptor, a volunteer, or as a visitor, **9** \_\_\_\_\_ (PROVIDE) a healthy, family-centered outdoor experience. I hope my parents and I will be able to go there next year.

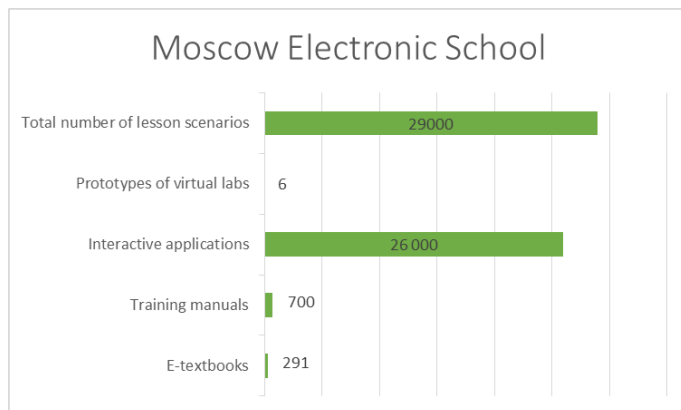
*Прочитайте текст и выполните задания 10–14.*

*Прочитайте текст с пропусками. Образуйте от слов, напечатанных заглавными буквами в скобках, однокоренные слова так, чтобы они грамматически и лексически соответствовали содержанию текста. Заполните пропуски полученными словами.*

Another amazing **10** \_\_\_\_\_ (BUILD) is on Chistoprudny Boulevard. It is a modern 20th century house. It makes this part of the boulevard look **11** \_\_\_\_\_ (BEAUTY). You can see owls, ducks, lions, deer, flowers, plants and also **12** \_\_\_\_\_ (DIFFER) fairy-tale creatures on its walls. The design of the walls is the work of the **13** \_\_\_\_\_ (ART) Sergey Vashkov. This house – one of his first **14** \_\_\_\_\_ (WORK) at that time – has the nickname “the house with animals” because of the images of animals and creatures on its walls. Today, people still rent flats here.

## Раздел ФУНКЦИОНАЛЬНАЯ ГРАМОТНОСТЬ

Изучите гистограмму с данными о проекте «Московская электронная школа». Заполните пропуски согласно данным гистограммы **одним словом** (двумя – для составных числительных). Числа записывайте словами.



(according to <https://school.moscow/>)

The bar chart shows some statistics of the educational project “Moscow Electronic School” which was launched in 2016. Today, there are a lot of online materials that are used at lessons, including even virtual **15** \_\_\_\_\_!

Teachers and pupils can find **16** \_\_\_\_\_ training manuals and almost three hundred electronic textbooks in the system and use them online.

The system is constantly growing: there are **17** \_\_\_\_\_ thousand applications and nearly thirty thousand lesson scenarios in different subjects.