

**Olympiáda v anglickom jazyku, 35. ročník, celoštátne kolo 2024/2025, kategória 1B – riešenia a úlohy**

**A N S W E R   K E Y**

**GRAMMAR – 15 pts**

1 – of (*not* around), 2 – were, 3 – for, 4 – its/the, 5 – By, 6 – who, 7 – as, 8 – had, 9 – many/lots, 10 – into, 11 – in, 12 – in, 13 – any, 14 – to, 15 – up.

**VOCABULARY – 10 pts**

1 – payable, 2 – muscular, 3 – unavoidable, 4 – similarities, 5 – loneliness, 6 – incurable, 7 – reddish, 8 – imaginative, 9 – conflicting, 10 – foreseeable.

**READING COMPREHENSION**

1 – B, 2 – A, 3 – B, 4 – B, 5 – B, 6 – C, 7 – A, 8 – C, 9 – A, 10 – C.

**LISTENING COMPREHENSION – 5 pts – for 10 correct answers/ half a point each**

***Conversation 1***

**Topic** – ~~study~~

**Place** – school

**People** – students/tutors

**Feelings** – ~~angry~~

**Reason** – complain

***Conversation 2***

~~sport~~

home

mother/son

excited/nervous

advise/prepare/encourage

***Conversation 3***

work

café

colleagues

happy

~~celebrate~~

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**ROLEPLAY**

**TEACHER**

You and your best friend have decided to join a competition for the BEST SCIENCE POSTER, which is being organized by your science teacher.

You are attracted to the natural science that studies celestial objects and the phenomena that occur in the cosmos.

Persuade your friend that the sphere of astronomy, planets, and even black holes could be the most attractive ideas to be presented to other students.

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**ROLEPLAY**

**STUDENT**

You and your best friend have decided to join a competition for the BEST SCIENCE POSTER, which is being organized by your science teacher.

You are attracted to anything relating to the environment in which people, animals, and plants live.

Persuade your friend that protecting the environment is in fact the best idea to be presented since it also involves a lot of science.

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**PICTURE STORY**

Come up with a story using all the pictures in any order you wish.



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**Tapescript**

**Listen to three short conversations. How many blanks can you complete? To get 5 points, you have to complete at least 10 blanks.**

**Conversation 1**

Male voice /M/ - Have you seen what we've got this term? I can't believe it!

**Female voice /F/ - No. Why, what's up? It must be pretty bad.**

M - It is. Look over there on the wall. Monday and Friday, nine lessons. Nine! Not one free period. What a way to start and end the week!

**F - What?! Oh, that's ridiculous. Hasn't anyone spoken to the Head of Studies?**

M - I don't know, but someone should. I'm sure none of the other classes has anything like this. How on earth are we supposed to organise ourselves? Look at Tuesday and Thursday!

**F - First two lessons, then a long gap, then the last two! That's even worse.**

M - Why don't you speak to the Head? You're good at that sort of thing.

**F - I will. Give me a few minutes to calm down.**

**Conversation 2**

**Female voice /F/ - Got everything you need? Ready for the big day? It's here at last.**

Male voice /M/ - Yes, I put it all in my bag last night: shirt, shorts, socks, boots – I've been looking forward to this for weeks.

**F - Did you get a good night's sleep? You need to feel as fresh as you can.**

M - No, I couldn't stop thinking about it...just walking onto the field in front of all those people. I really hope we win.

**F - Your father and I are proud of you, whatever happens. Just do your best – that's all you can do.**

M - I'll try, I promise you that. I can't wait to have the chance.

**F - I know you will. I'm sure you're going to do it. Go on, off you go and have a great day.**

M - Thanks. I'll phone home to tell you the results.

**Conversation 3**

Male voice /M/ - Doesn't this feel absolutely wonderful? The best results in five years and we did it. Even the boss was impressed. Well done!

**Female voice /F/ - Well done to you, too – we did it together. I'm really pleased you got the promotion you wanted.**

M - Thanks – and you're taking on more responsibility, too, aren't you? That's great, you deserve it.

**F - I think we'll both be seeing a lot more of the office, so let's take the chance to relax while we can. Let's celebrate.**

M - Okay, what are you going to have?

**F - I don't know. I'll have a look at the menu.**

M - Or have a look at the daily specials on the board. They're usually pretty good. It's over there.

**F - Okay, let's choose something really special. We've both earned it.**

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