

# THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE CONTEST - KONKURS JĘZYKA ANGIELSKIEGO



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## EAGLES

Klasy II – IV szkół ponadgimnazjalnych  
Czas trwania konkursu – 75 minut  
Podczas konkursu nie wolno używać żadnych pomocy naukowych!

Pytania po 3 punkty

- I've waited for her ..... five long hours.  
A) through      B) since      C) for      D) by
- If I were in your shoes, .....  
A) I'd surely won the race      C) I would see him soon  
B) the police wouldn't recognize me      D) mine wouldn't get dirty
- John is seventy-five and gets his ..... regularly.  
A) retirement      B) pension      C) salary      D) wage
- When Tom says "I'm sick of Jane." he means he ..... her.  
A) longs      B) doesn't miss      C) takes care of      D) can't stand
- Which is the correct form of a formal letter?

A) 

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B) 

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C) 

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D) 

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- Thank you for the invitation ...
- 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2000
- Dear Sir/Madam,
- Yours sincerely,
- 10 Pine Street ...
- I'm also interested ...
- I'm looking forward to ...
- Bolton Ltd.

6. "My eyes are often sore and I sneeze a lot."
- A) "You should do more exercise – it's very relaxing."  
B) "You really must stop smoking and reading."  
C) "Good, you needn't come back for a month."  
D) "You should do some allergy tests."
7. Who starred in '*City of Angels*', '*Kate and Leopold*' and '*French Kiss*'?
- A) Meg Ryan      B) Nicolas Cage      C) Kevin Klein      D) Tea Leoni
8. "***I have a dream that my four little children will one day live in a nation where they will not be judged by the colour of their skin, but by the content of their character.***" was said by:
- A) Martin Luther King      B) John Lennon      C) Nelson Mandela      D) Queen Victoria
9. In *Captain Grant's Children* Major McNabbs was Edward Glenarvan's:
- A) cousin      B) partner      C) nephew      D) friend
10. In *Captain Grant's Children* Ayrton was left:
- A) on the coast of Australia      C) in Australian prison  
B) on Maria Theresa Island      D) deep in the woods

*Pytania po 4 punkty*

11. Which of the following prepositions can't go with more than one adjective:
- fond      familiar      tolerant      famous      popular      addicted**
- A) with      B) of      C) for      D) to
12. Breaking a mirror ..... seven years' bad luck.
- A) will bring      B) is said to bring      C) is      D) is believed to be
13. A device used to turn on/off the TV is called:
- A) a pilot      B) a remote control      C) a broadcaster      D) a messenger
14. I can't afford to buy a new TV set. I'm living on the:
- A) bank      B) limit      C) budget      D) credit
15. "How long will my appointment be?"
- A) "Pretty soon, I guess."      C) "I'll make it short for you."  
B) "It'll be within a mile."      D) "I'm afraid it won't be long."

16. Jake's girlfriend got an sms from him He was in a hurry so he used some short forms. What did he mean writing the following:

**THX 4 D GR8 NEWS. XLNT! R U CMING 2 LND 2MORO? I MAY B L8 SO W8 4 ME PLZ. HAND!**

- A) He's coming to London the next day.
- B) He's going to be late for the meeting.
- C) She shouldn't wait for him.
- D) He wishes to have a nice day.

17. British pubs used to serve as:

- A) entertainment centres
- B) off-licence shops
- C) stops for coaches before further journey
- D) post offices

18. The original inhabitants of British Islands were:

- A) Normans
- B) Celts
- C) Vikings
- D) Saxons

19. The bottle with a letter in *Captain Grant's Children* was found ..... after the *Britannia* left Peru for Glasgow.

- A) 12 months
- B) 18 months
- C) 22 months
- D) 26 months

20. In *Captain Grant's Children* Ayrton was:

- A) a British prisoner
- B) a crew member of the *Britannia*
- C) a blacksmith's employee
- D) Captain Grant's friend

*Pytania po 5 punktów*

21. There are ..... abstract nouns in the diagram.

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P	S	R	P	R	O	M	O	T	I	O	N	S
F	L	R	N	P	N	K	N	O	W	N	I	T

- A) 4
- B) 8
- C) 12
- D) 16

22. How many *'the'* are omitted before the following?

*Duchess of Windsor, Himalayas, sun, Times, Nile, White House, Jamaica, USA, Sultan of Brunei, Lake Victoria*

- A) 4                      B) 6                      C) 8                      D) 10

23. You'll be dismissed unless you .....

- A) pull your weight                      C) keep your fingers crossed  
B) pick yourself up                      D) find your match

24. I love her ..... manner.

- A) la-di-da                      B) po-faced                      C) high spirited                      D) penal

25. "You shouldn't have done this to me, even if I did."

- A) "Now we're equal."  
B) "Tit for tat."                      C) "Don't accuse me."  
D) "Easier said than done."

26. "I'm through with them!"

- A) "I'd follow your idea."  
B) "Don't get rattled!"                      C) "I'm in no mood for doing it."  
D) "I see red when we meet."

27. Snooker is similar to:

- A) darts                      B) bowls                      C) billiards                      D) cricket

28. Which statement is true?

- A) Public schools in Britain are in fact private.  
B) Loch Lomond is famous for its monster.  
C) Christopher Wren was one of the most outstanding English painters.  
D) Queen Elisabeth II is the owner of Harrods.

29. The correct order of places visited by Lord Glenarvan's group in *Captain Grant's Children* was:

- A) *Cape Verde, Fort Independence, Cape of Good Hope, Snowy River, Talcahuano*  
B) *Glasgow, Cape Verde, Andes, Cape Bernouilli, Snowy River, Maria Theresa Island*  
C) *Tristan d'Acunha, Talcahuano, Seymour, Twofold Bay, eastern New Zealand*  
D) *Andes, Tristan d'Acunha, Fort Independence, Cape of Good Hope, western New Zealand*

30. In *Captain Grant's Children* on the way from Seymour to Twofold Bay ..... animals died.

- A) two                      B) four                      C) seven                      D) nine