



AN INTENSIVE TEST-COURSE OF UPDATED ENGLISH FOR USERS AT LARGE

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THE TRANSLATION FROM ENGLISH INTO RUSSIAN IS SO POLYSEMANTIC!

TASK 5

- Choose the correct form of the word (a, b) that best completes the sentence. Write the number of the sentence and the letter of the answer, e.g. 1a, 2a, 3b. 1 It is warm today as if it ... spring. a) were b) had been 2 Our instructor knows English well as if she ... in England all her life. a) lived b) had lived 3 She looks as if she ... tired. a) were b) had been 4 Her sister behaves as if she ... a child. a) were b) had been 5 They know each other well as if they ... many years together. a) spent b) had spent 6 He looked at me as if he ... to say something. a) tried b) had tried 7 If we ... the money, we would have bought a new DVD system. a) had b) had had 8 If the neighbors hadn't quieted down, I ... to call the police. a) have b) had c) would have

TASK 6

- Choose the correct form of the word (a, b) that best completes the sentence. Write the number of the sentence and the letter of the answer, e.g. 1a, 2a, 3b. 1 I wish we ... the Smiths' more often in future. a) saw b) had seen 2 Jerry wishes he ... better grades next term. a) got b) had got 3 I wish I ... to a newspaper long ago. a) subscribed b) had subscribed 4 They wish they ... to move so soon because they haven't found another place yet. a) didn't have b) hadn't had 5 I wish I ... the child alone in the room for five minutes. a) didn't leave b) hadn't left 6 She wishes her sister-in-law ... such a lot of medicine. She'd better spend more time in the open air. a) didn't take b) hadn't taken

TASK 7

- Choose the correct form of the word (a, b) that best completes the sentence. Write the number of the sentence and the letter of the answer, e.g. 1a, 2a, 3b. 1 I wish you ... yesterday. a) called b) had called 2 I wish I ... ice-cream at the grocery store yesterday. a) bought b) had bought 3 I wish you ... him well. You would like him. a) knew b) had known 4 Susie wishes she ... there with her brother now. a) went b) had gone 5 Jack and Ann wish they ... got married so young. a) didn't b) hadn't 6 Mary wishes she ... law instead of history when she was in college. a) studied b) had studied

TASK 8

- Choose the correct form of the word (a, b) that best completes the sentence. Write the number of the sentence and the letter of the answer, e.g. 1a, 2a, 3b. 1 You had better ... by bus. a) go b) to go 2 He had better ... the doctor before going. a) consult b) to consult 3 I had better not ... this fish. a) eat b) to eat 4 You had better ... and ring him up. a) go b) to go 5 She had better not ... coffee so late at night. a) drink b) to drink 6 You had better not ... her about it. a) tell b) to tell

TASK 9

- Choose the correct form of the word (a, b) that best completes the sentence. Write the number of the sentence and the letter of the answer, e.g. 1a, 2a, 3b. 1 We wish you ... change your mind about doing that tomorrow. a) will b) would 2 I wish the snow ... stop soon. a) will b) would 3 Bill wishes he ... better for the game tomorrow. a) feels b) would feel

TASK 1

- Choose the correct form of the word (a, b) that best completes the sentence. Write the number of the sentence and the letter of the answer, e.g. 1a, 2a, 3b. 1 Where did you ...? - At the hairdresser's. a) have your hair done b) do you hair 2 Ann always ... herself. a) does her hair b) has her hair done 3 Tom has just ... at the cleaners'. a) had the coat cleaned b) cleaned the coat 4 The mechanic ... in Tom's flat. a) installed a telephone b) had a telephone installed 5 I have just ... myself burnt. a) would have b) would have had 6 If her mother ... her Ann would have stayed longer. a) let b) had let 7 If we ... that they had planned to arrive today we could have met them at the bus station. a) would have known b) had known 8 If I ... more time, I would have checked my paper again. a) had b) had had 9 If you hadn't interfered, they ... all about it in an hour. a) would forget b) would have forgotten

TASK 2

- Choose the correct form of the word (a, b, c) that best completes the sentence.

Write the number of the sentence and the letter of the answer, e.g. 1c, 2a, 3b.

- 1 If Barbara... really my friend, she would call me once a week. a) was b) were c) will be 2 If Mr. Harris ... single, I could introduce him to my sister. a) is b) were c) would be 3 If the meat ... a little more done, this would be excellent. a) was b) were c) will be 4 If you ... so angry, you could see it yourself. a) aren't \ ain't b) weren't c) won't be 5 If my daughter ... here, I would be very happy. a) is b) were c) will be 6 This apartment would be perfect if it ... a little larger. a) is b) were c) will be

TASK 3

- Choose the correct form of the word (a, b, c) that best completes the sentence. Write the number of the sentence and the letter of the answer, e.g. 1c, 2a, 3b. 1 If you tidied everything up in the morning, your room ... better when you got back in the afternoon. a) looks b) looked c) would look 2 If the rain stopped, we ... for a walk. a) go b) went c) would go 3 They ... him a letter, if they had time. a) write b) wrote c) would write 4 If he were not very busy, he ... you. a) helps b) helped c) would help

5 If I lived far from my job, I ... there by bus.

- a) go b) went c) would go 6 If the boy were not so tired, he ... basketball today. a) play b) played c) will play d) would play e) would have played f) would have been playing. 7 I usually ... myself. a) repair everything b) have everything repaired

TASK 4

- Choose the correct form of the word (a, b) that best completes the sentence. Write the number of the sentence and the letter of the answer, e.g. 1a, 2a, 3b. 1 If you ... the directions in the book, the jelly wouldn't be such a mess. a) followed b) had followed 2 If he ... her advice, he would know what to do. a) took b) had taken 3 If she ... to come, she would be here now. a) were told b) had been told 4 The girl would be well now if she ... in bed a few days longer. a) stayed b) had stayed 5 You would feel much better if you ... a sleepless night. a) didn't spend b) hadn't spent 6 If it ... heavily all through the night, we would try to cross the river here. a) didn't rain b) hadn't rained

4 Steve wishes his boss ... a new computer for the office.

a) gets b) would get

5 She wishes they ... another computer next year.

a) are having b) would have

6 In the famous fairytale of King Midas the king wished everything he touched ... gold.

a) turns b) would turn

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### TASK 10

Choose the correct form of the word (a, b, c) that best completes the sentence.

Write the number of the sentence and the letter of the answer, e.g. 1c, 2a, 3b.

1 The doctor suggested that she ... smoke.

a) doesn't b) didn't c) shouldn't

2 Does your subordinate demand that they ... at the board?

a) answered b) would answer c) should answer

3 Her parents insist that kids ... morning exercises every day.

a) do b) did c) should do

4 Have you arranged that she ... met at the station?

a) is b) were c) should be

5 The trainer recommended that she ... hard English.

a) studies b) studied c) should study

6 He gave instructions that they ... immediate measures to prevent any further outbreak of the disease.

a) takes b) took c) should take

7 It is necessary that the tourists ... the camp at 7:00am.

a) reaches b) must reach c) should reach d) would reach

8 It is important that you ... this article.

a) read b) must read c) should read d) would read

### TASK 11

Choose the correct form of the word from those in brackets. Write the number of the sentence and the form you choose.

1 If you (are, were, would be) right, then I am wrong.

2 If you (give, gave, will give) her a tablet, you would be wrong.

3 If he (speak, spoke, will speak) to me, I should speak to him.

4 If he (asks, asked, will ask) for money, would you give him any?

5 Will you give him money if he (asks, asked, will ask) for it?

6 If he (feels, felt, will feel) hungry, he will eat his dinner.

### TASK 12

Choose the correct form of the word from those in brackets. Write the number of the sentence and the form you choose.

1 Hob would have learned grammar if he (works, worked, had worked) hard, but he didn't.

2 I would have helped him if he (needs, needed, had needed) help, but he didn't.

3 He would have done the work if he (has, had, had had) time, but he hadn't.

4 I should have gone for a walk if the rain (stops, stopped, had stopped), but it didn't.

5 I should have spoken if I (am, were, had been) sure of the answer, but I wasn't.

6 I should have spoken if I (know, knew, had known) the answer, but I didn't.

### TASK 13

Choose the correct form of the word from those in brackets. Write the number of the sentence and the form you choose.

1 I should go if you (want, wanted, had wanted) me to, but you don't.

2 The room would soon be ready if you (help, helped, had helped) me with the chairs, but you don't.

3 We shouldn't have the picnic if it (rains, rained, had rained), but it doesn't.

4 You would see the Eiffel Tower if you (go, went, had gone) to Paris, but you don't.

5 I should let you know if I (receive, received, had received) any news, but I don't.

6 We should take a boat out on the Avon if you (want, wanted, had wanted) to, but you don't.

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### TASK 14

Choose the correct form of the word from those in brackets. Write the number of the sentence and the form you choose.

1 I will do it if the spectators ... seats in the gallery.

a) takes b) must take c) should take d) would take

4 It is advisable that nobody ... about it.

a) knows b) must know c) should know d) would know

5 It is imperative that you ... in time.

a) are b) must be c) should be d) would be

6 It is desirable that he ... the book to the library.

a) returns b) must return c) should return d) would return

### TASK 15

Divide the sentences into two groups: a) where 'would' is used to express repeated actions in the past; b) where 'would' has another function.

1 I wish someone would answer the telephone.

2 Tom said he would lend Ann some money.

3 Bill was angry because the car wouldn't start.

4 In summer, if the weather was fate, we would all get up early and go for a swim.

5 Ann promised that she wouldn't be late.

6 Every time a tram went past, the whole house would shake.

### TASK 16

Choose the correct form of the word from those in brackets. Write the number of the sentence and the form you choose.

1 I will see John if I (go, shall go, should go) to Oxford.

2 If you lend me 570 pounds, I (pay, shall pay, should pay) you back tomorrow.

3 I shall go out for coffee at eleven if my essay (is, will be, would be) finished.

4 Lucille will fly to Paris if she (gets, will get, would get) a ticket.

5 If it is not too cold, I (go, shall go, should go) for swim.

6 If he behaves badly, I (have, shall have, should have) a talk with him.

### TASK 17

Choose the correct form of the word from those in brackets. Write the number of the sentence and the form you choose.

1 If you stir the sugar, the tea (is, will be, would be) sweeter.

2 You will win much praise if you (do, will do, would do) your duty.

3 The secretary will help you if you (have, will have, would have) any difficulties.

4 I shall be very much surprised if these sandwiches (are, will be, would be) fresh.

5 If it (is, will be, would be) not foggy tomorrow, we will come.

6 I (play, shall play, should play) if you asked me.

7 I should iron your shirt if you (bring, brought, had brought) it to me, but you don't want to.

8 I should have ironed your shirt if you (bring, brought, had brought) it to me, but you didn't want to.

9 If you (bring, brought, had brought) that bucket, I'll fill it up with water.

10 If you (bring, brought, had brought) that bucket, I'd fill it up with water, but I see you are not going to do it.

11 If you (bring, brought, had brought) that bucket, I should have filled it with water, but you never did it.

### TASK 18

Choose the correct form of the word from those in brackets. Write the number of the sentence and the form you choose.

1 If you (do, did, had done) that, you will be all right.

2 If you (do, did, had done) that, you would be all right, but you never do it.

3 If you (do, did, had done) that, you would have been all right, but you never did it.

4 I shall give him the money if I (see, saw, had seen) him.

5 I should give him the money if I (see, saw, had seen) him, but he can't be found.

6 I should have given him the money if I (see, saw, had seen) him, but he couldn't be found.

### TASK 19

Choose the correct form of the word from those in brackets. Write the number of the sentence and the form you choose.

1 If the cat (is, was, had been) hungry, I will give it some food.

2 If the cat (is, were, had been) hungry, I should give it some food, but I don't see it.

3 If the cat (is, were, had been) hungry, I should have given it some food, but I didn't see it.

4 If you (leave, left, had left) now, you will catch the train.

5 If you (leave, left, had left) now, you would catch the tram.

6 If you (leave, left, had left) then, you would have caught the train.

### TASK 20

Choose the correct form of the word from those in brackets. Write the number of the sentence and the form you choose.

1 Fred will pass his test if he (works, worked, had worked) hard.

2 Fred would pass his test if he (works, worked, had worked) hard now.

3 Fred would have passed his test if he (works, worked, had worked) hard then.

4 If you (drink, drank, had drunk) that, it will kill you.

5 If you (drink, drank, had drunk) that now, it would kill you.

6 If you (drink, drank, had drunk) that yesterday, it would have killed you.