**Exit test (Spotlight 8)**

**Listening** (в формате ОГЭ)

*Вы услышите разговор двух друзей Шейлы и Пола о благотворительном забеге.*

*В заданиях А1-А4 обведите цифру 1, 2 или 3, соответствующую выбранному вами варианту*

*ответа. Вы услышите запись дважды.*

**CIRCLE the correct variant (1-3)**

**A1** What's Sheila doing on Saturday?

1. studying for exams

2. running in a race

3. going to the cinema

**A2** Who is trying to raise money?

1. Sheila's school

2. Sheila's friends

3. professional athletes

**A3** What is the charity in aid of?

1. athletes

2. African wild animals

3. dolphins

**A4** What's the prize?

1. a pair of trainers

2. a cool T-shirt

3. sweatbands

**Vocabulary and grammar**

1. The concert **is starting/starts** at 9:00. Do you want to go to dinner before that?
2. **Have you met/Have you been meeting** our new neighbours yet? They seem really nice.
3. Do you know where Sam is? I **have waited/ have been waiting** for him for over an hour and I'm starting to lose my patience.
4. Emma **is always interrupting/has always interrupted** me whenever I tell a story. It's so annoying!
5. Watch where you're going! You **are falling/are going** **to fall** into that hole!
6. Mr Adams is **the most** **patient/more patient** teacher I have ever had.
7. Joe eats out so often that he always welcomes the chance to have a nice **home-cooked/ undercooked** meal whenever he visits his mother.
8. Don't worry, I'll show you how to set the table for a formal dinner; it's a **cup of tea/piece of cake.**
9. Dad will be back in half an hour; he's **gone to/been to** the newsagent's to pick up today paper.
10. Emily's family moved to Spain from **— /the** UK when she was still a baby.
11. Doctors say that it's not a good idea to eat red meat more than once or twice **a/the** week.
12. Peter **was** **talking/talked** on the phone when I entered his office, so I didn't want to interrupt him.
13. We didn't see Jane at the party, because when we got there she **has already gone/had already gone** home.
14. John **had** **tried/had been trying** to fix his computer for two hours before he decided to call a professional.
15. Little Suzie thinks that her granddad's big **curly/bushy** eyebrows look really funny!
16. Don't expect Angela to come and talk to you first; she's **too/enough** shy around new people.
17. Tikets for *The Phantom of the Opera* must **is booked/be booked** weeks earlier.
18. Can you wait a few minutes? Your dress **is shortening/is being shortened** right now.
19. The big earthquake caused many buildings to **rescue/collapse** and people were left homeless.
20. Frank has decided **to join/joining** an environmental organisation.
21. If you want to help the earthquake victims, you can **to donate/donate** clothes and money at the local shelter.
22. Sheila **used/got used** to drive to work, but now she takes the bus.
23. Ben rushed out of the office and **boarded/caught** a taxi to the train station.
24. She said that we **are/were** not allowed to take pictures of the paintings.
25. Mary said that Brian **had come back/would come back** the week after.
26. The tourist wanted to know how old **was the Taj Mahal/the Taj Mahal was**.
27. Tommy told me **not to forget/to not forget** my passport.
28. **Should/May** I have some information about Performing Arts universities in Britain, please?
29. Sue **can't have/must have** been at the party last night. She's on holiday in Italy right now.
30. Unless Mary gets permission from her parents, she **may/must** not study in France next year.

**Reading**

**Read the following text and mark the statements as T (true), *F* (false) or *DS* (doesn't say).**

**A Symbol Of Paris**

Being one of the most popular sites in the world, the Eiffel Tower attracts hundreds of thousands of tourists every year. In fact, the structure, received its two hundredth millionth guest in 2002. Located on the Champs de Mars by the Seine River, visitors can make their way to the top and admire the breathtaking view of Paris.

The Tower was the inspiration of French engineer Gustave Eiffel. A very famous personality in his time, Eiffel had also done important work for the internal structure of another famous monument, the Statue of Liberty in the USA. Work on the Eiffel Tower began in 1887 and lasted until 1889, when the building was opened to the public during the Paris World Exposition. Until 1930 and the construction of the Chrysler Building in New York, the Tower remained the highest structure in the world.

Many people, especially artists, criticised the structure saying that this distasteful structure did not fit in with the beauty of Paris. One of these critics was the French writer Guy de Maupassant, who ate at one of the tower's restaurants almost every day, because it was the only place in Paris from where the tower was not visible, and so he wouldn't have to see it!

A lot of effort and money go into keeping the Tower in good condition. Every seven years, sixty metric tons of paint are used to repaint it. Different shades of the same colour are used on the top and darker ones on the bottom in order for the building to have an unvarying appearance.

**1** Over two million people have climbed the Eiffel Tower. .........

**2** Gustave Eiffel also built the Statue of Liberty. .........

**3**  It took five years to complete the Eiffel Tower. .........

**4** Guy de Maupassant didn't like the Eiffel Tower. .........

**5** Different colours are used to repaint the Eiffel Tower. .........