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название олимпиады

по иностранным языкам (английскому) языку
профиль олимпиады

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Task 1.

- 1) was +
- 2) had to +
- 3) would stand +
- 4) is bound to make +
- 5) has reshaped +
- 6) While +
- 7) used to know +
- 8) wasn't +
- 9) far more +
- 10) could benefit +

TB1:10

Task 2

- 11) B +
- 12) D +
- 13) E +
- 14) A +
- 15) F +
- 16) C +
- 17) J +
- 18) I +
- 19) G +
- 20) H +

TB2:10

Task 3

- 21) A +
- 22) B +
- 23) C +
- 24) A +
- 25) A +
- 26) C +
- 27) B +
- 28) C +
- 29) B +
- 30) C +

TB3:10

above-given

Task 3 (~~the~~ phrases/sentences which support my ^Vanswers)

- 21) A: they feel more refreshed and motivated
- 22) B: Many businesses fear that reducing hours will lower productivity.
- 23) A: not all businesses can implement a four-day schedule easily
B: Some industries... struggle to adapt to a condensed schedule
- 24) A: Companies ... see reduced absenteeism and higher staff retention
- 25) A: a shorter workweek improves mental health
- 26) A: ~~not~~ it's not all sunshine and roses
B: Despite these concerns, ... the four-day workweek can boost morale and efficiency
- 27) B: disrupt operations..., including client relationships in management
- 28) A: in many industries restructuring work processes has proven to be a game-changer
B: pilot programmes in multiple companies
- 29) ... report feeling increased pressure
- 30) A: ~~with the right planning reassessing~~ the day-to-day operations of various enterprises

B: success depends on rethinking workflow, prioritising essential tasks.

Task 4 IS THE FOUR-DAY WORKWEEK USEFUL?

The modern world is brimming with a vast variety of work schedules. In this essay I will shed light on the two texts which reveal the bright and the dark sides of having the four-day workweek.

According to the first text, by enabling workers to have a condensed work week, companies increase their chances of getting more productive, joyful, and devoted members of the staff. It is explained by the fact that those workers ~~simply~~ have a chance to spend their extra day-off with their loved ones and ~~simply~~ get their batteries recharged for decompressing ~~convoluted~~ tasks.

On the contrary, the second text concentrates on the counterproductive aspects of such a schedule. Not only will one's performance ~~deteriorate~~ plummet, but also relationships with potential customers. Furthermore, the author of ~~this text~~ is convinced that some people are prone to experiencing pressure from having stiff ~~dead~~ 4-day deadlines. Nonetheless, I do not see eye to eye with such a viewpoint. Generally, individuals who possess time-management skills ~~are~~ prove to be much more useful for the modern companies, as they achieve ~~better~~ higher results in short terms. They are driven by the desire to get their work done rather than to sit at the office ~~room~~ for one more day.

Чистота) Despite such ~~the~~ differences in the opinions, both texts share the belief that such a workload may be ~~wasteful~~ and beneficial, if ~~the~~ balance and prioritization are kept.

~~Undoubtedly, it is the case.~~

On balance, the four-day workweek is a cutting-edge approach to work, which has advantages and disadvantages.

K1:1.9
K2:6
K3:2
K4:9
TB4:26-

Task 5 SOCIAL MEDIA DISAPPEARANCE

One day you wake up, take your phone in your hands and see... What? Where are the social media apps? Well, it seems that they no longer exist. Even though it may seem a disaster for some of us, let's imagine the following track of my actions.

THE NEW MORNING ROUTINE

As ~~I~~ no longer have an excuse to spend an extra hour in ~~your~~ ^{my} bed, you might go directly to the kitchen. Does it feel weird to have a breakfast without scrolling short videos? Yes, the only entertainment left is to talk to ~~our~~ parents, who are getting ready for work. After the bathroom procedures ~~you~~ I make a deadline for ~~your~~ school.

NEW SOCIAL LINKS

~~Read this article for the next lesson~~
When the first lesson is over, I look around. All of my classmates seem so... lost? I try to make up a conversation with

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my good school acquaintance, as I don't really have any friends. She gives me ~~a short~~ answer, and we stand in silence for 10 minutes. If it were real, we would probably look like animals which have just escaped from the zoo. However, it would be a matter of time. I believe that ultimately we would understand our parents' stories from their school times.

WHAT ABOUT Hobbies?

As all of my free time is devoted to learning foreign languages, I doubt that social media's disappearance would affect me. Or would it? I wouldn't be able to have conversations with foreigners and, consequently, lose a certain communication skill.

So, what do you think about such changes? Would you be able to adapt to them?

TBSI: 40

$$\text{OT: } 10 + 10 + 10 + 26 + 40 = 96 \dots$$

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