**МЕТОДИЧЕСКИЕ МАТЕРИАЛЫ ДЛЯ КОНТРОЛЯ ЗНАНИЙ**

**ОБРАЗЕЦ ТЕСТОВЫХ ЗАДАНИЙ (Грамматика)**

**1. Open the brackets using the appropriate form of the verb**

She (not, to like) me… She always (to say) sharp things to me. I never (to hear) any pleasant word from her.

You (to be) always so pragmatic. But you (to be) far too romantic about it.

**2. Correct the following sentences**

She sees her doctor today at 6 o’clock.

He bought a house this month.

**3. Change the sentences from active into passive**

They make the best cream cakes.

The nurses take very good care of the patients.

**4. Turn the following sentences into indirect speech**

“A lot of English words are borrowed from other languages,” the teacher said to us.

“China is a densely populated country,” she said.

**5. Find the word which should not be in the sentence**

The boss said about we were going to be given a few days off.

Sophie told to me she was looking for a better job.

**6. Give the plural of the following nouns.**

Face, house, portfolio, tomato, cry, key, rock, bush, enemy, leaf

**7. Put the noun in brackets in the Possessive Case**

That night he had chosen a basement bar a … throw from Scotland Yard. (stone).

I think … friendships are much deeper than … (men, women).

**8. Choose the correct form of the verb in each sentence.**

Most of the mountain peaks in the Himalayan range is/ are covered with snow the year round.

Nearly forty percent of the people in our town never votes /vote in local elections.

**9. Fill in the blanks with articles wherever necessary.**

You can't tell those birds from ... sky and that's why the hawks don't catch them, don't see them up there in ... blue sky near ... sun.

... sun was so full of promise, and ... sea was whipped white with … merry wind.

**10. Translate the following sentences into English.**

Был воскресный полдень; солнце, которое светило уже несколько часов, начинало согревать землю.

Они самые неблагодарные люди в мире.

**ОБРАЗЕЦ ТЕСТОВЫХ ЗАДАНИЙ (Деловой английский язык)**

**1. Define the following terms:**

Financial intermediary, banker’s banks, auditing, money market, finance, account, income statement, fixed capital

**2. Insert the correct prepositions.**

to flourish … credit, to expose … risk, to grant loans … smb, a claim …. smb, to shift … smth … smth, to be affordable … smb, to keep … reserve … a bank, to remove … circulation… , …low cost, to split … accounts, …the completion … an audit

**3. Write 3-4 nouns which are most commonly used:**

a) with the following adjectives: efficient, negligible, surplus, trustworthy

b) with the following verbs: to issue, to cover, to accumulate, to incur.

**4. Translate into Russian.**

loanable funds, deficit-spending individuals, negligible costs,. treasury bonds, adjust the money supply, debt rescheduling, equity financing, securities house, operating budget, promissory note, capital goods, managerial accounting, compliance audit

**5.Translate into English.**

не иметь финансового опыта, учреждать банки, повышать процентные ставки, операции на открытом рынке, текущие расходы, рисковое заимствование, финансовые учреждения, оценивать финансовое положение

**6. Define whether the following statements are true or false.**

1. The first bankers were goldsmiths.

2. Banks are similar to savings and loan associations and credit unions.

3. Deficit-spending individuals and institutions earn more than spend.

4. Banks won’t exist for long due to imperfections in financial system.

5. Banks are regulated because of their power to create money.

**7. Give the terms to the following definitions.**

1. formal financial statement\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

2. long-term securities are traded in\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

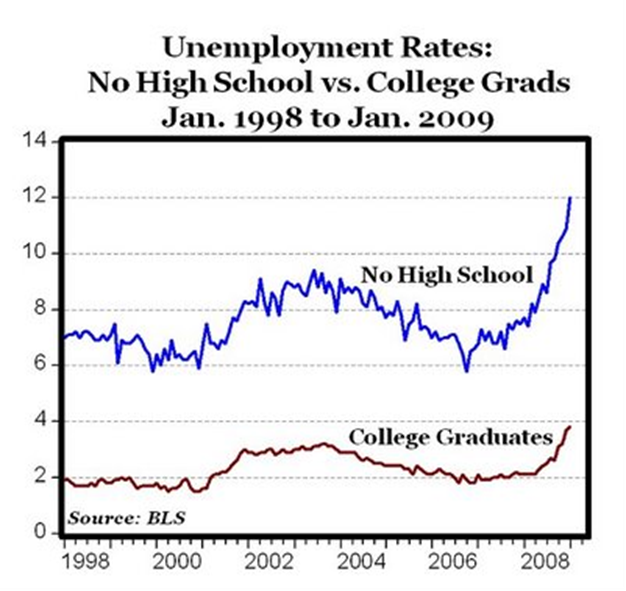
3. proportional amounts of profit paid to stockholders\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

4. a document which lists all the assets, liabilities and owner’s equity at a point of time\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

5. the process of recording, classifying and summarizing economic events in a logical manner\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**ОБРАЗЕЦ ТЕСТОВЫХ ЗАДАНИЙ (Academic Writing and Speaking)**

**Task 1. Comment on the following visual:**



**Task 2.Put punctuation marks as needed in the following sentences.**

1) The waitresses aprons were dirty.

2) We will go to the grocery store for we are out of food.

3) I have six months work to do before my holidays.

4) Today is Tuesday June 10th 1992.

5) His air of self assured confidence made him a born leader.

6) It is a fine idea let us hope that it is going to work.

7) I have to run to the store get my hair cut and pick up the kids from daycare.

8) My two cousins I-pods are so awesome!

9) You however are very sunburned.

10) Everybody realized that I was a foreigner.

**ОБРАЗЕЦ ТЕСТОВЫХ ЗАДАНИЙ (Страноведение)**

**1. GIVE ENGLISH EQUIVALENTS USING YOUR ACTIVE VOCABULARY (5 points):**

созывать парламент; облагать налогами; всеобщее и полное разоружение; признать независимость; терпеть поражение; платёжеспособность

**2. GIVE RUSSIAN EQUIVALENTS USING YOUR ACTIVE VOCABULARY (5 points) :**

emerging economic powers; warmongering; overseas company; to challenge smb’s authority; endangered species; to come to terms.

**3. GIVE THE TERMS THAT ARE DEFINED: (5 points)**

1. The officer who presides in the House of Lords.
2. The practice of pushing dangerous events to the verge of disaster in order to achieve the most advantageous outcome.
3. The legal and social system in which vassals were protected and maintained by their lords.
4. A settlement of the subjects of a sovereign state in lands beyond its boundaries.
5. The act of reducing, limiting, or abolishing weapons.
6. A sustained, long-term downturn in economic activity, more severe than a recession, in one or more economies.

**4. INSERT THE CORRECT PREPOSITION WHERE NECESSARY: (2 points)**

1. Some extraordinary steps are to be taken \_\_\_ the wake of recent events in Europe.
2. Britain and France declared war \_\_\_ Germany as a result of the German invasion of Poland.
3. It was difficult to meet demand \_\_\_ some products.
4. This book is of such importance that it must be published \_\_\_any cost.
5. Food prices soared \_\_\_ the aftermath of the drought.
6. I am writing \_\_\_ behalf of my client.

**5. GIVE 3 SYNONYMS TO EACH FOLLOWING WORD (1 point for each):**

1) threat (3); 2) to boost (3); 3) vulnerable (3)

**6. DEFINE IF THE STATEMENTS ARE TRUE OR FALSE: (3 points)**

1. The Iron Curtain served to keep people in and information out.
2. Current global financial crisis had a vivid negative effect on the Australian economy.
3. The American Civil War put an end to feudalism.
4. The activities of the League of Nations were a failure.
5. The House of Commons is a lower house in British Parliament.
6. It was Winston Churchill who introduced the term “Cold War”.

**7. CHOOSE THE SUITABLE VARIANT (3 points for each)**

1) Columbus undertook a journey to America to \_\_\_.

1. discover new territories
2. discover new sea routes
3. enrich the British crown

2) The United States War of Independence is also called\_\_\_.

1. The French and Indian War
2. the Seven Years’ War

c) American Revolution

**ОБРАЗЕЦ ТЕСТОВЫХ ЗАДАНИЙ (Перевод).**

**1. Многозначные слова. Переведите на русский язык нижеследующие предложения, выбрав из словарной статьи подходящее значение многозначного слова.**

Record – 1) запись 2) регистрация 3) протокол 4) отчет 5) пометка 6) акт 7) сообщение 8) ведомость 9) учет 10) регистрировать 11) записывать 12) список

1) The new candidate was known to have an excellent war record.

2) His father has a record of service with the company of 20 years.

3) Washington D.C., the capital of the USA, is the city with highest crime record.

4) The data published by the Office of Statistics show the food prices in the country are the highest on record.

5) Had the Republican candidate discussed the record of the Congress they would have exposed the Republican Party as a big business party which led the attack on the rights and liberties of the people.

**2. Прочитайте перевод следующих слов. Если перевод правильный, поставьте букву R, если перевод неправильный, поставьте букву W.**

1 Actual актуальный

2 Production производство

3 Velvet вельвет

4 List список

5 Aspirant аспирант

6 Sympathize сочувствовать

7 Dramatic драматический

8 Partisan сторонник

9 Mark марка

10 Rally ралли

**3. Укажите разницу между двумя словами. Переведите их на русский язык.**

Addition - edition, civil – civic, draught – drought, personal – personnel, lose – loose.

**4. Переведите на русский язык следующие предложения со словарем. Лексический аспект.**

1) Had the Republican candidates discussed the record of the Congress they would have exposed the Republican party as a big business party which led the attacks on the vital rights and liberties of the people.

2) I believe that cyber-terrorism will emerge as one of the world’s major security threat.

3) The proposal is being backed by the motor industry, which fears that reuse and recycling targets may prove impossible unless vehicles are channeled into ‘green’ dismantling and scrap yards.

4) She has always been , all her life, so religious about her cold cream and her facials.

5) No person may be reinstated to a position in the post service without passing an appropriate examination. (antonymous translation)

6) Now, more than two hours later, the big jet was still stuck, its fuselage and tail blocking runaway three zero. ( generalization)

7) A physician working with X-rays must be something of a physicist.

8) If you want to set this toy in motion, you should wind it counterclockwise.

9) Duty-free goods may be purchased only by travelers. Please show your bona fide flight ticket when buying.

**5. Переведите на русский язык следующие предложения со словарем. Грамматический аспект.**

1 The Nuclear Non-proliferation Treaty was joined by a number of countries.

2 This skyscraper is neighboured by the 18th century church.

3 Access to all these arrest records of citizens is denied to the general public.

4 At the highest governmental levels, where the most important issues are debated and decided upon, the decision process is usually complex and protracted.

**6. Переведите на английский язык следующие предложения со словарем. Грамматический аспект.**

1 Поскольку число заказов снижается уже на протяжении почти двух лет, строительные компании понесут убытки (используйте независимый причастный оборот).

2 Увидев рекламное объявление в Дейли Телеграф, он подал заявление на вакантное место и был принят.

3 Этот итальянский банк является третьим по величине, который подлежит приватизации в течение трех месяцев ( используйте инфинитив).

**7. Переведите на русский язык следующий текст со словарем.**

Booming post-Olympics tourism won’t boost the economy as much as hoped

BRITONS have had some good economic news to celebrate over the past few months. Unemployment is falling, house prices in England hit a record high in July and economic output appears to be growing at its fastest pace since 2010.

At first glance Britain’s tourism industry appears to be contributing to the economic bounce. Data released this month by the Office for National Statistics suggest that there has been a big increase in foreign tourists visiting Britain since London hosted the Olympics last year. In the first seven months of 2013, foreign visitor numbers rose by 4%, compared with the same period in 2012, and spending was up 12%. In July 2013 foreign visitors spent 30% more than in July 2012, setting a new record. Hotels and attractions nationwide say they are benefiting from the unexpected boost in the tourist trade. The government has been quick to attribute the tourism boom to the Olympics, in an effort to justify some of the £8.9 billion ($14.3 billion) spent staging them.

( from Economist, 2013)

**8. Переведите на английский язык следующий текст со словарем.**

Глобализация стала богатейшим источником возможностей и роста. Но, по мнению Мендельсона, люди плохо справились с обеспечением всеобщего доступа к этим преимуществам. В результате растет возмущение масс, угрожающее открытости мировой экономики. Со своей стороны, Мендельсон призывает не считать глобализацию стихией, на которую невозможно повлиять. В докладе даны практические рекомендации: перейти к новой резервной валюте на основе СДР МВФ, откровенно обсудить управление спекулятивными финансовыми потоками, реформировать налогообложение бизнеса с тем, чтобы ослабить дисбалансы, сгладить волатильные передвижения капиталов, сделать так, чтобы при финансировании соцсферы государство не слишком зависело от подоходных налогов и налогов на потребление.

**9. Сгруппируйте данные слова под названиями американский английский / британский английский.**

1) struck 2) program 3) cash dispenser 4) fill out the form 5) chemist’s 6) first floor 7) coach 8) clipping 9) to be from Missouri 10) apartment 11) Inc 12) parking lot 13) subway 14) small hours

**10. Переведите на английский язык следующие словосочетания, используя конструкцию N+ N**

1) темпы роста рынка трудовых ресурсов, 2) женский стиль управления кадрами, 3) бланк налоговой декларации