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TESTUL Nr. 1

LIMBA ENGLEZĂ

TEST PENTRU EXERSARE
CICLUL LICEAL

Profil real, umanist, arte, sport
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Timp alocat: 180 de minute

Rechizite și materiale permise: *pix cu cerneală albastră.*

Instrucțiuni pentru candidat:

- Citește cu atenție fiecare item și efectuează operațiile solicitate.
- Lucrează independent.

Îți dorim mult succes!

Punctaj acumulat _____

COMMUNICATIVE DOMAIN

I. Assessment of Communicative Language Competences. Reading Comprehension - 30 points.

Read the text and do the tasks that follow.

JOB INTERVIEWING ACROSS CULTURES

Job interviews can make you feel very nervous. This is true in your own country, but it can be even harder in a different country or culture. When you are in your own place, you usually know what to expect. But what about being in a new country?

Before you go for a job interview in another country, you should ask two main questions. First, what does the person interviewing you expect from you? Second, how are job interviews in this country different from those in your country? Experts say that the first 30 seconds are very important to make a good impression in a job interview. So, the key to a successful interview is to be prepared. But this process can be hard if you do not know much about the country's culture. To get ready, you should read about the culture or talk to local people about job interviews there. Thus, before your interview, it is necessary to gather information on several key aspects to prepare effectively.

Firstly, you are advised to get to the interview 10 - 15 minutes earlier to help yourself to relax before you step into the office. Secondly, it is important to wear the right clothes for job interviews. For example, if you are going for an interview at a bank, you should wear formal clothes such as a suit. But if you are interviewed for a job at a store, you can wear something more casual.

In some places, you should speak a lot about your skills and experiences. But in other places, it is better to talk less and let the interviewer lead the conversation, asking you questions. Also, the speed of a job interview can vary widely. In some cases, the interview might go slowly, with questions that are not very direct. In another place, you might find that interviews are quick, with questions that get straight to the point.

In job interviews, the way you behave can sometimes matter more than your actual skills, depending on the culture. Some interviewers pay close attention to your manners and how polite you are. However, in other places, they might focus more on your experience and what you can do. Moreover, some cultures value diplomas and certificates highly when it comes to jobs. Other cultures believe that having experience is more important.

Finally, it is a good idea to learn about the company. Check websites to find out where they do business and what they are proud of. In fact, if you are well prepared, you will do well in your job interview, whether it is in your country or a new one.

No	Items	Score	
I.	Circle the letter corresponding to the correct variant to complete the statements.	4 points	
	<p>1. According to the text, if you have an interview in your own country, ...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. it is unnecessary to get ready. b. you know what will probably happen. c. you do not need to arrive early. <p>2. According to the text, job interviews in another country or culture can be more difficult and stressful due to ...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. unknown expectations. b. fewer questions. c. lower salaries. <p>3. According to the text, reading books on the culture of the country helps in understanding ...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. the value of your diploma. b. the country's geography. c. the country's cultural norms. <p>4. According to the text, in some countries you should demonstrate ... at an interview.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. your musical talents b. your ability to speak many languages c. your good manners 	<p>A 0 1</p> <p>A 0 1</p> <p>A 0 1</p> <p>A 0 1</p>	<p>A 0 1</p> <p>A 0 1</p> <p>A 0 1</p> <p>A 0 1</p>
II.	In the text, identify the meaning of the words. Circle the letter corresponding to the correct variant.	2 points	
	<p>1. The word '<i>casual</i>' in the text means:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. suitable b. informal c. stylish <p>2. The word '<i>check</i>' in the text is closest in meaning to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. create b. expect c. examine 	<p>A 0 1</p> <p>A 0 1</p>	<p>A 0 1</p> <p>A 0 1</p>
III.	Briefly answer the questions below, choosing information from the text.	4 points	
	<p>1. How many basic questions is it necessary to ask yourself before an interview? _____</p> <p>2. How long does it take to make a good impression at a job interview? _____</p> <p>3. When is it recommended to arrive at the interview? _____</p> <p>4. What is the key to doing well at your job interview? _____</p>	<p>A 0 1 2 3 4</p>	<p>A 0 1 2 3 4</p>

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CULTURAL DOMAIN

III. Assessment of Pluri/Intercultural and Communicative Language Competences. Written Production - 30 points.

Write a 90-100-word text according to the given task.

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I.	<p>For your school newspaper or magazine, write an article about a university from an English-speaking country that you find interesting or important.</p> <p>Consider the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Name the university and the English-speaking country it is located in. ❖ Describe some details about the opportunities this university offers to its students. ❖ Write about the contribution this university has made to society. ❖ Explain why you find this university interesting or important. <p>Follow the structure of an article: <i>title, introduction, body, conclusion</i>.</p>	30 points

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