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Выражение надежды на будущие контакты

- Drop me a line.
- Hope to hear from you soon.
- Hope to get your email/reply soon.
- Looking forward to hearing from you!
- Looking forward to your reply.
- Keep in touch.
- I can't wait to hear from you soon.
- Write back when you can.
- Write back soon.

Завершающая фраза

- Best wishes,
- All the best,
- Love,
- Take care,
- Yours,
- Lots of love,

Подпись (только имя)

- Natasha
- Alla
- Max
- Olga

4. Практические задания

1

A. *Соотнесите необходимые элементы электронного письма **1–10** с его фрагментами **a–j**.*

1. ответ на 1-й вопрос
2. ответ на 2-й вопрос
3. ответ на 3-й вопрос
4. благодарность за полученное письмо
5. выражение положительных эмоций от полученного письма
6. надежда на дальнейшие контакты
7. завершающая фраза
8. обращение

9. подпись
10. логический переход к ответам на вопросы

(a) Dear Ann,

(b) Thank you for your recent email. **(c)** I was very glad to hear from you.

(d) In your email, you ask me about our after-school activities. Let me answer your questions. **(e)** Personally, after school I usually attend some clubs at school or hang out with my friends at the park. **(f)** I think the most fun after-school activity at my school is the Robotics Club because we can build cool robots and compete in challenges, which feels like a real engineering adventure. **(g)** You know, I spend about 1–2 hours on homework each day, depending on whether I have maths or any projects to do.

I have to go now. **(h)** Drop me a line.

(i) Best wishes,

(j) Sasha

Запишите свои ответы в таблицу:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

B*[1]. *Соотнесите необходимые элементы электронного письма **1–10** с его фрагментами **a–j**.*

1. ответ на 1-й вопрос
2. ответ на 2-й вопрос
3. ответ на 3-й вопрос
4. благодарность за полученное письмо
5. надежда на дальнейшие контакты
6. завершающая фраза
7. обращение
8. подпись
9. логический переход к ответам на вопросы
10. вопросы другу по переписке

[1] Здесь и далее звёздочкой (*) отмечены задания в формате ЕГЭ.

(a) Dear Charles,

(b) Thanks for your email! Congratulations on your new smartphone — it sounds awesome.

(c) Let me answer your questions. **(d)** As for video blogs, many teens in Russia create their own vlogs — it's popular because they want to share their hobbies, playing video games, skills, or daily lives, and some even hope to become famous online. **(e)** For going online, I mostly use my laptop and smartphone. **(f)** I often stream music online and watch videos on RuTube, but not too often because of homework.

(g) Now, tell me about your field trip to the beach! How did you get there? What activities did you do on the beach? What was the weather like during your trip?

(h) Hope to hear from you soon.

(i) All the best,

(j) Mary

Запишите свои ответы в таблицу:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

2

A. Заполните колонки таблицы номерами соответствующих фраз.

Начало письма

Обращение	Благодарность за ранее полученное письмо / выражение радости от его получения	Упоминание о прошлых контактах (необязательный элемент)

1. Thank you for your message.
2. Best wishes,
3. Hi, Mike,

4. Drop me a line.
5. Yours,
6. Hope to hear from you soon.
7. I was very glad to get your message.
8. It was great to hear from you again.
9. Hey!
10. Sorry, my mum is calling me.
11. Lots of love,
12. Dear Mum,
13. Anyway, I must go and get on with my work.
14. I guess it's time I did my homework.
15. Your messages always make my day,
16. Hello there!
17. Take care,
18. Thanks for your recent email.
19. Dear Aunt Agatha,
20. I'm always happy to get messages from you.

B. Заполните колонки таблицы номерами соответствующих фраз.

Конец письма

Причина, по которой завершается письмо (необязательный элемент)	Надежда на дальнейшие контакты	Завершающая фраза

1. Anyway, I must go and get on with my housework.
2. Best wishes,
3. I'm looking forward to hearing from you.
4. Dear Mum,
5. Drop me a line.
6. I'm always happy to get messages from you.
7. Hello there!
8. All the best,

9. Thanks for your message.
10. Hope to hear from you soon.
11. I guess it's time I did my homework.
12. Yours,
13. I have to go to finish my school project.
14. It was great to hear from you again.
15. Lots of love,
16. Sorry, my mum is calling me.
17. Take care,
18. Thank you for your message.
19. Email me soon.
20. Love,

3

A. Соотнесите названия частей электронного личного письма с их расположением на схеме.

a) завершающая фраза
b) подпись
c) надежда на дальнейшие контакты
d) благодарность за полученное письмо и/или выражение радости от полученного письма
e) обращение/приветствие
f) ответы на вопросы

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B*. Соотнесите названия частей электронного личного письма с их расположением на схеме.

a) вопросы
b) благодарность за полученное письмо и/или выражение радости от полученного письма
c) подпись
d) ответы на вопросы
e) надежда на дальнейшие контакты
f) завершающая фраза
g) обращение/приветствие

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II Практикум

UNIT 1
Holidays and Celebrations

Topical vocabulary		
to get something as a gift	to exchange gifts/presents	to rent a bike
to wrap presents	to send a wish list to Santa Claus	to take place
to open presents	to write/make New Year's resolutions	to decorate a tree
to have a big celebration	to enjoy reading / cooking new recipes / sunbathing / taking a trip	to have a party
time off work	to take a hike	to take pictures

Phrasal verbs
to catch up with somebody — *to meet someone after a long time*
to dress up — *to wear special clothes*
to head for — *to start moving toward a place or destination*
to throw out — *to get rid of sth*

Prepositional phrases
to depend on
to feel thankful/grateful for
to focus on
to listen to
to prepare for

1. Выберите подходящее слово.

1) I was so surprised to _____ this book as a gift; it was exactly what I wanted!
   a) take b) get c) sell

2) I need to _____ presents for the whole family tonight — it's going to take me hours!
   a) put b) buy c) wrap

3) In our house, we _____ presents on Christmas morning after breakfast.
   a) wrap b) open c) buy

4) We're going to have a big _____ on New Year's Eve with all our friends.
   a) celebration b) graduation c) invitation

5) I'm really looking forward to some time _____ work over the holidays to just relax.
   a) for b) of c) off

6) Our team plans to _____ gifts at the office party on Friday.
   a) change b) exchange c) alter

7) The kids spent the evening writing and sending their _____ lists to Santa Claus.
   a) want b) wish c) desire

8) Every January, I make New Year's _____, but I often find them hard to keep!
   a) promises b) desires c) resolutions

9) On her summer break, she loves to _____ sunbathing on the beach and a trip to the mountains.
   a) enjoy b) take c) have

10) The weather is beautiful today — let's _____ a hike in the national park.
   a) take b) have c) go to

11) Don't forget to _____ pictures when we open the gifts — I want to remember everyone's reactions!

a) make b) have c) take

2. Дополните текст подходящими словами из списка.

listen prepared thankful depend focus

As the holiday season approached, families gathered to feel **1**_____ for the simple joy of being together and shared memories. They chose to **2**_____ on creating new traditions rather than material gifts, letting warmth and laughter fill their homes. Traditions like these did not **3**_____ on elaborate plans but on heartfelt connections that grew stronger each year. Everyone made time to **4**_____ to elders' stories by the fireside, cherishing tales of past holidays. In the days before, excitement built as they **5**_____ for the feasts, baking treats and decorating homes with love.

3. Завершите текст подходящими фразовыми глаголами.

Once upon a time, in a cosy town blanketed by winter snow, young Lila eagerly awaited her favourite holiday — Sparkle Night, a magical evening when everyone lit lanterns and shared stories under the stars. This year, she decided to **1**_____ the old lantern festival in the village square, her heart racing with excitement as she packed her glowing lantern into a basket.

On the way, Lila met her best friend Mia at the market and rushed over to **2**_____ her after months apart. "I've missed you!", Lila exclaimed, as they hugged and chatted about school adventures and funny mishaps. Mia convinced her to join the costume parade, so they quickly helped each other **3**_____ — Mia as a starry fox and Lila as a shimmering moon fairy.

The festival was alive with music and laughter, but as midnight neared, the tradition called for tossing away the old year's worries. Lila and Mia stood together, whispering their troubles to scraps of paper before they **4**_____ the notes into a bonfire. With hearts light and spirits high, they released their lanterns into the night sky, making Sparkle Night the most unforgettable holiday yet.

1.	**a)** dress up	**b)** head for	**c)** catch up with
2.	**a)** catch up with	**b)** head for	**c)** dress up
3.	**a)** throw out	**b)** head for	**c)** dress up
4.	**a)** threw out	**b)** headed for	**c)** caught up with

4. Ответьте на вопросы, используя активную лексику.

1) Have you ever received something unexpected as a gift that you really loved?
2) Do you prefer exchanging gifts with friends or keeping holidays simple?
3) Would you rent a bike during a holiday trip to explore new places?
4) What is your favourite way to wrap presents to make them look special?
5) Did you send a wish list to Santa Claus as a child, and did it come true?
6) Where does your family's main holiday tradition take place each year?
7) What was the most exciting present you remember opening?
8) What New Year's resolutions do you usually make, and do you write and keep them?
9) How do you like to decorate a tree or home for the holidays?
10) Would you rather have a big celebration with many people or a quiet family gathering?
11) What do you most enjoy doing on holiday — reading, cooking new recipes, sunbathing, or taking a trip?
12) When is Union Day celebrated in Russia? What does it commemorate?

5. Закончите электронное письмо, вписав все необходимые элементы.

1_____ Martin,

2_____. I'm always glad to get your messages.

In your email, you ask me some questions, **3**_____. I do set New Year's resolutions sometimes, because they motivate me to build better habits. A long list can be discouraging, **4**_____ I focus on one achievable goal at a time. One new skill I'd like to try next year is playing the ukulele. Its simple chords will let me make quick

progress. In my free time, I enjoy reading, cooking new recipes, and taking short hikes with friends.

I'd love to hear how it goes for you. **5**_____.

6_____,

Sam

6. Закончите электронное письмо, вписав пропущенные слова.

Hi Arthur,

1_____ you for your recent email. I've looked at your photos — they're fantastic!

Let me **2**_____ your questions. Last summer, I headed for the coast with friends. We swam, rented bikes, and cooked meals on a beachside grill at sunset. It was relaxing and sunny, a nice contrast to the rain here. **3**_____, my favourite school holiday is summer. I love long days with plenty of time for outdoor activities, reading, and catching up with friends.

Hope you're enjoying your trip! Hope to get your e-mail **4**_____.

All the **5**_____,

Alla

7. Дополните электронное письмо, написав развёрнутые ответы на вопросы.

You have received an email message from your English-speaking pen-friend Clara:

From: Clara@mail.uk
To: Russian_friend@oge.ru
Subject: Holidays
...I've just returned from Australia. They were celebrating Australia Day there. Beaches were packed with barbecues, people were waving flags, and fireworks were lighting up the harbours everywhere. *What are the most popular holidays in Russia? What holiday do you like most of all, and why? How do you celebrate it?..*

Write a message to Clara and answer her **3** questions.

Hi Clara,

It was lovely to hear from you. Great to hear you enjoyed Australia Day!

As you are interested in Russian holidays, I'd like to tell you that **1**_____ _____ _____. As for me, I like **2**_____ because _____ _____. We celebrate it **3**_____ _____.

Do you have a favourite holiday that you always celebrate? Drop me a line.

Warm wishes,

Alex

8*. Дополните электронное письмо, задав вопросы по указанной теме.

You have received an email message from your English-speaking pen-friend Charles:

From: Charles@mail.uk
To: Russian_friend@ege.ru
Subject: New Year's gifts
...I realised I totally missed sending you New Year's wishes this year — I'm so sorry! Hope you had a magical holiday filled with joy and good company. *Which New Year's gifts are popular in Russia? What's the best New Year's gift you've ever received? How do you usually celebrate New Year?* *I'm going to visit my friends in London soon...*

Ask **3 questions** about the London visit.

Hi Charles,

It's great to hear from you. Don't worry about the wishes — I hope you had a wonderful holiday too.