



Task № 1. Choose the most suitable word to fill each space.

It's been almost four years since Christie Brinkley and her cheating (1) ... of 12 years, architect Peter Cook, slugged it out in divorce court. They are currently leveling lawsuits against each other (2) ... childrearing expenses, and both sides are claiming harassment (3) ... e-mail. Christie previously testified that Peter has been rough with their children, Sailor, 13, and Jack, 16, the model's son from a (4) ... marriage. "At times, he was too strong, too (5) ... with his use of force," she said, adding that she urged her ex (6) ... a more relaxed parenting style. "I observed that Peter (7) ... some of the basic rules but then regress to an angry, demanding behavior."

During the initial divorce case, Peter's tawdry (8) ... with his then 18-year-old secretary, Diana Bianchi, and the vast sums of money he lavished on her exposed. Now Diana's family members are also blasting Peter. "It was a fling that got out of (9) ...," her great-uncle said. "If you are a young person who doesn't have much, this fairy godmother comes along, you (10) ... into his trap."

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| 1) A father | B uncle | C husband | D boyfriend |
| 2) A for | B over | C about | D with |
| 3) A via | B through | C at | D with |
| 4) A late | B former | C first | D previous |
| 5) A overwhelming | B overwhelm | C overwhelmed | D overwhelmingly |
| 6) A to adopt | B adopting | C at adopting | D adopted |
| 7) A will follow | B followed | C would follow | D follows |
| 8) A affection | B case | C love | D affair |
| 9) A town | B hand | C bed | D my face |
| 10) A fell | B fall | C falls | D will fall |

Task № 2. Find ONE word which is suitable for all three gaps in each of the following sets of sentences.

- 1) With the intercity bus twice a day, our village is almost inaccessible.
With tears down her cheeks, Sarah stopped talking altogether.
.... a night club requires many business skills and abilities.
- 2) Energy companies must continue to new energy to current industry challenges.
A few candidates are expected to for the position.
These safety regulations to all the staff, regardless of their seniority.
- 3) The outside was a nice place to relax and play games with children.
That four-star hotel had a tennis and a swimming pool.
Don't say such things, even the walls have ears, you'll disaster.
- 4) Life Jack with a whole lot of senior positions, which he let pass him by.
When Jill retired she was with a package holiday to Jamaica.
Breaking news is always by our local star, newscaster Kevin Dale.
- 5) Current reforms in Education are a(n) issue in the Russian society.
Many regard the Beatles' 1963 concert as one of the greatest..... shows ever.
In a(n) interview, the Minister was not eager to comment on the issue of discrimination.

Task № 3. Underline the correct word.

- 1) On Uranus on the **suburbs/outskirts/edge** of the Solar System, an 84-year-long orbit causes summers and winters to last for years.
- 2) When the southern hemisphere **meets/overlooks/faces** the Sun directly, the northern hemisphere is left in total darkness.
- 3) I needed more counter space, so the rolling island was a(n) **obligation/must/task**.
- 4) Jane had to adapt the chosen design to **fit/suit/cover** a modest budget.
- 5) He would not have done such a horrible thing if his so-called friends hadn't **egged/milked/battered** him on.

Task № 4. Fill in the gaps with ONE word.

- 1) ... the average kitchen remodel costing \$25,000, a complete overhaul is out of the question.
- 2) Dated shelves and insufficient space are ... her hit list.
- 3) Each victory comes ... a high price.
- 4) Ecological investigations are reported to be ... progress.
- 5) When they returned home, they finally could feel ... ease.

Task № 5. Find mistakes in the lines, some of them are correct. In each line only ONE mistake is possible. There are three examples at the beginning of the extract (0 – spelling mistake; 00 – correct; 000 – unnecessary word).

Pig's Hearts	
Their is a critical shortage of donor organs throughout the world. Waiting lists	0. <i>There</i>
have sextupled during the past few decades, and about 60% of the patients	00. +
who are waiting for a new fresh organ die as they do so. Scientists have	000. <i>being</i>
struggled to find such a solution for decades. In the 1960s, 13 desperate patients	1.
had chimp kidneys implanted, and through only one single patient survived	2.
for more than a few more months, the experiments promised that the method	3.
might work one day. Later, different organs from monkeys and pigs were	4.
transplanted into humans with limited success. The major a challenge is the	5.
human immune system, witch normally protects us against infections, but	6.
the system attacks any foreign material in the human body, so that organs	7.
from other people and animals are aggressively combated. That is because	8.
immune cells can distinguish only between even slight differences between the	9.
body's own proteins end the proteins on the surface of the transplanted organs.	10.

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