

# ŽUPANIJSKO NATJECANJE IZ ENGLESKOG JEZIKA

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Zaporka: \_\_\_\_\_

(zadana riječ)

## TEST

<b>Slušanje s razumijevanjem:</b>	<b>10 bodova</b>
<b>Čitanje s razumijevanjem:</b>	<b>20 bodova</b>
<b>Uporaba jezika:</b>	<b>70 bodova</b>
<b>Ukupno:</b>	<b>100 bodova</b>

**Task 1 – Listening Comprehension.**

You will hear the recording about James Corden's Carpool Karaoke.

You will have time to look through the sentences before you listen. Write your answers on the test first but don't forget to copy your answers onto the answer sheet when you finish. The recording will be played twice, and there will be a short pause between the two listenings. You can write your answers during both the first and the second listening.

For each statement, 1 to 10, decide whether they are true or false. Write **T** for true, or **F** for false. There is an example at the beginning **(0)**. Copy your answers onto the Answer Sheet.

James Corden has been the host of CBS Late Late Show for a year. (0) T

Late Late Show has always been a must-see. (1) \_\_\_\_\_

Corden has persuaded the celebs to sit in the back seat. (2) \_\_\_\_\_

Corden and his guests usually scare the passers-by in Los Angeles. (3) \_\_\_\_\_

Carpool karaoke is not a big hit. (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Adele made mistakes rapping Nicki Minaj's verse in *Monster*. (5) \_\_\_\_\_

Justin Bieber's video had more views than Adele's. (6) \_\_\_\_\_

The wild success of Carpool Karaoke can be easily explained. (7) \_\_\_\_\_

People are more likely to share something if they like it. (8) \_\_\_\_\_

Corden knows every word of the celebs' hits and that makes  
the singers nervous. (9) \_\_\_\_\_

The host and the producers wouldn't like to make it a show of its own. (10) \_\_\_\_\_

**(10 points)**

**Task 2 – Reading Comprehension.**

Read the information provided in a room leaflet from The Barclay Hotel in New York. For numbers **1 – 10**, choose the correct answer **A, B, C, or D**. There is an example at the beginning (**0**). Write your answers (only the letters **A, B, C, or D**) on the Answer Sheet.

**YOUR ROOM AT A GLANCE**

The Barclay Hotel, New York

**INSTANT SERVICE**

To make your stay more enjoyable, Instant Service is available “around the clock” for any requests.

**WAKE-UP SERVICE**

Please contact Instant Service.

**IN-ROOM BAR**

Your private bar is stocked daily with a variety of drinks and snacks. Items removed are automatically charged to your account. A menu with pricing is located in your room.

**THE INTERNET**

Your room is equipped with high speed Internet access. A daily access fee will be assessed to your account.

**EXPRESS CHECK-OUT**

For a fast and effortless check-out, please utilize our voicemail check-out by dialing extension 4510 and leave your name and room number.

**IN-ROOM COFFEE**

Complimentary coffee is replenished daily in your room. Keurig-makers have directions located on the front of the machine. If further assistance is required please dial Instant Service. Complimentary coffee and tea is also served in the Lobby from 6:00AM to 7:00AM.

**FITNESS CENTER**

The Fitness Center offers an assortment of cardio and weight training equipment. Available 24 hours a day with a guestroom key card access on the third floor. Access to the steam room and sauna are available from 6:00AM to 8:00PM.

**IN-ROOM SAFE**

The safe can be programmed with a personalized four-digit pin code for each use. Please see detailed instructions located in the safe. Alternatively, safe deposit boxes are available at the Reception Desk.

**HOUSEKEEPING SERVICE**

Your room is serviced daily between 8:30AM and 2:30PM Monday through Friday; between 9:00AM and 3:00PM Saturday, Sunday and Holidays. For fresh towels after service hours, please dial Instant Service.

**LAUNDRY & SHOE SHINE**

Please find instructions in your closet for Laundry, Pressing and Dry Cleaning Service. For Shoe Shine service, please contact Instant Service for pick-up.

**ENTERTAINMENT**

For your viewing pleasure we are pleased to offer a selection of pay per view movies and entertainment options. To view these and other options, press the menu button on the remote control.

(0) The Barclay Hotel is situated in...

- A New York
- B New Jersey
- C Los Angeles
- D Houston

(1) You can contact Instant Service ...

- A twelve hours a day
- B twenty-four hours a day
- C in the hotel lobby next to the clock
- D every hour on the hour: at 6 o'clock, 7 o'clock, etc

(2) There is a variety of drinks and snacks ...

- A in the hotel's private bar
- B that are removed from your room every day
- C that you can have and pay with your room bill
- D that are automatically charged to your bank account

(3) There is ..... Internet access in your room.

- A fast
- B free
- C basic
- D wireless

(4) If you want a coffee, you can ...

- A dial Instant Service
- B put money in a machine in your room
- C follow the directions to the nearest coffee bar
- D have it for free in the lobby early in the morning

(5) To enter the Fitness Center you need ...

- A your room key card
- B to ask for a specific key
- C to be a guest on the third floor
- D to go between 6:00AM and 8:00PM

(6) The in-room safe is ...

- A an alarm system that you can program
- B a box with a pin code to keep valuable things
- C a deposit box that you can get at the Reception Desk
- D a personalized four-digit pin code to enter each room

(7) You can find that your room hasn't been cleaned yet if you come back at ...

- A 2:00AM on a Friday
- B 2:00PM on a Friday
- C 3:00AM on a Sunday
- D 3:30PM on a Sunday

(8) If you need to clean your shoes ...

- A you'll find instructions in your closet
- B call Instant Service for instructions on how to clean them
- C call Instant Service and they'll clean them for you in your room
- D call Instant Service and they'll collect the shoes from your room

**(9)** The hotel offers a selection of films that you can watch ...

- A** for free
- B** for a daily amount of money
- C** and pay for each film you watch
- D** in the hotel's entertainment area

**(10)** Which one is NOT TRUE? You should contact Instant Service if you need ...

- A** to check out
- B** fresh towels
- C** to wake up early
- D** to clean your shoes

**(10 points)**

**Task 3 – Reading comprehension.**

Read the text. For numbers **1 – 10** decide whether the statements are true or false. Write **T** for true or **F** for false. There is an example at the beginning (**0**). Write your answers on the Answer Sheet.

According to Court House "Coffee Makes the World Go 'Round and Also Makes the World Go a Little Bonkers Sometimes" News, Stacey Pincus filed a class action lawsuit against Starbucks claiming that their Tall, Grande, Venti, and Trenta (12, 16, 24 and 30 fluid ounces, respectively), don't actually hold nearly that much actual beverage. Instead, they're filled with ice cubes and Pincus isn't paying for frozen water, ya dig? According to the lawsuit, shaken iced tea drinks were the most profitable menu addition of 2014, and she wants them to \$pay up\$.

"A Starbucks customer who orders a Venti cold drink receives only 14 fluid ounces of that drink — just over half the advertised amount, and just over half the amount for which they are paying," the 29-page complaint states. "In the iced coffee example, a Starbucks customer who orders and pays for a Venti iced coffee, expecting to receive 24 fluid ounces of iced coffee based on Starbucks' advertisement and marketing, will instead receive only about 14 fluid ounces of iced coffee."

What's worse, Starbucks charges more for cold drinks than for comparable hot drinks. Because of this, the lawsuit claims that Starbucks makes a higher profit off its cold beverages.

Pincus seeks to represent a class of all persons who purchased a cold drink from Starbucks in the last 10 years. She accuses Starbucks of breach of express warranty, breach of implied warrant of merchantability, negligent misrepresentation, unjust enrichment and fraud.

As a solution, Pincus says Starbucks should serve cold drinks in larger cups that would allow room for ice and delicious, life-sustaining coffee. According to TMZ, she's seeking damages in excess of \$5 million.

Starbucks itself is like, "um what?!" Or, more precisely: "Our customers understand and expect that ice is an essential component of any 'iced' beverage." They also says they will "gladly remake any beverage for an unsatisfied customer."

- The story was published in Court House News. (0)   **T**
- Stacey Pincus is taking Starbucks to court. (1) \_\_\_\_\_
- Iced tea drinks have been a part of Starbucks' menu for 4 years. (2) \_\_\_\_\_
- Starbucks' cups contain more water than coffee/tea. (3) \_\_\_\_\_
- Cold drinks are cheaper than hot drinks. (4) \_\_\_\_\_
- Starbucks earns more money on their hot drinks. (5) \_\_\_\_\_
- Starbucks is accused of getting rich in an unfair way. (6) \_\_\_\_\_
- The proposed quick fix is to put iced drinks in bigger cups. (7) \_\_\_\_\_
- Pincus wants Starbucks to pay more than \$5 million. (8) \_\_\_\_\_
- Starbucks understands what the problem is. (9) \_\_\_\_\_
- If a customer is not content he/she could get another drink. (10) \_\_\_\_\_

**(10 points)**

## USE OF ENGLISH

### Task 4 – Articles.

Read the sentences. For numbers 1 – 7 write **a**, **an**, **the** or **Ø**. There is an example at the beginning (0). Write your answers on the Answer Sheet.

This is (0) a very easy exercise.

Do you need (1) \_\_\_\_\_ degree in (2) \_\_\_\_\_ economics to be (3) \_\_\_\_\_ better manager?

If you want to work as (4) \_\_\_\_\_ doctor, you'll need (5) \_\_\_\_\_ uniform.

(6) \_\_\_\_\_ life can be very hard for (7) \_\_\_\_\_ poor.

(7 points)

### Task 5 – Multiple choice test.

Read the text. For numbers 1 – 7, choose the correct answer **A**, **B**, **C**, or **D**. There is an example at the beginning (0). Write your answers (only the letters **A**, **B**, **C**, or **D**) on the Answer Sheet.

Roasting a whole turkey is easier (0) D you think. Just follow (1) \_\_\_\_\_ simple instructions for a fresh or thawed turkey:

Preheat the oven to 325° F. (2) \_\_\_\_\_ juices and pat dry with clean paper towels. Place turkey breast side up on a flat rack in a shallow roasting pan 2 to 2½ inches deep.

Turn the wings back to hold the neck skin in (3) \_\_\_\_\_. Tucking the wings will help stabilize the turkey in the pan and when carving. Brush or spray the skin lightly with vegetable or cooking oil for best (4) \_\_\_\_\_. Insert an oven-safe meat thermometer deep into the lower part of the thigh without touching the bone. When the thigh is up to temperature, and if the turkey is (5) \_\_\_\_\_ move the thermometer to the center. Place your turkey in the oven.

When the turkey is about  $\frac{2}{3}$  done, loosely cover breast and top of drumsticks with a piece of foil to (6) \_\_\_\_\_ overcooking.

Your turkey is done when the temperature with a meat thermometer is 180° F in thigh and 165° F in breast. Lift turkey (7) \_\_\_\_\_ the plate, and let stand for 15 minutes before carving.

(0) A) from                      B) of                      C) then                      D) than

(1) A) this                      B) that                      C) these                      D) those

(2) A) drain                      B) strain                      C) extract                      D) pour

(3) A) position                      B) motion                      C) direction                      D) place

(4) A) sight                      B) look                      C) appearance                      D) display

(5) A) filled                      B) loaded                      C) stuffed                      D) stiffed

(6) A) cause                      B) prevent                      C) stop                      D) help

(7) A) by                      B) on                      C) to                      D) onto

(7 points)

**Task 6 – Open Cloze.**

Read the text. For numbers 1 – 7 write any word which fits the best. Write **one** word only. There is an example at the beginning (0). Write your answers on the Answer Sheet.

(0) In response to the school's dress code that bans girls (1) \_\_\_\_\_ wearing spaghetti strap tops and forces them to wear skirts/shorts (2) \_\_\_\_\_ a "modest length" with the hemline at their fingertips, (3) \_\_\_\_\_ female and male students at Washington Middle School in Missoula, MT teamed up for a "peaceful protest". The girls (4) \_\_\_\_\_ hand-made shirts that said "I am more than a distraction" and the guys rocked tees that said "I am not distracted". Maya Heffernan, an eighth-grader at the school told Missoulian, "I think the dress code is unfair and extremely sexist. It targets women and women's fashion tastes and it (5) \_\_\_\_\_ not reflect what we consider modest."

The school (6) \_\_\_\_\_ notice of this amazing movement and has invited the students to attend a meeting with the school's Montana Behavioral Initiative committee to make their case (7) \_\_\_\_\_ the dress code. Hopefully, the school will hear them out!

(7 points)

**Task 7 – Verb Tenses.**

Read the text. For numbers 1 – 7 put the verbs from brackets into correct tenses. There is an example at the beginning (0). Write your answers on the Answer Sheet.

Two walkers (0) have gone (go) missing near the summit of Snowdon, the highest peak in Wales. John Watkins, aged 21 and Melanie McBrian, 19, (1) \_\_\_\_\_ (not return) by nightfall, leading to fears that they may have been forced to spend the night on the mountain.

Weather conditions, when the pair (2) \_\_\_\_\_ (set) off yesterday morning, were fairly good. By the afternoon, however, it had got much worse. Thick clouds quickly (3) \_\_\_\_\_ (spread) over the region and there was a sharp drop in temperature. The surface of the local lakes began to freeze within a few hours. Blizzards began in the evening, with a great deal of snow falling above 500 metres. A friend of John's (4) \_\_\_\_\_ (admit) he is worried they could have had an accident last night, but insists they have a lot of experience walking in the mountains of Wales.

Mountain rescue teams, which (5) \_\_\_\_\_ (begin) looking for the couple early this morning, say that one or both of the walkers may have slipped and fallen in bad weather conditions, especially as neither of them (6) \_\_\_\_\_ (be) used to walking in the mountains in winter.

The hope is, though, that the rescue teams (7) \_\_\_\_\_ (find) them safe before long, especially as the weather is forecast to clear up within the next few hours.

(7 points)



**Task 8 – Error correction.**

Read the text. For numbers 1 – 7 decide whether there are errors in the text. Each number refers to one line. In some lines there is a word too many. Write ✓ if you think there are no errors. If you find an error, write it down. Use one word only. There are two examples at the beginning, (0) and (00). Write your answers on the Answer Sheet.

Around 5,100 students who have applied to the State University (0) have  
of New York at Buffalo received joyful acceptance emails (00) ✓  
last Wednesday, only to receive in a second email, three to four (1) \_\_\_\_\_  
hours later, admitting that the acceptances were sent by an accident. (2) \_\_\_\_\_  
Oops. Acceptance emails were sent to the wrong list of students, the (3) \_\_\_\_\_  
school announced in a statement on Friday, and applications are still (4) \_\_\_\_\_  
under no review. It's likely that some of the five thousand accepted (5) \_\_\_\_\_  
students were accepted for real — but not all of them. More than (6) \_\_\_\_\_  
25,000 students applied to the university for the fall semester, and (7) \_\_\_\_\_  
about 5,400 will be accepted, said the university spokesperson.

**(7 points)****Task 9 – Adjectives or Adverbs.**

Read the text. For numbers 1 – 7 use the adjective or adverb forms of the words in brackets. There are two examples (0) and (00) at the beginning. Write your answers on the Answer Sheet.

When the plane was circling over the airport, all of the passengers knew that something must be  
(0) wrong (wrong). Although the passengers had fastened their seat belts, they  
were (00) suddenly (sudden) thrown to the front as the plane was moving (1) \_\_\_\_\_ (unsteady)  
through the air. At that moment a flight attendant appeared. She looked (2) \_\_\_\_\_ (pale) but her  
voice was very calm. She informed everyone that the pilot did not feel (3) \_\_\_\_\_ (good) and passed  
out. She wanted to know if there was anyone who could help. A man got up immediately and followed the  
flight attendant into the cockpit. All the passengers were getting (4) \_\_\_\_\_ (tense) but they  
(5) \_\_\_\_\_ (hard) said anything . The plane was now (6) \_\_\_\_\_ (dangerous) close to the  
ground. The worst moment of the flight came when they had to land. When the plane touched the ground,  
however, they only felt a slight bump. They (7) \_\_\_\_\_ (narrow) escaped a disaster.

**(7 points)**

**Task 10 – Verb Patterns.**

Read the text. For numbers 1 – 7 choose the correct verbs and put them into **-ing** or **to+infinitive** forms. There is an example (0) at the beginning. Write your answers on the Answer Sheet.

~~watch~~ preview sponsor recall calm limit hear participate

According to a new study, (1) watching violent TV shows makes it difficult (1) \_\_\_\_\_ brand names or commercial messages. Violence creates anger, and instead of (2) \_\_\_\_\_ the commercials, viewers are attempting (3) \_\_\_\_\_ themselves down after violent scenes. The results show that (4) \_\_\_\_\_ violent programs may not be profitable for advertisers. This conclusion is good news for the parents, teachers and lawmakers who are struggling (5) \_\_\_\_\_ the amount of violence on U.S. television. They had a small victory in 1997, when lawmakers and the television industry designed a TV ratings system. Unfortunately, Congress did not ask parents (6) \_\_\_\_\_ in creating the system, and the industry does not invite parents (7) \_\_\_\_\_ shows before it assigns ratings. As a result, parents are still guessing about the content of the shows their kids watch.

(7 points)

**Task 11 – Word formation.**

Read the text. For numbers 1 – 7 use the correct forms of the words printed in capital letters. Write one word only. There is an example at the beginning (0). Write your answers on the Answer Sheet.

I am quite sure I wouldn't like to have an (0) occupation that has anything to do OCCUPY  
with physics, chemistry or maths. I am not the (1) \_\_\_\_\_ type at all. SCIENCE  
In school I was a complete (2) \_\_\_\_\_ in the mentioned subjects. I am FAIL  
not very good at dealing with people either, nor am I very (3) \_\_\_\_\_. AMBITION  
Jobs in business and management do not really interest me. In (4) \_\_\_\_\_, ADD  
I find it rather irritating to be surrounded by many people.  
I would rather see myself in a job involving creative work or (5) \_\_\_\_\_ skills ART  
of some sort. I'd like to have the opportunity to work outdoors (6) \_\_\_\_\_ and OCCASION  
perhaps do some travelling, too. I am not particularly concerned about becoming wealthy but  
I would like to have a (7) \_\_\_\_\_ income - enough to live comfortably. REASON

(7 points)

**Task 12 – Vocabulary.**

Read the definitions of body parts and organs. For numbers 1 – 7 complete the missing words. The exact number of letters is given for each word. Use one word only. There is an example at the beginning (0). Write complete words on the Answer Sheet.

- (0) e a r – organ of hearing located on either side of the head
- (1) \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ – primary organs of breathing located near the backbone on either side of the heart
- (2) \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ – bean-shaped organ that excretes waste products of metabolism in the form of urine
- (3) \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ – the hollow area beneath the place where the arm and the shoulder meet
- (4) \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ – the joint where the foot joins the leg
- (5) \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ – the joint where the hand joins the arm
- (6) \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ – the organ where food goes and begins to be digested after you swallow it
- (7) \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ – the hair growing over the eye usually in a line or arch

(7 points)

**Task 13 – Culture quiz.**

Read the sentences. For numbers 1 – 7 complete the sentences. There is an example at the beginning (0). Write your answers on the Answer Sheet.

The capital of England is (0) London.

The capital of Canada is (1) \_\_\_\_\_.

The current monarch of the UK is (2) \_\_\_\_\_.

The motto of the new American President, Donald J. Trump is “Make America (3) \_\_\_\_\_ Again“.

The (4) \_\_\_\_\_ Reef is the world's largest coral reef system which consists of over 2,900 individual reefs and 900 islands stretching for over 2,300 kilometres off the coast of Queensland, Australia.

(5) \_\_\_\_\_ is a state located in the southeastern region of the United States, and its principal cities include Miami, Fort Lauderdale, West Palm Beach, and Boca Raton.

(6) \_\_\_\_\_ is a holiday celebrated the day after Christmas Day.

The (7) \_\_\_\_\_ are large marsupials that are found only in Australia and are identified by their muscular tails, strong back legs on which they jump, large feet, short fur and long, pointed ears.

(7 points)

**THIS IS THE END OF THE TEST**