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**I. READING**

**The USA**

The United States of America is the fourth largest country in the world after Russia, Canada – its North American neighbour, and China. The USA is larger than Australia, India and Brazil. It's 30 times larger than Poland. There are fifty states in the United States. Some of the eastern States, like Rhode Island, Delaware and Maryland are quite small, but others, like Alaska, Texas, California and Montana, are much larger than Poland. Each state has got its own government and its own capital city. The capital city for the whole of the country is Washington DC. Barack Obama, the President of the USA lives there, in the White House. He met the Polish President, Bronisław Komorowski, on 7th December 2010 in the White House.

The flag of the USA is called the 'Stars and Stripes'. On the flag there is one star for each of the fifty states. The thirteen stripes are for the original thirteen states. These states formed the USA in 1776.

There are five time zones in the USA. So, when it's twelve o'clock in New York, it's only eight o'clock in Alaska. The Mississippi–Missouri River is the third longest river in the world. The Nile and the Amazon are longer than it.

The USA is the richest country in the world. It produces more food, iron, cars, aeroplanes, books, computers and TV programmes than any country in the world.

The USA has a population of about 300 million people. Most of them live in cities. The largest city is New York. About 10 million people live there. The second largest city is Los Angeles and the third largest is Chicago.

The first settlers in the USA came from Britain. One of the first groups of British people, now called the Pilgrims, went to America four hundred years ago. The Pilgrims took their language to America and now English is the native language there, although the USA has people from all over the world.

*(based on: T. Hutchinson: 'Project' Oxford)*

**1. The USA is a larger country than .....**

- A) China                       B) Russia  
 C) Australia                   D) Canada

**2. .... is smaller than Poland.**

- A) Montana                       B) Maryland  
 C) Texas                           D) California

**3. The USA became an independent country ..... years ago.**

- A) 1776     B) 1200     C) 750     D) 235

**4. The White House is a place where .....**

- A) the US President lives  
 B) Bronisław Komorowski lives  
 C) everybody can live  
 D) the President of Poland lives

**5. There (1) ..... and (2) ..... stripes on the American flag.**

- A) (1) is 1 star; (2) 13  
 B) (1) are 13 stars; (2) 50  
 C) (1) are 50 stars; (2) 50  
 D) (1) are 50 stars; (2) 13

**6. The third largest city in the USA is .....**

- A) New York                       B) Chicago  
 C) Washington DC               D) Los Angeles

**7. When it's twelve o'clock in Anchorage (Alaska), it's ..... in New York.**

- A) four o'clock p.m.  
 B) it's eight o'clock in the morning  
 C) it's eight o'clock in the evening  
 D) five o'clock p.m.

**8. Wybierz prawdziwe zdanie.**

- A) The first settlers came to North America in the 18th century.  
 B) The Mississippi–Missouri River is the longest river in the world.  
 C) Canada is the largest country in America.  
 D) There are some countries which produce more food and TV programmes than the USA.

**II. COMMUNICATION**

**9. A: What nationality is Xantos?**

**B: He's ..... . He comes from Greece.**

- A) Grecish                       B) Grecian  
 C) Greek                           D) Greecece

**10. A: .....**

**B: Thanks!**

- A) How are you?                   B) See you soon!  
 C) Cheers!                           D) Bless you!

**11. A: How do you usually get to school?**

**B: .....**

- A) I walk.                           B) By foot.  
 C) On dad's car.                   D) I'm cycling.

**12. A: ..... to the sports centre?**

**B: Half an hour.**

- A) How often do you get  
 B) How do you sometimes get  
 C) How much is it to get  
 D) How long does it take to get

**13. A: .....**

**B: My hobby is collecting foreign stamps.**

- A) What are you interesting?  
 B) What are you interested in?  
 C) What kind of hobby are you?  
 D) Do you like your hobby?

14. A: Can I go swimming with Jack, mum.  
 B: Yes, you can. But you ..... do your homework first.

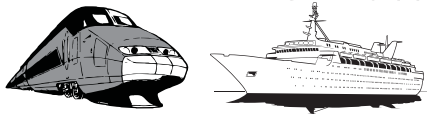
- A) can                       B) must  
 C) can't                     D) mustn't

**III. VOCABULARY**

15. You are learning how to use a printer and a DVD drive. It's .....

- A) Maths  
 B) Geography  
 C) Information Technology  
 D) Physical Education.

16. Mr Fornier lives in France. He often travels to the UK on business. He usually goes there by (1) ....., but he sometimes goes by (2) .....



- A) (1) train; (2) ferry       B) (1) coach; (2) ship  
 C) (1) plane; (2) train     D) (1) coach; (2) ferry

17. Peter's father is ..... He repairs taps and installs washbasins and sinks.

- A) an accountant           B) a carpenter  
 C) a plumber                 D) a manager

18. For breakfast, Martha only likes to eat:



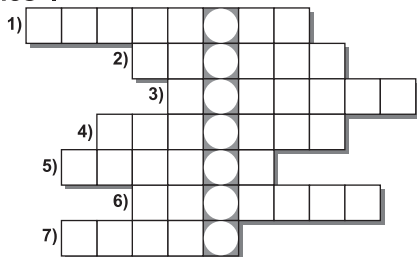
She doesn't like .....

- A) butter                     B) honey  
 C) cheese                     D) sausages

19. Rob is Australian. He loves ..... in his free time.

- A) swimming               B) scuba diving  
 C) rollerblading           D) windsurfing

20. Rozwiąż krzyżówkę z hasłem: „European countries”.



1. It's west of Spain.
2. It's our neighbour from the other side of the Baltic Sea.
3. People speak English in this country.
4. It's capital city is Copenhagen.
5. A rich country in the north of Europe famous for oil, skiers, salmons and a beautiful coastline.
6. It's famous for thousands of lakes.
7. The Vatican City and San Marino are inside this country.

**Hasło to:**

- A) The capital city of this country is Vilnius.  
 B) This country is our western neighbour.  
 C) This country is on the coasts of the Black Sea.  
 D) The River Thames is the longest river in this country.

**IV. GRAMMAR**

21. I phoned my friend ..... for some help with my English homework.

- A) because I ask             B) to ask  
 C) about asking             D) because he asked

22. There aren't (1) ..... people in the street and there isn't (2) ..... traffic.

- A) (1) many; (2) much  
 B) (1) a lot of; (2) many  
 C) (1) much; (2) a lot of  
 D) (1) much; (2) many

23. I met (1) ..... men in (2) ..... school gym.

- A) (1) the; (2) a  
 B) (1) a; (2) the  
 C) (1) a; (2) a  
 D) (1) some; (2) the

24. My sister is only five years old. She ..... go to school.

- A) don't have to             B) has to  
 C) doesn't have to         D) don't has to

25. This is my mobile phone. It isn't .....

- A) your     B) her     C) yours     D) mine

26. I think that English is (1) ..... than French, but History is (2) ..... subject of all.

- A) (1) more difficult; (2) the most difficult  
 B) (1) the most difficult; (2) more difficult  
 C) (1) difficulter; (2) the difficultest  
 D) (1) more difficulter; (2) the most difficultest

27. Mr Thompson ..... the harmonica really well.

- A) can plays                 B) cans playing  
 C) cans play                 D) can play

28. Tom, put on your raincoat. .... Look at the clouds!

- A) It just rains.  
 B) It's going to rain.  
 C) It will rain soon.  
 D) It's raining soon.

29. I'm not hungry at all. I ..... a big meal an hour ago.

- A) eat     B) eaten     C) haved     D) had

30. Które zdanie jest poprawne?

- A) There is a litter on the floor.  
 B) Have you got much butter in the fridge?  
 C) Are there some eggs on the table?  
 D) We have many homework to do tonight.