



PRIJÍMACIE SKÚŠKY z anglického jazyka

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Read the text and choose the correct answer in questions 1 – 5.

Life on Mars, once the stuff of science fiction, is becoming an increasingly realistic goal for many scientists and space enthusiasts. But will we ever make the Red Planet our home? Let's take a look at some of the challenges and possibilities.

Mars has an atmosphere, although a thin one, primarily composed of carbon dioxide with traces of nitrogen and argon. This is a significant factor because it means that, in theory, we could potentially convert some of this carbon dioxide into oxygen. But it's easier said than done. The technology needed to accomplish this task is complex and still under development. Then there's the matter of the Martian climate, which is much colder than Earth's and often reaches -80 degrees Celsius at night. Moreover, Mars doesn't have a magnetic field to protect it from solar radiation, making the surface uninhabitable for extended periods.

The distance from Earth to Mars is also a challenge. Depending on the alignment of the two planets, the journey could take anywhere from six to nine months. It's a long, dangerous journey with no guarantee of a safe return. Will it be difficult to convince people to sign up to such a mission?

Still, despite these challenges, many scientists remain hopeful. They're working on developing technologies to overcome these issues, from improving space travel to creating habitats that can withstand harsh Martian conditions.

NASA is planning to send humans to Mars within the next two decades. The mission, known as Mars 2020, will deploy a rover to collect and analyse samples of Martian soil and atmosphere. This data will provide crucial information about the planet's habitability.

SpaceX, a private aerospace manufacturer led by Elon Musk, also has plans for Mars. Their vision involves sending a million people to Mars by the end of the century to establish a self-sustaining colony.

So, will we ever live on Mars? It's still a question that remains unanswered. There are formidable challenges to overcome, but our quest for exploration and discovery continues to push the boundaries of what's possible. Perhaps one day, we might look up to the sky and see our second home shining red.

(1) What does the Martian atmosphere consist of?

- (A) Primarily oxygen.
- (B) Mostly carbon dioxide.
- (C) Mainly nitrogen and argon.
- (D) Mainly water vapour.

(2) What is one of the main challenges of the Martian climate?

- (A) It's too hot.
- (B) It's prone to violent storms.
- (C) It's too humid.
- (D) It's excessively cold.

(3) What is the primary barrier to living on Mars?

- (A) The surface is uninhabitable due to solar radiation.
- (B) There's no breathable air.
- (C) The planet is too close to the Sun, making it extremely hot.
- (D) The planet is too small to support life.

(4) What is SpaceX's vision for Mars?

- (A) To send a temporary manned mission to Mars.
- (B) To mine Mars for resources.
- (C) To create a large Mars colony that can support itself.
- (D) To turn Mars into a tourist destination.

(5) What would be a good headline to this article?

- (A) Human life on Mars is a distant dream.
- (B) We're preparing to turn Mars into our second home.
- (C) Life on Mars is a topic that has always fascinated scientists and space enthusiasts.
- (D) Mars is just a barren desert with no potential for human habitation.

Complete the sentences using correct prepositions.

(6) We are related marriage. He is my wife's brother.

- (7) I didn't quite like him first, but then we got along together.
- (8) I won't eat any chocolate because I'm a diet.
- (9) My daughter is addicted cigarettes She is a heavy smoker.
- (10) You should be ashamed yourself for treating her like that.
- (11) He failed his driving test a few times, however, the end, he passed.
- (12) I'm afraid the manager is not here. He is in France business this week.
- (13) They travelled to Greece air.
- (14) Are you pleased your new house?
- (15) Many things have changed. example, almost all families have two cars.
- (16) He was never good football, so we were surprised when they signed him up.
- (17) We felt sorry her because of the death of her youngest son.

Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words given in brackets. Each word form must be changed.

- (18) He turned out to be a big I'll never believe him again. (LIE)
- (19) A of men's salaries with those of women shows that females still get less.
(COMPARE)
- (20) It was their first of the season. (LOSE)
- (21) I had an at the dentist so I had to call off everything else. (APPOINT)
- (22) He has physical you can't even dream of. (ABLE)
- (23) The coach made the to discipline three players of his team. (DECIDE)
- (24) hardly ever tell the truth. (POLITICS)
- (25) The children had a imagination. Look at what they drew! (LIVE)

Match the words with their opposites. There are some extra words you don't need.

harvest – destroy – attic – teach – different – freeze – agree – constant – floor – complicated – artificial – moderate – arrival – divide – borrow – forget – dirty – awake – modern - far
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| (26) clean | (31) basement |
| (27) ceiling | (32) departure |
| (28) unite | (33) natural |
| (29) argue | (34) melt |
| (30) remember | (35) changeable |

(36) equal

(39) asleep

(37) near

(40) extreme

(38) ancient

Read the text below. Some of the lines are correct, some have a word which shouldn't be there. If the line is correct, write OK. Otherwise, write the word which shouldn't be there.

(41) For many youngsters, video games are a very popular

(42) way of spending time, either alone or each together

(43) with friends. While there are some other advantages

(44) when playing such games, if there are downsides too.

(45) Video games can teach young people important

(46) skills. They only put players into situations in which

(47) they must not make the right decisions and try to find

(48) solutions to difficult problems. Some games have had

(49) a great educational value and can go teach science,

(50) history or geography in an entertaining way.

(51) However, when spending too much time playing

(52) video games can affect on your health and well-being.

(53) Youngsters should not only sit at home in the front

(54) of a TV set or computer screen, but also go them

(55) outdoors and get as much as exercise as possible.

(56) They must spend time going out and communicating

(57) with most real-life friends.

(58) Video games are being a great form of entertainment

(59) and an interesting way to explore the nature world, but

(60) it is important to engage in other activities too.

Choose the correct answer.

(61) I had had a bath I went to bed.

(A) Before

(B) Soon as

(C) After

(D) Until

(62) Sandra Bob that she hadn't seen the Taj Mahal.

- (A) say (B) told (C) said (D) is telling

(63) I travel a lot in my job. to Europe.

- (A) Exactly (B) Fluently (C) Nearly (D) Mainly

(64) They left on 3rd of August.

- (A) an (B) a (C) - (D) the

(65) A: "Have you ever eaten sushi?" B: "No, I don't like raw fish."

- (A) eating (B) eaten (C) eat (D) have eaten

(66) Even though, I wasn't that late, when I got to the meeting place was there.

- (A) nobody (B) somebody (C) nothing (D) anybody

(67) I can't answer the phone. a shower.

- (A) I have (B) I have got (C) I do have (D) I'm having

(68) Not Titanic again! I it ten times!

- (A) saw (B) am seen (C) have seen (D) watched

(69) If you need any information, call this number.

- (A) further (B) farthest (C) furthest (D) far

(70) He so tired that he until midday.

- (A) was / slept (B) was / slept (C) were / sleeps (D) was / sleeps



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	ANSWER	RESULT
1.	B	
2.	D	
3.	B / A	
4.	C	
5.	B	
6.	by	
7.	at	
8.	on	
9.	to	
10.	of	
11.	in	
12.	on / for	
13.	by	
14.	with	
15.	for	
16.	at	
17.	for	
18.	liar	
19.	comparison	
20.	loss	
21.	appointment	
22.	abilities / disabilities	
23.	decision	
24.	politicians	
25.	lively	
26.	dirty	
27.	floor	
28.	divide	
29.	agree	
30.	forget	
31.	attic	
32.	arrival	
33.	artificial	
34.	freeze	
35.	constant	

	ANSWER	RESULT
36.	different	
37.	far	
38.	modern	
39.	awake	
40.	moderate	
41.	OK	
42.	each	
43.	other	
44.	if	
45.	OK	
46.	only	
47.	not	
48.	had	
49.	go	
50.	OK	
51.	when	
52.	on	
53.	the	
54.	them	
55.	as	
56.	OK	
57.	most	
58.	being	
59.	nature	
60.	OK	
61.	C / after	
62.	B / told	
63.	D / mainly	
64.	D / the	
65.	A / eating	
66.	A / nobody	
67.	D / I'm having	
68.	C / have seen	
69.	A / further	
70.	A / was, slept	