

## II EDYCJA

### „OGÓLNOPOLSKIEGO KONKURSU WIEDZY O KANADZIE- DISCOVER CANADA 2015”

#### ETAP SZKOLNY

Czas pracy: **90** minut

Liczba punktów możliwych do uzyskania: **110**

**WYNIK**

IMIĘ I NAZWISKO UCZNIĄ .....

SZKOŁA .....

IMIĘ I NAZWISKO NAUCZYCIELA PROWADZĄCEGO .....

*Arkusz liczy 7 stron i zawiera 110 pytań otwartych i zamkniętych. W pytaniach zamkniętych tylko jedna odpowiedź jest poprawna. W pytaniach otwartych wymagana jest pełna poprawność. Test został podzielony na dwie części leksykalno-gramatyczną i kulturową. Prosimy o zaznaczanie prawidłowych odpowiedzi na arkuszu. Test należy rozwiązywać samodzielnie.*

**Good luck!**

#### CZĘŚĆ LEKSYKALNO-GRAMATYCZNA

##### I. Choose the correct item.

- Jenny will soon have this place looking spick and .....  
a) quiet      b) sound      c) span      d) well
- Robert, like many children of his age, is prone to throwing a(n) .....  
a) tantrum      b) mood      c) outburst      d) temper
- Lucy and Martha are as different as chalk and ..... It's hard to believe that they are sisters.  
a) chair      b) cheese      c) chimney      d) hair
- It's a ..... in the dark, but it might work.  
a) shot      b) glow      c) glimmer      d) shouting
- She had the ..... to speak to her father like that!  
a) leg      b) cheek      c) neck      d) spine
- I can't sleep at night! I think I should ..... the amount of coffee and tea I drink.  
a) cut off      b) cut off from      c) cut down on      d) cut out
- Sally was dissatisfied with the quality of her new MP3 player and was given a full ..... from the shop.  
a) refund      b) return      c) replacement      d) compensation
- The hotel we stayed in was completely off the ..... track.  
a) beaten      b) bitten      c) bitter      d) beetling
- Anita's parents hired a private ..... to help her with Chemistry.  
a) headmistress      b) teacher      c) tutor      d) professor

**II. Think of one word which can be used appropriately in all three sentences.**

- 10. I'm exhausted because it's been a very busy week and I've been on the ..... all day.  
Don't cheat Mark! Monica's just put a card down and it's my ..... now.  
Tom had a ..... at fixing his dishwasher but he couldn't make it work properly.
- 11. Be careful! That knife has a very ..... edge.  
There was a very ..... bend in the road and for a while I nearly lost control of the truck.  
James is a ..... businessman and that is what allowed him to make all the right decisions for his business.
- 12. The sentry remained at his ..... throughout the night.  
Emma was glad to be offered the new .....  
The dog had been tied to a ..... outside the shop waiting for his owner.
- 13. All complaints must be addressed to the ..... of the department.  
John hit his thumb instead of the ..... of the nail whilst hammering.  
Jenny marched proudly at the ..... of the procession.
- 14. African rivers turn to hard mud during the dry .....  
My favorite ..... of the year is summer.  
..... the chicken generously on both sides with salt and pepper.

**III. Write in the correct words.**

- 15. It is common **k** \_\_\_\_\_ that they are getting married in August.
- 16. Our tent wasn't completely **w** \_\_\_\_\_ and the rain came through.
- 17. **B** \_\_\_\_\_ help police officers find out who is really driving drunk.
- 18. Every **c** \_\_\_\_\_ in the train was cramped with passengers.
- 19. The body of a person who has died is taken in a special car called a **h** \_\_\_\_\_ to the funeral service.
- 20. I love books! I love reading! I'm a real **b** \_\_\_\_\_.

**IV. Fill in the correct form of the words in capitals.**

- 21. A lot of people don't understand that uncontrolled tourism can ..... wildlife. **DANGER**
- 22. The dressmaker took my .....in order to determine my size. **MEASURE**
- 23. He had enough .....to remove the fallen tree from the road. **STRONG**
- 24. The other boys were very .....of Pete's new bike. **ENVY**
- 25. She had a .....way of shedding new light on difficult situations. **REMARK**
- 26. His lectures are very ..... He says the same thing again and again. **REPEAT**
- 27. The profits were .....distributed causing havoc(confusion) among employees. **EVEN**
- 28. He had the .....of a wealthy executive in his Armani suit. **APPEAR**
- 29. At the recreation centre there is a great .....of activities of choose from. **VARY**
- 30. Rome has a lot of ..... and museums to visit. **SEE**

**V. Choose the correct item.**

- 31. 'Your house looks terrible.'  
'I know, I need to .....'  
a) get it painted      b) go to be painted      c) have painted it      d) getting it painted

32. He is believed .....in court.

- a) lying            b) to have lied            c) to lie            d) be lying

33. That ..... John, I saw him leave an hour ago.

- a) shouldn't be            b) mustn't be            c) can be            d) can't be

34. 'Did you send the invitations?'

'Actually, I ..... it.'

- a) forgot doing            b) had forgotten            c) forget            d) forgot to do

35. 'I think that letter is for you.'

'Yes, it's about time.....'

- a) that it arrive            b) to arrive            c) it arrived            d) it arrives

36. By the time we got back, Lucy ..... the whole house.

- a) had already cleaned            b) was already cleaning            c) has already been cleaning            d) was cleaning

37. Mark admitted to ..... the neighbour's window.

- a) having broken            b) having been broken            c) break            d) be broken

38. If we are to succeed in this business, we .... to plan everything carefully.

- a) could have needed            b) will need            c) would need            d) had needed

39. The animal was made ..... in its cage as it was dangerous.

- a) to stay            b) stay            c) staying            d) to staying

40. I'd rather .....out tonight.

- a) to go            b) go            c) gone            d) going

## VI. Rewrite the following sentences beginning with the words given.

41. Although she was not guilty she was punished by the teacher.

**In spite** .....

42. The headmistress is not to be disturbed.

**On no account** .....

43. Smoking is forbidden in this place.

**You aren't**.....

44. It is only thanks to our meeting that I learned about this event

**Had it** .....

45. Both of them look the same to him.

**He can't tell**.....

46. Our local cinema is showing her latest film next week.

**Her latest film**.....

47. It's impossible that he married such an old woman.

**He can't** .....

48. We didn't say a word.

**Not**.....

49. Too bad we did not see the film last night.

**We wish**.....

50. We can't do our project online because we don't have internet at school.

**If we had**.....

## CZEŚĆ KULTUROWA

### VII. Choose the correct item.

51. What is the origin of the word Canada?

- a) the Inuit word meaning country                      b) the French word meaning joining  
c) the Métis word meaning rivers                      d) the Huron-Iroquois word for village

52. What is the largest province in Canada, three times the size of France and seven times larger than Great Britain?

- a) Quebec                      b) British Columbia                      c) Ontario                      d) Manitoba

53. The Canadian Rockies run through

- a) Yukon and British Columbia                      b) Northwest Territories and Alberta  
c) Yukon and Northwest Territories                      d) British Columbia and Alberta

54. Canada's highest point, Mount Logan (5959 m), is located in

- a) Nunavut                      b) Yukon Territory                      c) British Columbia                      d) Northwest Territories

55. Saskatchewan is a Canadian

- a) prairie province                      b) Atlantic province                      c) West coast province                      d) most easterly province

56. The name of the ocean bay that stretches between the provinces of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, and that has the highest tides in the world is

- a) Gulf of St. Lawrence                      b) Hudson Bay                      c) Greville Bay                      d) Bay of Fundy

57. Great Bear Lake is one of the geographical features of

- a) Yukon Territory                      b) British Columbia                      c) Nunavut                      d) Northwest Territories

58. What national park is situated on the west coast of the island of Newfoundland?

- a) Miguasha National Park                      b) Nahanni National Park  
c) Wood Buffalo National Park                      d) Gros Morne National Park

59. Aurora borealis, one of the Seven Wonders of Canada, is also known as

- a) Western Lights                      b) Northern Lights                      c) Southern Lights                      d) Eastern Lights

60. Nahanni National Park Reserve, inscribed on UNESCO's World Heritage List in 1978, is situated in

- a) Nunavut                      b) Northwest Territories                      c) Yukon Territory                      d) British Columbia

61. Where is the Rideau Canal located?

- a) in Quebec                      b) in New Brunswick                      c) in Ontario                      d) in Nova Scotia

62. How many provinces and territories does Canada have today?

- a) eight provinces and five territories                      b) nine provinces and four territories  
c) ten provinces and three territories                      d) eleven provinces and two territories

63. What is the capital of Saskatchewan?

- a) Regina                      b) Halifax                      c) Winnipeg                      d) Iqaluit

64. Canada's largest city is

- a) Vancouver                      b) Montreal                      c) Ottawa                      d) Toronto

65. What is the only Canadian province where English is not an official language?

- a) Quebec                      b) Ontario                      c) New Brunswick                      d) Nova Scotia

66. Atlantic puffin is the provincial symbol of:

- a) New Brunswick                      b) Newfoundland and Labrador                      c) Nova Scotia                      d) Prince Edward Island

67. Prairie crocus is the floral emblem of the province of:

- a) Manitoba                      b) Alberta                      c) Ontario                      d) Nova Scotia

68. Who is considered the founder of New France?

- a) Samuel de Champlain                      b) Jean Nicolle  
c) Jacques Cartier                      d) Jean-François de La Rocque de Roberval

69. Who were the United Empire Loyalists?

- a) Aboriginal peoples                      b) Americans                      c) the French  
d) Settlers who came to Canada from the United States during and after the American Revolution

70. Who was the first explorer to claim territory in North America for the English Crown?

- a) Martin Frobisher                      b) John Cabot  
c) Christopher Columbus                      d) Giovanni da Verrazzano

71. When is Canada Day celebrated?

- a) July 1                      b) April 23                      c) May 1                      d) June 22

72. Choose four provinces which formed the Dominion of Canada created under *the British North America Act of 1867*:

- a) British Columbia, New Brunswick, Alberta, Ontario  
b) Ontario, Quebec, Saskatchewan, Nova Scotia  
c) New Brunswick, Ontario, Alberta, Newfoundland and Labrador  
d) Ontario, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec

73. Who was the Upper Canada's first Lieutenant Governor and founder of the City of York (now Toronto)? He also made Upper Canada the first province in the British Empire to abolish slavery.

- a) Lieutenant Colonel John Graves Simcoe                      b) Lieutenant Peter Hunter  
c) Lieutenant Francis Gore                      d) Lieutenant John Colborne

74. What is the date of Canada's entry into Confederation?

- a) January 7, 1941                      b) December 26, 1791                      c) July 1, 1867                      d) June 23, 1870

75. In WWI the Canadian Corps were called the "shock troops of the British Empire." Which battle secured Canadians reputation for bravery and is considered to be a defining moment for Canada?

- a) the Battle of Amiens                      b) the Battle of Vimy Ridge  
c) the Battle of the Plains of Abraham                      d) the Battle of Beaver Dams

76. In WWI more than 3,000 nurses, served in the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps, 2,500 of them overseas. What was their nickname?

- a) "Blackbirds"                      b) "Whitebirds"                      c) "Bluebirds"                      d) "Redbirds"

77. Which Aboriginal group inhabited Nova Scotia long before the arrival of European explorers?

- a) The Inuit                      b) The Iroquois                      c) The Mi'kmaq                      d) The Cree

78. What famous explorer is the Cabot Trail named after?

- a) Thomas Cabot                      b) George Cabot                      c) John Cabot                      d) Sebastian Cabot

79. What are the three main groups of Aboriginal peoples in Canada?

- a) First Nations, Inuit, and Métis                      b) Indians, Haida and Métis  
c) First Nations, Inuit and Haida                      d) Cree, Inuit and Métis

80. In 1833 the British Parliament abolished slavery throughout the Empire. Thousands of slaves escaped from the United States and settled in Canada thanks to

- a) the Underground Railroad                      b) the underground system  
c) Republic of Safety                      d) National Underground Railroad Freedom Center

81. Alberta is named after Princess Louise Caroline Alberta who was Queen Victoria's
- a) sister      b) daughter      c) granddaughter      d) niece
82. The first European explorer of what is now Quebec was
- a) John Cabot      b) Jacques Cartier      c) Martin Frobisher      d) Henry Hudson
83. What is the name of the best surviving example of a planned British colonial settlement in North America?
- a) Historic District of Old Québec      b) Old Town Lunenburg
- c) the Rideau Canal      d) SGang Gwaay
84. The early Polish immigration to Canada was once described as
- a) Dirty Polacks Immigration      b) Sheepskin immigration
- c) Galician Immigration      d) Neither of them
85. What kind of problems did Canadian immigration authorities have with the first Polish-Canadians?
- a) They came from a country that did not exist on the map      b) They had invalid documents
- c) There were deceived and had no land in Canada      d) They could not spell their names
86. During citizenship ceremonies new citizens of Canada swear allegiance to
- a) The Queen      b) constitution      c) Prime Minister      d) Premier
87. Who represents the Queen in Canada and carries out the duties of head of state?
- a) The Lieutenant Governor      b) the Governor General
- c) the Governor      d) Prime Minister
88. What is the name of the current Prime Minister of Canada?
- a) John Turner      b) Kim Campbell      c) Paul Martin      d) Stephen Harper
89. Who was the first Canadian senator of Polish origin?
- a) Tadeusz Brzezinski      b) Stefan Stykolt      c) Stanley Haidasz      d) Peter Brzozowicz
90. In what Canadian town is the Polish Kaszub Heritage Museum and Park located?
- a) Mississauga      b) Wilno      c) Toronto      d) Brampton
91. The name Little Poland in Canada refers to
- a) Roncesvalles Avenue in Toronto      b) the oldest Polish settlement
- c) the Kaszubian Region in Ontario      d) Ottawa Valley
92. Who was the consulting engineer of the famous CN Tower in Toronto?
- a) Czesław Peter Brzozowicz      b) Janusz Zurakowski
- c) Andrew Grabowski      d) Tadeusz Brzezinski
93. "Kerfuffle" is another name for
- a) electricity      b) commotion      c) a napkin      d) a winter cap
94. What is the word in Canadian slang for a foolish or uncultivated person?
- a) hoser      b) soaker      c) pogy      d) chesterfield
95. "Canuck" is a nickname for
- a) a canoe      b) coffee      c) a Canadian      d) warm wind
96. What is the tongue-in-cheek nickname for the two dollar coin?
- a) loonie      b) toonie      c) lennie      d) towny
97. Depending on the province, education in Canada is compulsory to the age of between
- a) 15 and 17      b) 15 and 18      c) 16 and 18      d) 16 and 19

98. Career college is also known as

- a) vocational school                      b) community college                      c) state college                      d) university

99. Who is the author of the novel *The English Patient*?

- a) Margaret Atwood                      b) Michael Ondaatje                      c) Alice Munro                      d) Eden Robinson

100. Which of these writers is not Canadian?

- a) Margaret Laurence                      b) Sinclair Ross                      c) Toni Morrison                      d) Stephen Leacock

101. The title of Margaret Atwood's dystopian novel is

- a) *Survival*                      b) *The Circle Game*                      c) *The Edible Woman*                      d) *The Handmaid's Tale*

102. Which Canadian woman writer is best known for her short stories?

- a) Margaret Laurence                      b) Margaret Atwood                      c) Eden Robinson                      d) Alice Munro

**VIII. Answer the following questions.**

103. The first European visitors to North America were neither French nor English. Their explorers are commemorated at L'Anse aux Meadows National Park in Newfoundland. Name the peoples:

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104. Which was the last province to join Canada? .....

105. Who was the first Prime Minister of Canada? .....

106. Name the province or territory whose flag shows an Inukshuk .....

107. What is the name of the medal, the highest honour for merit in the system of orders in Canada, which is conferred in recognition of outstanding lifetime achievement in all major fields of endeavour?

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108. What is Canada's smallest province in terms of both size and population? .....

109. Who is Canada's formal head of state?.....

110. Who is the head of government in Canada? Name the post, not the current head of Canadian government?

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