

Tactics and Strategies for ЕГЭ

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ЛИЦЕЙ-ИНТЕРНАТ №2
МОСКОВСКОГО РАЙОНА Г.КАЗАНИ



10 Golden Rules for Successful C1-C2 Parts

1. Brainstorm!

Spend 3-5 minutes pondering over the topic, eliciting ideas, plan – do not write! Research shows precedence in thinking over writing immediately increases the performance up to 80%.



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2. Amount – less!

Since the amount does not affect the K1 (Content) you should write less as every word may presumably result in a mistake (either spelling, lexical or grammar).



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3. Originality - less!

Do not be original; use simple structures and well-known words and phrases. Experience shows that originality increases the number of flaws.



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4. TOEFL Samples!

Use TOEFL Sample questions and answers to prepare for C2 Part. Most previous ЕГЭ C2 tasks duplicate TOEFL topics.



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5. Handwriting!

Your handwriting is important – it influences the overall impression! Make sure you write in a neat, legible, aesthetic way. Corrections should be made by crossing the word/s in a neat one-line way.



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6. Layout & Linking!

Discourse markers and paragraphing are crucially important to receive the highest point for K1 (Content) and K2 (Organisation and Cohesion) criteria.



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7. Stick to Criteria!

Produce and assess your writing piece according to the Experts' Criteria (available in books by Е.С. Музланова - изд-во «АСТ Астрель», Е.Ф. Прохорова и др. - изд-во «Интеллект-Центр» и др.)



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8. Ready-mades!

Have learnt several samples for C1 and C2 – use the suitable expressions and structures in your own writing.



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9. Modelling!

Model exam-like procedural situations every 2-4 weeks to eliminate the psychological pressure and build confidence! (Real exam-like answer sheets, timing, rules).



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10. Double-check!

Before submitting the work proof-read the final draft for the amount of words, spelling, appropriateness of grammar and lexis.



Thank You for Attention!

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