



**ЗАДАНИЯ, ВКЛЮЧАЮЩИЕ ТАКОЙ
ЯЗЫКОВОЙ МАТЕРИАЛ, КАК
ПОСЛОВИЦЫ И ПОГОВОРКИ**

Развитие умений говорения и письма

□ 1. Answer the questions:

I think you know the proverb *“Don’t count chickens before they are hatched.”*

- What does this proverb mean?
- Is this good advice? Why?
- Is there a saying similar to this in Russian?
- Do you know any other English proverb that has similar advice?
- Have you ever “counted your chickens before they were hatched”?



2. Pick up the English proverb or saying which is closest in meaning to the Russian one.

1. Лиха беда начало.

- A. The early bird catches the worm. B. To start from scratch. C. Many hands make light work.
D. Well begun is half done.

2. Плохому танцору и ноги мешают.

- A. A bad workman always blames his tools. B. Handy Andy. C. Jack of all trades. D. All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy.

3. Собака на сене.

- A. Jack of all trades. B. A dog in the manger. C. Let sleeping dogs lie.
D. It's a dog-eat-dog world.

4. Ложка дегтю в бочке меда.

- A. To have a bee in one's bonnet. B. A feather in one's cap. C. A bolt from the blue. D. A Fly in the ointment.

5. Рыбак рыбака видит издалека.

- A. Blood is thicker than water. B. All for one and one for all. C. The best of friends must part. D. Birds of a feather flock together.



РАЗВИТИЕ ГРАММАТИЧЕСКИХ И ЛЕКСИЧЕСКИХ НАВЫКОВ И УМЕНИЙ

▣ **1. There is a word missing from each of these proverbs. Choose the correct one from the three possibilities.**

1. A bird in the hand is worth two in the ____ . a) bush b) tree c) sky
2. Let sleeping dogs ____ . a) sleep b) dream c) lie
3. Many ____ make light work. a) servants b) hands c) cooks
4. Curiosity killed a ____ . a) mouse b) kitten c) cat
5. Prevention is better than ____ . a) punishment b) cure c) medicine
6. ____ is thicker than water. a) Coffee b) Blood c) Soup
7. An Englishman's home is his ____ . a) security b) castle c) palace
8. Birds of a ____ flock together. a) family b) cage c) feather
9. It's no use crying over ____ milk. a) sour b) spilt c) tinned
10. ____ begins at home. a) Charity b) Learning c) Love
11. Every ____ has its day. a) flower b) event c) dog

▣ **2. Find the adjectives in comparative or superlative forms in the sentences.**

The eye is bigger than the belly.

Best defence is attack.

Better be born lucky than rich.



РАЗВИТИЕ УМЕНИЙ АУДИРОВАНИЯ И ЧТЕНИЯ

1. Work in groups and Match the English and Russian proverbs.

Measure twice and cut once.
Plenty is no plague.
As hungry as a hawk.
Live and learn.
The eye is the mirror of the soul.
Make hay while the sun shines.
It is never too late to learn.
He laughs best who laughs last.
A sound mind in a sound body.
All is well that ends well.
Good health is better than wealth.

Семь раз отмерь, один раз отрежь.
Каши маслом не испортишь.
Голодный как волк.
Век живи – век учись.
Глаза – зеркало души.
Куй железо, пока горячо.
Учиться никогда не поздно.
Хорошо смеется тот, кто смеется последним.
В здоровом теле – здоровый дух.
Все хорошо, что хорошо кончается.
Здоровье дороже богатства.



2. Read this text, choose the title.

- Two heads are better than one.
- Better an egg today than a hen tomorrow.
- All is well that ends well.

One afternoon some friends of Susan and Derek's invited them for a walk in the evening. Susan had bought tickets for the theatre for that evening, but she and Derek agreed to meet their friends before the theatre. They all met early in the evening, went to the park, sat down on a bench, and talked for an hour. When Susan got up, she couldn't find her handbag. She was very sorry because the theatre tickets had been in the handbag. As Susan and Derek couldn't go to the theatre, the friends decided to go to a cafe to have supper. Later Susan and Derek went to the nearest police station. They hoped they would know something about the handbag. To their surprise, Susan's bag was there with everything in it. A child had picked it up in the park and the child's parents had taken it to the police station.



РАЗВИТИЕ ФОНЕТИЧЕСКИХ НАВЫКОВ И УМЕНИЙ

▣ 1. Listen and repeat

звук [m]:

So many men, so many minds

To make a mountain out of a molehill

One man's meat is another man's poison

▣ 2. Listen, repeat and read loudly

сочетание звуков [t] и [r]:

Don't trouble trouble until trouble troubles you

Treat others as you want to be treated yourself

