

A20. Hockey _____ since the middle of the 18th century.

- 1) has played
- 2) has been played
- 3) has been playing

Часть 3. Чтение

Внимательно прочитайте текст. Выполните задания A21 – A30.

George Weekes

George Weekes writes poems and books for all age groups, and sometimes reads his work on television.

"My parents moved to Manchester from Jamaica just before I was born, but east London has been my home for many years now. Tourists never come here. This part of the city has problems, but there are also many good things about it.

People of many nationalities live in this area, so there are shops with Jamaican bread, African vegetables, Chinese spices and lots of other interesting things. The shop my wife likes best is one that sells beautiful Indian dresses. The local bookshop is much more friendly than a big store and I'm always happy to talk to the customers about my books!

I'm 36 now but I don't really like 36-year-olds! Once people become 30 they think about money too much and say that modern music is too noisy! Almost all my friends here are under 17.1 love their language and their music. They give me ideas for my writing.

Sometimes I go for a run along the river. There are flowers and animals and even some cows there, so it's like being in the country. I live and work in a city but inside I am still a country person."

A21. George Weekes writes poems and books for _____.

- 1) students
- 2) all ages
- 3) children

A22. His parents moved to Manchester from _____.

- 1) Jamaica
- 2) China
- 3) Africa

A23. George Weekes is _____.

- 1) a writer
- 2) an actor
- 3) a teacher

A24. George was born in _____.

- 1) Jamaica
- 2) London
- 3) Manchester

A25. What does George say about his part of London?

- 1) Tourists should go there.
- 2) Life there isn't always easy.
- 3) It's in the city centre.

A26. His wife's favourite shop sells _____.

- 1) clothes
- 2) food
- 3) books

A27. George likes the bookshop because _____.

- 1) the books are cheap
- 2) he can meet his readers there
- 3) it has so many books

A28. George says that people over 30 _____.

- 1) have too much money
- 2) are often happy
- 3) don't like loud music

A29. Most of George's friends _____.

- 1) are younger than he is
- 2) read all his books
- 3) are good at languages

A30. George goes running _____.

- 1) near some water
- 2) in the country
- 3) on a farm