

"Language is the road map of a culture. It tells you where its people come from and where they are going". This is a quote by Rita Mae Brown. It means that by observing the transformations of language you can find out its history.

I agree with this statement and I think that it is pretty near to the truth. Language truly is a "living" system, which over the years can transform into something new. And by looking at that you can not only find its history, but also predict where it is going. Not only that, language can also "consume" other languages, and that is also pointing to its history.

For examples, we can look at the English language itself. English language was made up by combining a whole lot of languages. It's even hard to count, how many languages are there. A whole Europe contributed into this. And one of the major reasons why this happened is, I think, slavery. British Empire had many colonies and, of course, their languages gain its own power in English. A lot of words had been taken from foreign languages. That's why English grammar can sometimes seem

as "irrational".

In conclusion, I want to say that every language has its own gigantic ~~to~~ and interesting ~~to~~ history of combining and transforming into something new.

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**Listening**

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- 13.	A	(B)	C
- 14.	(A)	B	C
- 15.	A	(B)	C

Оценочные баллы: максимальный -15; фактический 10/11 баллов.

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**Reading**

+ 16.	A	(B)	C	
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+ 20.	A	(B)	C	
+ 21.	A	B	(C)	
+ 22.	A	B	(C)	
+ 23.	(A)	B	C	
+ 24.	A	(B)	C	
+ 25.	(A)	B	C	
+ 26.	A (H)	B	C	D
+ 27.	A (D)	B	C	D
+ 28.	A	(B)	C	D
+ 29.	A (F)	B	C	D
+ 30.	(A)	B	C	D
+ 31.	(C)			
+ 32.	(I)			



