COLLOCATIONS

I. Complete the sentences, choosing an appropriate noun from the list below, and translate them into Bulgarian.

A: BEAT

butter, clock, deadline, depression, drum, heat, rap, retreat, system, time

- 1. It is widely believed that if you have enough money and high-priced lawyers, you can generally beat the $i\ i\ i\ \dots$
- 2. The president said he will beat the í í í . to build public support for his education program.
- 3. With an electric mixer, beat the i i i . for 1 minute, until creamy.
- 4. The cops had to beat the í í í . to find the killer before he struck again.
- 5. Spending time with friends is one of the best ways to beat í í í ...
- 6. In an attempt to beat the i i i ..., some asylum seekers lodge applications in more than one EU country: this is the so-called "asylum shopping."
- 7. You have to beat i i i . when you learn how to play the piano.
- 8. Students who beat the i i i . have less complications and less stress than those who wait until the deadline.
- 9. A ripe juicy watermelon will help you beat the í í í . on a hot summer day.
- 10. I really don't want to run into my boss. Shall we beat a í í í .?

B: STICK

finger, flower, head, label, neck, needle, nose, oar, pin, stamp

- 1. The doctor stuck a(n) í í í in and drained the pus.
- 2. She stuck her í í í aggressively into my face and said: "You watch it now!"
- 3. There is a huge pleasure in writing a letter, putting it in an envelope and sticking the i i . on it.
- 4. How dare he stick his í í í . into my work and offer advice!
- 5. She stuck her í í í around the office door and said, "Are you busy? Want to join me for coffee?"
- 6. We didnot know where to go for the weekend, so in the end we just stuck a(n) i i i . in the map and it landed in a small village in Perth.
- 7. Stick a(n) í í í . in your hair and come with us on a trip back to the 60s.
- 8. You should not stick any í í í . to a CD because it will upset the balance of the disc, and the laser will be unable to focus properly.
- 9. We were doing just fine when Rod stuck his i i i . in, and said; "That's not the way to do it, you have to do it like this."
- 10. As for what will happen in November, I\(\phi \) now prepared to stick my \(i \) \(i \) ... out: I think the Democrats will win.

II. Fill in the blanks with develop or evolve.

- 1. Do you think your education allowed you to i i i . your true potential?
- 2. They needed to í í í . new insecticides faster than the mosquitoes could í í í . resistance to them.
- 3. There is no plausible way that a bat wing can í í í . from a rodent's front toes.
- 4. Undoubtedly China is a promising market, with a fast-growing GDP and a younger generation that is fast í í .a taste for luxury goods.
- 5. Every species í í í . over millennia on the "trial and error" basis.

6. It is easy to i i . a sense of creeping paranoia when you begin to contemplate just how many companies, government departments and other organisations know your personal data. 7. Anger is a normal process that has allowed humans to i i i . and adapt. 8. The scheme encourages people of all ages and backgrounds to i i i new skills and fulfil their potential. 9. Can you í í í . your point and prove it within the page limit? 10. The majority of European languages, including Welsh, í í í from a language now called Indo-European. III. Complete the sentences, filling in each gap with a single word. 1. To mark the the 50th anniversary of the Guinness Book of Records, a British theme park attempts to í í . the world record for the number of people riding naked on a rollercoaster. 2. Giving up your job to i i i . a hobby is a dream for many people. 3. When shopping, reuse old plastic bags so you don't í í í . a collection of them ó better still, use your own shopping bags. 5. The professional relationship between dentist and patient relies on trust and the assumption that a dentist will act in the í í í . interests of the patient. 6. She i i i . her fingers in her ears so that she couldn't hear the noise. 7. One of the ways some fans have tried to i i i . the queues at the box office has been to shop for tickets online. 8. In the past, the Wordsworth Trust's huge collection was í í í . in converted farm buildings, where it was difficult to look after the items properly and hard for visiting scholars to study them. 9. She used her feminine wiles to í í í . her husbandøs attention from her ever-increasing account at the cosmetic surgery clinic. 10. Dave takes more than a í í í . interest in the British obsession with the weather. 11. Rapper Foxy Brown was handcuffed and threatened with jail after she í í í . her tongue out at a New York judge who asked her to stop chewing gum. IV. Translate into English, paying special attention to the underlined parts. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. красота магия

12. 13.

14. 15.