

# **THE GREAT PATRIOTIC WAR (1941-1945)**

## **Test 1**

### **Reading Comprehension**

**Read the text and choose the right answer.**

- 1. The 22<sup>nd</sup> of June is the date of the start of**
  - A** World War II
  - B** the Great Patriotic War
  - C** the October Revolution
- 2. Before the start of the war**
  - A** the German army was stronger than the Russian army
  - B** both armies were strong
  - C** the Russian army was stronger
- 3. A blockade is**
  - A** advance
  - B** bombing and shelling of the city
  - C** the action of surrounding and closing the place
- 4. Leningrad**
  - A** was invaded by the German army
  - B** the Germans didn't enter the city
  - C** was not cut off from the rest of the country
- 5. The Russian army liberated Leningrad in**
  - A** 1943
  - B** 1944
  - C** 1945
- 6. The first most important defeat of fascists was**
  - A** near Leningrad
  - B** near Stalingrad
  - C** near Moscow
- 7. General G. K. Zhukov**
  - A** won the battle near Stalingrad
  - B** took prisoner Hitler and his army
  - C** defeated fascists in the Great Patriotic War
- 8. The Soviet Army liberated the territory**
  - A** of the whole country
  - B** of Europe
  - C** of the whole country and some part of Europe
- 9. In World War II Russia fought against fascist Germany together with**
  - A** Great Britain and Japan
  - B** the USA and Great Britain
  - C** the USA, Great Britain and Poland
- 10. A great parade of war veterans will be held in Red Square in Moscow because**
  - A** Moscow is the capital of Russia
  - B** World War II ended in Moscow
  - C** the first parade of winners was there

