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Answer sheet

Listening

Task 1

1	B	✓
2	C	✓
3	C	-
4	C	+
5	B	+
6	A	+
7	A	-
8	B	+
9	D	+

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Task 2

1	N	+
2	A	+
3	N	+
4	N	+
5	A	+
6	M	+
7	N	+
8	M	-
9	A	+
10	M	+
11	M	+
12	A	+
13	M	+

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Use of English

1	Largely	✓
2	properties	-
3	Legal	✓
4	Allowed	✓
5	inequality	-

6	slowly	✓
7	standards	-
8	driving	✓
9	conviction	✓
10	signed	✓
11	proposed	✓
12	incredibly	✓
13	Suffrage	✓
14	Amendment	✓
15	introduced	✓
16	belief	-
17	passed	✓

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Reading

1	B	✓
2	D	✓
3	A	✓
4	D	✓
5	B	✓
6	C	✓
7	C	✓
8	C	✓
9	C	✓
10	A	✓
11	A	✓
12	C	✓
13	D	✓
14	B	✓

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Writing

Bashkortostan - the home of the Bashkir people, an extraordinary place to prosper. Being a foreign national, calling this sacred land my motherland sounds rather strange. However, after having lived here for 6 years I, without doubts, am confident that Bashkortostan has a special place in my heart, and I am certain that this place is valuable. But why is it so valuable for me?

Bashkortostan is situated in Eastern Europe, more southern than most regions of Russia, giving it a warm climate. This region is also covered in forests, creating a wonderful environment for all sorts of animals as well. I really appreciate the nature of this land, as it offers many picturesque locations. Bashkortostan is also rich in natural resources and has large mountains, though they are not always visible. Overall, Bashkortostan is a great scenery.

But, to me, the culture is the most important core value of Bashkortostan. The cultural side has always fascinated me. The beautiful, brilliantly decorated traditional dresses of women and the sharp-looking hunting clothes of men hold a perfect balance between European and Asian characteristics. And I also cannot forget the foods, especially the pies. Perfectly cooked Bashkir pies have always given me the warmth that only motherly love can compete against.

In conclusion, Bashkortostan has been a marvellous experience and is ideal in many aspects of life.