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壹、選擇題47%

一、文法 10%

1. Not only \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ French, but she also knows how to cook French food.

(A) speaks Amy (B) does Amy speak (C) Amy does speak (D) Amy speaks

2. Many students have a hard time \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ English newspapers.

(A) reading (B) to read (C) read (D) for reading

3. Your proposal will \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ be accepted \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a more concrete plan is given.

(A) not . . . if (B) not . . . unless (C) ×; if only (D) ×; until

4. Though working long hours a day, Emma still enjoys her work and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ what she does interesting.

(A) gets (B) finds (C) leaves (D) lets

5. Joyce likes to record anything interesting. She would take her laptop with her \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ possible.

(A) wherever (B) whatever (C) however (D) whoever

6. I have faith that I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ my first one million dollars by the time I am thirty.

(A) have saved (B) am going to save (C) will save (D) will have saved

7. Only when I lose health do I realize I’ve long ignored my obesity \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I never have a balanced diet.

(A) as though (B) as a result from (C) and that (D) in order that

8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Lucy intends to order another serving.

(A) To be unsatisfied (B) She is unsatisfied (C) Unsatisfied (D) Be unsatisfied

9. Everybody returns to their seat and sits still \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the teacher shows up.

(A) as soon as (B) as though (C) by the time (D) in spite of the fact that

10. Do you see a man sit over there with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_?

(A) a bag putting beside (B) two hands crossed (C) opening his eyes (D) the cigarette to light

二、片語選填 5%

1. **takes account of (B) passed by (C)in vain (D) flash through his mind**

**(E)engage in (AB) with open arms (AC) for granted**

11. At the airport, we can see people welcome their family members or friends\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

12. A taxi just\_\_\_\_\_\_. We should have hailed it!

1. Every time Mr. Blair walks by a bakery, he thinks of the days when he worked as a baker, and many memories\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
2. The supervisor has good communication with his team members and always\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their feelings when making a decision.
3. Instead of appreciating his parents’ unconditional love and support, Adam took them\_\_\_\_\_\_.

三、克漏字 20%

(一)

I was twenty-five when I was arrested 16 stealing a loaf of bread to feed my starving family. For that petty crime, I spent nineteen years in prison.

When I was 17 from prison, I was a bitter man. I walked for miles, trying to find an inn to rest in. By the time I arrived at the town of Digne, the sun 18 already set, and I felt hungry and suffered from fatigue.

When I was seeking accommodation for the night at an inn, the owner of the inn didn’t seem to like my appearance. He sent a boy to the police station to 19 inquiries about me. When the boy returned, he handed the owner a note. From the note, the owner learned that my name was Jean Valjean and 20 I was an ex-convict. As a result, he refused to offer me a room.

16. (A)because (B)on (C)for (D)in

17. (A)released (B)release (C)releasing (D)run

18. (A)will (B)has (C)have (D)had

19. (A)take (B)have (C)make (D)give

20(A) then (B)that (C)what (D)who

(二)

During the spring semester of 2006, Harvard University’s Sanders Theatre swarmed 21 students every Tuesday and Thursday. More than eight hundred Harvard students 22 in different subjects had enrolled in Tal Ben-Shahar’s course 23 “Positive Psychology” to explore the secret of happiness. This course became the most popular one that semester, and Ben-Shahar later went on to publish several 24 books to help people achieve happiness. Obviously, how to be happy25 important not only to Harvard students but also to many other people around the world.

21. (A)with (B)out (C)in (D)

22. (A)major (B)majors (C)majored (D)majoring

23. (A)call (B)called (C)calling (D)is calling

24. (A)best-sold (B)best-sell (C)best-selling (D)best-selled

25. (A)be (B)are (C)so (D)is

四、閱讀測驗 12%

There are a million ways to express deep affection for our loved ones. To Shah Jahan, an emperor in ancient India, building an incomparable tomb was how he memorialized his love. Finished more than three hundred years ago, this tomb remains one of the most impressive and glorious wonders of the world to date. It is known as the Taj Mahal.

In fact, behind this grand structure is a touching story. Legend has it that Shah Jahan had numerous wives. Among them, Mumtaz Mahal was his favorite. He felt extremely depressed after she passed away while giving birth. Therefore, he recruited twenty-thousand workers to construct a luxurious tomb by the river Yamuna in memory of her. Building materials and valuable treasures were brought in from every part of the world. The emperor was particular about every detail, so it took twenty-two years to complete the construction. Before long, however, the emperor was usurped by his own son and imprisoned in the Agra Fort on the other bank of Yamuna. From across the river, he gazed day and night at this masterpiece built for the love of his life until his death.

Though centuries passed, the Taj Mahal still stands there today, receiving admiration from people around the world. Such is its beauty that almost everyone is fascinated by it, including world-famous literary masters. Tagore called it “a teardrop of love upon the cheek of time” and wrote the following words in praise of its lasting beauty: “Though empires ***crumble*** to dust, and centuries are lost in shadows, the marble still sighs to the stars.” As Salman Rushdie stood amid the crowds of people admiring this great construction, he admitted his incapability of describing it. To him, the Taj Mahal is “a lovely thing, perhaps the loveliest of things.”

Observed from the back or from the side, the Taj Mahal is perfect. The magic lies in its white marble dome, which reflects the sunlight and the moonlight. Its color, as a result, changes at different times of a day. Bathed in the light of the setting sun, it carries a glimmer of gold. In the moonlight, it shines brightly when the precious stones reflect the moonlight spilling upon the terrace. When the sun rises the next morning, a pink flush appears instead. Its countenance is also reflected in the water mirror that sits right in front of it, with sunlight and clouds adoring it each day.

Another architectural achievement of the Taj Mahal is its remarkable feminine lines. Most great architectural structures in the world inspire awe with a certain masculine quality—aggressiveness, arrogance, or pomposity. In contrast, the gentle yet rich and full contours—white, elegant, and tender make the Taj Mahal one of the very few exceptions. Aside from this, no other famous building on earth might be as accessible as it. There is no need to make a difficult journey to see it. With no mountains to scale and no rivers to cross, tourists can experience the Taj Mahal without any difficulty.

As one of the most amazing wonders in the world, the Taj Mahal is included in the UNESCO World Heritage List. Over the years, it has sat in Agra and symbolized the emperor’s undying passion for his wife. In the future, this story will still touch people’s hearts, and the beauty of the Taj Mahal will always stick in their minds.

26. According to the reading, which of the following statements is true?

(A)The Taj Mahal was built in memory of the greatest Indian hero.

(B) It took more than twenty years to complete the construction.

(C)The Taj Mahal was a birthday gift for an ancient Indian emperor’s wife.

(D)Mumtaz Mahal died of an epidemic.

27. The reading is mainly about \_\_\_\_\_\_.

(A)the ability of an emperor in ancient India

(B)the beauty of Mumtaz Mahal

(C)the most precious heritage in the world

(D)the beauty of the Taj Mahal and the story behind it

28. How many workers did it take to build the Taj Mahal?

(A)2,000 (B)2,500 (C)20,000 (D)2,5000

29. In the third paragraph, the word “crumble” means \_\_\_\_\_.

(A)to become weak (B)to simplify (C)to get some power (D)to brood over something

30. What makes the Taj Mahal so special in contrast to most great architectural structures in the world?

(A)It took a lot of money to complete the construction.

(B)It took a lot of people to complete the construction.

(C)The literary masters were shocked by its beauty.

(D)It impresses people with feminine qualities.

31. What was the Taj Mahal used for at first?

(A)It’s the chamber for a queen.

(B)It’s the tomb for a princess.

(C)It’s the grave for a ruler’s wife.

(D)It’s the garden for a beauty.

貳、非選題 53%

一、字彙 30%

1. Upon finding the missing boy and determining his i\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, the police informed his worried parents right away.

警方一找到失蹤的男孩並確認他的身分後，就立即通知他焦急的父母。

2. Colin couldn’t help but s\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with fear as he was being held up by the robber.

當Colin遭搶匪挾持時，他不禁害怕得直發抖。

3. I p\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ those who don’t have friends. I think that they must be very lonely.

我同情那些沒有朋友的人。我想他們一定很孤單。

4. This is the first prize that Jenny won for her painting, so she will definitely t\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it.

這是Jenny第一次因作畫而贏得的獎牌，所以她相當珍惜它。

5. Remember to take all your p\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with you before you leave the movie theater.

離開電影院前記得要帶走所有的物品。

6. Dan kept b\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ over the mistakes he had made and felt very frustrated.

Dan一直想著他所犯的過失並感到相當挫折。

7. The little girl had a n\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ about being chased by a red, ugly monster. She was so scared that she woke up with tears running down her face.

這個小女孩做了個被一隻紅色的醜陋怪物追逐的惡夢。她很害怕，睡醒時臉上還掛著淚珠。

8. After earning enough money, the man quit his job in order to f\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ his dream of studying abroad.

那名男子賺夠錢後，就辭職去實現他出國留學的夢想了。

9. The government needs to strike a b\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ between industrial development and environmental protection.

政府必須在工業發展與環境保護兩者之間取得平衡。

10. When Davis found that he would be able to go to art school, he was unable to s\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ his excitement.

當Davis知道他得以進入藝術學院時，他克制不住他的興奮。

11. Fifty years ago, TV was one of the few forms of e\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. There were no online games back then.

50年前，電視是屈指可數的娛樂方式之一。那時候沒有線上遊戲。

12. The teacher always encourages her students to have c\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in themselves when they answer questions.

這名老師總是鼓勵學生回答問題時要有自信。

13. The flooding caused by Typhoon Morakot was a terrible c\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ especially for the residents of southern Taiwan.

莫拉克颱風所造成的水患是一場大災難，尤其是對南臺灣的居民而言。

14. Michelle and Daren failed to make any c\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_s in their relationship, so they finally broke up.

Michelle和Daren兩個人都不願意讓步，所以他們最後還是分手了。

15. Mr. Norman has his car serviced on a r\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ basis, that is, once every three months.

Norman先生定期維修他的汽車，他每三個月就維修一次。

二、句型 12% (每題3分)

1. I will return the DVDs before the video rental store is closed.(請用By the time…改寫句子)

2. (1) Some people believe that there are living creatures on other planets.

(2) They also believe that these living creatures are intelligent.

(請用 S + V + (that)-clause and that-clause 連接以上2句)

3. Lily will be late for the meeting if she doesn’t take a taxi.(請將if改成unless)

4. Not only is Harvard a respected university, but it is also the oldest university in the United States.

(請用Harvard開頭改寫此句)

三、填空式翻譯 11%

\* 早在Edward三十歲之前，他就犯過許多罪。

By the time Edward turned thirty, he \_\_(1)\_\_\_\_ committed several \_\_\_\_(2)\_\_\_\_.

\* 因此，他是我們鎮上最不可能被善意對待的人。

Consequently, he was the \_\_\_(3)\_\_\_ person to be treated with \_\_\_(4)\_\_\_\_ in our town.

\* 有一天，就在我與他擦身而過時，他邀我跟他一起用餐。

One day, just as I passed by him, he \_\_(5)\_\_\_\_\_ me to dine \_\_(6)\_\_\_\_ him.

\*. 很多人不僅使用手機講電話，而且他們還用它們傳送電子郵件。

Not only \_\_(7)\_\_\_ many people talk on their cell phones, but they also \_\_\_(8)\_\_\_ e-mails via them.

\*. 似乎愈來愈多人在這個日益競爭的世界覺得受挫。

It seems that more and more people are feeling \_\_\_\_(9)\_\_\_\_ in this increasingly competitive world.

\*. 許多小孩理所當然地認為父母應該給予他們要求的每樣東西。

Many children take it \_\_(10)\_\_\_ granted that their parents should offer them everything they ask \_\_(11)\_\_\_.