

適用班級:301-308

畫答案卡：■是□否

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一、詞彙 20%

1. In rural areas, sometimes a(n) ____ of red cloth tied on the tree means the tree is sprayed with pesticide.
(A) scrap (B) plight (C) investigation (D) yield
2. For the police, any _____ detail can be a clue about this mysterious murder.
(A) trifling (B) dense (C) reluctant (D) moderate
3. Bob often ____ with those who beg on the street and just cannot ignore them, even though he knows some of them may be fake.
(A) acquires (B) sympathizes (C) investigates (D) strains
4. Though I have lived in New York City for years, I am still not ____ to the hustle and bustle here.
(A) hasty (B) habitual (C) particular (D) accustomed
5. I don't get the ____ meaning of the term no matter how hard my teacher tries to explain it to me.
(A) destined (B) literal (C) carefree (D) miraculous
6. The girl had her eyes ____ the elegant dress, imagining the feeling when she put it on.
(A) gazed at (B) rested upon (C) looked into (D) put up
7. Because of his love for animals, John decided to become a ____ and take good care of animals.
(A) veterinarian (B) architect (C) enterpriser (D) chemist
8. I think that this new program will be ____ of your effort.
(A) fruitful (B) cautious (C) patient (D) worthy
9. The restaurant has a ____ charge of NT\$250 per person. So the four of us need to pay at least NT\$1,000 to eat there.
(A) definite (B) minimum (C) flexible (D) numerous
10. Many universities offer a large number of scholarships as an ____ to attract outstanding students to enroll in their schools.
(A) ornament (B) incentive (C) emphasis (D) application

二、綜合測驗 20%

(A) I used to assume that every child had big dreams. However, after watching the documentary entitled *Children of the World*, I realized that __11__ child has a happy life.

In reality, some poor children can't focus on their schoolwork because they need to work for hours at difficult jobs. Take the thirteen-year-old boy __12__ Pedro from Bolivia, for example. He has to work long hours in a coal mine so that he can afford his school books. In another clip, the film features a group of kids in Tibet. These children are very poor and live high up in the mountains. They are isolated from the rest of the world, __13__ no access to the Internet. Brought up in a place that values religious faith, these Tibetan kids spend a lot of time meditating. In fact, many of them hope __14__ the meaning of life. It goes without saying that their life goals are very different from those of most kids in Taiwan. From this perspective, children in Taiwan are much more __15__ than most kids in poor countries. In many ways, children in Taiwan have more freedom and more choices about their futures.

11. (A) not all (B) not every (C) not both (D) not any
12. (A) named (B) naming (C) whose name (D) which name
13. (A) to have (B) had (C) having (D) have
14. (A) grasped (B) grasping (C) grasp (D) to grasp
15. (A) taxing (B) fantastic (C) literal (D) fortunate

(B) One of my friends visited me recently. I asked her if she had observed anything special while she was taking her long walk in the woods. “Nothing __16__,” she replied. Had I not become convinced that the seeing see little, I __17__ incredulous.

How was it possible to walk through the woods for an hour and find nothing worth mentioning? I, who cannot see, find hundreds of things interesting simply with my sense of touch. In spring, for example, I touch the tree branches to search for a bud, the first sign of __18__ nature after her winter sleep.

It is human, perhaps, to appreciate little __19__ we have and long for that which we don’t have. If, by some miracle, I __20__ granted three days to see, I should surely use the three days to experience the beauty of the world.

16. (A) in reality (B) in control (C) in particular (D) in common
17. (A) will have been (B) might have been (C) would be (D) should be
18. (A) surrounding (B) quivering (C) hinting (D) awakening
19. (A) that which (B) that (C) when (D) whom
20. (A) may (B) am (C) were (D) can

三、文意選填 10%

I lost my sight because of an illness when I was young. Since then, I’ve lived in __21__. I often dream about how I would spend my days if I could see for three days. On my first day of sight, I should want to see the people whose kindness and __22__ have made my life worthwhile. Above all, I would like to __23__ upon the face of my dear teacher, Mrs. Anne Sullivan Macy. She is the one that opened the __24__ world to me.

Then, I should make use of my second day and take a quick __25__ of the world, both past and present, through museums. In this case, I could try to look into the __26__ of different artists through their canvases and explore the extraordinary world of painting.

On my third and last day of sight, I would spend this day in the city. I would __27__ to touch and hold everything closely with my eyes. From the bustling streets to the poor __28__, from the factories where people work to the parks where children play, I would tour around the city. Some sights would be amazingly pleasant; some would be miserably __29__. But I would not close my eyes to the __30__, for they, too, are part of life. They are, in fact, part of the reality of life that can’t be ignored.

- (A) outer (B) gaze (C) strive (D) darkness (E) pathetic
(AB) slums (AC) souls (AD) latter (AE) glimpse (BC) companionship
(BD) inner (BE) symmetry

四、篇章結構 10%

Jake is a trained professional. He went to a great school, graduated the top of his class, and now works long hours in a very important job. What is Jake’s profession? __31__ Jake is a guide dog, the “best of the best.”

The long road to becoming a guide dog started when Jake was only 8 weeks old. __32__ Jake went everywhere with his “puppy raisers” and learned two important skills—listening to his owner and good manners.

When Jake was 18 months old, he went to guide dog school. __33__ Then Jake was given tests. After passing his “final exams,” he was allowed to disobey. __34__ So if its owner’s order is unsafe, like crossing the street when a car is coming, he is allowed to disobey the order to keep his owner safe.

__35__ But it is worth every step of the way. Therefore, like any other guide dogs, Jake is rewarded richly with love, the best health care, and an exciting and meaningful life.

- (A) He left his life in the kennel and went to live with a family that has been trained to take care of guide dog puppies.
(B) As a guide dog, his most important job is to protect his owner.
(C) There he spent 6 months learning to help a blind person around steps to avoid tree branches, cross busy traffic, and protect him or her from any potential danger.
(D) Since the road to becoming a guide dog is long and difficult, only a few dogs can be chosen to be guide dogs.
(E) Well, his job is to warn and protect his owner when danger is near.
(AB) I should divide the period into three parts.

五、閱讀測驗 12%

(A) Mickey Mouse is so well loved around the globe that his name has been translated into many languages: “Topolino” in Italy; “Mi Lao Shu” in Chinese, and “Musse Pigg” in Swedish, just to name a few. Whatever you call him, everyone knows that it is the cute little mouse in red shorts which made Walt Disney famous. Across the world, we have laughed because of his human-like faults and identified with his big hopes.

Mickey Mouse was born on a long train ride from New York to Los Angeles in 1928. His creator Walt Disney and his wife were on their way home from a business meeting. Disney was a talented young animator who had big dreams, but he had just experienced a terrible setback. His financial partners had just stolen the legal rights to his first successful character, Oswald the Lucky Rabbit. He was betrayed and left with nothing.

Disney and his partners in Los Angeles’s studio are in urgent need of a new character to get their business back on the track. There was no time for despair, but what could be the next successful character? As the train chugged along the journey back home, he continued searching for ideas on his sketchpad. A cat—a dog—or another rabbit? Nothing really inspired him.

Then, his thoughts had turned to the old days in Kansas, when a little mouse kept him company in his first animation studio. An idea flashed through his mind. He was sketching a mouse with big round ears, a pointed nose, and little red shorts. Disney wanted to name him Mortimer the Mouse, but his wife Lillian thought a friendlier name would be better and suggested “Mickey.” Then Mickey Mouse was born!

Mickey Mouse was an instant success and continued to gain popularity during America’s Great Depression. When Americans were struggling, “this friendly little guy,” as Walt called Mickey, lifted their spirits by reminding that even a small person can have big dreams. Even until now, after the little mouse was born almost a century, Mickey Mouse is still one of the most popular cartoon characters in people’s mind. Once Walt Disney was looking out over Disneyland, he said that “I only hope that we don’t lose sight of one thing—that it was all started by a mouse.”

36. Who gave Mickey Mouse the name as it is today?

- (A) Walt Disney.
- (B) Disney’s financial partner.
- (C) Disney’s wife.
- (D) Oswald.

37. Walt Disney created Mickey Mouse because _____.

- (A) his financial partners wanted a new character
- (B) he needed a new character to get his business back on the track
- (C) his wife wanted him to revenge his financial partners
- (D) he was not satisfied with the success of Oswald the Lucky Rabbit

38. What can we infer from the passage?

- (A) Mickey Mouse will continue to play an important role in people’s life to lift their spirits.
- (B) Sometimes, it takes luck for a small person to realize the big dreams.
- (C) If people wish to have great success, they must experience a heavy downfall first.
- (D) Only Mickey Mouse will be left in Disneyland.

(B) Sherlock Holmes is probably history's most famous fictional detective. Interestingly, his crime solving accomplishments rest not so much on his investigative skills as on his powers of observation.

Sherlock Holmes takes great pride in noticing things many people never bother to worry about. For instance, when the famous companion of his, Dr. Watson, explains the workings of the solar system, Holmes replies by asking him how many stairs there are in the hallway outside his apartment door. When Watson admits he doesn't know, Holmes scolds him for studying objects billions of miles away while remaining ignorant of his immediate surroundings.

This vigorous attitude toward observation serves Holmes well in the 1976 movie, *Sherlock Holmes in New York*, when police cannot figure out how tons of gold disappeared from a bank vault. All of the investigators are familiar with every detail of the case, including the depth of the vault and the speed at which the elevator to it travels. Yet Holmes is the only one who notices the descent takes 42 seconds when it should take 45. From this, Holmes realizes they are in a false vault just above the real one, and he is able to solve the crime.

Sherlock Holmes actively observes his environment at all times. Even if we are not solving crimes, we should learn a lesson from this magnificent character and try to be observant of our surroundings.

39. What is the best title of this passage?

- (A) Grab A Clue (B) Turn A Blind Eye
(C) A Detective Movie (D) An Unsolved Crime

40. What is the passage mainly about?

- (A) How Sherlock Holmes outwits Dr. Watson.
(B) Why the New York police can't solve the case.
(C) Sherlock Holmes' excellent powers of observation.
(D) The companionship between Holmes and Dr. Watson.

41. For what does Holmes criticize Watson?

- (A) His lack of common sense.
(B) His obsession with astronomy.
(C) His negative attitude to the world.
(D) His unawareness of surrounding details.

六、整句式翻譯 8%

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