

I.字彙測驗:共有 15 題,請選擇一個最適合的答案,以完成該句。

B 1. Jason wears glasses to help him see distant objects clearly because he from earsightedness.

(A) promotes (B) suffers (C) tightens (D) whistles

D 2. Free samples of our factory's products are available upon . Please feel free to contact us for more information.

(A) horror (B) marble (C) necktie (D) request

A 3. These little pet pictures are so warm-looking and charming that they will absolutely people's hearts.

(A) melt (B) dodge (C) freeze (D) harm

C 4. Michael's paintings are so incredibly and full of details that they are often mistaken as photos.

(A) rusty (B) sticky (C) vivid (D) wicked

- A 5. The blood bank is to the public to roll up their sleeves and help solve the problem of blood shortage.
  - (A) appealing (B) escaping (C) importing (D) opposing
- D 6. People should be warned not to take selfies at high areas including bodies of water, mountain peaks, and tall buildings.

(A) deck (B) fairy (C) lobby (D) risk

- C 7. The new collection of women's clothing is teenagers because of its low prices and attractive styles.
  - (A) recording (B) spelling (C) targeting (D) weighing
- A 8. Unlike fruits and vegetables, highly and unnatural foods such as chips and French fries are not good for our health.
  - (A) processed (B) religious (C) sincere (D) wealthy
- C 9. Any unattended luggage and personal items at the airport will be treated as and removed by the police.
  - (A) delightful (B) profitable (C) suspicious (D) tolerant
- B 10. Although Sammy and Stella are twins and look alike, they have very personality traits and seldom behave the same.
- (A) amateur (B) distinct (C) identical (D) tremendous
- A 11. Isabella's magazine subscription will be for a full year after she has her credit card charged again.
  - (A) extended (B) insulted (C) lectured (D) pirated
- C 12. An committee was formed to find out the cause of the helicopter crash where several military officials were killed.

(A) appearance (B) entertainment (C) investigation (D) orchestra

- B 13. Visitors can take pictures of the Eiffel Tower in Paris, France during the day, but is not allowed at nighttime.
  - (A) philosophy (B) photography (C) resignation (D) reputation
- C 14. The Chen family felt concerned that their holiday was likely to be due to the incoming typhoon.
  - (A) exploded (B) inspired (C) ruined (D) treasured
- B 15. These figures aim to the various factors that have impacted the very low birth rate in certain countries.
  - (A) appoint (B) illustrate (C) offend (D)upset
- Ⅱ. 對話測驗:共有 10 題,為第 16-25 題,請依對話內容,選出一個最適合的答案,使其成為有意義的對話。

C 16. Clerk: How may I help you?

Bruce: Yes, I'd like two scoops of vanilla ice cream in a cup.

Clerk: OK.

Bruce: Chocolate chips on it, please.

(A) Would you care for some salad?

- (B) What flavor of ice cream do you like?
- (C) Would you like to add some toppings?
- (D) What kind of dressing would you like?
- D 17. Tina: Happy Coffee Shop. Tina Chen speaking.

Beth: Hi, Tina. This is Beth. Is my mom there?

Tina: No, she just left. \_

Beth: She didn't take it with her. If you see her again, could you ask her to call me?

(A) May I take a message?

- (B) May I ask who's calling?
- (C) What can I do for you, Beth?
- (D) Why don't you try her cell phone?
- B 18. Lucy: Hello, this is Lucy Lin from Doctor Wang's office. May I speak to Mr. Chen, please?

John: Yes, speaking.

Lucy: Mr. Chen, I'm calling to remind you of your 4:15 appointment tomorrow.

John: Oh! Thanks. \_\_\_\_\_\_ I thought it was 4:15 today.

- (A) It's time to call it a day.
- (B) It's a good thing you called.
- (C) I'm glad the doctor visited me.
- (D) I'll go to the hospital earlier today.
- A 19. Ava: The supermarket down the street is selling everything at half price.

Noah: I heard it'll close down due to the high rent.

Ava: That's right, and I think it's an ideal time to stock up on coffee.

Noah: \_\_\_\_\_\_ I'm also going to buy some later today.

- (A) I couldn't agree with you more.
- (B) I shouldn't have gone for the sale.
- (C) We never seem to see eye to eye.
- (D) We need to wait until the sale ends.

D 20. Bob: I need something to drink. Is there a vending machine in this building? Rosa: Uh-huh, it's down the hall on your left, but it has an out-of-order sign on it. Bob: Today is really not my day.

Rosa: Take it easy. I'll buy you drinks after I get my work done.

(A) Let's buy drinks from the machine.

- (B) Nothing's wrong with the machine.
- (C) I have no problem using the machine.
- (D) Even a machine is not working for me.
- A 21. Sandy: Do you want to go on a trip with us to Hawaii this summer?

Hannah: I've never been abroad. How much will it cost?

Sandy: It'll cost about NT\$80,000 per person for a week.

Hannah: My goodness, that's a lot of money! \_\_\_\_

- (A) I wish I could hit the jackpot.
- (B) I shouldn't have traveled abroad.
- (C) I wish I had never gone to Hawaii.
- (D) I should've visited Hawaii with you.

B 22. Franklin: I'd like to change some US dollars into Japanese yen, please. What's the

currency exchange rate today?

Clerk: It's one US dollar to 109 Japanese yen. May I know your purpose of the

foreign exchange?

Franklin:

Clerk: How nice! Here is the form. Please sign here, sir.

(A) There's no charge for the traveler's check.

(B) I plan to visit the cherry blossoms in Kyoto.

(C) I don't know the currency exchange rate history.

(D) There're solutions to solve your current problems.

D 23. Jane: What are you doing, Paul?

Paul: I'm packing for my camping trip.

Jane: Why are you taking a raincoat? Didn't the weather forecast say it's going to be sunny?

Paul: Yes, but \_\_\_\_\_\_ In case it rains, I won't get wet.

(A) a pair of sunglasses will come in handy.

- (B) the sun can be very strong during the trip.
- (C) you had better listen to the weather forecast.

(D) the weather changes quickly in the mountains.

B 24. Katy: Hey Jack, do you feel like going bowling?

Jack: \_\_\_\_\_\_ I already did it yesterday.

Katy: How about playing an online chess game then? Jack: Yeah, count me in.

(A) Sure. I'll catch you later.

(B) Hmm. I'm not up for it today.

(C) No problem! We can hang out there.

(D) Cool! Let's ask Tom to play together.

C 25. Nick: Hey, any news from the job you applied for?

Rose: No. I've been waiting for the response for two weeks.

Nick: Take it easy.

Rose: Thanks. I really appreciate it.

(A) They want to hurt your feelings.

(B) That's the thing you should worry about.

(C) I will keep my fingers crossed for you.

(D) Chances are they're coming to the company.

# Ⅲ.綜合測驗:下面三篇短文共有 15 個空格,為第 26 - 40 題,請依各篇短文 文 意,選出一個最適合該空格的答案。

▲閱讀下文,回答第 26-30 題 Australia is known for its diverse and unique wildlife; however, this has changed since last year. In November 2019, the bushfires greatly impacted the southeast area, <u>26</u> the state of New South Wales. During the process, koalas were burned and people tried to rescue them from the fire. The <u>27</u> koalas were settled in a temporary animal hospital and slept in laundry baskets while their hands and feet were wrapped in bandages. <u>28</u> January 2020, it was estimated the bushfires had burned down 3,000 houses, killed one billion native animals, and burned across 18.626 million hectares, which is five times the <u>29</u> of Taiwan. The consequences of the bushfires are <u>30</u> the loss of wildlife and property, 30 a large amount of carbon dioxide 2 (CO) emission. People should be aware that these severe bushfires were caused by, and may result in, a vicious cycle of climate change.

B 26. (A) accordingly (B) especially (C) interestingly (D) originally

C 27. (A) rescue (B) rescues (C) rescued (D) rescuing

D 28. (A) Depending on (B) Except for (C) Far from (D) Up to

A 29. (A) size (B) tank (C) vest (D) wire

D 30. (A) as ... as (B) either ... or (C) neither ... nor (D) not only ... but also

▲閱讀下文,回答第 31-35 題 In America and Europe, many people believe that animals are not just something they own. In their opinion, animals have their own rights <u>31</u> their own lawyers to make sure that they get those rights. Consequently, more and more pet owners are hiring pet lawyers to handle a variety of <u>32</u> cases involving their pets. Some pet owners want to set up a pet trust <u>33</u> money is saved for their pet. When the owner passes away, the money from the trust pays to care for the pet as long as <u>34</u>. If a couple files for a divorce, they can hire a pet lawyer to help determine who gets the pet, and thus the pet's preferences are considered. <u>35</u> the loving friendship between the pet and owner, many owners value their pets and want to protect their pets' interests. Even though hiring a pet lawyer can be expensive, many pet owners feel that it's worth it.

A 31. (A) as well as (B) despite (C) in honor of (D) since

B 32. (A) dusty (B) legal (C) metal (D) salty

D 33. (A) who (B) what (C) why (D) where

C 34. (A) its living (B) their living (C) it lives (D) they live

A 35. (A) Because of (B) Contrary to (C) Different from (D) Rather than

▲閱讀下文,回答第36-40題

A pandemic refers to a disease that is existing in almost all parts of the world. It is a widespread outbreak of an infectious disease <u>36</u> place across international boundaries and affecting lots of people. It can also happen in agricultural animals and plants such as cattle and bananas. There <u>37</u> some major pandemics recorded in human history, <u>38</u>, cholera, smallpox, tuberculosis, and influenza. One of the most serious pandemics was the Black Death which killed nearly half the people of western Europe in the 14th century. <u>39</u> fight against pandemics, the World Health Organization (WHO) has come up with a flow chart that shows how a new virus moves from the first few infections in human beings to a pandemic. This begins with the virus infecting animals. Then the virus moves to the <u>40</u> where it spreads among people. Finally, the pandemic ends when infections have spread internationally and are effectively controlled afterwards.

A 36. (A) taking (B) took (C) that taking (D) that took

C 37. (A) have (B) has (C) have been (D) has been

B 38. (A) additionally (B) for example (C) hence (D) in short

B 39. (A) Compared to (B) In order to (C) Owing to (D) With regard to

D 40. (A) luck (B) minute (C) reason (D) stage IV. 閱讀測驗:下面兩篇短文共有 10 題,每篇各有 5 題,為第 41 - 50 題,請閱讀短文後,選出最適當的答案。

▲閱讀下文,回答第41-45題

Some people choose to purchase organic fruits or vegetables for their health benefits because farmers do not use chemical substances or pesticides during the process of growing them. However, organic foods are usually associated with high costs, resulting in some people not buying them as a part of their daily diet. For those who cannot afford to buy organic foods, is it really unhealthy to eat regular conventional foods? Luckily, some vegetables and fruits do not necessarily have any pesticides left behind after they are done growing, so people do not have to worry about the chemicals causing cancer. According to the Environmental Working Group (EWG) in the United States, chemicals are seldom found in certain organic or regular foods. For example, avocados and pineapples do not contain any pesticides, even though they are not organically planted, because it is quite impossible for pesticides to go into their skins. Asparagus is another chemical-free vegetable due to the fact that it has a natural substance that can break down pesticides. Broccoli contains natural pesticide materials

that will produce an unpleasant smell or taste to keep insects away. Buying organic mushrooms is not necessary because they are usually grown indoors, and farmers rarely use chemicals to help them grow. The dark purple jackets of eggplants are like a protective coat that prevents chemicals from entering the vegetable. There are a variety of delicious fruits and vegetables that are planted without the use of any chemicals, or the chemicals that are used do not remain on these plants. As long as people choose the right foods, they can still enjoy eating non-organic foods and save money at the same time.

D 41. What is the main idea of the passage?

(A) Eating organic food helps fight against cancer.

(B) Organic eating is pricey, but it's worth the price.

- (C) How to keep insects from eating plants isn't easy.
- (D) Certain foods don't need to be organically planted.
- A 42. According to the passage, why can some fruits and vegetables avoid containing pesticides?
  - (A) They have a hard skin.
  - (B) They have a bad look.
  - (C) They have a delicious smell.
  - (D) They have a supply of water.
- C 43. According to the passage, which of the plants are usually grown indoors without using pesticides?

(A) Avocados. (B) Eggplants. (C) Mushrooms. (D) Pineapples.

- B 44. According to the passage, which of the following statements is NOT true?
  - (A) Asparagus can produce a substance that helps to break down pesticides.
  - (B) Broccoli should be organically planted due to its unpleasant smell and taste.
  - (C) Eggplants' dark purple skin can help to keep away from chemical substances.
  - (D) The thick skins of pineapples and avocados can stop pesticides from entering.

A 45. Which of the following inferences can be drawn from the passage?

(A) Eating healthy doesn't mean that people have to choose organic foods only.

- (B) The chemicals used for growing plants continue to exist for all the plants.
- (C) It's just an old wives' tale that pesticides are the major factor in causing cancer.

(D) People can still enjoy non-organic foods if they pay more money for high quality. ▲閱讀下文,回答第 46-50 題

Have you ever heard the phrase "Big Brother is watching you" ? The twenty-first century has seen an increase in the chances of being watched or monitored, that is, an increase in surveillance, in our daily lives. People are getting used to being monitored by cameras, having private messages inspected at work, and having conversations recorded by banks or other businesses. Surveillance can be a form of monitoring via electronic devices, such as security cameras, or via Internet interception, such as email monitoring. Whether surveillance is useful for society is the current focus of public debate. For those who support surveillance, they think it helps to protect social security, while for those who disagree with it, they worry about some issues regarding how surveillance can be regulated. For supporters, surveillance can be helpful for the authorities to gather information, prevent crimes, and protect citizens. They argue that surveillance is very important in terms of tracking criminals and terrorist activities. With the help of surveillance tools, information can be sent directly to a facial recognition system. This can, for example, automatically recognize suspects and direct the police to their location. Nevertheless, for opponents, surveillance can be considered an invasion of privacy. For this reason, human rights activists have argued against it. When the purpose of surveillance is used mainly for monitoring, they have expressed deep concern that the society may turn out to be a mass surveillance society, with limited or even non-existent

freedom. For instance, people may not have anything to hide when they are monitored by cameras. The authorities could make people obey the rules based only on what they have seen from the cameras without asking for opinions or permissions.

D 46. What is the best title for this passage?

- (A) The Benefits of Surveillance
- (B) The Definitions of Surveillance
- (C) The Inventions about Surveillance
- (D) The Arguments about Surveillance
- A 47. Which of the following is NOT the reason why the authorities would prefer surveillance?
  - (A) The invasion of privacy.
  - (B) The protection of society.
  - (C) The prevention of crimes.
  - (D) The collection of information.
- C 48. What is the third paragraph mainly about?
  - (A) The human rights of party activists.
  - (B) The method to inspect private emails.
  - (C) The reason for concern about monitoring.
  - (D) The changes made to protect our privacy.
- B 49. According to the passage, which of the following statements is true?
  - (A) People have found it alright to be monitored wherever they are.
  - (B) The use of facial recognition systems can help the police to find criminals.
  - (C) Human rights activists support the use of surveillance tools to help society.
  - (D) The invasion of privacy in most cases is the major concern for the authorities.
- D 50. Which of the following inferences can be drawn from the passage?
  - (A) People have no doubts about the use of surveillance for their daily lives.
  - (B) People who oppose surveillance like to live in a mass monitoring society.
  - (C) The use of surveillance has given people more advantages than disadvantages.
  - (D) The use of surveillance needs to consider people's privacy, safety, and freedom.