

九十學年度私立醫學校院聯合招考轉學生招生考試

科目：英文

考試時間：八十分鐘

、字彙與片語

- (B) 1. The death of any young person is a \_\_\_\_\_ and sad occurrence.  
(A) comic (B) tragic (C) sticky (D) punctual
- (D) 2. The \_\_\_\_\_ age of the boys in this class is twelve.  
(A) arrogant (B) awful (C) annual (D) average
- (C) 3. I have a poor \_\_\_\_\_. I can't eat much.  
(A) concert (B) burden (C) appetite (D) country
- (C) 4. He \_\_\_\_\_ his father in appearance, but not in personality.  
(A) looks after (B) leads to (C) takes after (D) stands for
- (A) 5. When two young people become engaged to be married, they usually share a deep feeling of \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) intimacy (B) capacity (C) coyness (D) intuition
- (D) 6. Some children have \_\_\_\_\_ parents who give them everything that they ask for and more freedom than they know how to handle.  
(A) favorite (B) forbidden (C) intelligent (D) indulgent
- (A) 7. Tom's face was a picture of \_\_\_\_\_ when he realized he'd left his bags in the bus station.  
(A) dismay (B) dismiss (C) mistake (D) undertaking
- (A) 8. I love to eat; \_\_\_\_\_ I hate to cook.  
(A) ironically (B) naturally (C) fortunately (D) financially
- (D) 9. Your lack of respect will \_\_\_\_\_ your parents.  
(A) honor (B) encourage (C) flatter (D) humiliate
- (D) 10. A stone sinks in water. Wood \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) circles (B) bursts (C) breaks (D) floats

- (C) 11. Some distant stars are \_\_\_\_\_ to the naked eyes.  
(A) available (B) careful (C) invisible (D) helpful
- (D) 12. I must \_\_\_\_\_ a diet because I put \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of weight while I was away.  
(A) go on, off (B) go off, on (C) go to, off (D) go on, on
- (D) 13. After you have learned something new, it is a good idea that you \_\_\_\_\_ so that you can remember it well.  
(A) leave it behind (B) let go of it (C) get rid of it (D) put it into practice
- (C) 14. Cathy told me what happened, but she would not \_\_\_\_\_ how much money she inherited.  
(A) relieve (B) remark (C) reveal (D) relapse
- (C) 15. The teacher didn't want the students to read from a prepared script; he would like them to address a \_\_\_\_\_ speech.  
(A) sarcastic (B) conceited (C) spontaneous (D) deliberate

、選出與劃線部分意思最接近的選項

- (C) 16. Consumers should be aware of the authentic ingredients in the drugs they buy.  
(A) priceless (B) antique (C) genuine (D) special
- (A) 17. The typhoon obliterated a lot of mountain areas in Taiwan.  
(A) wiped out (B) devoured (C) endangered (D) attacked
- (B) 18. Jennifer is under the weather today.  
(A) can not make up her mind (B) does not feel well (C) predicts the weather  
(D) can not be found
- (A) 19. In retrospect, the old man found he had missed so many good chances in life.  
(A) Looking back (B) Obviously (C) Looking carefully (D) Unfortunately
- (D) 20. He didn't understand how people could survive without coffee shops, sports stadiums and high rise buildings.  
(A) support (B) sustain (C) remain (D) live

、選出最適當的選項使句子完整

- (D) 21. Alexandra David-Neel spent several years writing about her research and adventures and \_\_\_\_\_ ancient Tibetan religious books.  
(A) translated (B) has translated (C) was translating (D) translating

- (B) 22. The life of Benjamin Franklin, a practical man \_\_\_\_\_ many stories have been told, was unusually interesting.  
(A) of (B) about whom (C) about (D) of which
- (C) 23. However often \_\_\_\_\_, each piece is still considered gold.  
(A) cut a gold (B) a gold cut (C) gold is cut (D) a gold that is cut
- (D) 24. First acclaimed for this realistic portraits, \_\_\_\_\_ for his impressionistic watercolors.  
(A) later recongnized by John Singer Sargent  
(B) John Singer Sargent later recognized  
(C) later recognition of John Singer Sargent  
(D) John Singer Sargent was later recognized
- (D) 25. Asked if he could come to the party that night, \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) nobody said anything (B) they did not get an answer from him  
(C) nothing was said by him (D) John nodded his head and left the room
- (D) 26. \_\_\_\_\_ astrology and alchemy may be regarded as fundamental aspects of thought is indicated by their apparent universality.  
(A) Both are (B) What both (C) Both (D) That both
- (A) 27. Hadn' t my car broken down, I \_\_\_\_\_ the train.  
(A) should have caught (B) might catch (C) caught (D) had caught

、挑出劃線部分錯誤的選項

- (C) 28. Healers in Neolithic times developed a wide range of remedies derived of plants, including aspirin, which they utilized in the treatment of headache and arthritis.  
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- (C) 29. The new more stringent requirements for obtaining a day-care license has resulted in a decrease in charges of abuse or neglect.  
A B C D
- (D) 30. Both parents and educators seem to feel that minority students want to read only texts dealing with topics to which he can relate.  
A B C D

- (B) 31. Today it is almost impossible imagining American society as it was before the invention of television.  
 A B C D
- (D) 32. Gone with the wind, the epic novel about life in the South during the Civil War period, took ten years write.  
 A B C D
- (A) 33. Scientists usually character the disease leukemia as an overabundance of white blood cells in the bloodstream.  
 A B C D
- (A) 34. The foot is used primary for locomotion, but some primates, notably the apes, also use their feet for grasping and picking up objects.  
 A B C D
- (D) 35. Critical thinkers are able to identify main issues, recognize underlying assumptions, and evaluating evidence.  
 A B C D

、閱讀測驗  
36~43 題

Transmigration of souls, sometimes called metempsychosis, is based on the idea that a soul may pass out of one body and reside in another, human or animal, or in an inanimate object. The idea appears in various forms in tribal cultures in many parts of the world. The notion was familiar in ancient Greece, and was adopted in a philosophical form by Plato. The belief gained some currency in gnostic and occult forms of Christianity and Judaism and was introduced into Renaissance thought by the recovery of the Hermetic books. 1 6

The most fully articulated doctrine of transmigration is found in Hinduism. Central to the conception of human destiny after death was the belief that human beings are born and die many times. Souls are regarded as emanations of the divine spirit. Each soul passes from one body to another in a continuous cycle of births and deaths, its condition in each existence being determined by its actions in previous births. Thus, transmigration is closely interwoven with the concept of karma, which involves the inevitable working out, for good or ill, of all action in a future existence. The whole experience of life, whether of happiness or sorrow, is a just reward for deeds, good or bad, done in earlier existences. The cycle of karma 11 16

and transmigration may extend through innumerable lives; the ultimate goal is the reabsorption of the soul into the ocean of divinity whence it came. This union occurs when the individual realizes the truth about the soul and the Absolute (Brahman) and the soul becomes one with Brahman.

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The idea of transmigration has been propagated in the Western world by movements such as theosophy and by the more recent increase of Oriental religious cults. Most of these Westernized versions appear to lack the intellectual rigor and philosophical content of the classical Hindu doctrine.

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- (C) 36. According to the passage, the final goal of the soul is
- (A) to determine its condition in each existence.
  - (B) to pass from one body to another
  - (C) to quest for oneness with the Absolute.
  - (D) to reward the deeds of the Absolute
- (A) 37. From lines 1-7, it can be inferred that
- (A) transmigration of souls is not in the mainstream of Judeo-Christian philosophy.
  - (B) an inanimate object can not have a soul.
  - (C) Plato may have first postulated the idea of transmigration of souls.
  - (D) metempsychosis is a mental disorder characterized by fervent beliefs in specious concepts.
- (D) 38. In line 13, the word “thus” refers to
- (A) lines 4-5
  - (B) lines 5-7
  - (C) lines 8-9
  - (D) lines 9-13
- (C) 39. According to the passage,
- (A) the Hindus believe that souls move ever closer to ultimate perfection with each successive life.
  - (B) the idea of transmigration has its roots in the Western world.
  - (C) Hinduism is based on the belief that each soul came from and seeks to return to an ocean of divinity.
  - (D) the idea of transmigration has its roots in the Renaissance.
- (D) 40. In line 18, the word “it” refers to
- (A) ocean
  - (B) goal
  - (C) divinity
  - (D) soul
- (C) 41. Where does the author explain karma ?
- (A) lines 1-3
  - (B) lines 10-13
  - (C) lines 13-17
  - (D) lines 18-20

- (C) 42. According to the passage, the concept of the transmigration of souls is viewed by its adherents as  
 (A) a proof of the doctrine of predestination (B) a side-branch of the doctrine of free will  
 (C) their concept of the soul's destiny (D) the pathway to Valhalla.

- (A) 43. In line 22, the word "increase" could best be replaced by  
 (A) proliferation (B) diffusion (C) secretion (D) absorption

44~50 題

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Bathed in estrogen in the womb, all fetuses begin life as females. The male of the species is created about two months after conception when a burst of testosterone produces the masculine sex organs. With no need for such a cataclysmic event to create her primary sexual infrastructure, the female experiences her first hormonal surge at puberty when an upswing in estrogen ripens her reproductive tract and proclaims her maturity to the world by producing breasts and the monthly cycle whose advent, in all cultures, is recognized as a major life event. 1  
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Estrogen, then, is the source of womanhood. But it also plays a central, and rather surprising, role in women's health beyond reproduction. It has been shown to promote certain diseases like cancers of the breast and endometrium and to ward off others like heart disease and osteoporosis. Indeed, researchers are beginning to see estrogen as a powerful elixir, affecting the growth of a woman's cells, her bone density, her cholesterol levels, her youthfulness, and even her perception and coordination. Yet, as medical science is discovering its many roles in a woman's life, society is blithely attempting to ignore estrogen's signals. 11  
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For all its attractions, the life of the modern woman runs directly counter to the impulses of the hormones and to the ways of the female ancestors. Never before in history have women come into puberty so early, yet borne so few children, had those children so late and then lived so long after menopause. Yet women are attempting to reforge their identities as if their essential body chemistry had no bearing on the matter, as if womanhood had no biological definition. The truth is, all human beings are shaped by their hormones as surely as life is powered by the sun. 21

- (D) 44. The best title for this passage would be  
 (A) "The Effects of Hormones on Male Development."  
 (B) "The Effects of Hormones on Fetuses."  
 (C) "The Role of Hormones in Determining Sex."  
 (D) "The Role of Estrogen in Women's Lives."

- (A) 45. Where in the passage does the author discuss the effect of hormones on males ?  
(A) lines 1-3 only (B) lines 1-5 only (C) lines 3-5 only (D) lines 3-8
- (C) 46. In line 7, the word “whose” refers to  
(A) puberty (B) breasts (C) monthly cycle (D) maturity
- (B) 47. According to the passage, estrogen may  
(A) help to prevent breast cancer (B) help to prevent heart disease  
(C) help to promote osteoporosis (D) help to fight endometrial cancer
- (A) 48. To which of the following does the word “its” in line 15 refer ?  
(A) estrogen (B) society (C) roles (D) medical science
- (C) 49. From lines 17-20, it can be inferred that  
(A) women today are more in tune with their hormones than ever before.  
(B) increased levels of female hormones account for increased longevity in modern women.  
(C) modern women’s biological clocks are out of phase with the realities of their lives.  
(D) modern women will live longer because menopause will come earlier for them.
- (C) 50. Which of the following statements CANNOT be supported by information found in the passage ?  
(A) Estrogen is chiefly a female hormone and testosterone is chiefly a male hormone.  
(B) All males began life as females.  
(C) Testosterone can be used to alter the sex of post pubescent females.  
(D) Estrogen therapy may help to increase the bone density of women with osteoporosis.