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答題說明：試題卷兩張四頁，請在答案卡、答案卷上作答

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一、字彙 10% (每題 1 分)

- People can build their own libraries and _____ them with the organization's website so that they appear on the LFL world map.
(A) interfere (B) reconcile (C) register (D) intervene
- Beyond Beauty: Taiwan from Above* is a 2013 _____, providing an aerial view of Taiwan's landscape and showing the effects of urbanization on the environment.
(A) documentary (B) dimension (C) acceleration (D) appointment
- _____ learning is a relatively new term that describes learning through applying knowledge in real-life contexts and situations.
(A) Autistic (B) Authentic (C) Superficial (D) Spacious
- You need to have plenty of _____ to be a long-distance runner.
(A) digestion (B) emigration (C) destination (D) endurance
- Students are individuals, so a variety of approaches may be needed to _____ different students.
(A) threaten (B) motivate (C) reverse (D) conduct
- The manager isn't hiring _____ based upon work experience; finding someone with a good attitude is also important.
(A) approvingly (B) solely (C) attractively (D) superficially
- Activities categorized by media as _____ sports differ from traditional sports due to a high level of inherent danger.
(A) previous (B) atomic (C) soothing (D) extreme
- To _____ positive and professional relationships among colleagues, we should maximize the potential of the group through a well-functioning collective effort.
(A) slather (B) inherit (C) foster (D) exhaust
- Sugar can be used as a substitute for honey if honey is not _____.
(A) flexible (B) available (C) premature (D) conceptual

10. He promised to change the tax laws to _____ the gap between the rich and poor.

- (A) bridge (B) inspire (C) permit (D) induce

二、綜合測驗 20% (每題 1 分)

The National Sleep Foundation conducted a poll of people from six countries. It asked them about their sleep habits _____11_____ bathing habits. It found people from the U.S. and Japan sleep the fewest hours each night and _____12_____ half of them had taken a nap in the previous two weeks.

The poll said people surveyed also vary in when and how often they bathe. Many Chinese people _____13_____ bathe immediately before bed. _____14_____ Americans, they would rather bathe in the morning. They _____15_____ bathing every day as ideal, but not everyone actually bathes daily.

- (A) instead of (B) in addition (C) as well as (D) except for
- (A) thus (B) then (C) that (D) than
- (A) look forward to (B) prefer (C) would like (D) tend to
- (A) Because of (B) As for (C) Not only (D) In contrast
- (A) regard (B) look (C) think (D) refer

As one of the greatest American poets of the 20th century, Robert Frost is the only poet _____16_____ four Pulitzer Prizes for Poetry. He left behind _____17_____ everlasting verse, most of which is about rural life and daily events. Take "The Road Not Taken" for example. Frost wrote this poem during his stay in England. He used to take walks with his friend Edward Thomas, who liked to choose routes at random. However, Thomas would later complain that _____18_____ his previous choice, they could have enjoyed even more gorgeous scenery. Inspired by this, Frost wrote "The Road Not Taken," _____19_____ choosing a road a symbol of decision-making in life. After reading this poem, readers get to know that when a decision is made, they have to let go of _____20_____ choices.

- (A) to have awarded (B) that has awarded (C) who awards (D) to be awarded
- (A) a great deal of (B) a good many (C) a large number of (D) a total of
- (A) if it were not for (B) as a result of (C) at the thought of (D) if it had not been for
- (A) having (B) allowing (C) making (D) permitting
- (A) others (B) all the other (C) any other (D) another

Like most youngsters in the UK, John Farnworth grew up loving football. He comes from a football-loving family and grew up 21 Manchester United. He started playing football when he was about 8 or 9 and later joined his hometown's youth team. But at around 14 or 15, something changed. Farnworth lost his interest in football and stopped playing on the team. No longer 22 winning games, he was more fond of practicing moves by himself.

One day Farnworth saw a TV program 23 kids were doing magical tricks with footballs. 24 that he joined a football school that taught similar ball-control skills. This experience inspired him to join a Nike Freestyle event in Manchester in 2003. He was amazed by the performance of Mr. Woo, a freestyle 25 who juggled the ball using his whole body. During that event, Farnworth found his life's calling—freestyle football. He was then 17. Three years later, he participated in the 2006 Masters of the Game Freestyle World Championship in Amsterdam. In the final round, he faced and beat his idol Mr. Woo.

21. (A) seeking out (B) rooting for (C) letting go of (D) indulging in
 22. (A) giggled at (B) appealing to (C) motivated by (D) swapped with
 23. (A) that (B) what (C) where (D) which
 24. (A) Impressed as he was (B) So impressed he was
 (C) He was very impressed (D) So impressed was he
 25. (A) legend (B) emigrant (C) handler (D) racist

Bees are 26 great importance to human survival. They carry pollen from plant to plant during their daily search for food. Were it not for bees, most plants would not be able to be fertilized and reproduce, 27 would humans be able to use these plants for food, clothing, medicine, and fuel. If bees 28 extinct, crop yields would fall. Then, food shortages would surely arise. 29, there has been a steep decline in the bee population since the 1970s. It is human activity that has destroyed the natural habitat of bees. What's worse, behind the phenomenon of the declining bee population lies the 30 bigger crisis—a severe ecological imbalance.

26. (A) by (B) on (C) for (D) of
 27. (A) so (B) nor (C) as (D) for
 28. (A) had become (B) becomes (C) became (D) were to become
 29. (A) In effect (B) For instance (C) In other words (D) To begin with
 30. (A) ever (B) much (C) very (D) less

三、文意選填 20% (每題 1 分)

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| (A) That is | (B) the better | (C) along with | (D) the smaller | (E) consequence |
| (AB) let alone | (AC) For another | (AD) as | (AE) harvest | (BC) including |

All species on Earth, 31 animals, plants, and microorganisms, have important roles to play. Various species, 32 the environment they live in, form an ecosystem. The variety of life within a particular ecosystem is known 33 biodiversity. It is important to conserve biodiversity. For one thing, healthy biodiversity can ensure a balanced ecosystem and the survival of all the species within. 34, genetic diversity is closely related to biodiversity. The poorer the biodiversity is in an ecosystem, 35 the gene pool will be, 36, poor biodiversity will bring about low genetic diversity and reduce the biological fitness of a species, thus leading to a greater chance of extinction. If the loss of biodiversity continues, humans will definitely suffer the 37 of it in the future. In the long term, trying to survive would be a tough task for all of the species on earth, 38 the possibility of flourishing.

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| (A) thus | (B) adopted | (C) possible | (D) alike | (E) so |
| (AB) where | (AC) kept | (AD) both | (AE) occupied | (BC) likely |

During the years before World War II, and also throughout the war, the Nazi government 39 a racist policy which led to the murder of millions of Jews. In Germany and in the countries 40 by the German army, Jews were made to wear a yellow star. This way, they could be easily recognized, rounded up, and sent to concentration camps, 41 they were shot, gassed, or left to die of starvation or disease. The only chance of survival was to hide, 42 Anne Frank began two years of hiding in a place called the Secret Annex.

During that period, Frank 43 a diary, recording what she saw in Holland and how she felt. Jews and Christians 44 were scared because no one could keep out of the conflict; the entire world was at war. They could do nothing but wait as calmly as 45 for the war to end.

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| (A) In consequence | (B) For example | (C) namely | (D) then |
| (E) In fact | (AB) though | (AC) likewise | (AD) By contrast |

Whether it was for fun or school, you may have taken a questionnaire, 46, a list of questions used as a research instrument to gather information about people. Most questionnaires present questions for a person to answer in a set way. There is an important difference between

open-ended and closed-ended questions, 47. In an open-ended question, a person can write whatever response he feels fits best. 48, a person might be asked to finish a sentence. 49, a closed-ended question asks a person to select an answer from the given number of choices. 50, these questions may feel more limited.

四、閱讀測驗 20% (每題 2 分)

The Diary of Anne Frank has touched people from all over the world. It is the true thoughts and feelings of a young Jewish girl who went into hiding with her family and several other people during World War II. Written while she was hiding from the Nazis in an attic, her diary is not merely about the war. It is also about the confusing times every young girl has while growing up.

Born in Germany on June 12, 1929, Anne Frank later moved to Amsterdam, Holland with her family. On her 13th birthday, Anne was given a diary. Later in July of 1942, the Frank family started two years of hiding in a place called the Secret Annex, which was in the upper part of Otto Frank's office, until they were captured in August 1944.

For the duration of her time in hiding, Anne wrote in her diary, recording her fears, compassion, and hope. Though Anne didn't survive the war, her father and diary did. Otto Frank wanted to bring the war to people's attention so that those terrible things would never happen again. As a result, he had Anne's diary published in 1947 and shared with the world.

51. According to the article, which of the following is true?

- (A) Anne's diary was about her childhood memories in Amsterdam.
- (B) Anne wrote her diary after the outbreak of World War II.
- (C) Anne's diary was published during World War II.
- (D) Anne wrote her diary in an attempt to bring an end to the war.

52. Why did Anne's father, Otto Frank, have her diary published?

- (A) He did it at the request of Anne before they were captured.
- (B) He did it to help people face the confusing times of growing up.
- (C) He wanted people to learn of the dark side of war and stop war from happening.
- (D) He wanted the world to remember the Jewish people who had lost their lives to the war.

53. The tone of the author can best be described as _____.

- (A) neutral
- (B) ridiculous
- (C) distressed
- (D) wacky

Based in Hannover, Germany, iF Design bridges design and business by seeking out and awarding the best new products and concepts each year. These products also receive the iF logo, which has become an unquestioned label of quality all over the globe.

In 2014, about 1,200 winners were chosen by an international jury from among 17 categories. One winner was the 120 by 120 centimeter Inipi B compact sauna that can conveniently fit in your bathroom. In Seoul, you might be able to use a smartphone app to hail a spacious My Taxi, a winning electric cab with a passenger information station.

Computers, phones, and audio/video categories make technology well-represented at the iF Design Awards. Both well-known smartphones, like the HTC One, and conceptual ones, like the flexible G Flex by LG, were gold winners. If you're looking for a high-quality TV, iF Design recommends the Philips DesignLine LED TV. The DesignLine is one sheet of glass that leans against a wall, giving the image a floating effect.

If you see the iF Design logo while you're shopping, give the product a good look because you can be sure it's of the best quality.

54. Which of the following best describes My Taxi smartphone app?

- (A) efficient
- (B) precious
- (C) imperishable
- (D) traditional

55. Based on the passage, which of the following is INCORRECT?

- (A) The DesignLine LEDTV provides its viewers with a superb image.
- (B) People can install the Inipi B compact sauna in their home restrooms.
- (C) The G Flex, like the HTC One, is already available for sale.
- (D) iF Design awards winning products with an iF Design symbol.

56. Where can we most likely read the article?

- (A) In an editorial.
- (B) In a book review.
- (C) In a science report.
- (D) In a business journal.

No one decides to get sunburned, but the beckoning beach or the long sunny days are distractions that make it easy to forget that extra coat of sunscreen. Of course, it's best to practice sunburn prevention and stop a burn before it starts. Burns are known to cause skin cancer and premature aging.

Did you know that some common foods in your kitchen have sun-protection compounds to help you with your sun-protection routine? And others offer surprising relief if you do happen to catch too many rays.

Some natural food remedies help you to deal with, or even prevent, summer sunburns. One such food is oatmeal. It can provide relief to your whole body when it is sunburned. Just grind

up a cup of oatmeal in your food processor, and add it to cool bathwater. Then soak in it. Or you may want to help ease the discomfort of a fresh sunburn with fat-free milk. Put on compresses of cool milk all over your skin with a clean cloth or gauze. Do this every 2 to 4 hours for 15 to 20 minutes.

57. People end up getting sunburned because _____.

- (A) their attention is drawn to beaches (B) they forget to eat sun-protection foods
(C) the days are longer in summer (D) they are allergic to sunscreen

58. Which of the following about sunburns is true?

- (A) They have little to do with skin cancer.
(B) They are indeed an extra coat of sunscreen.
(C) They make your skin look older than it should.
(D) People are not allowed to go home without sunburns.

The Marvel Comics have created such superheroes as Iron Man and Spider-Man. Now, they are about to launch a new superhero Kamala Khan, a 16-year-old Pakistani-American girl from a conservative community in New Jersey. Khan is the first Muslim-American character in the superhero world, which has been greatly dominated by white males.

In addition to reflecting the growing diversity of readers and the changing society in the U.S., the Kamala Khan writer G Willow Wilson tries to discuss the topic: Can you hide or should you hide who you really are? Wilson wants to create a hero, someone to look up to, for the girls who are outside of the American mainstream struggling with their true identity.

Despite the fact that there are already many superheroes, Wilson believes that the key is to create superheroes that are right for the time. They are supposed to reflect the present time and people's life. To date, people have been positive about this new creation, and Khan's story may define a different, but true hero.

59. What is the actual purpose of G Willow Wilson to create Kamala Khan?

- (A) To tell people to reach out to poor Muslim girls.
(B) To reflect the changing society in the U.S.
(C) To introduce American culture to the Muslim world.
(D) To give many minority girls someone to learn from.

60. What kind of Marvel heroes are likely to be created in the future?

- (A) Heroes coming solely from the Muslim world.
(B) Heroes representing the most people in the U.S.

(C) Heroes having more power in handling teenage problems.

(D) Heroes coming from various cultural groups.

五、文意字彙 10% (每題 1 分)

- Pollution from sewage and household waste may also c to the problem.
- With teamwork and c, we can achieve many great things.
- There is an e relationship between all the life forms that live in an area.
- You have my g that I will come to your birthday party.
- Many people felt that the boss of the company d against female employees.
- I love to go rock climbing for r. It's great exercise, and there are many scenic views.
- Only excellent politicians are e to be called statesmen.
- When the police c the murderer with the evidence, he pleaded guilty.
- At the very beginning of a resume, you should outline your q for a specific job or field.
- The melting of ice caps is a p example of the effects of global warming.

六、引導式翻譯 20% (每格 1 分)

- 在期末考前幾週，Ted 生活在焦慮中。

In the weeks 1 (1) (2) (3) the final exam, Ted (4) (5) a (6).

- 他所能做的就是努力念書。

(7) he could do (8) (9) (10).

- 回首他鬼混的那些時日，他知道後悔是沒用的。

L (11) (12) (13) the days when he fooled around, he realized that (14)
(15) (16) (17) r (18) g.

- 從現在起，他不會傻到再虛度光陰。

From now on, he (19) (20) than to idle away his life again.

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