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選擇題 (請將答案劃在答案卡上)

I. Vocabulary : 1%*10=10%

- After a long trial, the former legislator finally _____ that he accepted bribes during his term in office and was sentenced to seven years in jail.
(A) neglected (B) devoted (C) relieved (D) confessed
- Cathy couldn't _____ her roommate's bad temper and decided to move out as soon as the semester was over.
(A) tolerate (B) balance (C) inspect (D) motivate
- As a means of unwinding after a tough week, Johnny went cruising around the mountains on his motorcycle without a _____ destination in mind.
(A) cautious (B) specific (C) splendid (D) portable
- It goes without saying that we won't be able to reach our target without everyone's full _____ and support all month long.
(A) cooperation (B) explosion (C) establishment (D) assignment
- My cousin Jack has always been very _____, and he is determined to succeed in whatever he sets his mind on doing.
(A) suspicious (B) ambitious (C) conservative (D) obedient
- In the upscale restaurant, men must wear a suit and tie. _____, women must wear a formal dress.
(A) Namely (B) Scarcely (C) Similarly (D) Sincerely
- All the job applicants were asked to complete a two-page form with their personal information before _____ with the interview.
(A) exhausting (B) disputing (C) proceeding (D) consulting
- Over the past few years, the weak economy has _____ a lot of homelessness in certain areas of the city.
(A) called for (B) handed out (C) put off (D) brought about

- _____ will the authorities ever negotiate with terrorists. Instead, they will continually fight against those who threaten the safety and well-being of the citizens.
(A) Not only (B) By all means (C) By no means (D) By means of
- Your article was well written and _____, so I had no trouble finding the information that I need.
(A) to the point (B) in other words (C) by my side (D) on the go

II. Grammar : 2%*10=20%

- Bob: "Would you like to play tennis with me?"
Peter: "Sorry, I should be home before my mother _____ back."
(A) comes (B) will come (C) shall come (D) has come
- We can't use the gym because it _____ now.
(A) needs repaired (B) needs repairing (C) is needing repaired (D) is needed repairing
- _____ which way to take, the traveler continued his journey.
(A) Telling (B) Having told (C) Have told (D) Having been told
- It will be convenient to have each coffee shop _____ for free Internet service and _____ special seats for students to study.
(A) wire ; provide (B) wire ; provided (C) wired ; provide (D) wired ; provided
- On my way home, I found a dog _____ across the street and nearly _____ by a car.
(A) running ; hit (B) ran ; hit (C) run ; hit (D) running ; hitting
- Choose the **CORRECT** answer.
(A) He is the only man whom I want to marry.
(B) Do you know whose house is it?
(C) Whoever cheats on the exam will be punished seriously.
(D) Which is the pen that you wrote?
- Choose the **WRONG** answer.
(A) Not only I but also my wife is invited to the party.
(B) Mr. Liu is not only a well-known professor but an established writer as well.
(C) I admire the singer because he not only sings beautifully but because he dances well.
(D) Not only did I prepare the dinner but I also did the dishes.
- Choose the **CORRECT** answer.
(A) Not until I had visited home did I knew how ill he was.
(B) It was not until I visited him that I knew how ill he was.
(C) I knew how ill was he until I visited him.

(D) I didn't know how he was ill until I visited him

19. Choose the **WRONG** answer.

- (A) Not knowing what to say, I just kept silent.
- (B) Hungry and tired, I stopped to take a rest.
- (C) Built on the top of the mountain, I spent one hour reaching the villa.
- (D) Weather permitting, I will have a picnic with my family.

20. Choose the **CORRECT** answer.

- (A) The competition will be held in 2017.
- (B) The competition will have been taken place in 2017.
- (C) The competition will have taken place in 2017.
- (D) The competition will be holding in 2017.

III. Cloze Test : 2%*17=34%

<1> It seems like a simple task. 21 you have to do is pick up a colorful toy cube and twist it around until each of its six sides makes a solid color. 22 you begin, though, you discover that solving a Rubik's Cube is 23 simple. It's a 24 puzzle that can also be a powerful learning tool. Invented by Hungarian architect Erno Rubik in 1974, the Rubik's Cube reached the peak of its popularity in the early 1980s. During this time, it became an international obsession, 25 people of all ages and cultures. By 1892, over 100 million Rubik's Cubes had been sold throughout the world, with most of them 26 in people's homes and offices. When solution guides came out, speed-cubing championships started popping up all over the world. These championships grew to include a number of interesting competitions such as blindfolded solving, 27 solving, solving using one's feet, and even solving while underwater on a single breath!

- 21. (A) That (B) Which (C) What (D) All those
- 22. (A) Unless (B) Once (C) Although (D) Despite
- 23. (A) more than (B) far from (C) nothing less than (D) simply but
- 24. (A) brain-tease (B) teasing-brain (C) brain-teased (D) brain-teasing
- 25. (A) attracted (B) appealing (C) appealing to (D) attracted by
- 26. (A) sitting solving (B) seating solved (C) sitting unsolved (D) seated solved
- 27. (A) single-hand (B) single-handed (C) single-handling (D) single-handling

<2> Wu Pao Chun's life is a real rags to riches story. Born into a poor family in Pingtung County, Wu left school at 15 to pursue a career in baking. In 2010, Wu 28 the title of

"Master Baker" at the esteemed baking competition. With the 29 Taiwanese ingredients like lychee and millet wine, Wu captured the judge's hearts with the taste of his homeland.

Wu gives his late mother the 30 for her hard-working attitude. Wu's father died when Wu was eight, and his mother raised him and his seven siblings. The secret of his success is creativity blending his knowledge of ingredients 31 baking tips learned from skilled artists from all over the world.

Wu's example has already inspired others. Another team of Taiwanese bakers brought home the Bronze Medal from the 2012 Bakery World Cup 32 Wu made his name four years ago.

- 28. (A) claimed (B) rescued (C) adapted (D) launched
- 29. (A) local-resource (B) locally-sourced (C) local-sourcing (D) locally-resourced
- 30. (A) virtue (B) credit (C) luxury (D) slogan
- 31. (A) by (B) to (C) from (D) with
- 32. (A) that (B) what (C) where (D) when

<3> Aung San Suu Kyi's father, a hero of independence in Burma, was assassinated when she was two. After the death of her father, Aung San Suu Kyi went to India with her mother. Later, she went to Oxford University, 33 she studied philosophy, politics, and economics and met her husband Michael Aris. During her stay in the UK, Burma was never 34 her thoughts. Like her father, Aung San Suu Kyi has devoted herself to fighting for Burma's people. She said in a speech, "As my father's daughter, I could not remain 35 all that was going on."

Aung San Suu Kyi returned to Rangoon in 1988, when thousands of people were staging demonstrations against the military government. In addition to her father, Martin Luther King and Mahatma Gandhi were also inspirations to Aung San Suu Kyi. She traveled around her country and held peaceful demonstrations 36 democratic reform and free elections. Unfortunately, the military government held onto power and put her under house arrest.

Aung San Suu Kyi has been seen as an international symbol of peaceful resistance 37 oppression. In 1991, she was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize, and the committee called her "an outstanding example of the power of the powerless." Finally, in 2012, the National League for Democracy won the majority of seats in an election.

- 33. (A) which (B) where (C) that (D) then

34. (A) overcome with (B) attributed to (C) detached from (D) abiding by
 35. (A) identifying with (B) engrossed in (C) conscious of (D) indifferent to
 36. (A) calling for (B) calling in (C) calling on (D) calling off
 37. (A) under the influence of (B) in expectation of (C) in the face of
 (D) from the perspective of

IV. Blank Filling 2%*10=20%

說明：依題意選出最適當者。若某題答案為選項(B)，請在答案卡上，將該題(B)相對應的格子，用 2B 鉛筆塗黑塗滿。如右：

A	B	C	D	E
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When Bill Gates stepped down as CEO of Microsoft in 2000, people wondered whether Microsoft would be staying competitive in the market. For many people, Bill Gates had already been another name for Microsoft. Apple faced the same fate, as its iconic figure, Steve Jobs, announced his 38 as CEO of Apple.

This announcement aroused more panic compared with Gates'. One important reason is that, when Bill Gates 39 the CEO role, he remained as Microsoft's chairman and continued to work for eight years at Microsoft before his duties were all transferred to his successor. In contrast, Jobs was not expected to work like his Microsoft 40 and make the transition smooth. He quitted the job because he suffered pancreatic cancer and his 41 body might not allow him to work for another eight years. In other words, Jobs' resignation was a real meaning of the word we find in the dictionary—the act of leaving a job 42.

Steve Jobs' rise to the top in the business world was legendary. In the late 1970s, he and Steve Wozniak co-founded Apple and unveiled Apple I and Apple II. In the early 1980s, he pioneered Macintosh, but political in-fighting forced him to leave the company he co-founded. In 2000, he returned to Apple, and the following story was a continual string of 43 in tech-world: iPod (2000), iTunes (2003), the Macbook (2006), the iPhone (2007), and the iPad (2010). Within just ten years, Apple came up with so many 44 and successful products, music players, mobile phones, and tablet computers 45. They all had one common trait: beautiful simplicity.

How Apple will survive the days without Jobs? A leader with his vision and a

showman with his 46, Steve Jobs is one-of-a-kind. Nobody knows what Apple will become. But one thing is for sure: next time when Apple releases a new product, there won't be a man in black turtle-neck giving an 47 speech, and ending with his typical "but there's one more thing."

(A)counterpart	(B)relinquished	(C)deteriorated	(D) permanently	(E)resignation
(AB)innovative	(AC)included	(AD)inspirational	(AE)blockbusters	(BC)charisma

V. Reading Comprehension 2%* 10=20%

<1> Imagine waking up one morning and, like the Jason Bourne character played by Matt Damon, being unable to remember your name, relatives, and close friends. That's exactly what happened to Mayank Sharma after he contracted a disease of the central nervous system called tubercular meningitis. At the age of 28, he almost completely lost his memory.

The only life experience Sharma could remember after recovering from the infection took place when he was two years old. Nearly 26 years of his life had been wiped clean. As he slowly recuperated, his family gathered in a New Delhi hospital and noticed that he had no idea who they were. Sharma got frustrated by his inability to fully return the emotions of people close to him. Deeply affected by the saddened faces of family members, Sharma became determined to piece his life back together.

In addition to looking at old photographs and listening to stories from family members, Sharma turned to the Web to assist him in regaining his memory. He created a profile on Facebook and used the social network's "People You May Know" feature to reconnect with old acquaintances. After contacts responded to his initial message, he sent out standard greetings asking them to add context to their relationships.

Sharma also used Google to put his past back together. He found the tech articles he had written for various publications, and he pored over the thousands of e-mails in his Gmail inbox. He also created a Web site to help the others. On his site, he posted brain scans and a timeline of his symptoms in the hope of helping medical researchers. While Sharma's memory has yet to fully return, doctors are optimistic that it will.

48. What made Sharma frustrated ?

- (A) Being unfamiliar with his neighbors and family members.
- (B) Recovering slowly from the rare disease.
- (C) Contracting a disease that few people have.

(D) Not being able to return the emotions of his family members.

49. What is the article mainly about? \

- (A) The advantages of social networks and the Internet.
- (B) A person's life experiences after contracting a terrible experience.
- (C) How a man tries to bring back his memory after suffering from a disease.
- (D) The importance of interpersonal relationships on the social website.

<2> People express their personalities in their clothes, their cars, and their homes. Because we might choose certain foods to "tell" people something about us, our diets can also be an expression of our personalities. For example, some people eat mainly gourmet foods, such as caviar and lobster, and they eat only in expensive restaurants (never in cafeterias or snack bars). They might want to "tell" the world that they know about the "better thing in life."

Human beings can eat many different kinds of food, but some people choose not to eat meat. Vegetarians often have more in common than just their diet. Their personalities might be similar, too. For example, vegetarians in the United States may be creative people, and they might not enjoy competitive sports or jobs. They worry about the health of the world, and they probably don't believe in war.

Some people eat mostly "fast food." One study shows that many fast-food eaters have a lot in common with one another, but they are very different from vegetarians. They are competitive and good at business. They are also usually in a hurry. Many fast-food eaters might not agree with this description of their personalities, but it is a common picture of them.

Some people also believe that people of the same astrological sign have similar food personalities. Arians usually like spicy food, with a lot of onions and pepper. People with the sign of Taurus prefer healthful fruits and vegetables, but they often eat too much. Sagittarius like ethnic foods from many different countries. Aquarians can eat as much meat and fish they want, but sugar and cholesterol are sometimes problems for them.

50. Which of the following words best describes fast-food eaters' personalities?

- (A) revolutionary
- (B) conservative
- (C) enterprising
- (D) slothful

51. According to this article, which of the following statements is **CORRECT**?

- (A) Vegetarians are the least concerned about environmental problems.
- (B) Fast-food eaters may have a preference for gourmet foods.
- (C) Vegetarians are more loyal and patriotic than fast-food eaters.
- (D) Competitive sports and jobs may be the last thing vegetarians enjoy.

<3> Cities are big crowded places full of noises and pollution. Its hectic lifestyle can slowly run down people's spirits and energy. City people are so wrapped up in their own lives and schedules that they hardly interact with their fellow citizens. They may feel awfully lonely, though surrounded by a slew of people and diversions. Therefore, many city residents caught up in the **rat race** often dream of simpler, more relaxing lives in the country.

Those who move to the country need to make major adjustments to their lives. Cities, while confusing, also offer choices and conveniences. No longer does one have a variety of restaurants or stores to choose from. There may only be one or a few small places to buy food, and visiting a 7-11 shop can be up to a 30-minute ride away. Also, nearly all transport must be done by car, instead of the options of bus, subway or maybe ferry in most cities. In order to conduct such official or government business as driver's license registration, voter registration, etc., one must still return to a city, or at least a larger town.

However, in exchange for this lost convenience in country life, much is gained in return. The air and water are definitely cleaner; the traffic, if any, is much lighter, and parking is absolutely no longer a problem. People in general are much more relaxed and friendly, and children have a much freer, safer and more peaceful environment to grow up in. Older people tend to have a greater attachment to family, friends, and location in small towns than in anonymous and self-absorbed cities.

Changing from a crowded, frantic environment to an open and relaxing one may be easy. But changing from a busy, self-centered, and materialistic life to a slower and more community-oriented one may be much more difficult. Most are unable to make such a transition and return soon to the excitement, convenience, and security of their city routine. Some, though, are able to make the change, to the benefit of themselves and their families. These few have indeed made their dreams into reality.

52. We can infer from the passage that ____.

- (A) not many country people like to live in the city
- (B) not many city people can endure simple, slow-paced country life
- (C) city people can make more adaptation to their environment
- (D) country people enjoy more fun than city people

53. In the passage, **rat race** refers to ____.

- (A) people running around aimlessly
- (B) people running after each other anxiously
- (C) people competing with one another fiercely

(D) people dreaming of their future desperately

54. Which statement is **TRUE**?

- (A) Older people tend to be attached to anonymous cities.
- (B) Rural children are likely to grow to be self-centered and materialistic.
- (C) In spite of diversions, city residents may feel isolated.
- (D) A 30-minute ride to conduct official business is the advantage in the city.

<4> Sales of organic grooming products in the U.S. have been seeing a continual increase these years. In 2006, natural personal care items grossed \$350 million, an increase of 68 million over the years before. Then, in 2007, the growth progressed to \$51 million in comparison with the previous year. What these figures show is a growing consumer interest in organic and natural products. In the wake of a few studies showing how industrial cosmetic ingredients can cause long-term damage to human bodies, some organic **mavens** now go shopping not with a shopping list but a list of , synthetic cosmetic ingredients, trying to evade those containing industrial or synthetic components and preservatives. For example, parabens in skin-care products used as preservatives are in some studies shown to cause skin irritations and, in another, breast cancer. Aluminum derivatives, used to neutralize the body odor, are found in some laboratory experiments to damage DNA, causing reproductive changes in rodents. Therefore, it is natural for the public to assume that natural ingredients such as soy or olives are benign to human bodies and thus make better substitute for those synthetic products. However, so far there has not been any solid scientific proof and government backup supporting the superiority and efficacy of the organic or natural products. “Consumers should not necessarily assume the ‘organic’ or ‘natural’ products would possess greater inherent safety than another same industrial ingredient,” commented Dr. Linda M. Katz, director of Food and Drug Administration’s Office of Cosmetics and Colors. Moreover, because these products do not contain any preservative, they are more likely to deteriorate from bacterial infection. As for what requirements that need to be met to deserve the name “organic” or “natural,” so far there have been no rigorous standards regulating this fuzzy domain. Marketers can brand their products “natural” even when only 50 percent of the ingredients are extracted from minerals. For the organic worshippers, maybe it’s time for them to rethink their “organic” shopping principles.

55. Which statement is implied in this passage?

- (A) The natural products are more liable to degenerate due to the absence of preservatives.
- (B) Skin-care products contain parabens and can thus result in skin cancer.

(C) Industrial ingredients are harmful to the human body and should be refrained.

(D) Rigid standards should be stipulated to ensure the safety of the organic products.

56. What does the word “**mavens**” mean in this passage?

- (A) laymen (B) experts (C) vendors (D) inspectors

57. According to the paragraph, which of the following is **FALSE**?

- (A) Between 2005 and 2007, the profit of organic grooming products grew by 119 million dollars.
- (B) Aluminum derivatives could impair one’s genes, causing potential heredity problems.
- (C) The author questions the real health value of organic products and cautions people against such products.
- (D) Contrary to industrial ingredients, the natural ones are beneficial to human bodies.