# 國立嘉義高中 109 學年度

# 學術性向資賦優異【語文類】

# 複選評量英文科聽力測驗解答

### Part A 6%

In part A, you will hear several questions or statements. Choose the best response or reply.

- **A** 1. Mr. Lee just spent a <u>considerable</u> amount of money in our store.
  - (A) That's right. He must be very rich.
  - (B) You're right; he couldn't afford it.
  - (C) Yes, it's not enough for our needs.
  - (D) Why did he get everything for free?
- C 2. Your future job looks like it pays well. Did the company offer you anything additionally?
  - (A) Yes, they need experienced salespeople.
  - (B) Yes, it was so tiring I decided to quit.
  - (C) Yes, I get 20 vacation days per year.
  - (D) Yes, they sell computers and cellphones.
- **A** 3. Do you know where I can <u>stream</u> this movie?
  - (A) On a website called Netflix.
  - (B) Do you want a DVD or Blu-ray?
  - (C) No, it is not legal to copy it.
  - (D) At a theater in Ximending.

- **B** 4. I don't eat pork because of my religion.
  - (A) But you don't need to lose weight!
  - (B) Really? You must be a Muslim.
  - (C) So, you only eat vegetables and fruits?
  - (D) Why do you want to save money on food?
- **A** 5. I didn't enjoy living abroad at first, but in time, my feelings changed.
  - (A) It's good that you grew fond of it after a while.
  - (B) You shouldn't have moved back home so quickly.
  - (C) So do I. That's why I always prefer to live alone.
  - (D) It's surprising how quickly you came to like it.
- **D** 6. I heard you are a doctor. Did you complete your <u>degree</u> in Taiwan?
  - (A) Let's check it... OK, it's about 24°C.
  - (B) Yes, the hospital is located in Taipei.
  - (C) I did. It was an enjoyable trip.
  - (D) No, I went to university in the US.

#### Part B 6%

In part B, you will hear one or more conversations between a man and a woman, and then a question following each conversation. Choose the best answer to that question.

- C 7. W: Tom, I need your help.
  - M: What happened?
  - W: One of our basketball players broke his leg. I want to <u>replace</u> him <u>with</u> you.
  - M: Oh, OK. I can do that.
  - Q: What does the woman want the man to do?
  - (A) Take care of a player.
  - (B) Look for another player.
  - (C) Play on her team.
  - (D) Take over her job.
- **A** 8. M: What's taking so long?
  - W: We have to wait for another plane to leave first.
  - M: I need to be in Tokyo by this afternoon!
  - W: I can <u>assure</u> you that we will take off soon.
  - Q: What is the woman trying to do?
  - (A) Make the man feel less worried.
  - (B) Ask the man to stop complaining.
  - (C) Help the man book another flight.
  - (D) Tell the man the flight is canceled.
- **D** 9. M: I just got a job with a newspaper.
  - W: That's great. Which one?
  - M: I'm going to write for the *Taiwan National Press*.
  - W: That's interesting. I know the publisher there.
  - Q: Who does the woman know?
  - (A) A customer of the newspaper.
  - (B) A writer for the newspaper.
  - (C) One of the man's new articles.

- (D) The owner of the newspaper.
- **B** 10. M: Are you nearly ready to go out?
  - W: Go out? Go out where?
  - M: We're meeting Jack and Susie for lunch.
  - W: Oh! It completely <u>slipped my</u> mind.
  - O: What does the woman mean?
  - (A) She has already eaten lunch.
  - (B) She had forgotten about the lunch.
  - (C) She is almost ready to leave.
  - (D) She just fell over and hurt herself.
- C 11. M: I'm pleased to offer you the job.
  - W: Thank you so much.
  - M: I'm sure you'll do well here.
  - W: I'll certainly <u>strive</u> to do my best.
  - O: What does the woman mean?
  - (A) She did her best to get this job.
  - (B) She will turn down the man's offer.
  - (C) She is going to try very hard.
  - (D) She has to drive a long way to work.
- **D** 12. W: The house is a mess. We really need to clean up.
  - M: I'll start with the garage.
  - W: Can you please <u>hold off</u> doing that? We should clean the kitchen before dinner.
  - M: Oh, OK. Let's do it together.
  - Q: What does the woman ask the man to do?

- (A) Finish cleaning the garage quickly.
- (B) Let her clean the garage.
- (C) Clean the garage first.
- (D) Clean the garage at a later time.

### Part C 4%

In part C, you will hear one or more passages. Choose the best answers to those questions.

### Passage 1 (請先閱讀下列試題)

Hello, I'm Andy Cooper, reporting from East Africa, where locusts are causing serious problems. Large swarms are flying around the region and eating crops. When the weather is right, they can travel 200 kilometers a day and eat enough to feed thousands of people. Because of this, 10 million people are now facing a shortage of food. The problem might get even worse. When it begins to rain in summer, locust numbers are likely to increase. The storms can also blow them even further away, to India and China. Without help, countries in East Africa won't be able to fight the locusts. For this reason, they are asking for international aid.

- **C** 13. What is this talk mainly about?
  - (A) Unusual weather conditions in Africa.
  - (B) The discovery of a new species.
  - (C) A natural disaster in Africa.
  - (D) A crisis caused by bad governments.

- **D** 14. Which is NOT true about the locusts?
  - (A) They can travel quite far in one day.
  - (B) They eat crops meant for people.
  - (C) They usually fly in large groups.
  - (D) They benefit from dry weather.

### Passage 2 (請先閱讀下列試題)

Agatha Christie was one of the best known writers from the UK, and she's famous for her crime stories. But did you know that she was in a real-life mystery of her own? On December 3, 1926, she suddenly disappeared from her home. Police looked for her for 11 days before she was found in a hotel on the other side of the country. She was OK, but didn't remember anything about what had happened to her. Some people thought she briefly lost her mind. Others thought she did it for attention. But what really happened? Well, it's a mystery that hasn't been solved to this day.

- **B** 15. What was a mystery about Agatha Christie?
  - (A) Police thought she was involved in a murder.
  - (B) No one knew where she was for 11 days.
  - (C) Her novels might be based on her own experiences.
  - (D) She couldn't remember anything for many years.
- C 16. What does the speaker say about Agatha Christie's mystery?

- (A) Christie wrote about it in her book.
- (B) The speaker knows what happened.
- (C) People still can't figure out the truth.
- (D) Everyone agrees she lost her mind.