

第一部分：單題 (第1-15題，共15題)

1. Look at the picture. John has drawn _____.

- (A) two lines above a circle
- (B) a line beside a square
- (C) a square on a circle
- (D) two dots under a square



2. Mrs. Black likes to have her youngest son around because he is very _____. He is always ready to give her a hand.

- (A) helpful
- (B) interesting
- (C) honest
- (D) serious

3. Mr. Chan has to _____ his voice when a plane flies by, so students at the back of the classroom can hear him.

- (A) drop
- (B) lose
- (C) raise
- (D) find

4. Please _____ the bottle with water to the top. There will be no place to get water on the way to the next town.

- (A) hold
- (B) cover
- (C) boil
- (D) fill

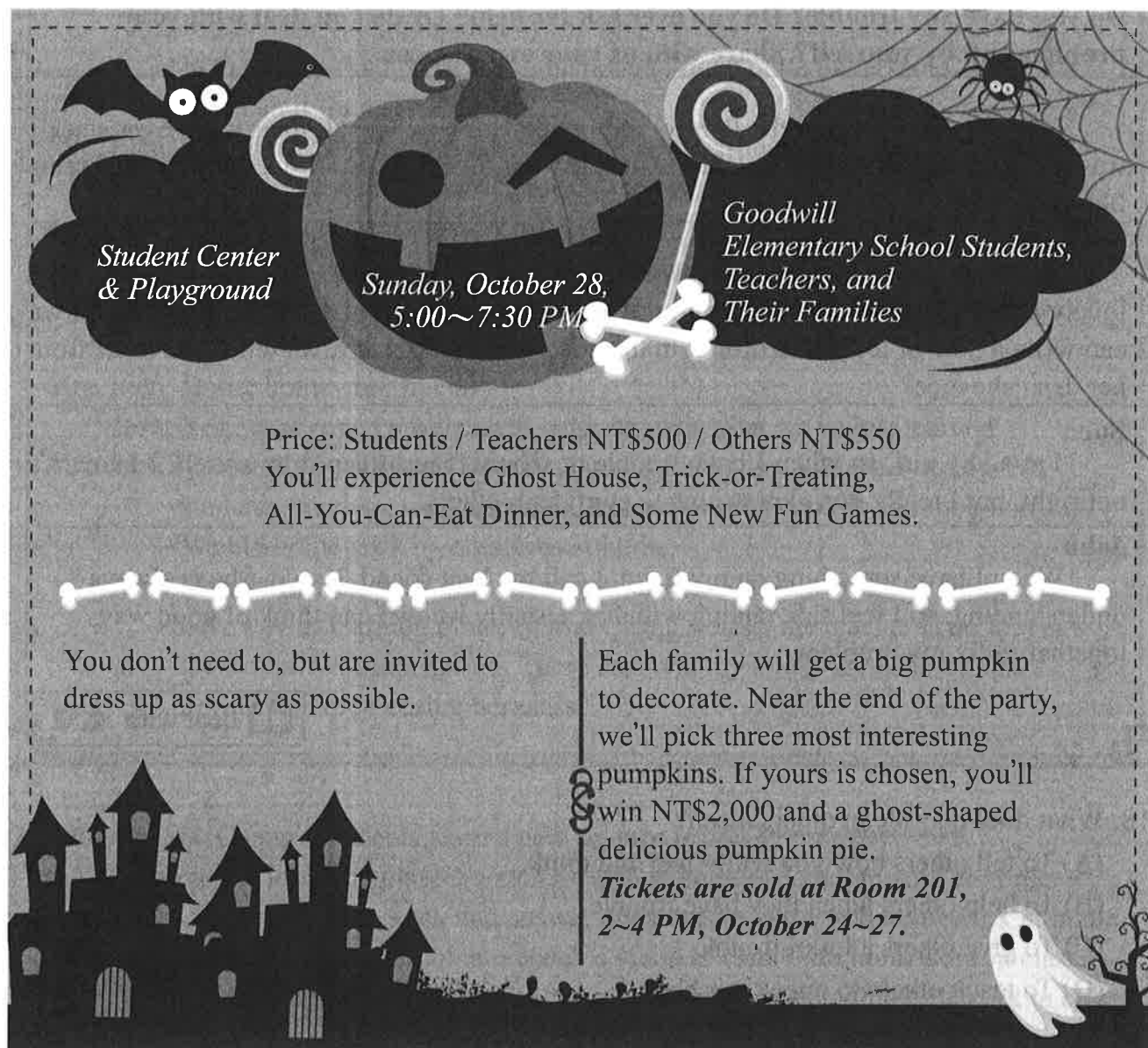
5. In this city, there are _____ cameras in almost every corner. You may not notice them, but they are watching you all the time.
(A) forgotten
(B) hidden
(C) marked
(D) pasted
6. When you feel lonely, _____ a book to read, and you will soon forget that unhappy feeling.
(A) open
(B) to open
(C) opening
(D) have opened
7. Joyce has been able to play the piano very well _____ she was three. At the age of five, she played at a music festival for the first time.
(A) before
(B) since
(C) when
(D) until
8. John _____ a ghost story when the light went out. Feeling afraid, he put down the book and ran to his parents' room.
(A) is reading
(B) has read
(C) read
(D) was reading
9. The movie we watched last night was so funny that it made all of us _____ all the way.
(A) to laugh
(B) laugh
(C) laughed
(D) laughing
10. It _____ Donald ten years to save enough money to buy an apartment. He finally has his own place to stay.
(A) cost
(B) spent
(C) took
(D) needed


11. When Ms. Lee handed Raymond two apples, he decided to eat the smaller one and leave _____ for his brother.
(A) another
(B) it
(C) others
(D) the other
12. I don't know _____ I should tell John the bad news about his cat. As his best friend, I should, but he might not be able to take it.
(A) which
(B) that
(C) whether
(D) what
13. Jenny loudly and _____ talked about how she kept going even at the most difficult times. When she finished, everyone stood up and clapped.
(A) stupidly
(B) madly
(C) shyly
(D) proudly
14. Anna chose a hotel near an MRT station because it would be more _____ for her to get around during her stay in the city.
(A) convenient
(B) common
(C) popular
(D) modern
15. The story Pearl Brown wrote about dogs saving lives _____ into a movie. It will be in theaters in Taiwan in June.
(A) made
(B) making
(C) has been made
(D) that was made

第二部分：題組 (第16-41題，共26題)

(16-17)

Here is a poster for a Halloween party. Read it and answer the questions.



 poster 海報 scary 恐怖的 decorate 裝飾

16. What do we know about the Halloween party?

- (A) It will be held in a big restaurant.
- (B) No one can go to the party without wearing something scary.
- (C) Only students and teachers are invited to it.
- (D) The tickets are only sold before the party.

17. What are people **NOT** going to do at the party?

- (A) Visit a scary place.
- (B) Try to win a prize.
- (C) Make a pumpkin pie.
- (D) Have a big meal.

Teenagers' Corner

Do you have any trouble? Do you ever ask for help? Or do you deal with your problems all by yourself? Share with us your experiences.

Gary

I am the only child in the family, and my parents give me all their love. Ever since I was a child, they have always lent me an ear when I needed it. I'm lucky to have parents like them.

Amanda

I have the best teacher in the world, Ms. Lee, who cares a lot about us. She puts a lovely box in the back of our classroom. If we have any problems at home or school, we can write a note or letter and drop it in the box. And the next day, we will get a letter from her. Isn't she nice?

Sue

I'm a shy girl, so when I have trouble at school, I just keep it to myself. I know it's not right, but I really don't know how to confide in others.

John

When I have something on my mind, I call my best friend, Karen. She is always understanding, so I feel safe talking with her. Usually we two can think of good ways together to fix my problem.

 deal with 處理

18. What does confide in others mean?

- (A) To tell others how you really feel and think.
- (B) To help others when they have trouble.
- (C) To give others a lot of trouble.
- (D) To teach others to open their heart.

19. What can we learn from the reading?

- (A) Gary's parents are too busy to care about him.
- (B) Amanda's teacher has a special way of helping her students.
- (C) Sue thinks it is wrong to talk about her trouble.
- (D) Karen listens to John, but she does not help him much.

Mrs. Lien: Josh, what are you watching? You've spent almost an hour on it.

Josh: Mom, it's a video prepared by my science teacher. She teaches a new lesson in the video. And there are some points I don't quite understand, so I have to watch it for a second time.

Mrs. Lien: You mean your teacher doesn't teach new lessons in class?

Josh: Well, she teaches us outside the classroom.

Mrs. Lien: Then what do you guys do in class?

Josh: We answer questions from the teacher about the video we watched before class. We also ask the teacher questions about the difficult parts. Then we do homework in groups.

Mrs. Lien: Doing homework in class?

Josh: Yes, we're given problems to work on with what we've just learned.

Mrs. Lien: That's totally different from how we learned when your dad and I were students. In class, we listened to the teacher talk, copied, and took notes. We did homework by ourselves at home.

Josh: I know. In fact, most of my teachers still teach that way. But I enjoy this new way of learning more. In Ms. Chang's class, the teacher is no longer the center. We students are. There are so many things for us to do that I never feel bored during her class.

20. How do Ms. Chang's students learn a new science lesson?

- (A) Listen to the lesson in class→watch a video at home→do homework at home.
- (B) Watch a video in class→ask and answer questions in class→do homework at home.
- (C) Read the science book at home→watch a video in class→do homework in class.
- (D) Watch a video at home→ask and answer questions in class→do homework in class.

21. Why is Ms. Chang's class different from other teachers' class?

- (A) Students do not need to take notes.
- (B) She lets students learn from playing.
- (C) She keeps students busy in class.
- (D) She has students make videos.

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September 15, 2017

Right at this moment you are reading, and you may not find it a big deal or feel excited. However, to Florence Cheptoo, a lady in Kenya, being able to read is one of the greatest gifts in life.

Florence learned to read at the age of 60. Before that, she never had a chance to learn. Her parents did not think it was important for girls to go to school. So they married her to a rich man when she was very young. For over 40 years after getting married, she repeated the same housewife job day in and day out.

One day after she turned 60, her granddaughter brought home a book from her elementary school library and told her that the school teachers would start reading lessons for students' parents and grandparents. Florence joined, and that made a big difference.

Reading changed Florence's life for the better. Now she sees herself as part of the modern world and enjoys her life more. The newspaper opens her door to what is happening outside her home. Maps of the world give her ideas about where other countries are. Books on farming help her take better care of the farm and the animals on it. Letters from her family bring her and her family closer. When being asked what kind of books she had special interest in, she answered, "Storybooks. They bring me a lot of pleasure. My mind goes with the writers to many different worlds, to experience many new things."

"Everyone should be able to read," Florence added.

 difference 不同 add 補充說

22. What is the best title for the news story?

 title 標題

- (A) Fun of Reading
- (B) Never Too Late to Learn to Read
- (C) Reading Brings You Everything
- (D) Reading Habits at Age 60

23. Which is **NOT** mentioned about Florence in the reading?

 mention 提及

- (A) When she learned to read.
- (B) How she started reading.
- (C) What she enjoys reading most.
- (D) How many books she reads every month.

24. Which is **NOT** one of the benefits Florence got from reading?

 benefit 好處

- (A) She knew what the outside world was like.
- (B) She learned better ways to do work on the farm.
- (C) She could go abroad by herself.
- (D) She understood her family better.

(25-27)

Dear Martha,

Long time no see. How are you doing?

I'm not fine. In fact, I still feel dismayed at this moment. Last night, when I told my son on the phone that I'd like to go live with him after I turn 75 next year, he asked me if I'd ever thought about staying in an old age home.

The minute I heard that, I couldn't believe my ears! How could he say so? I brought him up until he got married. What's more, I helped him take care of his daughter before she was three. And now he told me to go live in a place where I know nobody. How my heart was broken!

Ruo-hua

Dear Ruohua,

Thank you for writing me the letter. I couldn't be better.

You won't believe it, but I'm planning to move into an old age home next year, a 70th birthday gift I give to myself.

I never had the idea of living with my son and his family. I want to live my own life. If we live together, I'll have to care or worry about them.

My son left home and started to live on his own at the age of 18, which is very common here in the USA. And I didn't help him take care of his kids. That was his and his wife's job, wasn't it? I already spent 18 years doing everything a parent should do.

In the old age home, I'll meet new friends. We'll spend time doing interesting things together. I'll keep learning new things. Isn't that great?

I brought up my son out of love and never thought about how he should pay me back. My only wish is that he enjoys his life. And I'll be as happy as I can in my last years of life.

Cheers!

Martha

25. What does dismayed mean?

- (A) Tired. (B) Excited. (C) Sad. (D) Wonderful.

26. What does Martha think of living in an old age home?

- (A) She welcomes it.
(B) It is the last thing she would do.
(C) It is a good place for rich old people.
(D) Although she thinks it is OK, she does not really like it.

27. What do we know from the reading?

- (A) Both Ruohua and Martha are in their seventies.
(B) Ruohua wants to live with her child, and so does Martha.
(C) Martha agrees with Ruohua that children should take care of their old parents.
(D) Martha is different from Ruohua in whether one should help take care of one's grandchildren.

Lake Town, a two-hundred-year-old town in the east of Magic Land, has its ups and downs.

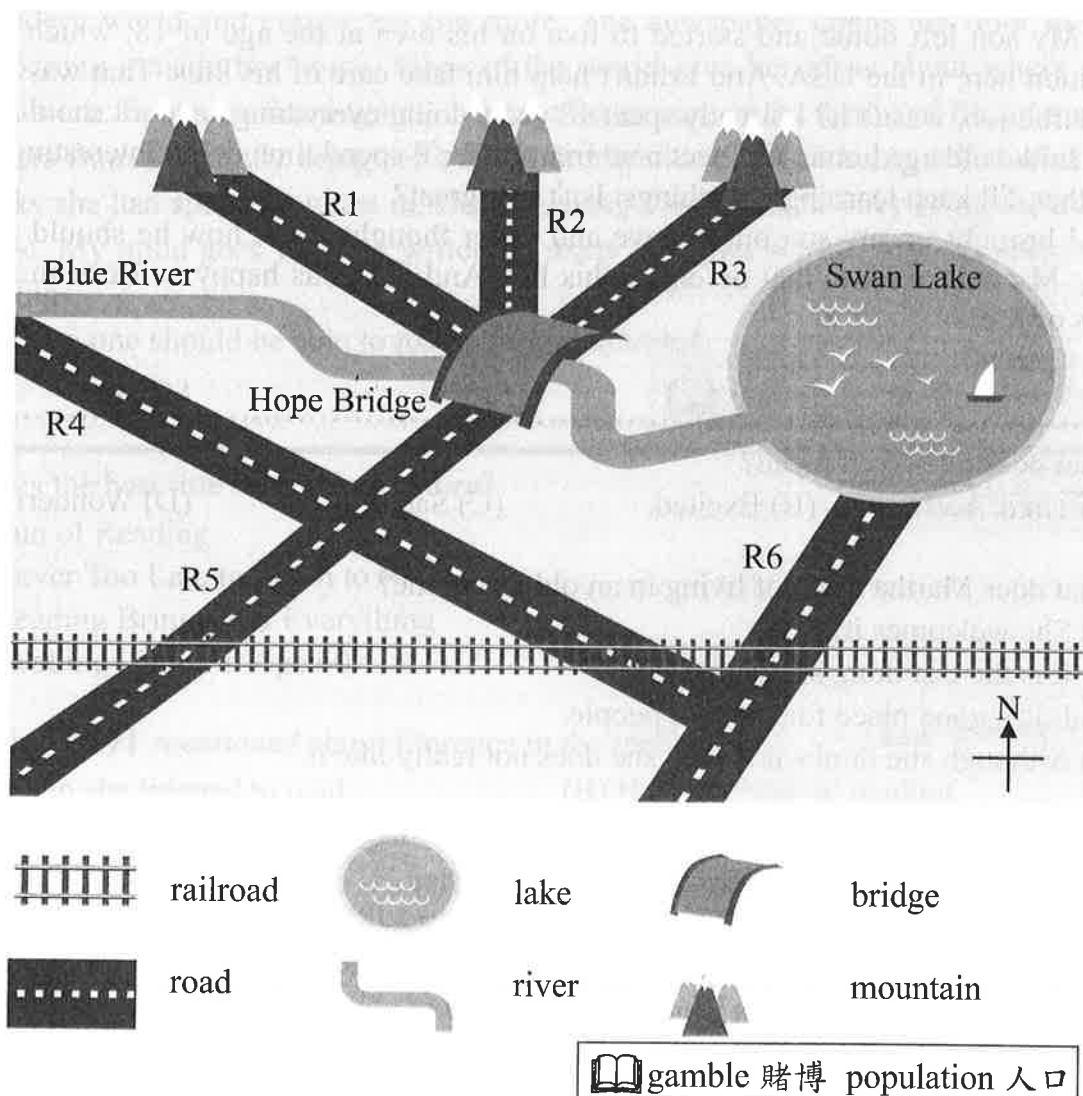
Before 1900, traffic was difficult for the town people because there was no bridge across the Blue River. They had to swim or ride in a small boat to the other side of the river, which could be dangerous in bad weather.

In September, 1960, the Hope Bridge was built, and it was more convenient for the town people to go across the river. After that year, more and more people from other towns began to move into the town, worked there, and started their own families.

In 1980, gold was found in the mountains of Lake Town, and in the next year more than twenty thousand people came looking for gold. Because of the gold, the town people became richer, and a lot of them began to drink, smoke, or gamble, which became a headache for the town. The old-time town people missed their good old days, but they could not think of a way to save their town.

Then, in 2000, the gold in the mountains began to dwindle, so the town people were not as rich as they had been in the past twenty years. A lot of people began to move out of the town.

In 2017, the population of Lake Town was only a little bigger than that in 1961. Now, the town people who stay do not give up their hope. They will work together to make their town a better place.



28. What does dwindle mean?

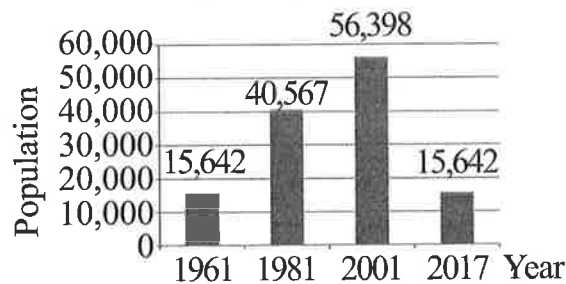
- (A) To become less and less.
- (B) To get higher and higher in price.
- (C) To become more easily found.
- (D) To look not so beautiful.

29. What can we learn from the map of Lake Town?

- (A) The railway goes across the Hope Bridge.
- (B) R6 goes from Swan Lake to the mountains.
- (C) R4 does not meet R5.
- (D) R1, R2, and R3 are south of the mountains.

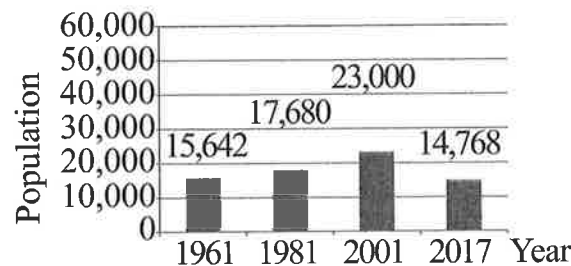
30. Which graph best shows the changes of population in Lake Town from 1960 to 2017?

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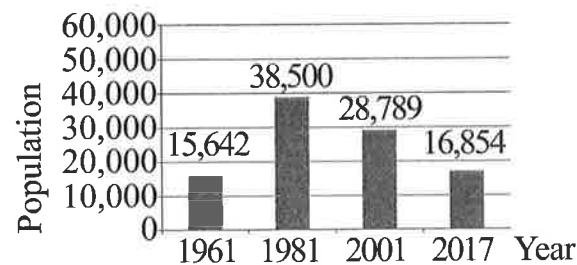


graph 圖表

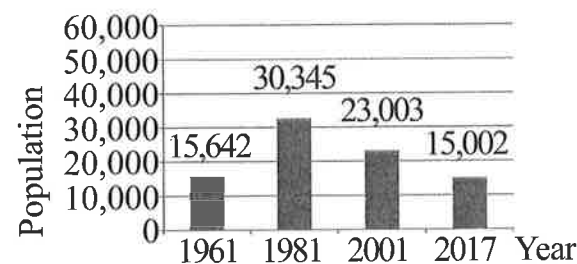
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(C)



(D)



Here are the statistics about mothers in America (the U.S.).

- ◎ On average, U.S. women want to have 2 children in their lifetime.
- ◎ Tuesday is the most popular day of the week for women to give birth to a baby. In 2008, more than 13,415 babies were born on Tuesdays.
- ◎ Among the 195 countries in the world, the U.S. is in the 50th place in the number of mothers who died in childbirth.
- ◎ There were 5 million stay-at-home mothers in 2010—dropping from 5.1 million in 2009 and 5.3 million in 2008.
- ◎ In 2010, 23% of families with children under 15 had a stay-at-home mother, up from 21% in 2000. In 2007, before most businesses across the country failed, the number was 24%.
- ◎ The number of new mothers who worked outside their home rose from 57% in 2006 to 61% in 2008.
- ◎ Since the 1960s, more than 30% of men have done their part in housework, like cleaning, washing clothes, doing dishes. At the same time, the average working mother spent less time on housework by two hours a week.



average 平均 childbirth 分娩 housework 家事

31. What does statistics mean?

- (A) Stories.
- (B) Problems.
- (C) Interesting things.
- (D) Numbers telling of facts.

32. Why have U.S. working mothers spent less time doing housework since the 1960s?

- (A) They had their children do it.
- (B) They were too busy with their work.
- (C) Their husbands helped with housework.
- (D) They paid money to have someone take care of it.

33. What do we learn about U.S. mothers from the reading?

- (A) They like to have their baby born on weekends than on weekdays.
- (B) Fewer mothers chose to stay at home in 2010 than in 2009 and 2008.
- (C) Of all the countries in the world, the U.S. has the smallest number of mothers who died when giving birth to a baby.
- (D) The percentage (%) of families with a stay-at-home mother taking care of children under 15 kept rising from 2000 to 2010.

Jack loves the room he is staying in this school year. Every Saturday morning, Lisa, a lady in her fifties, _____ 34 _____. She always brings him some food she makes. Jack enjoys his time with Lisa. He lost his mother to a strong typhoon when he was 13. Lisa is just like a mother to him.

Jack still remembers the first time he met Lisa. That evening, hearing knocks on the door, he opened the door and saw a middle-aged woman, with a box of cookies in her hands. Seeing her smiling face, he let her in. She told him her name and why she was there. Lisa's son Mark _____ 35 _____ in the same room when he studied at the same school. Mark was a nice and kind man. However, he was killed in a big fire when he was trying to save an old neighbor from the burning house.

Missing her son, Lisa cried her eyes out every day until Mark's teacher told her _____ 36 _____. He said she might like to give her love for her son to other young people. Then Lisa decided to visit each student in the room her son had once stayed.

After hearing Lisa's story, Jack felt sorry for her. He held her hands and thanked her for loving a stranger like him. He also told her what _____ 37 _____ to his mother and that he was happy to have a new mother.

Because of the room, and because of love, Jack and Lisa have found each other as a family.

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| 34. (A) calls and talks with him | (B) pays him a visit |
| (C) sends him a letter | (D) helps to clean his room |
| 35. (A) stays | (B) has stayed |
| (C) used to stay | (D) will stay |
| 36. (A) who to pray for | (B) where to go for help |
| (C) what to do | (D) how to save her son |
| 37. (A) happens | (B) would happen |
| (C) was happening | (D) had happened |

Sneakairs are not only shoes you wear to walk or run. They can be turned into smart shoes that 38.

With Sneakairs on, you don't need to look at a map. All you need to do is have your destination set with the help of an app, and you can start your trip. 39, if you need to turn right, the right shoe will vibrate; and if the left shoe vibrates, you turn left. When you miss the turn, both shoes will vibrate at the same time.

What if you go off the road to take a break for a cup of coffee or snacks before arriving at the destination? Will Sneakairs just keep vibrating to tell you that 40? No worries. "Feeling" your needs, the smart app will plan a new way.

Once you get to your destination, Sneakairs will vibrate three times to let you know it and then stop working as smart shoes until a showing-you-where-to-go job is needed again.

41. They can work for only three hours. It is surely not long enough for you to catch all the must-sees in a new city or town.



destination 目的地 app 應用程式 vibrate 震動

38. (A) help you walk or run faster
(B) show you the way in a new city or town
(C) make you feel comfortable when you have them on
(D) keep your feet from getting hurt when doing exercise
39. (A) After making up your mind
(B) To check where you are
(C) When you get to a street corner
(D) Before crossing the street
40. (A) you are where you've planned to be
(B) you should move faster
(C) you are not far from the destination
(D) you are in the wrong place
41. (A) Sneakairs are what you should not miss on your trip
(B) Many people do not like Sneakairs because they are too expensive
(C) A big problem about Sneakairs is their short life
(D) Sneakairs are already seen in public places

第一部分：辨識句意(第1-3題)

作答說明：每題均有三張圖片，請依據所聽到的句子，選出符合描述的圖片，每題播放兩次。

示例題：你會看到

(A)



(B)



(C)



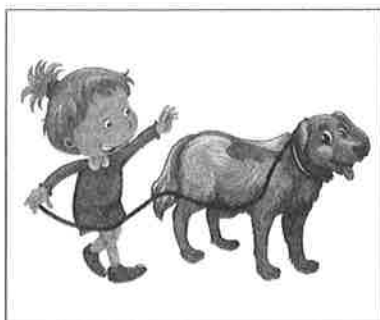
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第 1 題

(A)



(B)



(C)

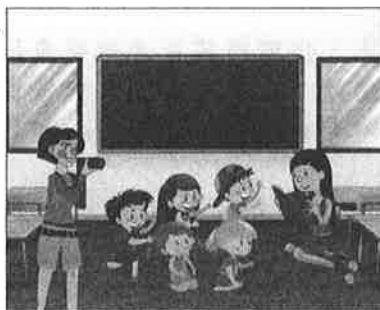


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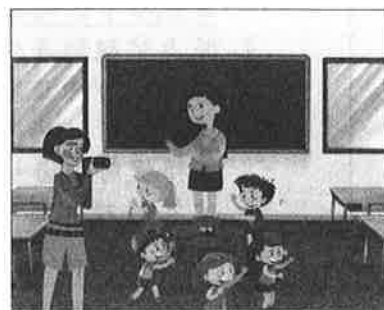
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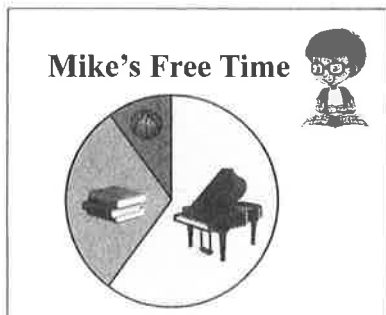


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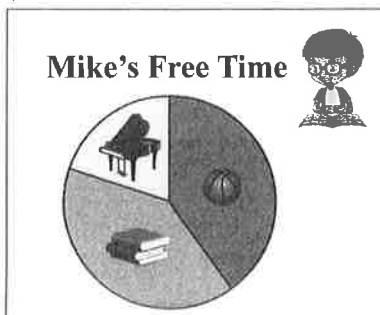


第 3 題

(A)



(B)



(C)



第二部分：基本問答(第4-10題)

作答說明：每題均有三個選項，請依據所聽到的內容，選出一個最適合的回應，每題播放兩次。

示例題：你會看到

- (A) They are students from the USA.
- (B) They practice swimming on weekends.
- (C) They are painting the walls of the classroom.

然後你會聽到……(播音)。依據所播放的內容，正確回應應該選C，請將答案卡該題「©」的地方塗黑、塗滿，即 Ⓐ Ⓑ ● 。

第 4 題

- (A) Sure, I will.
- (B) Never mind.
- (C) That's all right.

第 5 題

- (A) The water is not hot enough.
- (B) See the table next to the door?
- (C) Yes, I need only a little water.

第 6 題

- (A) I'm going on a trip around the world for the first time.
- (B) Yes, I've been to two foreign countries.
- (C) No. I learned from books and newspapers.

第 7 題

- (A) Why not?
- (B) Mind your own business.
- (C) How many times should I tell you?

第 8 題

- (A) There's no free lunch in the world.
- (B) We have the best food in town.
- (C) No need, it's free.

第 9 題

- (A) Yes, the box is beautiful.
- (B) Open it, and you'll know.
- (C) It's not my box. It's yours.

第 10 題

- (A) When did you get home yesterday?
- (B) You did your homework very well.
- (C) This is not your first time.

第三部分：言談理解(第11-21題)

作答說明：每題均有三個選項，請依據所聽到的對話或短文內容，選出一個最適合的答案，每題播放兩次。

示例題：你會看到

(A) 6:20. (B) 6:30. (C) 6:40.

然後你會聽到……(播音)。依據所播放的內容，正確答案應該選B，請將答案卡該題「B」的地方塗黑、塗滿，即 A ● C。

第 11 題

- (A) At a medicine store. (B) In a hospital.
(C) At the school nurse office.

第 12 題

- (A) \$150. (B) \$180. (C) \$360.

第 13 題

- (A) A theater. (B) A library. (C) A TV program.

第 14 題

- (A) No problem. (B) Not possible. (C) Boring.

第 15 題

- (A) To visit his parents. (B) To enjoy life abroad with his wife.
(C) To know more about the country.

第 16 題

- (A) Telling his daughter what to look for in a young man.
(B) Helping his daughter make up her mind.
(C) Asking his daughter to think twice about having a boyfriend.

第 17 題

- (A) He lost something he had borrowed. (B) He cannot find his notebook.
(C) He has no idea where to buy a book he needs.

第 18 題

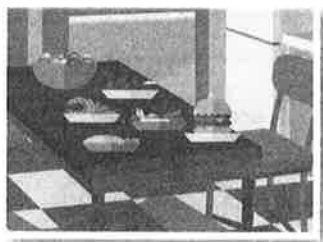
- (A) Behind the yellow sign. (B) In the center of the school. (C) Near a pond.

第 19 題

- (A) Its price. (B) Its inside space. (C) How it looks.

第 20 題

- (A) (B) (C)



第 21 題

- (A) A sick woman. (B) A big trouble. (C) A kind stranger.

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