

外国語（英語）（100点 60分）

注意事項

1. この問題冊子は全部で9ページである。落丁、乱丁、印刷不鮮明の箇所などがあった場合には申し出ること。
2. 解答には黒鉛筆を用い、ボールペン、色鉛筆、万年筆などを使用してはならない。
3. 解答用紙はマーク式解答用紙1枚である。
4. 解答用紙の指定欄に座席番号（数字）、氏名を記入し、さらに座席番号をマークすること。
5. 誤ってマークした場合は、消しゴムで完全に消してからマークしなおすこと。
6. 一つの解答欄に二つ以上マークした場合、その解答欄の解答は無効となる。
7. マーク式解答用紙は、折り曲げたり、破ったり、汚したりしないこと。
8. この問題冊子の余白は自由に利用してよい。
9. 試験終了後、この問題冊子は持ち帰ること。

解答上の注意

問題の各問いには解答番号が表示されている。解答は対応する解答番号の解答欄に、それぞれ1箇所マークすること。

例えば、

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と表示されている問いに対して⑤と解答する場合は、次の(例)のように、解答番号60の解答欄の⑤のマーク位置に解答用紙のマーク例に従ってマークすること。

(例)

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1 次の英文の空所 1 ~ 10 に入る最も適当なものを, ①~④ からそれぞれ一つずつ選び, 解答欄にマークしなさい。

1. I finally 1 on a good idea to increase sales.

- ① threw ② hit ③ received ④ tossed

2. The computer software company 2 just ten years ago.

- ① establish ② established ③ was established
④ has been established

3. My brother is a little lacking 3 courage.

- ① in ② at ③ by ④ with

4. Do you know 4 tennis racket this is?

- ① where ② how ③ whom ④ whose

5. A meal ticket for the conference attendees is available at the entrance of Jason Williams Wing, 5 is the tallest building on our campus.

- ① who ② where ③ which ④ there

6. I had ham and eggs, and two 6 with butter for breakfast this morning.

- ① slice of bread ② slices of bread ③ slice of breads ④ slices bread

7. I wish I 7 my mother's advice at that time.

- ① follow ② be followed ③ have followed ④ had followed

8. 8 it is raining heavily now, I expect the picnic will be called off.

- ① As if ② Since ③ Because of ④ Otherwise

9. Mr. Jonson is for the position of the three candidates, considering work experience.

- ① the most appropriate ② more appropriately ③ appropriateness
④ the more appropriate

10. As written in our policy, we that your order will be delivered within a week.

- ① guarantee ② evaluate ③ utilize ④ summarize

II 次の各日本文の意味を表すように、()内の語句を並べかえて空所を補う時、
11 ~ 20 に入るものを、①~⑤からそれぞれ一つずつ選び、解答欄
にマークしなさい。ただし、文頭に来る語も小文字にしてあります。

1. 今晚映画に行くのはどうですか。

___ 11 ___ 12 ___ going to the movies tonight?
(① you ② to ③ say ④ what ⑤ do)

2. 今朝早く T シャツを着た男性が公園で犬を散歩させているのを見ました。

I ___ 13 ___ a T-shirt 14 ___ in the park early this morning.
(① in ② walking ③ a man ④ his dog ⑤ saw)

3. あなたはパスワードをもっと複雑にすべきです。

You should ___ 15 ___ 16 more ____ .
(① password ② a lot ③ your ④ make ⑤ complicated)

4. ツアーの間に自由行動の機会がまったくなかった。

We didn't ___ ___ 17 18 ___ freely during the tour.
(① to ② chance ③ act ④ have ⑤ any)

5. 人工真珠と天然真珠をひと目で見分けることは非常に難しい。

___ is very ___ ___ artificial pearls 19 natural ones 20 a
glance.
(① to tell ② difficult ③ it ④ at ⑤ from)

Ⅲ 次の会話文を読み、空所 ~ に入る最も適切なものを、①～⑤からそれぞれ一つずつ選び、解答欄にマークしなさい。

A: Hello. Can I help you?

B: Hello, there. Yes, please. I want to buy a book for my son. I wanted to give him something else to do during the summer vacation. Is there something you can recommend?

A: How old is your son?

B: He's going to be 10 next week.

A: I see. Well, here are some books that are popular with boys that age. Is there any specific genre of books, TV or movies that he likes?

B: He's keen on that TV show about the boy detective. He's always talking about it.

A: Ah. George Drake P.I.?

B: That's the one.

A: Well, there is a new series of books that has just been published. Here they are. The age range mentioned here is for readers of about 10-16. There are five books in the series.

B: Wonderful. I think I'll buy all five.

A: OK. Great. Just come over once you finish shopping.

- ① They should be perfect for your son.
 - ② I've forgotten the name.
 - ③ I'll take them to the cash register.
 - ④ He's always playing video games.
 - ⑤ Certainly, sir.
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- IV** 次の英文を読み、各設問の答えとして最も適当なものを、①～④からそれぞれ一つずつ選び、解答欄にマークしなさい。

Last summer, I was given some time off from work by my company. I took the time to reflect on how I was spending my life. Although I enjoyed my work life, my daily and weekly routine was quite boring and repetitive, I thought. One day, I came across a website that featured stories of people that had tried something called ‘the 30-day challenge.’ In the challenge, you try to do something for 30 days straight. Some of the examples were of people doing something relatively simple, like taking a photo every day. Some of the more difficult things people tried to do included avoiding eating any sugar or even writing a 50,000-word novel! For this latter challenge, people need to aim to write 1,667 words a day for a whole month! The challenge I decided upon was rather plainer. I decided to cycle the 10 km to and from my work, instead of using my car. Although it was hard at first, I soon started to enjoy it! After one month, I felt and looked healthier than before I started. I really recommend anyone to give the 30-day challenge a try.

1. Why did the author try the 30-day challenge?

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- ① He was told to do it by his company.
- ② He won a competition on the Internet to try it.
- ③ His colleague recommended it to him.
- ④ He thought his daily life was always the same.

2. What does the author say about some of the challenges that people take on?

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- ① They are quite boring or repetitive.
- ② People don't have to complete them in 30 days.
- ③ They are all listed in a novel.
- ④ Some of them are easier than others.

3. What is said about writing a novel?

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- ① It can often be completed in a short amount of time.
- ② There are a certain number of words people should try to write every day.
- ③ It is the most difficult challenge that the author found on the website.
- ④ Most of the books that are written are very interesting.

4. What challenge did the writer decide to take on?

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- ① Writing a novel.
- ② Giving up sugar for a month.
- ③ Using his bicycle instead of his car to commute to work.
- ④ Walking from his house to his job.

5. What does the author say about the 30-day challenge?

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- ① He thinks it is too difficult for most people.
 - ② He recommends that people try something simple.
 - ③ He says it can be quite boring and repetitive.
 - ④ He thinks other people should try it.
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V 次の英文を読んで、設問に答えなさい。

I was almost late in sending this essay to my editor for the usual reason I am sometimes late in doing many things: I had my nose in a book and lost **31** of time.

I read constantly, both for pleasure and at my job editing newspapers. There is a book on my bedside table, another in the living room, several on my desk, even one in my car in case I have to wait at an appointment. **32**

My family will tell you that if our house was on fire and they were fleeing the flames, they would expect to see me in my armchair with a book in front of my face, saying, “Go ahead, I’ll be with you as soon as I finish this chapter.”

It is said that experience is the best teacher, but what is a book if not a record of someone’s experience? Books, whether fiction or non-fiction, are batteries of knowledge that has been collected and stored like energy.

Non-fiction books such as biographies and textbooks provide the reader with information gathered from the author’s research and experience. **33**

Works of fiction – novels, short stories, even comic books – tell us a story. **34** Such stories teach us how to see the world through another person’s eyes, to have some understanding for other points of view, to imagine things we have not experienced ourselves.

Numerous studies have shown that children whose parents read to them at a young age learn to read more quickly and are more successful in school.

One of my favorite writers, Spider Robinson, once said that his mother **(35) tricked** him into learning to read as a child. She would read to him from a fairy tale or a comic book and – just as the suspense peaked at the climax of the story, just as the bad guy was about to defeat the hero – she would put the book down and tell him she had chores to do. **36**

As the fantasy and science-fiction author George R.R. Martin once wrote, putting the words in the mouth of one of his characters: “A mind needs a book like a sword needs a whetstone if it is to keep its edge.”

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have one's nose in a book 本に夢中である

put the words in the mouth of ... …に言わせる

whetstone 砥石

1. 空所 に入る最も適切なものを①～④から一つ選びなさい。

- ① road ② track ③ line ④ trace

2. 空所 , , , に入る最も適切なものを①～④からそれぞれ一つずつ選びなさい。

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- ① If he wanted to know what happened next, he would have to read it himself.
- ② Like a newspaper article, such books give the readers the facts about who, what, where, when and why.
- ③ I would probably read in the shower if I could figure out a way to keep the pages dry.
- ④ The author creates a world, fills it with characters and shows us how those characters think, what they feel, what lies behind the actions they take.

3. 下線部 (35) の意味に最も近いものを①～④から一つ選びなさい。

- ① requested ② prevented ③ deceived ④ surprised

4. 以下の各文が本文の内容と一致していれば解答欄の①を, 一致していなければ②をマークしなさい。

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The author sometimes reads a book in his car.

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When the author's house was on fire, he was reading a book and didn't notice the fire.

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Studies have shown that if parents read to their children in their early years, they will do well in school.

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One of Mr. Martin's characters says that our mind needs books to keep it sharp.

(問題 終 わ り)