

A 日程・英語専攻
A日程ハイレベル[英語重視]

英 語 問 題

(リスニングを含む)

2024年2月5日

自 15:00

至 15:50

答案作成上の注意

- 英語のページは

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 までである。
- 問題は

問題1

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問題4

 までである。
- 解答は、すべて解答用紙の指定された欄に、記入すること。
- 受験番号は、指定された箇所に必ず記入し、氏名その他解答以外のことを解答用紙に書かないこと。

問題 1

この問題には第1部と第2部があります。

第1部

英文と質問が2回読まれます。質問の答えとして正しいと思われるものを1つ選び、番号で答えなさい。

Question No. 1

1. At school.
2. At Jennifer's dormitory.
3. At a train station.
4. At Jennifer's apartment.

Question No. 2

1. It was quite boring.
2. It was fun.
3. It was not so busy.
4. It was very busy.

Question No. 3

1. The Little Mermaid animation.
2. A live-action version of the Little Mermaid.
3. A documentary about Disney Studios.
4. They are not going to see a movie.

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Question No. 4

1. He is going to buy some camping equipment.
2. He is going to take a walk.
3. He is going to go to *karaoke*.
4. He is going to eat.

Question No. 5

1. They are going to watch a movie.
2. They are going to decide where to eat.
3. They are going to go to *karaoke*.
4. They are going to catch a bus.

第2部

英文が2回読まれます。その内容に合う文を以下の中から5つ選び、番号の小さい順に左から解答欄に記しなさい。

1. Single-use plastics easily disappear once they are thrown into the sea or rivers.
2. From 2020, the government made all shops charge a fee for plastic bags.
3. The percentage of shoppers who did not take plastic bags at checkout at supermarkets in Japan reached 80% in 2021.
4. A survey showed that plastic bags given out in Japan were reduced by almost half between 2019 and 2021.
5. Plastic bags are only 10.2% of the total amount of plastic waste in Japan.
6. One city in Kyoto made businesses provide plastic bags for their customers.
7. If stronger actions are taken, the amount of plastic waste will increase by three times by 2060.
8. The national government has taken two actions to further reduce plastic waste.
9. Hotels are affected by one of the actions that began in April 2022.
10. An expert in the plastic waste problem suggested that governments and businesses must pick up garbage by hand and recycle it.

問題 2

以下の英文を読み、問いに答えよ。

McCartney: 'Final Beatles Record' Out This Year Aided by AI

A “final Beatles record”, created with the help of artificial intelligence, will be released later this year, Paul McCartney told the BBC in an interview broadcast. “It was a demo that John (Lennon) had, and that we worked on, and we just finished,” said McCartney, who turns 81 next week.

The Beatles — Lennon, McCartney, George Harrison and Ringo Starr — split in 1970, with each (A) on to have solo careers, but they never reunited. Lennon was shot dead in New York in 1980 aged 40 while Harrison died of lung cancer in 2001, aged 58.

⁽¹⁾McCartney did not name the song that has been recorded but according to the BBC it is likely to be a 1978 Lennon composition called “Now And Then”. The track — one of several on a cassette^{*1} that Lennon had recorded for McCartney a year before his death — was given to him by Lennon’s widow Yoko Ono in 1994.

Two of the songs, “Free As A Bird” and “Real Love”, were cleaned up by the producer Jeff Lynne, and (B) in 1995 and 1996. ⁽²⁾An attempt was made to do the same with “Now And Then” but the project was abandoned because of background noise on the demo. McCartney, who has previously talked about (C) to finish the song, said AI had given him a new chance to do so.

Working with Peter Jackson, the film director behind the 2021 documentary series “The Beatles: Get Back”, AI was used to separate Lennon’s voice and a piano. “They tell the machine, ‘That’s the voice. This is a guitar. Lose the guitar,’” he explained. “So when we came (D) what will be the last Beatles’ record, it was a demo that John had and we were able to take John’s voice and get it pure through this AI. ^(A)Then we can mix the record, as you would normally do. So it gives you some sort of leeway^{*2}.”

McCartney performed a two-hour set at last year’s Glastonbury^{*3} festival in

England, (E) Beatles' classics to the 100,000-strong*⁴ crowd. The set included a virtual duet with Lennon of the song "I've Got a Feeling", from the Beatles' last album "Let It Be".

Last month, Sting*⁵ warned that "defending our human capital*⁶ against AI" would be a major battle for musicians in the coming years. The use of AI in music is the subject of debate in the industry, with some denouncing*⁷ copyright abuses and others praising its (B) prowess*⁸. (3) McCartney said the use of the technology was "kind of scary but exciting because it's the future", adding: "We'll just have to see where that leads."

(Adapted from Voice of America, June 13, 2023)

[注]

cassette*¹: カセットテープ

leeway*²: (判断・行動などの) (自由) 裁量

Glastonbury*³: グラストンベリー (イングランド南西部の町)

100,000-strong*⁴: 総勢 10 万名の

Sting*⁵: スティング (イングランド出身のミュージシャン)

human capital*⁶: 人的資本 (人間が持つ能力を資本として捉えた経済学の概念)

denounce*⁷: 公然と非難する

prowess*⁸: すぐれた能力

問1 (A) から (E) の空所に入れるのに最も適当なものを1から4の中から選べ。

(A) 1. go 2. going 3. gone 4. to go

(B) 1. release 2. releasing 3. released 4. to release

(C) 1. want 2. wanting 3. wanted 4. to want

(D) 1. make 2. making 3. made 4. to make

(E) 1. play 2. playing 3. played 4. to play

問2 二重下線部(A)における as と同じ意味の as が使われている文として最も適当なものを以下の1から4の中から1つ選べ。

1. Many of us suffer visual problems as we get old.
2. As we later discovered, the system didn't work out very well.
3. I can't attend the meeting as I have a prior engagement.
4. Just as I entered the room, the phone rang.

問3 波線部(ア) him と(イ) do so の内容を具体的に表している本文中の語句を英語で書け。

問4 下線部(1)から(3)を日本語に訳せ。ただし, "Now And Then" は「ナウ・アンド・ゼン」とすること。

問5 二重下線部(B)はこの英文全体を踏まえると, どのようなことを指しているか。日本語で具体的に説明せよ。

問題 3

次の会話を英語にせよ。

(1) A : ニューヨークに来るのは初めてですか？

B : はい, 初めてです。ずっとここに来たいと思っていたので, とてもうれしいです。

(2) A : あなたは, SDGs が何の略であるか, 知っていますか？

B : いいえ, 知りません。私の辞書は新しくないので載っていませんでした。教えていただけますか？

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問題 4

次の日本語の文を英語にせよ。

- (1) 数学が苦手な生徒は往々にして、正解ではなく、ある疑問にたどりつく。
- (2) 何でこんな勉強をするのか。
- (3) 将来、いったい何の役に立つというのか。
- (4) 10代の筆者もよく、そんな嘆きを重ねていた。

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