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英 語

(30 分)

<注 意>

1. 開始のチャイムが鳴るまで、この冊子を開いてはいけません。
2. 問題は 1 ページから 7 ページに印刷されています。
3. 受験番号と氏名は解答用紙の定められたところに記入しなさい。
4. 解答はすべて解答用紙の定められたところに記入しなさい。

受 験 番 号			

試験問題は次のページから始まります。

I 次の()に入る最も適切な語(句)を1つずつ選び、記号で答えなさい。

1. When () to Australia?
あ. Tom went い. did Tom go う. has Tom gone え. has Tom been
2. I don't think I can finish the job () a few days.
あ. on い. at う. in え. during
3. () students could answer the question. It was too difficult.
あ. Many い. Little う. Every え. Few
4. I ride a bicycle every day, even when it's cold in winter. I need a new () of gloves.
あ. piece い. loaf う. pair え. sheet
5. You see the elderly man jogging over there. Do you know how ()?
あ. old he is い. old is he う. is he old え. he is old
6. () a good English essay takes a lot of practice.
あ. Write い. Writing う. You write え. If you write
7. Tell him () too much coffee before going to bed.
あ. not to drink い. to drink not う. not drinking え. drinking not
8. When you are young, you should read () as you can.
あ. many books い. many as books う. as books many え. as many books
9. I'm going out. If Tom (), please tell him that I'll be back soon.
あ. calls い. will call う. called え. is calling
10. I had a lot of things to do this morning, () I forgot to mail this letter.
あ. though い. after う. so え. when

Ⅱ 次の各組の文がほぼ同じ意味になるように、() に最も適切な語を入れたとき、(*) に入る語を答えなさい。

1. Look at the photo taken by Paul.
Look at the photo () Paul (*).
2. I'd like to have one more glass of juice, please.
I'd like (*) glass of juice, please.
3. My grandfather usually doesn't wear glasses to read books.
My grandfather usually reads books () (*) glasses.
4. Shall I open the window?
Do you want () (*) open the window?
5. She hasn't written to me for a long time.
I haven't (*) () her for a long time.

Ⅲ 次の対話が完成するように、() に最も適切な語を入れたとき、(*) に入る語を答えなさい。

1. A: () French (*) by a native French teacher at your school?
B: Yes. We have two native teachers from Paris. Their classes are popular.
2. A: Excuse me, (*) () I get to Ueno Station from here?
B: Take the Yamanote Line going towards Tokyo Station. It's five stops from here.
3. A: Dad, I have soccer practice tomorrow morning, so I have to get up much (*) () usual.
B: Well, you should stop playing video games and go to bed soon.
4. A: Do you know how () (*) Mr. Tanaka speaks?
B: I know it's at least three. He speaks Japanese, Chinese, and English, right?
5. A: How long are you staying in Tokyo?
B: For about a month. I will be here (*) Saturday next week.

IV 次の2つの英文を読み、それぞれの問いの にあてはまる最も適切なものを1つずつ選び、記号で答えなさい。

[1]

One day in September 1999, Joan Murray was skydiving. Skydivers jump out of airplanes with two parachutes on and fall towards the ground before opening their parachutes. Unfortunately, Joan's main parachute did not open. She was falling very fast towards the ground. To help keep skydivers safe they have one more parachute. They call it a spare. Joan's spare parachute did open but it broke after a few seconds. She hit the ground very hard and almost died. Her heart stopped beating. However, Joan had landed in a *mound of *fire ants. Fire ants give painful burning *stings. Amazingly, it was these stings which saved Joan's life. The stings started her heart beating again. Three years later, Joan jumped out of an airplane again. This time her parachute opened correctly and she landed on the ground safely.

注: *mound 山 *fire ant ヒアリ *sting とげ

The paragraph is about .

- あ. why skydivers should always have a spare parachute
- い. how Joan Murray survived her skydiving accident
- う. what fire ants do when people's hearts stop beating
- え. how Joan Murray became a popular skydiver after her accident

[2]

Across the United States, National Cook A Sweet Potato Day celebrates a *root vegetable that has a lot of flavor and an interesting history, too. The sweet potato is loved and eaten every day by millions of people across the nation. Either Central America or South America is thought to be the origin of sweet potatoes. In Central America, sweet potatoes were introduced at least 5,000 years ago. The sweet potato is an excellent source of vitamin A. It supports good vision, the *immune system, and bone growth. So, how will you celebrate Sweet Potato Day? The best way is to plant sweet potatoes in your garden. They are very easy to grow. Plant them in late spring to early summer. It takes 90 to 120 days for sweet potatoes to be ready for harvest after planting.

注: *root vegetable 根菜 *immune 免疫

According to the paragraph, you can celebrate Sweet Potato Day by .

- あ. studying the history of Central America
- い. cooking and eating a lot of sweet potatoes
- う. learning about vitamins and your health
- え. growing sweet potatoes in your garden

V 次の英文を読み、あとの問いに答えなさい。

“Sir, I don’t think I can do this. My family has a trip planned for Christmas.”

Lily could hear that her mom, Susan, was *urging the caller A the phone.

“Are you sure you can’t wait just a couple more days? No? Fine, I will come and pick him B .

Lily walked into the kitchen and found her mother with her head in her hands.

“ (a) ” Lily asked.

“Sweetie, I need to go and save a *stray dog from a farm. ① [あ. found い. is う. him え. to
お. who か. the farmer き. ready く. take] him to the *pound. He says he can’t wait until after Christmas.”

“Oh no, we can’t let that happen. When are we going?” Lily loved helping her mom when she was saving animals.

“Well, it will mean we wouldn’t be able to go to Grandma’s house. So, are you sure about this?”

“ (b) ” Lily said. She ran up to her mom and held her tight.

“I am proud that my mom has an animal rescue and I love **【 be 】** your partner.”

Two years ago, Lily’s mom started an animal rescue for stray *Labrador Retrievers. In truth, they saved all kinds of animals, but they really loved them.

Lily and her mom put a box, a blanket, and some *Milk-Bones in the back of the car. The farmer had told Susan that this dog was very thin and hungry.

The trip took about an hour and by the time Lily and her mom arrived at the farm, ② it was () outside, and very (). This was not the kind of night any animal should stay outside alone.

“Lily, I will go first. I don’t see any lights on, so I want to make sure it’s safe.”

“③ Not a chance.” Lily insisted, “I am going too.”

So the pair walked to the front door and knocked and knocked, but there was no answer.

Then Lily saw a piece of paper between the *crevices of the door. She carefully pulled it C and handed it to her mom. The note simply said, “We’re in the backyard.”

“Oh my goodness,”

Susan said, “What is going on?”

“A rescue!” Lily said with a smile.

Lily and Susan carefully made their way towards the backyard. All of a sudden, out of the darkness, they heard a loud sound coming straight at them. ④ Susan put her body in front of Lily’s, .

However, they felt at ease when they saw the dog. It was a beautiful black Labrador Retriever. The dog seemed to be smiling. He stopped and sat down in front of them. He was as friendly as they come, with big ears and a long tongue.

“ (c) ” Lily said as she began to *pet him from head to toe.

“Yes, he is. He is just skin and bones. Poor guy.”

“(d)” Lily shouted. “That can be his name. ⑤ Let’s call him Bones!”

Susan laughed as she said, “Of course we can, Dear, of course we can.”

They put Bones in the car and went back home. He was quite the gentleman in the car and ate nearly all of his Milk-Bones.

As they arrived back at home, Bones really started *wagging his tail as he knew he was safe.

Later that night, Lily and her mom made a bed for Bones. He jumped right up and 【fall】 asleep. Lily put the last few Milk-Bones by his side.

“Mom, this is what Christmas is all about, helping and giving to others. And we helped Bones.”

“Yes we did, Lily. This has turned out to be a wonderful Christmas Eve.”

The next morning was Christmas. Lily jumped from her bed and ran downstairs to look for their new family member sleeping in his new home.

She looked on his bed, but he wasn’t there. She decided to go into the kitchen as all dogs love the kitchen. But he wasn’t there either. Lily was beginning to get worried.

Finally, Lily went into the office. In the office, there was their Christmas tree. And Bones was sitting beside the tree with the last few Milk-Bones by his side.

Lily knew this Christmas would be one to remember. ⑥ She learned that giving is far better than (r).
And she learned this from a very special stray dog named Bones.

注：*urge 強く言う *stray dog 野良犬 *pound 収容所

*Labrador Retriever ラブラドル・レトリバー（犬の一種）

*Milk-Bone ミルクボーン（犬用ビスケットの商品名） *crevice 細い割れ目

*pet 優しくなでる *wag （尾を）振る

1. 本文中の【be】、【fall】を文脈に合うように直しなさい。ただし、語数は1語のままとする。
2. 本文中の【A】～【C】に入る最も適切な語を1つずつ選び、記号で答えなさい。ただし、同じ記号は一度しか使えない。
あ. out い. to う. on
え. of お. after か. up
3. 本文中の【(a)】～【(d)】に入る最も適切な表現を1つずつ選び、記号で答えなさい。ただし、同じ記号は一度しか使えない。
あ. Oh mom, he is so skinny.
い. Of course!
う. That’s it!
え. What’s wrong, mom?

4. 下線部① [あ. found い. is う. him え. to お. who か. the farmer き. ready く. take] を意味が通るように並べ替えたとき、2 番目と8 番目にくる語を記号で答えなさい。ただし、先頭にくる語も小文字になっている。
5. 下線部② it was () outside, and very () の空所それぞれに入る最も適切な組み合わせを 1 つ選び、記号で答えなさい。
あ. bright — cold い. bright — warm
う. dark — cold え. dark — warm
6. 下線部③ Not a chance. が意味するものとして最も適切なものを 1 つ選び、記号で答えなさい。
あ. 「そうはいかないわ」
い. 「いい考えね」
う. 「偶然じゃないわ」
え. 「きっと平気よ」
7. 下線部④ Susan put her body in front of Lily's, . の空所に入る最も適切なものを 1 つ選び、記号で答えなさい。
あ. because Lily said she was cold
い. as the dog could be dangerous
う. as she was trying to give some Milk-Bones to the dog
え. because she couldn't hear the sound clearly
8. 下線部⑤ Let's call him Bones! と述べた理由として最も適切なものを 1 つ選び、記号で答えなさい。
あ. Lily は飼いたい犬の名前を前から決めていたから。
い. Lily は犬用の骨を車に積んできていたから。
う. その犬は Milk-Bone が大好きだったから。
え. その犬はとても痩せていたから。
9. 下線部⑥ She learned that giving is far better than (r). の空所に入る最も適切な語を頭文字を参考に書きなさい。
10. 本文の内容と一致するものを 1 つ選び、記号で答えなさい。
あ. 2 年前から Susan は野良犬の救助を専門として活動していた。
い. 依頼主の庭で見つけた犬は、見るからに危険そうだった。
う. Bones を連れて家に帰るとき、車の中で Bones はとてもおとなしかった。
え. 救助の翌朝、Lily が起きると Bones はキッチンにいた。

Ⅵ 12歳の自分に手紙を送れるとしたら、どんなアドバイスをしますか。以下の英語に続けて書きなさい。
さらに、それに対する理由や説明を、15語以上の英語で書きなさい。複数の文を書いても良い。なお、
ピリオド、コンマなどの符号は語数に含めない。

(1) I would write a letter to the “12-year-old me” and tell myself _____.
(語数制限なし)

(2) 15語以上の英語

