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英 語 (80 分)

注 意 事 項

1. 試験開始の合図があるまで、この問題冊子を開いてはいけません。
2. 問題冊子は、1 ページから 18 ページまであります。解答用紙は、2 枚からなっており、「1」はマーク式、「2」は記述式です。ページの脱落等に気付いたときは、手をあげて監督者に知らせなさい。
3. 監督者の指示に従って、すべての解答用紙の受験番号欄に受験番号を記入し、マーク欄にマークしなさい。
4. 解答はすべて、解答用紙の指定された欄にマーク又は記入しなさい。
5. 受験番号のマーク時及び解答用紙「1」の解答には、必ず黒鉛筆(H, F, HBに限る)及びプラスチック製の消しゴムを使用し、「マーク例」に従って、正しくマークしなさい。黒鉛筆以外のもの(シャープペンシル等)を使用してマークした場合、マークが薄い場合、一部分しかマークしていない場合、訂正箇所を消しゴムできれいに消していない(消し跡が残っている)場合は、マークが正しく読み取れず、採点できないことがあります。
6. 解答用紙の網掛け部分及び※を付した欄には、何も記入してはいけません。
7. 問題冊子の白紙と余白は下書きに適宜利用してもよいが、どのページも切り離してはいけません。
8. 試験終了後、この問題冊子は持ち帰りなさい。

# I

1 Read the following text and answer the question below.

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【出典(一部改変) : <https://ft.com/>】

Which of the following is the main idea of the text?

- A. AI is becoming more and more influential in the present state of the job market — certainly a blessing for job seekers.
- B. Job applications are widely judged by AI and the question of who — or what — will review your application remains unanswered.
- C. The use of AI in processing job applications provides many merits for employers.
- D. Every job application gets fed into a black box of AI and sometimes is rejected, based on clear criteria.

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Which of the following statements is true?

- A. All the moons are formally named after Canadian Inuit gods.
- B. 274 new moons were discovered with the Canada-France-Hawaii telescope.
- C. Jupiter has regained the title of “moon king” because it may have more new moons.
- D. The Canada-France-Hawaii telescope has contributed to giving Saturn the title of “moon king.”

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【出典(一部改変) : <https://sciencejournalforkids.org/>】

Which of the following best fills [ X ]?

- A. a person's ability to complete tasks with the robotic arm
- B. the angle at which the robotic arm moved
- C. the spinal cord injury
- D. the strength of the robotic arm

- 4 Choose the best answer from A—D to rearrange the following sentences in the best order.

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- A. ②—⑥—①—③—⑤—④
- B. ⑥—①—⑤—③—④—②
- C. ③—①—⑤—②—⑥—④
- D. ⑥—④—①—③—⑤—②

## II

Read the following text and choose the most appropriate word or phrase from A—D to fill in ( 1 )—( 10 ).

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| (1) A. key       | B. norm        | C. technology | D. term      |
| (2) A. interest  | B. invent      | C. obey       | D. prove     |
| (3) A. discover  | B. improve     | C. observe    | D. recover   |
| (4) A. instance  | B. reduction   | C. surge      | D. valuation |
| (5) A. extend    | B. follow      | C. mention    | D. move      |
| (6) A. beat      | B. hook        | C. reserve    | D. stick     |
| (7) A. about     | B. from        | C. in         | D. upon      |
| (8) A. drag      | B. incorporate | C. mean       | D. renew     |
| (9) A. bit       | B. idea        | C. use        | D. way       |
| (10) A. Although | B. However     | C. No matter  | D. Once      |

### Ⅲ

Read the following text and answer the questions below.

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【出典(一部改変) : <https://www.washingtonpost.com/>】

1 Choose the word or phrase from A—D which is closest in meaning to ①—⑤.

- ① A. break down    B. open up    C. travel over    D. turn around  
② A. Decreasing    B. Few    C. Grades of    D. Many  
③ A. cost    B. danger    C. energy    D. resistance  
④ A. clock out    B. focus on    C. lift up    D. result in  
⑤ A. competed    B. fixed    C. invested    D. supported

2 Choose the best answer for each question.

(1) Why might electric ferries be better than diesel ferries?

- A. Environmentally-aware governments like Sweden can promote their image.  
B. Passengers can enjoy a smoother ride with less up and down.  
C. They are faster and require less fossil fuel.  
D. They will have fewer accidents.

(2) Which port city was NOT mentioned as a place where there are too many ships?

- A. Mumbai  
B. New York  
C. San Francisco  
D. Shanghai

- (3) Who contributed the most to the research and development of the hydrofoil used in the electric ferries?
- A. Employees of the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
  - B. Enrico Forlanini
  - C. Gustav Hasselskog
  - D. Valentin Simon
- (4) Based on this article, in theory, when might ships using only fossil fuels be discontinued?
- A. In less than 10 years
  - B. In more than 10 years
  - C. They will never be discontinued.
  - D. Several centuries from now
- (5) Which of the following statements is true?
- A. Fast, environmentally-friendly, battery-powered ferries have been sold.
  - B. Ferries are easy to electrify because they make long journeys with infrequent stops.
  - C. Batteries take up less space and weigh less than liquid fuels.
  - D. Thousands of electric ships will be carrying containers across oceans next year.

## IV

Answer the questions below.

1 A train made a journey from a city in the north of the country to a city in the south, covering a total distance of 500 kilometers. For the first two hours, the train traveled at a consistent average speed of 120 kilometers per hour, smoothly gliding through the scenic countryside. However, the train had to stop for 15 minutes to allow an express train to pass. After that, the remainder of the journey required traveling at a reduced speed of 80 kilometers per hour due to high winds.

How long did the entire train journey take?

2 Kimi loves collecting refrigerator magnets. Whenever she travels, she buys a magnet as a souvenir. Last month she visited France, Germany, Austria, and Hungary and bought four magnets to add to her collection, which looked impressive, but she thought she had too many magnets for the size of her refrigerator.

Then Kimi invited her niece, Yui, to take some of the magnets from the collection. Yui was so happy that she wanted to take most of the magnets but carefully chose one third of the collection. After Yui left, Kimi counted the number of magnets, and there were now only twenty-eight left.

How many magnets did Kimi have before her trip to the four countries?

3 Emi, Gaku, Hiroki, and Yuki are four musicians in a band based in Nagoya. They have been practicing together for two years, usually in a small studio in the Osu area. Each person plays one of these instruments: guitar, bass, drums, or keyboard. They often argue about what to listen to in the tour van, as they each have a different favorite style of music: rock, jazz, classical, or pop. The person who plays bass has a love of classical music. Hiroki is the band's drummer. He arranged their most recent tour which was a series of three nights of shows at a club in Osaka, and they are hoping to play there again soon. Emi does not play the bass or the keyboard. Yuki, the newest member, prefers listening to pop music. The guitarist in the band likes rock music and usually listens to it but is skilled enough to play other genres such as jazz. Gaku does not play the keyboard.

What instrument is played by the person who likes jazz?

4 Choose the statement or statements from A—G to describe the table correctly. Circle the letter(s) on the answer sheet.

The table below shows the frequency of eating breakfast, categorized by gender and age group. The figures in the table indicate the percentage of respondents.

Distribution of Breakfast Eating Habits across Gender and Age Categories

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【出典：農林水産省「食育に関する意識調査」(令和5(2023)年11月実施)】

- A. Among all respondents, more than 20% skip breakfast on more than half the days in a week.
- B. Among all respondents, a quarter belonged to the younger generation (ages 20–39).
- C. Both men and women have breakfast more often as they age.
- D. In every age group, men are more likely than women to have a habit of eating breakfast.
- E. In the younger generation, irregular breakfast habits, such as eating 2–3 times or 4–5 times a week, are more common than in other age groups.
- F. Over 80% of men aged 40–59 eat breakfast at least twice a week.
- G. There are no respondents who are unaware of their own breakfast habits.

## V

以下の問いに答えなさい。

次のグラフは、世界の主なエネルギー源別電力消費量の推移を表します。資料をもとに、今後のエネルギー政策に関するあなたの意見を60—80語の英語で書きなさい。

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