

准考證號碼

注意事項	請先在試題卷首准考證號碼之方格內填上自己的准考證號碼，考完後將「答案卡」及「試題」一併繳回。
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一、文法選擇 (共 10 題，每題 2 分，共 20 分)

說明: 下列 1 至 10 題，每題均有一個空格，請於(A)、(B)、(C)、(D)四個選項中，選出一個最恰當的答案。

- Many university students often put off _____ an important paper until the night before.
(A) write (B) writing (C) written (D) to write
- Some tropical fish have three or more colors, _____ blue, green and pink.
(A) because of (B) as a result (C) such as (D) so that
- Susan is 180 centimeters tall. Nancy is 170 centimeters tall. Amy is 150 centimeters tall. Susan is the _____ them all.
(A) tall than (B) taller than (C) tallest than (D) tallest of
- I _____ in Japan since 2000.
(A) am (B) was (C) have been (D) will be
- It is a beautiful day, _____?
(A) it is (B) is it (C) it isn't (D) isn't it
- I don't know _____.
(A) you are who (B) who you are (C) you who are (D) are you who
- Many young people are _____ in playing video games.
(A) interest (B) interests (C) interesting (D) interested
- _____ well after you stop working, you should begin saving now.
(A) To live (B) Living (C) Live (D) Lived
- _____ he was very sick, Tom went to school.
(A) Although (B) If (C) Because (D) Since
- I _____ have long hair. Now my hair is quite short.
(A) am used to (B) used to (C) used (D) used up

二、字彙及片語 (共 15 題，每題 2 分，共 30 分)

說明: 下列 11 至 25 題，每題均有一個空格，請於(A)、(B)、(C)、(D)四個選項中，選出一個最恰當的答案。

- I think we should not _____ the deformed for their looks. That is not nice.
(A) compete (B) reserve (C) scream (D) tease
- My English is poor. I really want to study hard to _____ it.
(A) surprise (B) improve (C) describe (D) visit
- The man wanted to rent an apartment with a fully _____ kitchen because he enjoyed cooking for himself.
(A) equipped (B) amused (C) embarrassed (D) overwhelmed
- It is sensible to _____ your fortune if you want to lead a wealthy life.
(A) exchange (B) affect (C) invest (D) endanger
- Many people like to visit Yellow Mountain to see its beautiful _____.
(A) future (B) ticket (C) policy (D) scenery
- Weather is a good _____ to start a conversation.
(A) religion (B) topic (C) country (D) relationship
- The actress received a lot of fame and _____ for her remarkable acting.
(A) temperature (B) flood (C) smoke (D) popularity

18. In my opinion, everyone should learn to manage time _____.
 (A) infrequently (B) efficiently (C) unnecessarily (D) selfishly
19. My teacher ____ us to take part in all kinds of school activities and broaden our outlooks.
 (A) encourages (B) eliminates (C) butts (D) symbolizes
20. Students need to create a schedule that allows ____ time for completing an assignment.
 (A) adequate (B) cultural (C) traditional (D) stylish
21. I am ____ the food in the cafeteria. I want to treat myself a nice dinner in a fancy restaurant for a change.
 (A) leaving for (B) looked after (C) tired of (D) turning off
22. Nancy wants to ____ a job as a clerk in the company.
 (A) apply for (B) hand in (C) show off (D) run out of
23. I was asked to finish the project ____ or I would be fired.
 (A) on time (B) according to (C) in front of (D) not to mention
24. I cannot eat seafood. I am ____ it.
 (A) ready for (B) late for (C) allergic to (D) wrong with
25. Sam wants to ____ for a summer camp to make the most of the vacation.
 (A) sing along (B) sign up (C) fall behind (D) look down

三、文意測驗 (共 10 題, 每題 2 分, 共 20 分)

說明: 下列 26 至 35 題, 每題均有(A)、(B)、(C)、(D)四個選項, 請依文章內容, 選出一個最恰當的答案。

26. Martin: Do you know that Taiwan High Speed Rail starts running around January 5th?

Nancy: Oh, really?

Martin: I heard that it only takes about 2 hours to travel from Taipei to Kaohsiung.

Nancy: That's fast. It saves a lot of time.

Question: What is the conversation mainly about?

- (A) How to save time. (B) Train stations. (C) Kaohsiung. (D) Taiwan High Speed Rail.

27. Miss Lin: Write an essay on your favorite author.

Jennifer: When do we need to finish it?

Miss Lin: You have one month.

Gloria: How many pages do we have to write?

Miss Lin: No less than two pages.

Question: What is the conversation about?

- (A) School life. (B) Time. (C) An assignment. (D) Money.

28. Susan: I'm moving out of my aunt's apartment.

Fanny: Why?

Susan: For one thing, I do not want to give her any more trouble living there.

Fanny: I'm sure she doesn't mind.

Susan: I know, but I also want to save the time traveling from her place to school.

Question: How many reasons does Susan give for moving out?

- (A) One. (B) Two. (C) Three. (D) None.

29. Joe: It's a nice day for winter. It's neither cold nor windy.

Sam: Yes, it will be a pity not to go out on such a beautiful day.

Joe: We can have an outing in the afternoon. Do you want to have a picnic in the Yangming Mountain or visit the Fisherman's Wharf in Tamhsui?

Sam: I'll choose the former.

Joe: We can have a hot spring bath there, too. Let's get ready in half an hour.

Question: Where will they probably go?

- (A) Yangming Mountain. (B) Nowhere. (C) A sea world. (D) The Fisherman's Wharf in Tamhsui.

30. Rickey: How was your trip in Europe?

Lynn: It was great. I loved it.

Rickey: How many countries did you visit?

Lynn: Seven. Can you believe it?

Rickey: Seven countries in three weeks? Are you kidding?

Lynn: I'm not kidding. I stayed overnight in Austria and half a day in Liechtenstein, 3 days in France, and 4 days in Germany....

Question: How long was Lynn's trip in Europe?

- (A) 7 days. (B) 4 days. (C) Overnight. (D) 3 weeks.

31. Jay: What movie is on recently?

Lucy: I have no ideas.

Jay: I can check right now. Do you have any particular kind of movies in mind?

Lucy: Anything but horror movies.

Jay: There's a romance, a tragedy, and a comedy. You'd better make up your mind.

Question: Which kind of movies does Lucy not want to watch?

- (A) Horror movies. (B) Comedies. (C) Romances. (D) Tragedies.

32. Lucy: I want to visit Kaohsiung in the winter vacation.

Mary: Why do you want to go there?

Lucy: My friend Amy invites me for boating on the Love River and doing some sightseeing there.

Mary: Wow, that will be a lot of fun. Can I join you?

Lucy: Why not? I'm sure you'll like Amy.

Question: Which is not true?

- (A) Lucy wants to visit Kaohsiung in the winter. (B) Lucy and Mary are friends.
(C) Amy and Mary are familiar. (D) Amy invites Lucy to Kaohsiung for a short trip.

33. Ben: I have a running nose, a sore throat, and a headache. I think I've got a cold.

Lily: You need to see a doctor.

Ben: No. I think that drinking a lot of hot water is enough.

Lily: I don't agree with you. Sometimes a cold can develop into pneumonia. Come on. Let me take you to a doctor.

Question: Which of the statements about Ben is true?

- (A) He didn't see a doctor. (B) He doesn't drink hot water.
(C) He doesn't have a cold. (D) He doesn't have a headache.

34. Linda: You look so good on this dress.

Mary: Oh, thank you.

Linda: The color suits you a lot and the design is simple and elegant. That's the style I like, too. You must tell me where you bought it.

Mary: No problem. I have a business card of the store. You can take it if you want to.

Question: What does Linda want to know?

- (A) The price of the dress. (B) The color of the dress.
(C) The size of the dress. (D) The store where the dress was sold.

35. Jane: Many department stores are having sales on this weekend. Do you want to go shopping with me?

Ruth: I want to but I can't.

Jane: Why? You don't have any pocket money left?

Ruth: No. I don't have time to go shopping. I have to study for final exams.

Question: Which of the statements is not true?

- (A) Ruth wants to study instead of going shopping. (B) Ruth doesn't have any pocket money left for shopping.
(C) Jane invites Ruth to go shopping. (D) Jane wants to go shopping on this weekend.

四、短文閱讀 (共 5 題, 每題 2 分, 共 10 分)

說明: 下列 36 至 40 題, 每題均有(A)、(B)、(C)、(D)四個選項, 請依文章內容, 選出一個最恰當的答案。

It seems that more and more people want to get away from the hassles and stress 36 in the city, and that some people rent a small area of a field 37 the country. What they do there 38 that they grow some vegetables. These people don't want to use any pesticides in the greens, hoping that they can eat the freshest, cleanest, and safest vegetables grown by themselves.

Besides, growing vegetables is totally 39 from the daily jobs they have in the city. They like the peace and quiet of farming. Moreover, the new experience gives them a good chance to be closer to the nature and to breathe in cleaner air and to forget their trouble in the city. These city folks enjoy 40 weekend farmers greatly.

36. (A) live (B) living (C) lived (D) to live
37. (A) at (B) in (C) on (D) for
38. (A) be (B) is (C) are (D) being
39. (A) different (B) similar (C) same (D) strange
40. (A) be (B) is (C) are (D) being

五、閱讀測驗（共 10 題，每題 2 分，共 20 分）

說明:下列兩段短文中，從 41 至 50 題，每題均有(A)、(B)、(C)、(D)四個選項，請依文章內容，選出一個最恰當的答案。

Sam is a junior at a university. Having just studied hard for final exams, he decides to take a good break in the winter vacation. He does not want to work part time. He does not want to waste all the time playing on-line games or watching TV, either. He wants this winter to be special and unforgettable. He has a mind to climb a high mountain in the northern part of Taiwan and cycle around the island, which require careful plans and great effort. He knows clearly that he has to train himself both physically and mentally. Since the winter vacation is about 45 days long, he decides to divide it into three parts--Training and Planning, Mountain Climbing, and Cycling. He is aware that every part is very important, especially the first one. He is going to set up a workout schedule and gather information on how to accomplish these two tasks. He is determined to stick to his plans and to make this winter a fruitful and significant vacation.

41. **A junior at a university is in the ____ grade of a university.**

- (A) three (B) third (C) one (D) two

42. **What has Sam just finished doing?**

- (A) Taking a break. (B) Working part time. (C) Taking final exams. (D) Climbing a high mountain.

43. **Sam is going to ride a ____ around Taiwan.**

- (A) bicycle (B) motorcycle (C) bus (D) car

44. **How long is Sam's winter vacation?**

- (A) About one month. (B) About one and a half months.
(C) About half a month. (D) About three months.

45. **Which of the statements is true?**

- (A) Sam plans to climb a mountain first and then cycle. (B) Sam is going to stay at home and watch TV.
(C) Sam does not need training. (D) Sam is a teacher.

There is a night market near my neighborhood. It opens on Wednesday nights only. Around 4 o'clock every Wednesday, vendors stack their goods in their stands. They sell all kinds of items—foods, vegetables, clothes, shoes, knickknacks, tools, hardware, and many other things. Around 6, people nearby come to the market to have dinner, do some shopping, and have fun playing some games.

I visit the night market once in a while. Sometimes I go there to eat some snacks and buy some fruits. But there are times I just go there to watch people. I like to hear children laugh when they sit in the merry-go-round and watch them smile when they eat ice cream. I see neighbors say hello to and chat with one another. I also see small groups of foreigners come to have a bite and snap up bargains.

People who come to the night market seem happy and content, and I'm glad that I am one of them.

46. **What is the best title for this short essay?**

- (A) Wednesday Nights (B) Foreigners in Taiwan
(C) Making Money in a Night Market (D) A Night Market near my Neighborhood

47. **When does the night market open?**

- (A) Every weekend. (B) Wednesday nights.
(C) On rainy nights. (D) Every day.

48. **What can't you do at this night market?**

- (A) Watch movies. (B) Have a bite.
(C) Do some shopping. (D) Play some games.

49. **How often does the speaker visit the night market?**

- (A) Sometimes. (B) Seldom.
(C) Never. (D) Once.

50. **How does the speaker feel at the night market?**

- (A) It's dirty and noisy. (B) It is crowded and busy.
(C) Tired and unhappy. (D) Happy and content.