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Randy was going too fast on his motorbike, and he crashed into a tree. Randy's doctor told him that it was a () that he had not been hurt badly.

- 1 miracle 2 discussion 3 protest 4 license

A : Would you like something to drink, Dana?

B : Yes, I would. I'm really ().

- 1 noisy 2 proud 3 familiar 4 thirsty

Vanessa is a successful () at a large automobile company. She helps design and build new cars.

- 1 author 2 pilot 3 lawyer 4 engineer

Sarah's grades were not very good last year, but she studied hard and () them. Her parents were surprised that her grades became so much better this year.

- 1 destroyed 2 located 3 improved 4 selected

While Rachel and Tony were on vacation in Hawaii, they spent a long time () the beautiful view from the balcony of their hotel room.

- 1 performing 2 admiring 3 injuring 4 sailing

The store manager () that the store would be closing in 10 minutes and that customers should finish their shopping.

- 1 traded 2 explored 3 repaired 4 announced

A : I'm having a dinner party on Friday, Brian. Do you have any () about what food I should serve?

B : How about pizza? It tastes great and is fun to make.

- 1 suggestions 2 characters 3 puzzles 4 figures

When the weather is very hot and dry, there is the () of a forest fire starting in some places.

- 1 danger 2 opinion 3 respect 4 silence

Tracy did not have any purple paint, so she () red and blue paint together to make that color.

- 1 followed 2 combined 3 accepted 4 rescued

While Judy was on her way to meet her friend, it suddenly started to rain. (), she had an umbrella with her.

- 1 Simply 2 Gradually 3 Luckily 4 Fairly

A : Mom, where are we going to celebrate my birthday?

B : It's () to you, Tim. It's your birthday, so you can decide.

- 1 off 2 out 3 in 4 up

William worked as a volunteer in Cambodia for a year. There was no electricity in his village, so he had to () his computer while he was there.

- 1 line up 2 do without 3 drop by 4 take after

A : How have you been since you retired from work, Jack?

B : Well, sometimes I feel bored, but it's nice to be () worries about work now.

- 1 sorry for 2 good at 3 found in 4 free from

The president has decided to () problems with the environment in his speech tomorrow. He will not have time to talk much about other subjects.

- 1 focus on 2 apply for 3 come from 4 hold up

Although Bill tried to run fast, he could not () up with the other runners. He ended up in last place for the race.

- 1 speak 2 keep 3 grow 4 trip

Jessica was offered a job at a marketing company, but she decided to () the offer because the pay was not very good.

- 1 turn down 2 stand in 3 fall over 4 lead on

Ben's classmates do not like the way he () all his expensive clothes. They want him to stop talking about how rich his family is.

- 1 shows off 2 breaks off 3 fills up 4 cheers up

A : Tony, I'll be at the east side of the station at 8:30. () you can't find me, call me on my cell phone.

B : OK, Jim. See you tomorrow.

- 1 As if 2 In case 3 So that 4 Not only

A : How long have you lived in this town, Mrs. Griffith?

B : I moved here () I was 25. That was 20 years ago.

- 1 why 2 that 3 where 4 when

A : Kelly, how old is your son?

B : He's one. He can't talk yet, but he seems () what I say to him.

- 1 has understood 2 to understand
3 understands 4 understanding

2

次の四つの会話文を完成させるために、(21) から(25) に入るものとして最も適切なものを 1, 2, 3, 4 の中から一つ選び、その番号を解答用紙の所定欄にマークしなさい。

A : I haven't been sleeping well lately, Dave.

B : Why is that, Megan? Are you (21)?

A : Yeah. I've studied a lot, but I still don't think I'll pass it.

B : I'm sure you'll do fine.

- 1 using your smartphone too much
- 2 drinking too much coffee
- 3 scared about the movie we watched
- 4 worried about the science test

A : What did you do last weekend, Jane?

B : (22) at my grandma's house.

A : Wow, you must have been very tired.

B : Yes, but grandma needed my help.

- 1 I played basketball
- 2 I took care of the garden
- 3 I watched the news
- 4 I made some cookies

A : Welcome to Bob's Bakery. How can I help you?

B : Hi. Do you have any strawberry shortcakes?

A : I'm sorry, but (23). We only make 10 a day.

B : All right. I guess I'll buy an apple pie instead.

- 1 we've sold out
- 2 we don't make them
- 3 they're too expensive
- 4 they don't have any strawberries

A : Excuse me. I need some help.

B : Yes? What can I do for you?

A : Well, I'm looking for a pair of skis, but (24).

B : That's easy to find out. How tall are you?

A : I'm 170 centimeters.

B : All right. Then, these should fit you.

A : Thank you. (25)?

B : I'm sorry, but our machine is broken. You need to pay by cash.

- 1 I don't know my size
- 2 I don't have much money
- 3 I already have some boots
- 4 I already found a nice pair
- 1 Can I pay by credit card
- 2 Can you fix them for me
- 3 Do I need to show you
- 4 Do you know where they are

3

A

次の英文 **A**, **B** を読み、その文意にそって(26) から(30) までの() に入れるのに最も適切なものを 1, 2, 3, 4 の中から一つ選び、その番号を解答用紙の所定欄にマークしなさい。

Study Abroad

Taro is a high school student who wanted to study abroad in Australia. He asked his parents, but they said no. They (26). They thought that Taro could not speak English very well, so he would have many problems. He told them that he really wanted to go abroad because he wanted to learn English and make new friends from other countries. His parents finally decided to let him study abroad for a year.

In Australia, Taro tried very hard to communicate with his classmates. At first, it was not easy, and he needed to use his dictionary often. However, he kept practicing and spoke with his classmates every day. After a few months, he began to (27). He did not need to use his dictionary anymore, which made it easier for him to talk to people. He made many friends, and by the time he returned to Japan, he was happy with his success.

- 1 started studying English
- 2 were worried about him
- 3 did not like Australia
- 4 did not have much money
- 1 watch TV shows
- 2 miss his parents
- 3 call his school
- 4 speak English well

An Italian Shoe Shiner

Italian people are famous for wearing high-quality clothing and shoes. In particular, shoes and purses made from leather are popular in Italy. However, leather needs to be cleaned regularly, which is expensive and takes a lot of effort. Many people (28) to do this. As a result, they pay other people to clean their shoes. These people are called shoe shiners.

In the past, shoe shiners were poor men or boys who needed to make money to help their families. Nowadays, most men think that the job is too hard, so they do not want to become shoe shiners. However, recently, (29) have started taking over these jobs. One example is Rosalina Dallago, who used to be a fashion model. In 2000, she found an old man who was selling his shoe shining shop in Rome, and she bought it from him.

Since then, Dallago's business has grown. She says that some of her success is thanks to the location of her first shop. Because it is near government buildings, many politicians come and use her services. She later opened two more shops in Rome. Now, Dallago wants to help other businesswomen. Her new goal is to teach them how to (30). She works together with them to create new services, and she teaches classes to women who have started new businesses.

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1 do not have time | 2 do not have money |
| 3 have learned how | 4 have many tools |
| 1 fewer young people | 2 more and more men |
| 3 a number of women | 4 a group of old people |
| 1 contact the government | 2 build successful businesses |
| 3 become strong politicians | 4 take care of shoes |

次の英文 **A**、**B** の内容に関して、(31) から (37) までの質問に対して最も適切なもの、または文を完成させるのに最も適切なものを 1、2、3、4 の中から一つ選び、その番号を解答用紙の所定欄にマークしなさい。

From: Christina Taylor <christina568@gotmail.com>
To: Betty Taylor <b-taylor8@thismail.com>
Date: January 27
Subject: Career day

Hi Aunt Betty,
How are you? I enjoyed seeing you last weekend at Grandma's house for dinner. She's a great cook, isn't she? I really liked the chicken that she made. Did you? And the cheesecake that you brought was delicious. I want you to show me how to make it someday.
Anyway, can I ask you for a favor? Next month, we're going to have a "career day" at my high school. The school is inviting people with different jobs to come and talk to the students. My teacher said that she wanted to find a nurse to come. She asked if anyone knew a nurse, and I told her about you.
You've been a nurse for five years, right? Would you like to come to the school and talk about your job? The career day will be held in the school gym on February 28. There will be different tables in the gym, and each table will have information about a different job. The students will go around to the tables and ask the people there about each job. For example, students might ask you about what you studied in college, or what you do at the hospital. Please let me know if you can help us!
Your niece,
Christina

What did Aunt Betty do last weekend?

- 1 She learned how to make cheesecake.
- 2 She cooked chicken for dinner.
- 3 She gave Christina a recipe.
- 4 She had dinner with Christina.

What will happen at Christina's school next month?

- 1 There will be an event where students learn about jobs.
- 2 There will be a health check with a nurse for students.
- 3 The students will take a field trip to a hospital.
- 4 The students will have the chance to try different jobs.

Christina asked Aunt Betty to

- 1 help her find a job at a hospital.
- 2 recommend a good college for her.
- 3 come to her school to talk to the students.
- 4 set up tables in the gym.

White Rhinoceros Hero

The white rhinoceros lives in southern Africa and is one of the largest animals in the world. In the past, a lot of people believed that rhinoceros horns* had special powers, so the horns were used for medicine. As a result, many white rhinoceroses were killed. Scientists were worried that all the white rhinoceroses in the world would die. However, a man named Ian Player worked to save the white rhinoceros.

Player was born in South Africa in 1927. He loved sports, and in 1951, he took part in a special boat race. Although he traveled over 120 kilometers along a river, there were fewer wild animals than he thought he would see. He decided to do something to protect the animals living in South Africa. A year later, he started working at a national park called the Imfolozi Game Reserve, where he looked after wild animals.

The Imfolozi Game Reserve was set up in 1890 because people were worried about the small number of white rhinoceroses that were left. When Player arrived in 1952, there were only about 430 white rhinoceroses, and hunters were still killing them. Player began a breeding* program called "Operation Rhino" with zoos around the world. Thanks to the zoos' hard work, the number of white rhinoceroses quickly went up. Some of the young rhinoceroses were returned to the park.

At first, many local people did not like Player's program. Farmers often said that rhinoceroses killed their cows, sheep, and other animals, so they lost money. However, Player showed them that saving white rhinoceroses could help humans, too. He encouraged tourists to visit Imfolozi to see the rhinoceroses and other wild animals. As a result, more and more people began to pay money to go on tours, stay in hotels, and eat at restaurants in the area. This has helped people understand the value of white rhinoceroses.

*horns: 角

*breeding: 繁殖

(24)

Why were white rhinoceroses being killed?

- 1 People thought that killing rhinoceroses would give them special powers.
- 2 People wanted a part of them so that they could make medicine.
- 3 Their meat could be used to feed a large number of people.
- 4 They caused many problems and killed a number of people.

(25)

Ian Player began to work at the Imfolozi Game Reserve because he

- 1 was worried about how few wild animals were left in South Africa.
- 2 enjoyed working outdoors and riding his boat along a river.
- 3 could live in South Africa and join more boat races there.
- 4 wanted a chance to play with many different kinds of animals.

What did Player do at the Imfolozi Game Reserve?

- 1 He taught people in the area the best way to hunt white rhinoceroses.
- 2 He learned special skills to take care of sick white rhinoceroses.
- 3 He started a program with zoos around the world to save white rhinoceroses.
- 4 He sold 430 white rhinoceroses to get money to protect the animals in the reserve.

Player taught local people that

- 1 white rhinoceroses were used to save many people's lives.
- 2 there were many ways to stop rhinoceroses from killing farm animals.
- 3 they could make money if tourists came to see the white rhinoceroses.
- 4 people could use other types of animals to make medicine.

5 ライティング

- あなたは、外国人の知り合いから以下の **QUESTION** をされました。
- **QUESTION** について、あなたの意見とその理由を2つ英文で書きなさい。
- 語数の目安は50語～60語です。
- 解答は、解答用紙のB面にあるライティング解答欄に書きなさい。なお、解答欄の外に書かれたものは採点されません。
- 解答が **QUESTION** に対応していないと判断された場合は、0点と採点されることがあります。 **QUESTION** をよく読んでから答えてください。

QUESTION

Do you think it is important for students to learn how to give presentations at school?

MEMO

Listening Test

準2級リスニングテストについて

①このリスニングテストには、第1部から第3部まであります。

★英文はすべて一度しか読まれません。

第1部……対話を聞き、その最後の文に対する応答として最も適切なものを、放送される
1, 2, 3の中から一つ選びなさい。

第2部……対話を聞き、その質問に対して最も適切なものを1, 2, 3, 4の中から一つ選びなさい。

第3部……英文を聞き、その質問に対して最も適切なものを1, 2, 3, 4の中から一つ選びなさい。

②No. 30のあと、10秒すると試験終了の合図がありますので、筆記用具を置いてください。

第1部

No. 1 ~ No. 10 (選択肢はすべて放送されます。)

第2部

- No. 11
- 1 She watched softball on TV.
 - 2 She went to Washington.
 - 3 Her cousin hurt her leg.
 - 4 Her team needs another player.

- No. 12
- 1 Invite more friends.
 - 2 Go shopping.
 - 3 Celebrate with Becky later.
 - 4 Bake a cake with him.

- No. 13
- 1 Help her cook dinner.
 - 2 Call his grandfather.
 - 3 Move a chair to the dining room.
 - 4 Clean his bedroom.

- No. 14
- 1 He should not give up on math.
 - 2 He should study by himself.
 - 3 He is not good at math.
 - 4 He is studying too much.

- No. 15
- 1 Write a book.
 - 2 Go to a book sale.
 - 3 Sell her old books.
 - 4 Borrow a library book.

- No. 16
- 1 Leave Chicago.
 - 2 Go to the gate.
 - 3 Look for gifts.
 - 4 Reserve a different flight.

- No. 17
- 1 She prefers to play the trumpet.
 - 2 She wants to try another sport.
 - 3 She is not good at tennis.
 - 4 She has friends in the school band.

- No. 18
- 1 By giving him directions to another shop.
 - 2 By telling him how he can get a discount.
 - 3 By ordering a copy of *Sporting Life*.
 - 4 By contacting other stores.

- No. 19
- 1 The waiter forgot to bring ketchup.
 - 2 The waiter brought the wrong order.
 - 3 She does not like French fries.
 - 4 She cannot find a seat.

- No. 20
- 1 He went outside with his brother.
 - 2 He went to volleyball practice.
 - 3 He is out with his dog.
 - 4 He is watching a game on TV.

Listening Test

第3部

- No. 21*
- 1 By cooking at a restaurant.
 - 2 By going to a cooking class.
 - 3 By watching cooking shows.
 - 4 By teaching his classmates to cook.
- No. 22*
- 1 It can become very big in size.
 - 2 It can move very quickly.
 - 3 It does not like cold water.
 - 4 It does not eat other jellyfish.
- No. 23*
- 1 By going to many parties.
 - 2 By joining a club at her college.
 - 3 By moving to a different college.
 - 4 By visiting her high school friend.
- No. 24*
- 1 Shoppers can buy new paintings.
 - 2 New art books have just arrived.
 - 3 Cute pets are now sold there.
 - 4 There is a sale on calendars.
- No. 25*
- 1 It is a type of vegetarian salad.
 - 2 It is a drink made from lime juice.
 - 3 People think it is a healthy dish.
 - 4 People in Thailand eat it instead of rice.

- No. 26*
- 1 Go to the library to find a book.
 - 2 Listen to a doctor talk about his job.
 - 3 Read something she wrote to the class.
 - 4 Start writing a story with her classmates.
- No. 27*
- 1 She did not enjoy the music.
 - 2 She ate too many sausages.
 - 3 The bands did not perform.
 - 4 The food was too expensive.
- No. 28*
- 1 They are having a baby.
 - 2 They are getting married soon.
 - 3 Pete will be starting a new job.
 - 4 Sarah's parents will be visiting them.
- No. 29*
- 1 She fell off her bike.
 - 2 She was feeling sick.
 - 3 Her son had an accident.
 - 4 Her doctor told her to go.
- No. 30*
- 1 Get tickets to see the band next month.
 - 2 Buy the band's brand-new CD.
 - 3 Sing a song with the band.
 - 4 Hear the band's new song.