

第 2 部

1 このリスニングテストは、第 1 部から第 3 部まであります。解答は解答用紙に記入しなさい。★英文は一度しか読まれません。

第 1 部.....対話と質問を聞き、その答えとして最も適切なものを、A, B, C, D の中から 1 つ選び、記号で答えなさい。

第 2 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、A, B, C, D の中から 1 つ選び、記号で答えなさい。

第 3 部.....英文または対話と質問を聞き、その答えとして最も適切なものを、A, B, C, D の中から 1 つ選び、記号で答えなさい。

第 1 部

No. 1

- A) Because the train is faster.
- B) Because it has been raining a lot recently.
- C) Because it's dangerous to ride a bicycle in the rain.
- D) Because he likes to practice basketball every day.

No. 2

- A) The location isn't good.
- B) The design isn't cool.
- C) There aren't many good games.
- D) There are too many people.

No. 3

- A) She doesn't want to be in a class with more than ten students.
- B) Private lessons are too expensive for her.
- C) She wants to change to a new guitar school.
- D) She might take more time to learn than other people.

No. 4

- A) She called the police the next day.
- B) A person who was fishing found it and contacted the police.
- C) The police found it the following day.
- D) She went by the river and saw it there.

No. 5

- A) Thanks, sure I can go there.
- B) Thanks, I'll call him on his cell phone now.
- C) OK, yes, I can wait a minute.
- D) Thanks, OK I will try again another time.

No. 6

- A) Yes, I went to the doctor yesterday.
- B) Yes, I'll go as soon as I finish my homework.
- C) No, I feel fine, thank you.
- D) No, the doctor gave me medicine.

No. 7

- A) I wish I could ride a bike.
- B) Sure, I'll ride with you.
- C) Yes, well, do you want to join us?
- D) Great. We can go to school together.

No. 8

- A) We should arrive in a few minutes.
- B) Not too far.
- C) We have to walk and then take a bus.
- D) We have to transfer twice to get there.

第 3 部

<I>

No. 9

- A) Because he watered some bushes.
- B) Because he cried out when he saw bees.
- C) Because he kicked their home to destroy it.
- D) Because he accidentally destroyed their nest.

No. 10

- A) Bees' poison can kill you.
- B) All plants and vegetables cannot live without bees.
- C) Maybe humans would not have good nutrition without bees.
- D) People will have exactly 4 years to live without bees.

<II>

No. 11

- A) He moved from South Africa to America as a university student.
- B) He studied physics and technology at university.
- C) He has a lot of dreams he wants to come true in the future.
- D) He was bullied when he was in South Africa.

No. 12

- A) He wanted to make a business in outer space.
- B) He got one university degree from the University of Pennsylvania.
- C) He made the Tesla Company for a better future.
- D) He thought it was possible to come to America.

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[A] 次の No. 1 から No. 5 までの下線部に入る語句として最も適切なものを、A, B, C, D の中から 1 つ選び、記号で答えなさい。

No. 1 The teacher \_\_\_\_\_ the importance of reading the exam questions carefully since many students had made careless mistakes on the test.  
A) emphasized B) involved C) obtained D) prevented

No. 2 When the Shinkansen first went into service, the trains were the fastest in the world, \_\_\_\_\_ 200 kilometers an hour.  
A) in charge of B) aware of C) capable of D) relevant to

No. 3 The festival is held \_\_\_\_\_ in early August for four days. It is one of the most popular events in this town.  
A) additionally B) immediately C) accidentally D) annually

No. 4 When I was driving yesterday, I found Mr. Smith \_\_\_\_\_ in front of the Sakura station. I wonder what he was thinking.  
A) smile B) smiled C) smiling D) to smile

No. 5 Lisa started learning English when she was a child. By the time she graduates from high school this spring, she \_\_\_\_\_ learning it for 14 years.  
A) was B) has been C) will have been D) will be

[B] 次の対話<I>と<II>について、No. 6 から No. 9 までの下線部に入る語句として最も適切なものを、A,B,C,D の中から 1 つ選び、記号で答えなさい。

<I>

Host Mother: I'm so glad you are finally home! What happened? We have been worried and called you many times. It's almost midnight!

Momoko: I'm so sorry. I took the wrong bus, and it took me in some other direction far away.

Host Mother: Oh, really? (No. 6) \_\_\_\_\_

Momoko: Yes, I did. So, they were able to come and take me back to the bus stop nearby.

Host Mother: Oh, what a relief. (No. 7) \_\_\_\_\_ I would have tried to help you.

Momoko: OK. Yes, I will.

- No. 6 A) So did you walk home?  
B) Did you call the police?  
C) Did you stop the bus?  
D) Could you speak with the driver?

- No. 7 A) You should have called me.  
B) Next time, please call the police.  
C) I'm glad you made it home safely.  
D) I want to go with you.

<II>

Bob: What is it like to have a twin sister?

Erica: Well, it is sometimes good and sometimes bad.

Bob: (No. 8) \_\_\_\_\_

Erica: Yes, well, she is my best friend, but many people confuse us with each other.

Bob: Oh, so sometimes they think you are her and she is you?

Erica: That's right. We both look alike and we have the same personalities and tastes in things.

Bob: Oh, so you mean you like the same kinds of food?

Erica: (No. 9) \_\_\_\_\_

Bob: Oh, wow! I can see why people might confuse you with her then!

- No. 8 A) How is it?  
B) I don't understand.  
C) Oh, really?  
D) What does it mean?

- No. 9 A) No, we like different kinds of food.  
B) No, we just think the same about many things.  
C) Yes, my favorite food is her favorite food, too.  
D) Yes, but we never eat together.

[C] <I>の<sup>けいじ</sup>掲示に関して、No. 10 と No. 11 の質問に対する答えとして最も適切なものを A,B,C,D の中から 1 つ選び、記号で答えなさい。また、<II>の E メールの内容に関して、No. 12 と No. 13 の質問に英語で答えなさい。

<I>

**South Windsor School District Employment Announcement**

**SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS WANTED**

- 2023 School Year
- Excellent Salary with Benefits

**Requirements:**

- Must have a high school diploma.
- Must have a valid license with passenger and safety certificates.
- Must have five years school bus driving experience.
- Must pass a physical exam and an eye exam.

**To Apply:**

- Submit your updated resume and three recommendation letters to:

**South Windsor School District: [employment@swsd.edu](mailto:employment@swsd.edu)**

Only successful candidates will be contacted.

No. 10 Which is NOT true?

- A) You must have a driver's license.
- B) You need recommendations to apply.
- C) They will answer inquiries about the job.
- D) You need to have graduated high school.

No. 11 Based on the announcement, what can be assumed is necessary for the job?

- A) Must be an experienced driver.
- B) Must be able to lift heavy boxes.
- C) Must have insurance.
- D) Must pass only three tests.

<II>

From: John Connor, Oceanic Airlines Customer Affairs  
To: Mr. Kyle Reese  
Date: July 10th  
Subject: Ticket Refund

Dear Mr. Reese,

First, I want to apologize again for your trouble. Oceanic Airlines was very sorry to hear about your problems with your flight cancelation on June 17th.

I personally reviewed your email and I agree there were serious issues with your situation. When the staff told you that the flight was overbooked and you couldn't take your scheduled flight, they should have told you that you would receive a cash refund and an upgrade to business class on the later flight. They did not, and we were sorry to hear you were angry and left the airport.

We want to make this right. So we are offering four free flight coupons that you can use anytime, anywhere. If you don't want the coupons, we can give you a one-time cash payment of \$2,000 for your troubles. Please contact our customer affairs department and give them this case number: BTS48.

Again, we're sorry for the inconvenience and look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,  
John Connor

No. 12 According to the email, what happened to the customer at the airport?

No. 13 What will Mr. Reese receive if he doesn't want the flight coupons?

[D] 次の英文の内容に関して、No. 14 と No.15 は、質問に対する答えとして最も適切なものを、A,B,C,D の中から 1 つ選び、記号で答えなさい。また、No. 16 から No. 18 は、質問に英語で答えなさい。

### Heatwaves in India

Heatwaves in India have become more frequent, longer and more powerful, making it difficult for people to live comfortably.

Twelve of the country's warmest 15 years have been since 2006, with deaths from the heat increasing since the 1950s to over 3,000 people. Addressing such natural disasters, including heatwaves, requires a strong response by the Indian government.

Heatwaves occur when the Indian Plains area has temperatures over 40 degrees Celsius and the Indian Hills go over 30 degrees Celsius. These days usually occur in May and June, but they are now happening in March — with March 2022's heat wave (experienced by over 50 percent of Indian states) breaking 100-year-old records.

Heatwaves have a negative effect on people and cause \*dehydration, exhaustion and heat-strokes. People in India who live in large cities and tall buildings have big problems because heat can make the buildings too hot to live in. People using air conditioning pay a lot of money for energy costs.

India is a country where two thirds of people live in poverty. Therefore, it is hard for many people to find places to stay when it's too hot outside. Old people often get sick because they can't find a place to cool off. Many schools in India do not have air conditioning. This makes the classrooms very hot, and it is difficult for students to focus and learn. Many times schools must close during a heatwave. This means students must stay home from school and miss a chance at education.

Farming is an important part of India's economy and culture. But heatwaves can cause problems for farmers. When there isn't much rain and a heatwave comes, many of the crops growing are destroyed. This causes a shortage of food for many areas. Prices for food also go up, which makes it hard for poorer people to buy food for them and their family.

\* dehydration: the process of losing or removing water or moisture

No. 14 According to the article about heatwaves, which of the following is NOT true?  
 A) Heatwaves occur much more frequently than in the past.  
 B) 2006 was the warmest year in the past 15 years.  
 C) More than 3,000 people died of heat.  
 D) The Indian government has a responsibility to deal with heatwaves.

No. 15 Which of the following statements is NOT mentioned in the article?  
 A) The Indian government is spending money to help children.  
 B) Old people are likely to be affected by heatwaves.  
 C) Heatwaves are coming earlier than usual.  
 D) Hot weather can be bad for farming.

No. 16 Write one factor causing heatwaves in India.

No. 17 According to the article, what are some problems with living in tall buildings?

No. 18 Why do students in India often miss an opportunity to receive education?

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- 下の TOPIC について、あなたの意見とその理由を 2 つ以上書きなさい。
  - 語数の目安は 60 語～80 語ですが、80 語を超えても構いません。60 語以上は書くようにしてください。
  - 解答が TOPIC に示された問いの答えになっていない場合や、TOPIC からずれていると判断された場合は、0 点と採点することがあります。TOPIC の内容をよく考えてから答えてください。

### TOPIC

In Japan, school starts in April. However, in many other countries the school year begins in September. This often makes it hard for Japanese students to study in another country. Do you think Japan should change the school year to start in September?

Write about your opinion and support it with at least TWO reasons. Write 60 words or more.

2023年度 昭和女子大学附属昭和中学校 帰国生入学考査問題 英語 解答用紙

1 リスニングテスト

第1部

No. 1 No. 2 No. 3 No. 4

第2部

No. 5 No. 6 No. 7 No. 8

第3部

<I> No. 9 No. 10 <II> No. 11 No. 12

2 リーディングテスト

[A] No. 1 No. 2 No. 3 No. 4 No. 5

[B] <I> No. 6 No. 7

<II> No. 8 No. 9

[C] <I> No. 10 No. 11

<II> No. 12

No. 13

[D]

No. 14 No. 15

No. 16

No. 17

No. 18

3 ライティングテスト

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Form for name entry with the label '氏名' (Name).

1 リスニングテスト

第1部 (2点×4 = 8点)

No. 1 B No. 2 B No. 3 A No. 4 D

第2部 (2点×4 = 8点)

No. 5 A No. 6 A No. 7 D No. 8 A

第3部 (No.9-10: 3点×2 = 6点 / No.11-12: 4点×2 = 8点)

<I> No. 9 B No. 10 C <II> No. 11 B No. 12 C

2 リーディングテスト

[A] (2点×5 = 10点)

No. 1 D No. 2 C No. 3 C No. 4 A No. 5 B

[B] (2点×4 = 8点)

<I> No. 6 A No. 7 D

<II> No. 8 A No. 9 C

[C] (3点×4 = 12点)

<I> No. 10 A No. 11 C

<II>

No. 12 He wants to leave it there at 10:00 a.m. (when he arrives there.)

No. 13 He wants to have Western and Japanese food  
(alternately every other day).

[D] (No.14-15: 3点×2 = 6点 / No.16-18: 6点×3 = 18点)

No. 14 C No. 15 C

No. 16 We(humans) went there in 1969.

No. 17 They are astronauts from different countries.

No. 18 It can be used many times.

(It has enabled many people to go to space.)

3 ライティングテスト (16点)

I agree that tourist attractions should charge an admission fee for the maintenance of the Japanese environment. I have two reasons to support my opinion. First, tourism is an important industry for Japan and monetary investment is required to keep the industry profitable. For example, the aforementioned admission fees would help greatly to support the industry and allow it to continue to be profitable in the future. Second, environmental protection is paramount for the continued success of both the tourism industry and humanity as a whole and this too requires investment. For instance, by charging an admission fee, tourist attraction operators can re-invest that money into the protection and maintenance of the environment. For the above reasons, I believe that tourist attractions should charge an admission fee.

氏名	解答例
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