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甄試類(群)組別：四技二專組

【外語群英語類】

考試科目(編號)：專業科目(二)

英文閱讀與寫作 (C2234)

1. 初階英文閱讀與寫作練習
2. 中階英文閱讀與寫作練習
3. 高階英文閱讀與寫作練習

—作答注意事項—

1. 考試時間：90 分鐘。
2. 請在答案卷上作答，答案卷每人一張，不得要求增補。
3. 請核對報考甄試類(群)組別、考試科目是否相符。
4. 單選題共 40 題。

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說明：第 1 題至第 40 題，每題 2.5 分。

一、文意字彙

1. Kangaroo Island has a large _____ of excellent campsites.
(A) number
(B) history
(C) date
(D) account
2. People dressed as characters from _____ went to a library for the comic event.
(A) messages
(B) movies
(C) medals
(D) means
3. Taiwan has _____ its first game at the Baseball World Cup 2025.
(A) built
(B) sailed
(C) flown
(D) won
4. Taiwan's big four convenience _____ chains offer self-service kiosks.
(A) space
(B) sign
(C) store
(D) square
5. Wetlands can _____ water quality and provide habitats for wildlife.
(A) happen
(B) improve
(C) plant
(D) produce
6. Heavy _____ caused flooding in some areas, and local schools were closed for safety.
(A) rainfall
(B) sunlight
(C) festival
(D) silence

7. Taiwan is promoting its night markets to _____ more visitors from around the world.
(A) protect
(B) control
(C) attract
(D) recover
8. Taking photos of wild animals can be an exciting _____ for people who love nature.
(A) sight
(B) blind
(C) hobby
(D) guilt
9. Recycling is one way to cut down the amount of _____.
(A) resource
(B) waste
(C) harvest
(D) journey
10. Before running a race, athletes should _____ their muscles.
(A) warm up
(B) sit out
(C) turn off
(D) lean on
11. Planting more trees in cities can help communities _____ the effects of climate change.
(A) cause
(B) manage
(C) complaint
(D) design
12. The main _____ of these art classes is to build connections among people in the neighborhood.
(A) cashier
(B) inquiry
(C) distance
(D) purpose

- 13.Many workers in Taiwan are _____ about burnout in the medical industry.
(A) spoiled
(B) concerned
(C) engaged
(D) satisfied
- 14.Drones must follow strict safety rules to _____ flying too close to airports.
(A) avoid
(B) deduct
(C) claim
(D) remain
- 15.Learning new languages is one way to show _____ for different cultures.
(A) exhibit
(B) creature
(C) respect
(D) stimulus
- 16.Today, cheetahs' population is drastically _____.
(A) monitoring
(B) comforting
(C) performing
(D) decreasing
- 17.The event _____ the multicultural nature of the school where 49 languages are spoken.
(A) apologizes
(B) celebrates
(C) distracts
(D) calculates
- 18.The _____ says that it will test self-driving mobility service in Japan.
(A) corporation
(B) employment
(C) geography
(D) arrangement

19. Jane Austen's works have been _____ many times for TV.
(A) entertained
(B) persuaded
(C) adapted
(D) organized
20. Developments in technology are _____ the flow of information.
(A) counseling
(B) abandoning
(C) accelerating
(D) predicting

二、綜合測驗：

以下有兩篇短文，共10個題目，為第21至第30題，請依照短文文意，選出一個最適合該空格的答案。

▲ 閱讀下文，回答第21-25題

Cultural differences can often lead to misunderstandings. For example, a friendly gesture in one country might (21) rude in another. Many newcomers try to observe how locals behave, so that they can communicate more naturally. Learning social rules usually requires time and patience. Another challenge (22) daily routines. Some people may feel uncomfortable (23) unfamiliar food or transportation systems. These experiences can make them more stressed than they expected. Sometimes, new environments even make people feel anxious about simple decisions. If people (24) open-minded, cultural shock may stop them from adapting well. However, cultural shock can also help individuals grow. People often discover that they can deal with more challenges than they thought. (25), they learn how to appreciate cultural differences and build better relationships worldwide. In the long run, overcoming culture shock allows people to better understand both the world and themselves.

21. (A) consider
(B) to consider
(C) considering
(D) be considered

22. (A) makes up
(B) carries out
(C) comes from
(D) brings back
23. (A) with
(B) off
(C) at
(D) by
24. (A) aren't staying
(B) don't stay
(C) hadn't stayed
(D) wouldn't stay
25. (A) Meanwhile
(B) Otherwise
(C) Alternatively
(D) Nevertheless

▲ 閱讀下文，回答第26-30題

Bubble tea, Taiwan's most iconic beverage, emerged in the 1980s in Taiwan. (26) mixes milk tea most commonly with tapioca pearls. (27), bubble tea has become very popular among young people. People can choose how sweet or cold they want, and add flavors such as fruit or pudding. It expanded rapidly across Taiwan and is now deeply embedded in everyday life and tourism. By 2024, there were more (28) 16,000 shops spread across Taiwan. The beverage has not only symbolized Taiwan's creativity and cultural identity but also established its global influence over the past decade. Now, bubble tea can be found in many big cities like New York, London, and Tokyo. (29) its popularity, some people raise concerns over its high sugar and calories. (30) claim it provides antioxidants from its tea and can provide energy. Experts have advised consumers to ask for a healthier version of bubble tea with less or no sugar and not to consume it frequently.

26. (A) Which
(B) There
(C) It
(D) Such

27. (A) In time
(B) On time
(C) About time
(D) Over time
28. (A) much
(B) better
(C) so
(D) than
29. (A) Despite
(B) Besides
(C) However
(D) Although
30. (A) All
(B) Others
(C) Both
(D) Whole

三、閱讀測驗：

以下有兩篇短文，共10個題目，為第31至第40題，請於閱讀短文後，選出最適當的答案。

▲ 閱讀下文，回答第31-35題

According to an OECD (Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development) report, fertility rates have decreased by half in the past six decades. This situation has posted the risk of population decline and brought forth economic and social challenges. It has been predicted that lower fertility rates could lead to population decline starting in the coming decades with deaths outpacing births for the first time during the past half century.

It has been reported the average age of women giving birth has risen from 28.6 in 2000 to around 31 in 2022. There are a variety of reasons behind the issue of low fertility rate. One of the key factors is related to later parenthood. As having children is attributed to personal choice, this factor is closely linked to individuals' pressures from society. In traditional societies, having children is often seen as a duty or a natural part of life, whereas the pressure to do so has gradually diminished in modern societies.

In addition, a lack of sufficient supportive government schemes may also affect parenthood decisions. Among these schemes, experts have stressed that affordable housing and public policies promoting access to career progression of women are extremely important contributing factors since the economic cost and long-term financial uncertainty of having children significantly affect people's decision to become parents.

A number of Asian countries are facing the challenge of falling birth rates. For example, Taiwan saw its ninth consecutive year of declining birth rates in 2024, suggesting the country will become a super-aged society soon. Taiwan's cabinet has approved standardised cash payouts to families of newborn and the coverage of a larger proportion of infertility treatment costs, which is expected to take effect in the near future. Another country facing this similar issue is Japan, where the number of its annual births hit a record low in 2024. To cope with this problem, the Japanese government has promised to promote a more flexible working environment as well as to implement other measures to help couples balance work and parenting.

All in all, the low fertility rate is a reflection of complex social and economic changes. This issue cannot be addressed by a single solution. More comprehensive measures such as workplace reform, family-friendly policies and stronger social support systems might be necessary in order to create conditions encouraging people to choose parenthood.

31. Which title best reflects the main idea of this article?
- (A) The Effects of Different Measures in Dealing with the Issue of Birth Rates
 - (B) The Significance of the Issue of Lacking Social Support in Having Children
 - (C) The Issue of Low Birth Rates and Strategies Adopted by Different Countries
 - (D) The Importance of Promoting Birth Rates in the Modern Society
32. According to the article, what social pressures could affect the decision to have children?
- (A) Cultural expectations
 - (B) National birth rates
 - (C) Flexible measures
 - (D) Housing shortage

33. Which reason is mentioned for low fertility rates?
- (A) Fewer married couples
 - (B) Robust social support
 - (C) Career development
 - (D) Workplace bullying
34. In 2024, which measure was imposed in Taiwan?
- (A) Encouraging flexible working arrangements
 - (B) Increasing salaries for married couples
 - (C) Offering affordable apartments and housing
 - (D) Providing subsidies to cover medical costs
35. What is the implication of the article?
- (A) It is possible to address low birth rates solely by reducing housing costs.
 - (B) The strategies for enhancing birth rates need to be inclusive and comprehensive.
 - (C) Taiwanese government should adopt the measures promoted by Japan.
 - (D) The mentioned measures have effectively increased the birth rates in Asia.

▲ 閱讀下文，回答第36-40題

With the rapid growth of digital platforms, self-media has become a major force in modern marketing. Self-media refers to online platforms where individuals create and publish their own content without relying on traditional media organizations. With the rise of social networks, video platforms and blogging tools, anyone can share ideas, skills or personal stories with a global audience. Unlike traditional broadcasting, self-media emphasizes personal style and direct communication, allowing creators to build unique online identities that reflect who they are and what they value. In many cases, this direct communication also helps creators respond quickly to trends, adjust their content strategy, and form a sense of community with viewers.

Running a self-media channel offers several advantages. First, creators can develop a strong personal brand by consistently sharing content that highlights their expertise or interests. This helps them build trust and long-term connections with followers. Second, self-media provides great flexibility. Creators can decide when to produce content, which topics to focus on, and how to interact with their audience. This

autonomy attracts many people who hope to combine their passion with a more independent lifestyle. Additionally, creators can experiment with various formats, such as short videos, podcasts, or photo posts, to find the most effective way to communicate their message.

There are also many ways for creators to earn income through self-media. Sponsored posts are one common method, where brands pay creators to feature products in their content. Others make money by promoting affiliate links or selling online courses, digital products or membership subscriptions. Some creators also expand into live streaming or consulting services. While these income streams can be profitable, they require planning and consistency. Successful creators often diversify their strategies to maintain steady earnings.

To succeed in this competitive field, creators must stay authentic and aware of their audience's needs. Experts suggest developing stable content habits, analyzing platform data and choosing collaborations carefully to avoid losing credibility. Ultimately, self-media can become a sustainable business for those who treat it strategically and continue to learn from the fast-changing digital market.

36. Which of the following is the most appropriate title for the passage?
- (A) The Growth of Social Media
 - (B) Effects of Online Advertising
 - (C) Different Formats of Self-Media
 - (D) Self-Media as a Business Model
37. What freedom do self-media creators have when managing their channels?
- (A) They can decide the theme and posting schedule on their own.
 - (B) They rely mainly on platforms to produce content manually.
 - (C) They can guarantee earnings without making any adjustments.
 - (D) They can operate without considering the audience's needs.
38. According to the article, which of the following is one way self-media creators can make money?
- (A) By buying advertisements from their audience
 - (B) By sponsoring followers to access all posts
 - (C) By interacting with their followers and experts
 - (D) By collaborating with brands for sponsorship

39. What do experts recommend for self-media creators?
- (A) Focusing mainly on audience credibility
 - (B) Selecting business partners with caution
 - (C) Analyzing competitors' habits through every post
 - (D) Producing the products as trends shift
40. What can be inferred about self-media as a career?
- (A) It requires high flexibility to change one's online identities.
 - (B) It is considerably easier than working in traditional industries.
 - (C) Only large enterprises can benefit from it in online marketing.
 - (D) Careful planning and consistent learning are keys to success.