

一、詞彙：第 1 至 8 題，請選出最適當的一個選項填入空格中完成句子。

16%，每題 2 分

1. Peter hopes that he can build a time _____ when he grows up so that he can travel in time with it in the future.
(A) museum (B) lettuce (C) machine (D) stomach
2. My family had to pick up my uncle after his plane _____ in Kaohsiung International Airport.
(A) pasted (B) arrived (C) lent (D) interviewed
3. The news _____ on television always give people the latest news about the events happening every day.
(A) engineers (B) dentists (C) lawyers (D) reporters
4. I poured some water on the flowers and other plants which looked very dry and _____ in my balcony.
(A) thirsty (B) excellent (C) convenient (D) delicious
5. It would be more polite if you _____ your jacket on the hook of the coat stand than put it on the couch.
(A) minded (B) hung (C) prepared (D) shook
6. My father is a successful businessman who has a _____ to help him take care of every phone call from other companies.
(A) history (B) dictionary (C) secretary (D) library
7. Tourists enjoy a _____ boat ride along Yilan’s coast, while racing with dozens of dolphins, flying fish, and whales if they're lucky.
(A) hungry (B) terrible (C) straight (D) comfortable
8. I always love the beautiful moment when the sun _____. It symbolizes a new day beginning with new experience and chances.
(A) appears (B) raises (C) belongs (D) surfs

二、文意選填：第 9 至 18 題，每題一個空格，請依文意從(A)到(CD)選項中，分別選出最適當者，使段落完整連貫，並將其英文字母代號標示在答案卡上。請注意，若選項代號為雙字母，兩個字母均須劃記。30%，每題 3 分

(A) passed	(B) notice	(C) photos	(D) agree	(AB) whether
(AC) mean	(AD) corner	(BC) crossing	(BD) what	(CD) decide

It is not difficult to see a group of people stand at the road __9__ and look down at their phones while they are waiting for the traffic light to turn green or even while they are walking. Some are watching __10__ on Facebook, others are playing online games, and still others may be texting on the phone. We call those who look at their phones while walking “smartphone zombies.” In America, texting while driving is illegal in 47 states. But __11__ about texting while walking? A law was recently __12__ in Honolulu, Hawaii. The law makes it illegal to text or look down at the phone while people are __13__ the street. It is the first major U.S. city to have a law like this.

Some people __14__ with the law. They say it will keep people safe. Looking at the phone while walking is not safe because people may not __15__ a car coming. This law will help keep people alive and we will see fewer “zombies” on the street. However, for those who are against the law, they think people should be able to text freely. That, of course, does not __16__ it is safe to text while walking across the street, but they don’t need the government to tell them what to do. They think they can __17__ by themselves. This is a free country and the police need a lot of time to catch real criminals. With the above different opinions, it may probably take some time to wait and see __18__ other states would follow the example of Honolulu.

text 發簡訊	zombie 殭屍	illegal 非法的
recently 最近	alive 活著的	against 反對

三、閱讀測驗：第 19 題至第 36 題，每題請分別根據各篇文章之文意，選出最適當的一個選項，標示在答案卡上。54%，每題 3 分

(19-22 為題組)


Dear all,

I sincerely invite you to our first class reunion to celebrate our recent graduation. The reunion is going take place on August 18th, 2018, at Smokey Joe's restaurant at 6:30 p.m. Activities will include exchanging opinions and suggestions about senior high school life, taking group photos, and enjoying the food. There is no need to wear formal dresses. Blue jeans and T-shirts will be all right. Also, please bring extra cash if you plan on ordering personal food or beverages. But don't have any drinks with alcohol since we are still teenagers.

There are several reasons for which I planned this reunion at the restaurant, but it is mainly because friends and good food mix well. When good friends and classmates get together, tasty foods and beverages always make them more excited. As for the photos, this may be the first and last junior high school reunion for some of us who are going to senior high schools abroad. It may be a long time to see them again after this reunion. For this reason, group photos will be taken to remind us how happy and crazy we were when we were in junior high. Last, the chatting on senior high school is to celebrate graduation and make us get ready for a new life. If you

accept this invitaion, please reply to me through telephone, email, or text messages. Family members and friends are welcome, too. I hope to receive your acceptance of my invitation.

Yours truly,
Tommy



19. What kind of letter is this?

- (A) A complaint letter. (B) An apology letter.
(C) An invitation letter. (D) A thank you letter.

20. From this letter, we can **NOT** order _____.

- (A) beer (B) iced black tea
(C) lemon juice (D) coke

21. Which of the following will **NOT** be seen in the class reunion?

- (A) Having lots of delicious food and drinks.
(B) Sharing plans and ideas on the coming life.
(C) Holding cameras or smartphones in hands.
(D) Blowing candles and balloons.

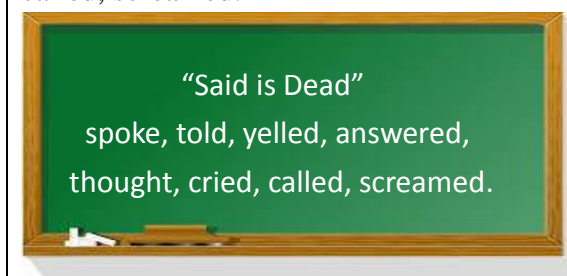
reunion 重聚
beverage 飲料

22. From this letter, which is true?

- (A) Parents can not go to the class reunion.
(B) Not all of the classmates will stay in the same city when they become senior high students.
(C) Those who join in the class reunion have to wear nice suits or dresses.
(D) If we don't want to go to the class reunion, we have to mail the letter back.

(23-26 為題組)

Jack walked into a new classroom and found the words on the blackboard: "Said is Dead", and below them are more words: spoke, told, yelled, answered, thought, cried, called, screamed.



23. These words on the blackboard do **NOT** want us to _____.

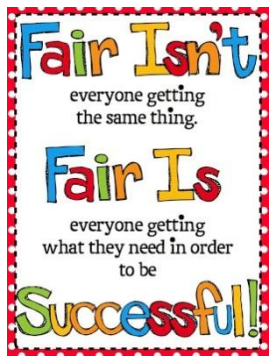


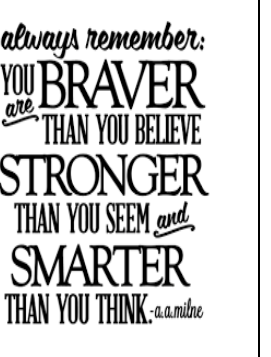
- (A) use the word "said" less often
(B) use different words for the same idea

- (C) never believe what other people said
- (D) learn to express and write more correctly

24. After reading these on the blackboard, Jack thought he had one more word. What could this word be?

(A) asked. (B) heard. (C) treated. (D) threw.

On the walls of the classroom, there are signs and posters.

(A) 	(B) 	(C) 	(D) 
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25. Jack always thought that he was the best in his school. He also believed that there was nothing much he could learn from school. Which of the two posters might be useful for him?

(A) A and B. (B) B and C. (C) B and D. (D) A and D.

26. For people who are afraid to fail, which one can best cheer them up?

(A) A. (B) B. (C) C. (D) D.

(27-30 為題組)

We make a lot of trash every day. We throw away things like packages from food and drink bottles when we eat, old newspapers and junk mail at our house, trash at school, offices, and libraries, and so on. There is so much trash! Most of the trash we throw goes to a landfill where the trash is buried underground. However, we cannot keep burying all of our trash because someday we may run out of room to put the trash. So, what can we do to solve the garbage problem?

First of all, we can try to reduce the amount of trash that we make. For example, we can use cloth shopping bags at the convenience store. Then we won't have to use plastic bags each time we shop. Also, we can try to write on both sides of a piece of paper instead of only the front side. All of these will cut down on the amount of trash that we make. Secondly, we can think about reusing things. Every time we eat meals, if we use silverware, not **disposable** plastic knives and forks, we are practicing the concept of reuse. Or, we can reuse things that we are going to throw away for a different purpose, like turning a shoebox into a storage box. Finally, we can recycle used paper, bottles, or cans. With special designs, bottles recycled, for example, can be used to create something new, like a wonderful art piece. So next time we finish our bottled water, why don't we put the bottle in a recycling bin, and help protect our planet?

27. What is this reading mainly about?
- (A) Ways to save the world.
(B) Dreams come true.
(C) Roads not taken.
(D) Places to call home.

bury 掩埋

28. Why can't we keep burying trash underground?
- (A) It is possible for people to run away from the landfill.
(B) There will be not enough space for putting trash in the future.
(C) People will go on building more rooms for the garbage.
(D) It will be too difficult to solve the garbage problem.
29. From this reading, the writer do **NOT** want us to_____?
- (A) use fewer plastic knives and forks.
(B) change a shoebox into a storage box.
(C) use more packages for a gift.
(D) write on both sides of a piece of paper.
30. What does the word "**disposable**" mean in the second paragraph?
- (A) To correct the mistakes which are made.
(B) To be used for eating meals.
(C) To break up with someone.
(D) To be thrown away after use.

(31-33 為題組)

Imagine that you're a fly. You're just zipping around the sky, looking for a place to rest. When you see a pink leaf, that looks like 31. As you rest your feet on the leaf, you notice something strange. This leaf is hairy. You begin to make your move, but you trigger the plant's reflex. Snap! In one-tenth of a second, you are caught in the Venus fly trap. You will be digested in five to twelve days. Welcome to the world of carnivorous plants!

There are over a quarter of a million plant species. Only 600 or so are carnivorous. We call them this because 32. Like other plants, they get energy from the sun. But unlike other plants, they get their nutrients from their prey. Carnivorous plants live in bogs and places where the soil lacks nutrients. Most plants get nutrients from the soil. Carnivorous plants have turned to other sources.

Carnivorous plants might sound tough, 33. They are built to survive in places that other plants cannot. This specialization comes at a cost. They have a hard time adapting to other environments. Their strengths become weaknesses in rich soil. They depend on the harsh yet delicate environments in which they thrive. They are not so hardy after all. Still, there's something to be said about the power of life when one finds a plant that can survive in barren soil.

31. (A) a nice place to land
(B) a very dangerous trap
(C) one of your family
(D) a hell with burning fire
32. (A) they are rare and special
(B) they attract, trap, and eat bugs
(C) they do not need soil to live and grow
(D) they are not known to everyone in the world
33. (A) and they can live in any environment
(B) but they often die easily
(C) but they are difficult to keep at home
(D) and they are beautiful as well

nutrient 營養物
source 來源
environment 環境
survive 生存

(34-36 為題組)

The day after Thanksgiving is the start of the holiday shopping season. Thanksgiving is always on a Thursday, so the day after is a Friday. This day has come to be known as Black Friday. It has been the busiest shopping day of the year since 2005.

Most stores offer great deals on Black Friday. They open their doors in the early hours of the morning. They try to attract shoppers with big discounts. Some items like TVs are much cheaper than usual. Stores may even lose money on these items. They hope that shoppers will buy gifts for other people while they are in the store. Black Friday is a great time to get good deals. The problem is that there are not enough low-priced items to go around. Each store may only have a few. These items are in high demand. People stand in long lines to get such great deals. They may line up hours before a store opens. They may be hoping to get a low price on a TV or laptop, but not everyone who wants one will get one. Some people leave disappointed.

The situation can be tense. Some Black Friday events have been violent. Large, eager crowds have trampled workers. Fights have broken out over toys or people cutting in line. People have shot one another over parking spots. But most Black Friday events are safe and fun. Still, if you plan on going, expect large crowds and a bit of shoving. So where does the name "Black Friday" come from? It was first used in Philadelphia in the 1950s. The police called this day Black Friday because of the heavy traffic it drew. In the 1960s, stores tried to rename the day "Big Friday." It did not stick. The name "Black Friday" continued to spread across the country. It seems that it is here to stay.

34. About "Black Friday", which one is true?
(A) It is called "Black" because of the cars and people that crowd the stores, shopping malls and centers.
(B) It is always on Friday because traditionally every Friday is a big day for business.
(C) It is originally a religious holiday that comes with Thanksgiving.
(D) It has been the busiest shopping day of the year since the name "Black Friday" appeared.
35. What should you **NOT** expect to see if you plan to join in the Black Friday events?
(A) The crowds may push each other and get violent.
(B) People who want to get good deals.

- (C) You may have to line up for hours before you can get in the store.
- (D) Low-priced or free items are offered to the shoppers.

36. Why do some stores lose money to sell some low-priced items?

- (A) These products are of poor quality.
- (B) The stores are going to end their business.
- (C) They hope more shoppers may come and buy other items.
- (D) They want to offer better discounts than other stores.

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