

英語(リーディング)

各大問の英文や図表を読み、解答番号 ~ にあてはまるものとして最も適当な選択肢を選びなさい。

第1問 (配点 10)

A You are thinking of joining a one-day workshop this weekend. Your friend sees this web advertisement and asks which activity you would like to attend.

Culture Center Activities this Sunday

<u>Poetry Slam</u> <i>Cool Words, Cool Art</i>	<u>Haiku Workshop</u> <i>Simple yet Deep</i>
A chance to learn how to write modern poetry	A writing workshop for lovers of Asian art
▶ From 4:00 p.m. (2 hours including one 10-minute break)	▶ From 3:00 p.m. (no breaks and a running time of one hour and 20 minutes)
▶ Professional poets will be the teachers	▶ Real advice from expert teachers
▶ Receive a large printout of your poem	▶ Everyone will have a chance to share their poems with the group
▶ Free metallic water bottles available for early sign-ups	▶ Special collections of famous haiku will be awarded to the first five people to apply

Instructions: If you wish to attend one of these events, fill in the form below and hit the submit button.

Choose (✓) one: *Poetry Slam* *Haiku Workshop*

Name: _____

Email Address: _____

問1 What does the advertisement request you to do?

- ① Print out the application form.
- ② Send the title of your poem.
- ③ Send your choice with your contact details.
- ④ Write your name and decide your time slot.

問2 Which is true about both events?

- ① Some people will receive special items for applying early.
- ② They take about the same length of time.
- ③ You can receive a printed version of your work.
- ④ You will get feedback from other participants.

B You found the following article on an English information website for your town.

Restaurant Spotlight: Italiana Fresca

We are pleased to announce that Rocco Giuseppe selected our town for his second Italiana Fresca. The award-winning chef decided to build the new restaurant here to take advantage of our famous vegetables. Italiana Fresca will be celebrating its opening by hosting several events, including cooking classes taught by chef Giuseppe himself. Although the events will be held in English, cooking classes will be clear enough for anyone to follow by example. If you have never visited Italy and enjoyed real Italian cooking, this is a great opportunity.

Schedule

May 1	Grand opening party
May 3	Lecture I: Essential Italian for travel through Italy
May 4	Cooking class I: (1) How to make homemade pasta (2) Pesto, a vegetable sauce
May 15	Lecture II: How to gesture like an Italian
May 17	Cooking class II: (1) How to make Italian chicken (2) Italian breadsticks
May 21	Lecture III: Japan-Italy relations
May 23	Neapolitan pizza tasting event

- All events will be held from 3:00–5:00 PM at the restaurant. Children under thirteen years of age cannot participate alone in the cooking classes, but they are welcome to accompany their parents.
- Those attending any of the events will receive a 50% discount on a dinner ordered the same day.

To register to participate in any event, click [here](#).

▶▶ [Italiana Fresca: Official Site](#)

問1 The purpose of this notice is to inform people about 3.

- ① Italian classes taught by Rocco Giuseppe
- ② the new chef at a popular Italian restaurant
- ③ the sale of city's famous vegetables at a new Italian restaurant
- ④ the schedule for the first month of a new Italian restaurant

問2 At one of the events, the participants will learn 4.

- ① how certain kinds of pizzas are made
- ② how Italian food and culture are changing
- ③ how to communicate better in Italy
- ④ how to find good deals on travel

問3 People who participate in the events will be able to 5.

- ① eat pasta made by other participants at home
- ② have a meal at a lower price than usual
- ③ meet people who plan to visit Italy
- ④ teach table manners to elementary school children

第2問 (配点 20)

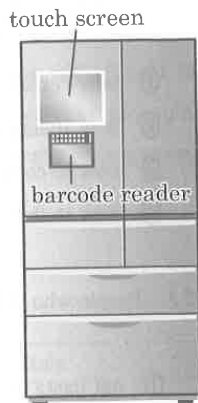
A You are concerned about food-loss and interested in technologies that could reduce it. You are searching on a UK website and find this advertisement for an AI fridge-freezer.

Intelli-Chill by Good Living Ltd.

Intelli-Chill is a new, AI-assisted fridge and freezer that can bring added intelligence to your kitchen and your daily life.

What is the Intelli-Chill?

The *Intelli-Chill fridge-freezer* has a large 310L space for your chilled items, like milk, cheese, fruits, etc., and a 120L freezer for your frozen foods. What makes *Intelli-Chill* different? It has a touch screen display and a scanner. You scan your foods as you put them in the fridge or freezer. Inside *Intelli-Chill*, cameras monitor everything. You can check what is inside using the touch screen or the app that is available for your smartphone or PC.



Intelli-Chill's Unique Features

Monitors contents: Check your app at the supermarket. It will tell you which items are running low and suggest a shopping list.

Monitors expiry dates: Get an alert when food is going out of date so you can use it soon.

Reports: Get weekly and monthly reports to better understand your diet.

Suggests recipes: *Intelli-Chill* can suggest healthy recipes based on the food you have. It can also suggest different foods to buy.

Customer Feedback

- Scanning all the food takes time, but I never run out of milk anymore.
- The meal suggestions are great.
- I used to throw away a lot of food. I would forget I had it, and it would go bad. Not anymore!
- This app is really helpful. I can ask it to suggest cheaper foods to save money.
- Really useful, but take some time to read the manual as it is a little complicated.
- It is like I have an assistant in the kitchen helping me every day.
- A great fridge. A little expensive, but it will save me money in the future.

問1 According to the maker's statements, which best describes the product?

6

- ① Compact fridge and freezer
- ② Computer-supported fridge and freezer
- ③ Fridge and freezer assisted by the maker
- ④ Inexpensive fridge and freezer

問2 Which benefit offered by the product is most likely to appeal to you?

7

- ① Being informed what food is going out of date
- ② Eating more healthily
- ③ Getting personalised food suggestions
- ④ Understanding your monthly food budget

問3 One opinion stated by a customer is that 8.

- ① the app's manual is thick
- ② the food suggestions are cost-effective
- ③ the fridge can give you a healthier lifestyle
- ④ the fridge is large enough

問4 One customer's comment mentions never running out of milk. Which benefit is this comment based on? 9

- ① Monitors contents
- ② Monitors expiry dates
- ③ Reports
- ④ Suggests recipes

問5 According to one customer's opinion, 10 is recommended.

- ① reading the instructions carefully
- ② saving money to pay for the fridge
- ③ using an assistant to help you install the fridge
- ④ using food before getting an alert

(下書き用紙)

英語(リーディング)の試験問題は次に続く。

B You are a member of the environmental club. The members are making plans for a new volunteer event and you have been asked to come up with suggestions. To get ideas, you are reading a blog about a community service project a student introduced at her school.

Ten-Minute Community Challenge

Arriving at school used to make me sad. There are several convenience stores and cafes in the area and people often drop litter on the ground — cans, bottles, sweet wrappers, plastic bags, etc. Last year, I decided to do something. I put up posters asking students to come to school ten minutes earlier than usual for one week and use the extra time to pick up a few pieces of litter. It worked! An average of 150 students (10% of the school) took part each day. Nearly a third of that number participated the whole week. There were even a few teachers. Within three days, the area around the school was already much nicer. By the end, it was perfect. Surprisingly, since this event the area has stayed litter-free. Why is this? Feedback from the event seems to give the answer:

Feedback from the students and the local community

BT: I hadn't realised how unhappy this problem was making me. I can finally walk to school with a big smile on my face.

AK: Great project! As an adult living near the school, I was so happy to see school students helping the community. I joined in and got some neighbours involved, too. We still do it twice a week.

RN: We appreciate the difference it has made. My friends and I would have joined in but we didn't see the poster.

CF: This project helped me understand how action by a high school student can have a big impact.

WL: I am so thankful. I've lived here for 15 years and I feel I can be proud of this town again.

問 1 The aim of the activity was to 11.

- ① get students to support the community
- ② help locals to know each other
- ③ improve the school playground
- ④ make the environment look nicer

問 2 One fact about the Ten-Minute Community Challenge is that 12.

- ① it only lasted for three days
- ② only students picked up litter
- ③ the number of students who worked the whole week was around 50
- ④ the teachers were happy that the town looked cleaner

問 3 From the blog, we know that it is most likely true that 13.

- A : more people may have wanted to take part
- B : students encouraged the locals to join in
- C : students like picking up garbage
- D : the author didn't expect teachers to join in

- ① A and B
- ② A and C
- ③ A and D
- ④ B and C
- ⑤ B and D
- ⑥ C and D

問4 One of the participants' opinions about the Ten-Minute Community Challenge is that 14.

- ① everyone should take part in the challenge
- ② locals have always been happy to live in the area
- ③ one person can make a difference to the community
- ④ the challenge should have started 15 years ago

問5 The author's question is answered by 15.

- ① AK
- ② BT
- ③ CF
- ④ RN
- ⑤ WL

(下書き用紙)

英語(リーディング)の試験問題は次に続く。

第3問 (配点 15)

A You are planning to study at a university in Manchester for a year. You need some advice about where to live. You found a website with some useful information and posted a question in the Q&A section of the website.

I'm going to move house to Manchester from January. All of the student accommodation at Metropolitan University has been taken. I'm considering Douglass Apartments, Smith Tower, Barkworth Flats, and Coleman Mansions. Can anyone give me some advice? (Koki)

Answer

I lived at Douglass Apartments and Smith Tower when I was at Metropolitan University. Both are nice places to live. The apartments on the north side of Douglass Apartments have a free car park. You need to pay for parking if you live in one of the other flats there, and it's very expensive. The rooms are unfurnished, so you might need to rent some furniture.

There's a bicycle lane linking Smith Tower with Metropolitan University. I was able to get to school in about 20 minutes. I didn't enjoy it when it rained, though. I hear the car park is always full, so you may have to rent the nearby car park at £30 a month.

Coleman Mansions was a popular place to live amongst my friends. They said it was very convenient. I am posting a link to the websites of those flats. I hope it will help you! (Walter)

Smith Tower

on Reed Avenue



A modern apartment with a delightful view. There are a few parking spaces.

£300 a week

Barkworth Flats

on Priory Lane



A wonderful apartment. Parking costs just £20 a month at a parking garage just across the street.

£290 a week

Coleman Mansions

on Perry Close



This is a cozy apartment close to restaurants and shops. Perfect for those using public transport.

£320 a week

Douglass Apartments

on Tanner Street



A spacious apartment. It has excellent north-facing views.

£320 a week

問1 From Walter's reply, you learn that Walter 16 .

- ① disagrees with the information about Coleman Mansions
- ② prefers an apartment without furniture
- ③ was employed at Metropolitan University
- ④ would cycle from Reed Avenue to Metropolitan University

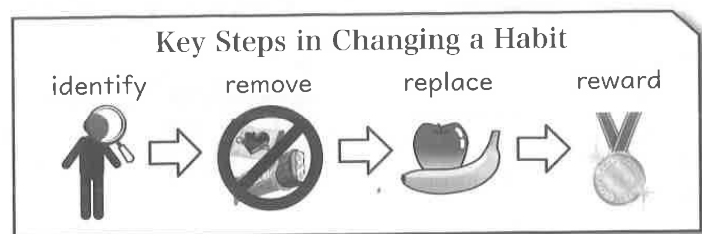
問2 Which is the cheapest apartment for someone with a car? 17

- ① Barkworth Flats
- ② Coleman Mansions
- ③ Douglass Apartments
- ④ Smith Tower

B After a morning assembly about setting a New Year goal, your homeroom teacher shares a blog about how a British student was able to break a bad habit.

Break the Habit

As a student, it is easy to pick up bad habits, like leaving your homework until the last minute or playing video games a little too often. I managed to overcome some of my bad habits, and this is how I did it.



First, I needed to identify the problem. I fell asleep in the middle of a maths test and failed. The teacher called me into his office and asked about my routine. Then I realised I had a problem with my eating habits. Eating snacks was always a big issue for me. For an energy boost, I would usually grab a chocolate bar, some sweets, or a sugary drink. I didn't notice how much the extra calories were making me overweight and sleepy. Usually, 30 minutes after eating, my energy levels would crash.

I set myself a goal. I hated apples, bananas, and healthy options like that. Still, I replaced all my regular unhealthy snacks with fruit, nuts, and granola bars. I challenged myself to keep up the new diet for three months. To support me, my friends stopped eating snacks around me, and my brother promised to give me his watch that I wanted if I succeeded. I did!

Changing my diet has had a huge impact on my life. I have lost 12kg. I actually desire healthy food. I also have more energy, feel more awake, and I do better at school, which is a great joy. A few months ago, I used the same method to cut down on my screen time. I identified the issue, removed my

triggers (putting my smartphone in my bag instead of my pocket), started new activities like playing board games, and rewarded myself with a trip to Disneyland. If you follow similar steps, you'll be on your way to breaking your bad habits and reaching your full potential.

問 1 Put the following events (①~④) into the order in which they happened.

18 → 19 → 20 → 21

- ① People close to the author helped him.
- ② The author failed a test.
- ③ The author made poor food choices.
- ④ The author received something he wanted.

問 2 If you follow the author's advice, you should 22.

- ① ask your friends to change their habits for you
- ② find a better balance of study and fun
- ③ follow a system to make improvements in your life
- ④ trust what your teachers tell you

問 3 From this story, you understand that the author 23.

- ① found that his tastes have changed
- ② preferred going to Disneyland to playing board games
- ③ struggles to make effective plans
- ④ tried the method out only once