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一、字彙測驗：15%

1. Hank tried to get in \_\_\_\_\_ with his college classmates but in vain.  
(A) contact (B) decade (C) sorrow (D) pastime
2. Sarah is definitely \_\_\_\_\_ to me, and it hurts my feelings a lot.  
(A) important (B) intellectual (C) inferior (D) indifferent
3. It is impossible to have a \_\_\_\_\_ conversation with him. He always sticks to his own opinions.  
(A) rational (B) potential (C) systematic (D) cosmetic
4. Are you still expecting James? He is \_\_\_\_\_ with his business and definitely has no time to come to your aid.  
(A) ensured (B) dragged (C) occupied (D) possessed
5. Shuchu Chen, a vegetable vendor in Taitung, has been honored for her charitable donating. Her generosity is a demonstration of \_\_\_\_\_ to those in need.  
(A) advantage (B) humanity (C) concentration (D) repentance
6. The speech was so boring that I couldn't focus my attention on it \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) previously (B) namely (C) throughout (D) alike
7. The effect of the pollution on the beaches is absolutely \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) tragic (B) sober (C) dizzy (D) central
8. We \_\_\_\_\_ him from giving up the job, but he still quit and returned to school for further studies.  
(A) retrospected (B) respected (C) encouraged (D) discouraged
9. Birth, aging, illness, and death are \_\_\_\_\_ stages in life. They are all certain to happen.  
(A) occasional (B) simplistic (C) mainstream (D) inevitable
10. The palace has been rebuilt to its original \_\_\_\_\_ and it attracts plenty of visitors each year.  
(A) bargain (B) splendor (C) labor (D) hardship
11. The school \_\_\_\_\_ many famous baseball athletes and is renowned for its professional trainings.  
(A) regulates (B) cultivates (C) bereaves (D) decorates
12. After hearing the good news of being admitted to the UCLA, Gabriel \_\_\_\_\_ silent and nobody knew what was in his mind.  
(A) remained (B) regained (C) reacted (D) retreated
13. The country has recently \_\_\_\_\_ great change either in politics or in economy. Its people all have great anxiety about their future.  
(A) subscribed (B) cherished (C) undergone (D) endured
14. The traffic jam is so \_\_\_\_\_ that everyone is getting more and more impatient with the situation.  
(A) willing (B) fleeting (C) neighboring (D) annoying
15. He received a letter saying that his \_\_\_\_\_ had been rejected.  
(A) application (B) inhabitation (C) restoration (D) symbolization

## 二、綜合測驗：27%

【A】 People in the West knew little about life in Asia, and people in Asia didn't really understand those Westerners. However, all of these has changed. (16) transportation and communication, the East and the West are keeping in touch with each other more frequently and easily. (17) was seen as strange, exotic and dangerous can turn into a fad. Today, people across the West are embracing Eastern foods, practices, and beliefs. (18) traditional Chinese medicine for instance. Chinese herbal medicine is now (19) alongside Western medicine at many hospitals in the West. Besides, it is a common sight that patients are being treated with acupuncture, a medical treatment in which needles are inserted into specific position of the body. It is increasingly popular with Westerners, especially used to (20) chronic pain and even cure some diseases. Since the East and the West interact more frequently, (21) the relationship between them has now become closer than ever. And they more create a multicultural varieties in the future.

16. (A) Through (B) For (C) Except (D) Because  
17. (A) It (B) That (C) What (D) Who  
18. (A) Have (B) Take (C) Put (D) Use  
19. (A) destructive (B) protective (C) flexible (D) available  
20. (A) treat (B) treating (C) be treated (D) being treated  
21. (A) needless to say (B) useless to say (C) that is unlikely (D) it goes without saying

【B】 Hanami, which means “flower viewing” in Japanese, is a famous Japanese tradition that celebrates the annual blooming of cherry blossoms. The practice began in the eighth century, (22) Japan was heavily influenced by the Tang Dynasty. They began emulating the Chinese custom of spending time outdoors and observing flowers. At first, (23) plum blossoms that were held in high esteem. By the end of the ninth century, (24), cherry blossoms overtook them in popularity and were (25) sacred. In addition, the yearly cherry blossom also indicated that it was time (26) farmers (26) planting rice for the new year.

As Japan modernized and expanded, cherry blossom became an important symbol of power and national pride. In imperial Japan, generals would plant cherry trees to show that a (27) territory now belonged to Japan. Therefore, during the early 20<sup>th</sup> century, cherry blossoms (28) Taiwan. One of the first places cherry trees were planted was Alisan. In 1921, three years after Japanese first imported cherry saplings into Taiwan, Alisan experienced its first-ever cherry blossom season and has become a great scenic spot for hanami since then.

22. (A) but (B) when (C) and thus (D) likewise  
23. (A) due to (B) other than (C) it was (D) there was  
24. (A) otherwise (B) moreover (C) consequently (D) however  
25. (A) thought of (B) regarded to (C) viewed (D) considered  
26. (A) for; to start (B) for; started (C) that; to start (D) that; start  
27. (A) capturing (B) captured (C) sacrificing (D) sacrificed  
28. (A) were forced into (B) were robbed of (C) were betrayed by (D) were introduced to

**【C】** Roald Dahl created many fantastic tales that appeal to thousands of adults and children. In *James and the Giant Peach*, Dahl tells a story about James Trotter, an orphan (29) with his two terrible aunts. One day, he gets some magical crystals from an friendly old man but spills them onto a peach tree. (30) happens. One of the peaches grows to the size of house, and it starts his following wondrous journey. In the peach, James finds huge insects and makes friends with them. They have an exciting (31) which takes him away from his troubles. During the trip, James deals with issues of friendship, justice, and overcoming fears. In exploring these topics, Dahl provides life lessons (32) for any child.

From *Matilda* to *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*, Dahl’s works amaze readers with his vigorous and limitless imagination, rich in elements of all fantasy stories. (33), it is about magic and an unordinary world created by magic. In such a world, the main character can get rid of troubles in the regular life and experience a “(34) ceremoney”. The next element is about the theme of good (35) evil. Third, the main character must be a “hero,” which gets him to take on challenges and complete his ceremoney of growing up at the end of the story. Drawing inspiration from his own life and (36) life experience into vivid descriptions, Dahl arrests the world’s attention with a heart “remembering what it was like to be young.”

29. (A) lives (B) to live (C) living (D) lived  
 30. (A) Strange something (B) Weird something (C) Something wicked (D) Something bizarre  
 31. (A) adventure (B) spotlight (C) necessity (D) affair  
 32. (A) worthy of learning (B) worthy to learn (C) worth learning (D) worth to be learned  
 33. (A) Then (B) First of all (C) Eventually (D) What’s more  
 34. (A) graduation (B) collapse (C) maturity (D) update  
 35. (A) prevails over (B) wins (C) fights against (D) versus  
 36. (A) transmitting (B) transforming (C) transplanting (D) translating

**【D】** On the journey of life, we may experience joy and sorrow alternately. Appreciation of the duality of life will see us through these moments of darkness, and it also (37) the buauty of our existence and the world. After all, (38) the darkness of the night, it would be impossible to see how brightly the stars shine in the sky. (39), the bitterness of sorrow helps us appreciate and enjoy the sweetness of joy. The greater difficulty we suffer, (40) afterwards. We (41) search wihtout; instead, the appreciaton of life comes within. It is developed by means of building up the inner strength, the willingness to simplify life, and the (42) personal progress. These are what will lead us to true nobility—being superior to who we were instead of to some other people.

37. (A) lies in (B) results from (C) makes for (D) rules out  
 38. (A) but that (B) were it not for (C) if there is not (D) if it hadn’t been  
 39. (A) Similarly (B) In the other way (C) Which is to say (D) On the other hand  
 40. (A) we may get more pleasure (B) the more pleasure we may get  
 (C) and we can get more pleasure (D) and the more we can get the pleasure  
 41. (A) need to (B) need (C) needn’t to (D) needn’t  
 42. (A) thirst for (B) thirsty for (C) eagerness to (D) eager to

三、狄克生片語：10%

43. He \_\_\_\_\_ college and went straight into the NBA as a professional basketball player.  
 (A) looked down on (B) dropped out of (C) made up for (D) went in for
44. Dennis promised to come on Sunday but he broke his words and never \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (A) opened up (B) held up (C) stayed up (D) showed up
45. I am sure we haven't met each other before. But strangely, I seem to \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (A) give him a ring (B) drop him a line (C) know him by sight (D) take him by surprise
46. The girl sitting next to me has fallen in love with me \_\_\_\_\_, and that really bothers me.  
 (A) somehow or other (B) above all (C) in the way (D) to my hear's content
47. The government is \_\_\_\_\_ tests on genetically modified crops to see if it is safe to eat.  
 (A) carrying out (B) setting out (C) sending out (D) making out
48. Not preferring how it looked, the couple \_\_\_\_\_ the house right after they bought it.  
 (A) took over (B) thought over (C) turned over (D) made over
49. Tim \_\_\_\_\_ his family and headed to Italy for further studies in arts.  
 (A) took leave of (B) put up with (C) run errands for (D) looked up to
50. I almost \_\_\_\_\_ at the sight of all blood on the ground. It was a bit scary to me.  
 (A) got lost (B) got stuck (C) passed out (D) passed away
51. The U.S. are \_\_\_\_\_ to find a solution to oil leaking in the Mexico Gulf.  
 (A) making sense (B) taking pains (C) making faces (D) giving birth
52. After years of improvement, the quality of British wines can now \_\_\_\_\_ that of wines from Germany.  
 (A) believe in (B) stand for (C) compare with (D) come across

四、文意選填：12% (不考慮選項首字大小寫)

A. that	B. evident	C. with	D. ever before
E. convinced	AB. since	AC. even	AD. opened

China's commercial capital of Shanghai has always been all about business. Nowhere is that more (53) than at its World Expo, a giant bazaar of ideas, technologies and outright PR offensives focused on the world's fastest-growing major market. The Expo, which (54) to the public on May 1<sup>st</sup>, is a multibillion dollar business opportunity (55) has generated massive contracts for design, equipment and engineering firms. (56) they started out displaying new industrial technologies alongside new design and cultural offerings in the mid-19<sup>th</sup> century, world's fairs have always been something of a global marketplace in miniature. (57) China's economy growing faster than most and poised to soon overtake Japan's as the second-biggest after the U.S., the Expo's role as a venue for networking and marketing is bigger than (58).

六、閱讀測驗：16%

【A】 As for us, we're quite fortunate—luckier than millions of people. It's quiet and safe here, and we're using our money to buy food. We're so selfish that we talk about “after the war” and look forward to new clothes and shoes, when actually we should be saving every penny to help others when the war is over, to salvage whatever we can.

The children in this neighborhood run around in thin shirts and wooden shoes. They have no coats, no socks, no caps and no one to help them. Gnawing on a carrot, they walk from their cold houses through cold streets to an even colder classroom. Things have gotten so awful in Holland that hordes of children stop pedestrians in the streets to beg for a piece of bread.

I could spend hours telling you about the suffering the war has brought, but I'd only make myself more miserable. All we can do is wait, as calmly as possible, for it to end. Jews and Christians alike are waiting; the whole world is waiting, and many are waiting for death.

59. What is the change in the mood behind the passage?

- (A) Positive → negative (B) Negative → positive  
(C) Positive → negative → positive (D) Negative → positive → negative

60. Why does the author feel selfish as shown in the second line?

- (A) She has no money to help others. (B) She's not kind enough to give money away.  
(C) She wants to buy new clothes and shoes. (D) She doesn't think about others' conditions.

61. The second paragraph describes that \_\_\_\_\_.

- (A) kids are having fun in the streets (B) kids are left abandoned on the road  
(C) children are knowing nothing to do (D) children are playing jokes on others

【B】 A massive landslide near Keelung cut off a major portion of Freeway No. 3, marking the first time a national expressway has been blocked by a landslide. The landslide buried three vehicles and caused four victims dead in the accident.

The incident happened at 2:33 p.m., April 25th, crushing a section of Freeway No. 3 in Qidu from the 3.1-kilometer mark on the southbound side to the 2.8-kilometer mark on the northbound side, according to fire officials from Keelung City. The length of the freeway affected by the landslide totaled 300 meters.

Repair workers have cleared a path on the side of a section of Freeway No. 3, making it easier for them to remove mud and transport it to dump sites. As for when the highway will be open to regular vehicles, at this point an exact date wasn't able to be given. Highway authorities still have to evaluate damage caused to the pavement and railing of the highway before they can allow passenger vehicles to travel on it.

Lin Chao-tsung, director of the Central Geological Survey under the Ministry of Economic Affairs, attributed the landslide to damaged rock anchors in the restraining walls along the freeway. “Faulty construction or wear on the anchors may have precipitated the collapse of a hill hovering

over the freeway's Keelung-Sijhih section. The side of the hill facing the freeway was a dip slope—a geological formation particularly vulnerable to landslides—composed largely of sandstone,” Lin said. Some academics have suggested that damaged rock anchors might be behind the landslide and warned that 32 dip slopes along the nation's freeways are potentially at risk.

62. This passage can be found in \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) a touring guide (B) a variety show (C) a news comment (D) a weather forecasting
63. As for the landslide, which statement is **TRUE**?  
(A) None was injured in this incident. (B) It occurred on a rainy day.  
(C) The freeway was not reopened yet. (D) The expressway was damaged for one kilometer.
64. According to research, the landslide is possibly caused by \_\_\_\_\_ factors.  
(A) earth-related (B) flood-affected (C) human-neglecting (D) climate-changing
65. The word ***precipitate*** in the last paragraph is equal to “\_\_\_\_\_”.  
(A) lessen (B) speed up (C) calm down (D) examine
66. A dip slope \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) is made up of only sandstone (B) gives residents a safe place to live on  
(C) makes driving unsafe everywhere (D) makes the landslide possible

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七、文意字彙：20%

67. This book gives parents advice on how to d    e their children and it is highly recommended by teachers and educational organizations.
68. Mom, do we have anything to eat? I am s    ing to death.
69. Julia is a rather a    e mother who always treats her children with love and care.
70. Teenagers are likely to get in c    t with their parents as a form of rebellion against the family authority.
71. Be sure to use s    e knives for raw meat and other vegetables in order to keep from contamination.
72. The word *yoga* means “union” in Sanskrit, the language of ancient India. The union occurs when the mind, body and spirit are h    sly linked together.
73. I can't p    e any difference between this painting and my scabbling. How could it cost so much?
74. It's too soon to make a        (judge) about what the outcome will be.
75. When you pull up at the side of the road, pay attention to motorcycles, bicycles or        (pass).
76. The man burned with        (curious) over what was written in his father's will.

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