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2026 年度 特別選抜入試(10 月試験)

英語

制限時間 60 分

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〔1〕 次の空欄 ( ) に入れるのに最も適当なものを、次のそれぞれの①～④のうちから一つずつ選び、記号で答えなさい。(各3点)

Q1. If Mike ( ) to the guidelines more carefully, he wouldn't have made such a mistake.

- ① had listened    ② listened    ③ would listen    ④ was listening

Q2. The book ( ) I borrowed from the library was very interesting.

- ① who    ② what    ③ where    ④ which

Q3. It is important ( ) this application meticulously.

- ① you read    ② of you to read    ③ for you to read    ④ you reading

Q4. ( ) the window, I noticed a strange man outside.

- ① Open    ② Opened    ③ Opening    ④ Opens

Q5. Not only ( ) late, but Simon also forgot his assignment.

- ① he was    ② was he    ③ he is    ④ is he

Q6. This is the residence ( ) I lived when I was a child.

- ① which    ② what    ③ that    ④ where

Q7. It's high time you ( ) responsibility for your behavior.

- ① take    ② took    ③ taken    ④ taking

〔2〕 次の下線部に最も近い意味を表すものを、次のそれぞれの①～④のうちから一つずつ選び、記号で答えなさい。(各3点)

Q8. Keiko remained resilient despite the repeated failures.

- ① fragile    ② confused    ③ persistent    ④ discouraged

Q9. The CEO acknowledged the need for change in the company's strategy.

- ① admitted    ② denied    ③ argued    ④ avoided

Q10. The new policy caused a lot of controversy among the citizens.

- ① agreement    ② silence    ③ celebration    ④ debate

[3] 次の文章を読み、下の設問に答えなさい。(各3点)

Who are the tallest people on Earth? For most of the 20th century, American men and women could look down on everyone else. But in the 1970s, people in northern Europe began to grow taller. They reached the same height as Americans and then grew taller. Q18. Now the Dutch are the tallest in the world, followed by the Norwegians and the Danes. Why is this? Why did Americans stop growing? There are two possible reasons.

According to scientists, one reason is related to diet. In the 1980s, Americans began to eat a lot of meat and a lot of junk food. This is still true today. Many Americans, especially young people, don't eat a healthy diet. Their bodies don't get the vitamins and minerals that they need. Q13. ( ), they get a lot of unhealthy sugar and fat. Q11. Not surprisingly, many Americans are overweight and have health problems. Q19. Compared with Americans, Europeans generally have a healthier diet. They eat less meat and less junk food, and they eat more fruit and vegetables.

The other reason why Europeans are taller is because they Q12 get better health care. In the United States, the health care system is private, and it's very expensive. Because of this, many people who need medical care don't get it. Pregnant women and children often don't get good care. In Europe, the health care system is public. Doctors' visits are free and there are many free health services for families, especially for pregnant women and children. This has generally helped Europeans to stay healthier and grow taller.

Q11. “Not surprisingly, many Americans are overweight and have health problems.”この文で “Not surprisingly” が意味することとして最も適切なものはどれですか、記号で答えなさい。

- A. アメリカ人が健康的であることは予想外だ
- B. アメリカ人が太っているのは予想外だ
- C. アメリカ人が太っているのは当然の結果だ
- D. アメリカ人は驚くほど健康的だ

Q12. “get better health care” の “get” に最も近い意味を持つ語はどれですか、記号で答えなさい。

- A. avoid
- B. receive
- C. reject
- D. ignore

Q13. ( )内に入る最も適切な語を選び、記号で答えなさい。

- A. As a result
- B. Therefore
- C. On the other hand
- D. Because of that

Q14. 本文の記述を根拠に、次の英文の( )内に入る最も適切な語を選び、記号で答えなさい。“In the 1980s, Americans began to eat a lot of meat and junk food, and this trend ( ) true today.”

- A. was
- B. had been
- C. remain
- D. remains

- Q15. なぜアメリカでは妊婦や子どもが十分な医療を受けられないのか、文中の情報に基づいて最も適切な理由を選びなさい。
- A. 医療制度が民間ではなく、医療費が高額であるから
  - B. 医療制度が公的ではなく、医療費が高額であるから
  - C. 医師の数が十分でないから
  - D. 医師の診察が無料であるから
- Q16. ヨーロッパ人とアメリカ人の食生活の違いとして正しいものをすべて選びなさい。
- A. ヨーロッパ人は果物や野菜を多く食べる
  - B. アメリカ人は栄養素を十分に摂取している
  - C. ヨーロッパ人はジャンクフードを好む
  - D. アメリカ人は砂糖と脂肪を多く摂取する
- Q17. 次の文を文中の適切な位置に挿入するならどの文の前が最も適切か、記号で答えなさい。“This shift in average height reflects broader social and economic changes.”
- A. They reached the same height as Americans and then grew taller.
  - B. Now the Dutch are the tallest in the world, followed by the Norwegians and the Danes.
  - C. Why is this? Why did Americans stop growing?
  - D. There are two possible reasons.
- Q18. 次の英文を文脈に合った日本語に訳しなさい。
- “Now the Dutch are the tallest in the world, followed by the Norwegians and the Danes.”
- Q19. 次の英文を文脈に合った日本語に訳しなさい。
- “Compared with Americans, Europeans generally have a healthier diet.”
- Q20. この文章全体の主張として最も適切なものはどれですか、記号で答えなさい。
- A. アメリカ人は遺伝的に背が低い
  - B. 食生活と医療制度が平均身長に影響を与える
  - C. ヨーロッパ人は肉を食べないため背が高い
  - D. アメリカの医療制度は世界で最も優れている

[4] 次の文章を読み、下の設問に答えなさい。

Craig Rogers was sitting on his surfboard, scanning the distance for his next wave, a great white shark biting the front of his board. Q29. "I ( its / my / have / elbow / could / touched / eye / with )" says Craig. The shark had Q21. surfaced so quietly he hadn't heard a thing. In his horror and Q22. confusion, he waved his arms and Q30. ( ) cut two of his fingers on the shark's teeth. He then slid off the opposite side of his surfboard into the water. Then, with Craig in the water and blood flowing from his fingers, the five-meter-long shark simply swam away, disappearing into the water below.

Although sharks are often Q23. categorized as killers that hunt and eat as many humans as they can, this is factually Q24. inaccurate. Sharks very rarely kill humans. A person has a greater chance of being struck by lightning or drowning in a bath than of being killed by a shark. Only 74 people have been reported killed by great whites in the last century. But great white sharks can reach six meters in length and weigh 2,200 kilograms or more. With Q31. ( ) jaws that can hold up to 3,000 teeth arranged in several rows, they could very easily kill and eat a helpless human in the water. Why is it, then, that most people survive attacks by great whites? Shark researchers are trying to comprehend the reasons that allow people to escape without being eaten.

The most Q25. common explanation is that great whites don't see well. It has been thought that they mistake people for the seals or sea lions which make up a large part of their diet. There is reason to doubt this, however, recent information shows that great whites can actually see very well. Also, when attacking seals, great whites shoot up to the surface and bite with great force. Q34. When approaching humans, however, they most often move in slowly and bite less hard. They soon discover that humans are not a high-fat meal. "They spit us out because we're too bony," says Aidan Martin, director of Reef Quest Center for Shark Research.

Shark researchers like Martin Q26. hypothesize that great whites are actually Q27. curious animals that like to Q28. investigate things. It's possible that they use their bite not only to kill and eat, but also to gather information. Although such an experience is unlucky for people like Craig Rogers, when sharks bite surfboards or other objects or people, they are likely just trying to learn what they are.

Q21~28 次のア~クの定義は、本文中に出てくる波線部の語句の意味を説明したものです。どの語句を説明したものが、選択肢から1つ選び、記号で答えなさい。(各2点)

Q21. surfaced    Q22. confusion    Q23. categorized    Q24. inaccurate  
Q25. common    Q26. hypothesize    Q27. curious    Q28. investigate

- ア. Occurring frequently and affecting many people or places  
イ. To place something into a specific group or type based on shared characteristics  
ウ. To suggest a possible explanation that has not yet been proved to be true  
エ. Eager to know or learn something; interested in exploring new things  
オ. Something that is not correct or precise  
カ. To come up to the top of the water or ground from below  
キ. A feeling of being lost or uncertain  
ク. To explore or examine something in order to learn more about it

Q29. ( )内の語句を並び替え本文に適した文にしなさい。(3点)

( its / my / have / elbow / could / touched / eye / with )

Q30. ( )内に入る最も適切な語を選び、記号で答えなさい。(3点)

“He waved his arms and ( ) cut two of his fingers on the shark's teeth.”

A. accidental    B. accident    C. accidentally    D. accidentalness

Q31. ( )内に入る最も適切な語を選び、記号で答えなさい。(3点)

A. fright    B. frighten    C. frightened    D. frightening

Q32. 次のうち、本文の論理展開に反するものを選び、記号で答えなさい。(3点)

- A. サメは人間を食べることを目的として攻撃する  
B. サメは人間に対しては、比較的穏やかに近づいて噛む  
C. サメはアザラシを襲うとき、勢いよく水面に向かって突進する  
D. サメは人間を噛んだ後、すぐに泳ぎ去ることがある

Q33. 本文の記述を根拠に、( )内に入る最も適切な語を選び、記号で答えなさい。(3点)

“Some researchers believe that sharks may use their bite not only to feed, but also to ( ) unfamiliar objects.”

A. examine    B. destroy    C. avoid    D. ignore

Q34. 次の英文を文脈に合った日本語に訳しなさい。

“When approaching humans, however, they most often move in slowly and bite less hard. They soon discover that humans are not a high-fat meal.” (3点)

Q35. Craig がサメに遭遇した際、彼の行動とサメの反応から、サメの攻撃の性質についてどのようなことが推測できるか。本文の記述を根拠に、人間に対するサメの態度について説明しなさい。(6点)

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## 2026 年度 特別選抜入試(2 月試験)

**英 語**

制限時間 60 分

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Q1. I couldn't help ( ) when I heard his silly excuse.

- ① laugh                      ② to laugh                      ③ laughing                      ④ laughed

Q2. Neither the teacher nor the students ( ) aware of the schedule change.

- ① was                      ② were                      ③ is                      ④ has been

Q3. She speaks English so fluently ( ) people often think she's a native speaker.

- ① that                      ② which                      ③ as                      ④ because

Q4. The manager demanded that the report ( ) by Friday.

- ① is submitted                      ② be submitted                      ③ was submitted                      ④ submits

Q5. He apologized ( ) not replying to my message sooner.

- ① to                      ② about                      ③ for                      ④ of

Q6. ( ) all her efforts, she couldn't pass the final exam.

- ① Although                      ② Despite                      ③ Because                      ④ Even

Q7. I'll call you as soon as I ( ) home.

- ① will get                      ② got                      ③ get                      ④ getting

〔2〕 次の下線部に最も近い意味を表すものを、次のそれぞれの①～④のうちから1つずつ選び、記号で答えなさい。(各3点)

Q8. The artist's work was widely acclaimed by critics around the world.

- ① ignored                      ② praised                      ③ copied                      ④ rejected

Q9. The manager tried to resolve the conflict between the two departments.

- ① avoid                      ② explain                      ③ settle                      ④ increase

Q10. The instructions were so ambiguous that no one knew what to do.

- ① clear                      ② confusing                      ③ short                      ④ helpful

[3] 次の文章を読み、下の設問に答えなさい。(各3点)

Eliud Kipchoge is a marathon runner from Kenya. He's won eleven gold medals so far and many people think he's the most successful marathon runner in the world. He holds the world record for the fastest marathon. No one has ever run a marathon faster than Eliud.

But for Eliud that is not enough because, in 2017, he tried to become the first human to run a marathon in less than two hours. It took two years to prepare for the run, and during this time, Eliud worked with a team of experts. They used technology to study everything about his running: his training schedule, his breathing, his diet, his running shoes, and his movements.

For Eliud, this teamwork was very important. He said, "I get information from scientists, information from the management, and from the coaching system." As well as taking ideas and advice from his team, Eliud also trained for the run with other athletes. "You cannot train alone and expect to run a fast time."

After two years of planning and training, the big day arrived and Eliud ran the distance of 26.2 miles on a track in Milan, Italy. His time was good for most of the race and he finished it in a record time of 2 hours, 25 seconds; but it wasn't fast enough. Eliud described the final part of the run: "I felt a little bit tired in my legs and I tried to pick it up, but it was too late."

So, if Eliud can't run a marathon in under 2 hours, is it possible for any human? Maybe in the future, as technology gets better, someone might achieve a time of 1 hour 59 minutes and 59 seconds. Eliud says, "The goal was to break the two-hour Q15 *barrier* and I didn't manage to do that. But the world record is now just 25 seconds away. I think it will be easy for another human being."

Q11. 次の文が本文の内容と一致していれば○、一致していなければ×で答えなさい。

Eliud Kipchoge は、2017年に2時間以内でマラソンを完走した。

Q12. 次の文の空欄に入る最も適切な語を①～④の中から1つ選び、記号で答えなさい。

Eliud Kipchoge is considered the most \_\_\_\_\_ marathon runner in the world.

① famous      ② successful      ③ lucky      ④ careful

Q13. Eliud Kipchoge が2時間以内のマラソンに挑戦するために行ったこととして、正しいものを1つ選び、記号で答えなさい。

① 一人でトレーニングを行った。      ② 科学者の助けを借りなかった。  
③ チームと協力して準備した。      ④ 食事の内容は変えなかった。

Q14. 次の文の空欄に入る最も適切な接続詞を①～④の中から1つ選び、記号で答えなさい。

Eliud trained with other athletes, \_\_\_\_\_ he believed teamwork was important.

① because      ② although      ③ if      ④ so

Q15. 本文中の“barrier”に最も近い意味を持つ語を次の中から1つ選び、記号で答えなさい。

① goal      ② obstacle      ③ record      ④ time

Q16. 次の文の空欄に入る最も適切な語を本文から選びなさい。

Eliud Kipchoge ran the marathon on a specially prepared \_\_\_\_\_ in Milan, where every detail was carefully planned to help him achieve his goal.

Q17. 次の英文を日本語に訳しなさい。

“You cannot train alone and expect to run a fast time.”

Q18. Eliud Kipchoge がマラソンで2時間を切るために使った技術や方法を、英語で2つ答えなさい。

Q19. 次の文を受動態に書きかえなさい。

Scientists studied everything about Eliud's running.

Q20. 次の中から、本文の内容と合っていない文を1つ選びなさい。

- ① Eliud Kipchoge worked with a team of experts to prepare for his marathon attempt.
- ② Eliud Kipchoge worked with scientists and coaches to improve his performance.
- ③ Eliud Kipchoge did not use any technology to prepare for his marathon.
- ④ He believed that training with others was important for running fast.

[4] 次の文章を読み、下の設問に答えなさい。

“Crowdfunding” is a way of raising money from a large number of people on the internet. These days, there are a lot of different crowdfunding websites, but when crowdfunding began, it was mostly used by new businesses. Nowadays, people use it for a lot of different reasons, not just for business. For example, musicians who want to make an album can ask fans for money, a photographer can get money for a new book, and increasingly different types of charities raise money this way. Here are three examples of how crowdfunding has made a real difference in the world.

Sonam Wangchuk, an engineer, raised \$125,000 on a crowdfunding site to build an “ice stupa.” In higher parts of the Himalayas, the glaciers are disappearing, so local people have less water in the spring for growing crops, So Sonam invented a way to bring water up the Himalayas in the winter from the lower parts of the mountains that have more water. As water comes out of a pipe, it freezes and becomes the 65-foot-tall ice stupa. Then, in the spring, the stupa melts and people have water for their fields.

The organization “Size of Wales” wants to save rainforests because they are disappearing. It has already saved 7,700 square miles of rainforest (that's the same size as the country, Wales). Now it plans to save another 7,700. Crowdfunding is important for the organization because people give money, but it's also a good way to make people think about the problem of climate change.

For people in poor countries, healthcare is very expensive. But the crowdfunding site Watsi has a solution. On the Watsi site, people describe their medical problems. For example, perhaps there's a farmer who needs \$200 to pay for an operation on his mouth, or maybe there's a college student who can't hear. If she receives \$400, she can pay for an operation on her ears. When people read about these individuals, they want to give them the money they need.

So if you want to give money to a charity, visit a crowdfunding site-or, if you want to raise money for a charity, why not try crowdfunding for yourself?

Q21~28 次のア〜クの説明は、本文中に出てくる語句またはそれに関連する語句の意味を表しています。それぞれの説明が該当する語句を、Q21〜Q28の中から1つ選び、記号で答えなさい。(各2点)

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| Q21. initiative | Q22. deteriorating | Q23. environmental degradation | Q24. innovation |
| Q25. mobilize   | Q26. Nonprofit     | Q27. medical intervention      | Q28. donor      |

ア. A new method, idea, or product that introduces significant improvement or change

イ. The process of organizing and encouraging people to take collective action or contribute resources

ウ. A person who voluntarily provides financial support for a cause or individual

エ. A structured action or campaign designed to address a specific issue or achieve a goal

オ. A decline in the quality or condition of natural environments, often due to human activity

カ. A medical procedure or treatment intended to improve a patient's health condition

キ. A type of organization that operates for purposes other than generating profit, often focused on social good

ク. Becoming progressively worse in quality, condition, or function over time

Q29. What was crowdfunding mainly used for when it first started? (3点)

- ① Helping charities                      ② Supporting new businesses  
③ Funding education                      ④ Buying products

Q30. 次の文が本文の内容と一致していれば○，一致していなければ×で答えなさい。(3点)  
Sonam Wangchuk's ice stupa provides water in the winter.

Q31. 次の文の空欄に入る最も適切な語を①～④の中から1つ選び，記号で答えなさい。(3点)

The ice stupa is created when water comes out of a pipe and (            ).

- ① disappears            ② melts            ③ freezes            ④ flows

Q32. 次の英文を日本語に訳しなさい。(3点)

“Crowdfunding is important for the organization because people give money, but it's also a good way to make people think about the problem of climate change.”

Q33. 次の文の空欄に入る最も適切な語を①～④の中から1つ選び，記号で答えなさい。(3点)

He needed money for surgery, (            ) he posted his story on Watsi.

- ① although            ② because            ③ so            ④ if

Q34. What is the main goal of the organization “Size of Wales”? (3点)

- ① To build schools in Wales            ② To protect glaciers in the Himalayas  
③ To save rainforests            ④ To support musicians

Q35. 次の文の空欄に入る最も適切な語を①～④の中から1つ選び，記号で答えなさい。(3点)

Crowdfunding was first used by new businesses, (            ) now people use it for many different purposes.

- ① so            ② because            ③ but            ④ if

Q36. 次の文の空欄に入る最も適切な語を①～④の中から1つ選び，記号で答えなさい。(3点)

Sonam Wangchuk built an ice stupa, (            ) people in the Himalayas could have water in the spring.

- ① although            ② so that            ③ unless            ④ while

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