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A Quest for Taiwan's Freedom

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I. 詞彙 (36%)

- After watching the video of a man beating dogs online, many people criticized him for his h_____h treatment of animals.
- Tina was filled with joy because she won first place in the singing c_____t.
- Julia is so g_____s with help—she lends me a hand whenever I'm in trouble.
- The book helped raise people's c_____s of plastic pollution by discussing its impact on the planet.
- My grandfather is still very a_____e in his seventies—he plays water sports, goes mountain climbing, and travels a lot.
- The train was extremely crowded as n_____s travelers were going home for the Chinese New Year.
- Our company has grown over the years. It's now much bigger than when it was first e_____hed a decade ago.
- My friends throw a Christmas party every year, and it's my favorite holiday c_____n of the year.
- Alisa is a really s_____l pianist—she can play any difficult classical music.
- Tourism brings in a lot of money and helps p_____e the city's economic growth.
- Freedom of speech is considered a fundamental human right in a _____ (democracy) society.
- Fred's _____ (curious) was aroused when he heard his daughter laughing aloud in her room.

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II. 綜合測驗 (10%)

Japan ruled Taiwan from 1895 to 1945. During the colonial period, Japan not only used strict laws to control Taiwanese but also forced them to labor hard for the development of its colony. 13 the unfair treatment, many Taiwanese wanted to make a difference for their fellow people.

One such person was a young pilot named Hsieh Wen-ta. He made friends with some early pioneers in Taiwan's democracy movement. Together with them, Hsieh helped launch a political campaign, 14 difficult it was.

The pilot flew over Tokyo. As his plane crossed the sky, he dropped leaflets with an urgent message 15 on them. The message was delivered to the Japanese, 16 for a political change for

the Taiwanese, who had been suffering from injustice for too long. By the end of the flight, Hsieh had dropped 50,000 leaflets. 17 his effort, the campaign failed to achieve its goal. But even to this day, Hsieh is still remembered as a Taiwanese hero.


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| _____ 13. (A) In honor of | (B) In case | (C) In contrast to | (D) In the face of |
| _____ 14. (A) no matter when | (B) however | (C) whatever | (D) whether |
| _____ 15. (A) carried | (B) carrying | (C) to carry | (D) be carried |
| _____ 16. (A) called | (B) calling | (C) having called | (D) and calling |
| _____ 17. (A) Without | (B) Through | (C) Despite | (D) Under |

III. 閱讀測驗 (12%)

Lin Hsien-tang was a well-known political activist who had been fighting for more self-rule for Taiwan during the Japanese colonial period. Lin had a dream to see the world. He thought that traveling around the world could help him learn things from other countries to benefit Taiwan. At the same time, Lin could make the world more aware of Taiwan and its situation under Japanese rule.

Lin began his journey by traveling from Keelung to Xiamen, and he then traveled to Hong Kong, Malaysia, and Sri Lanka. After stopping by Egypt, Lin then arrived in Europe, where he spent a lot of his time in London and Paris. Lin then traveled to New York City and crossed the United States to reach San Francisco, from which he returned to Taiwan. During his journey, Lin traveled mostly by train and ship. While in Los Angeles, Lin took a plane, which was a new mode of transportation in 1927, for the first time in his life.

Altogether, Lin's trip lasted 378 days, and he visited more than 60 cities in 16 countries. Lin wrote about his trip in some articles that were first published in *The Taiwan Minpao*. In his travel writing, Lin was a keen observer of the cultures he visited, and he commented on the different societies he observed. For example, Lin wrote about the unawful lynching of African-Americans in the United States. He also wrote about the freedom of speech enjoyed by those engaged in debates at Speakers' Corner in London. And in Monaco, he observed that even a small territory could be ruled smoothly, fairly, and independently. These articles were later turned into a book entitled *Lin Hsien-tang's Travel Writings from around the Globe*.

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- What is this passage mainly about?
 - Lin's views on Japan's ways of ruling Taiwan.
 - Lin's contributions to Taiwan's democracy.
 - Lin's achievements as a political leader.
 - Lin's trip and observations around the world.
- Which of the following statements is true about Lin Hsien-tang?
 - He has never been to Europe during his trip.
 - He spent over a year traveling through 16 countries.

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(C) He completed his world trip mostly by airplane.

(D) He took a plane for the first time in Paris.

20. What was Lin's last visiting place on his journey before he returned to Taiwan?

(A) New York City. (B) Hong Kong. (C) San Francisco. (D) London.

21. According to the third paragraph, which of the following can be found in Lin's travelling writings?

(A) Practices of democracy in other countries.

(B) Freedom of black people in America.

(C) Recommendations for famous historic sites.

(D) Comparison of Japan's rule in Taiwan and in its own country.

IV. 混合題 (17%)

Chiang Wei-shui Memorial Park

Introduction

Chiang Wei-shui was a well-known political activist. He was also remarkable for founding the Da-an Hospital, Taiwan Cultural Society, and The Taiwan Minpao (People's News) wholesale headquarters.

Chiang Wei-shui Memorial Park, formerly named Jinxi Park, was built in Chiang's honor. Chiang's biography, available in Chinese, English, and Japanese, was inscribed on a monument near the entrance. Tourists from different countries can have a better understanding of Chiang Wei-shui and the history of Taiwan in this park.

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22. Which of the following attractions is **NOT** nearby Chiang Wei-shui Memorial Park?

(A) Xiahai City God Temple.

(B) Ciyou Temple.

(C) Chen De-xing Hall.

(D) Dadaocheng Cisheng Temple.

23. Which of the following best describes Chiang Wei-shui Memorial Park?

(A) Entertaining.

(B) Natural.

(C) Crowded.

(D) Educational.

24. What was Chiang Wei-shui Memorial Park called in the past?

25. In what languages is Chiang's biography written on the monument?

26. Which of the following **CAN'T** be seen in Chiang Wei-Shui Memorial Park?

(A) The Pictures of the Da-an Hospital.

(B) The Life story about Chiang Wei-shui.

(C) The version of The People's News.

(D) Weapon Project against Japan.

V. 寫作測驗 (25%)

27. Sarah studied so hard, but she still failed the exam.

(請用 However... 改寫句子。)(4%)

28. { Kevin said that he wanted to keep a cat.
{ Kevin said that nothing would stop him from doing this.

(請用 S + V + (that)-clause and that-clause 合併句子。)

29. 不用說，網路在我們的日常生活中扮演重要的角色。(6%)

_____, the Internet plays an important part in our daily lives.

30. 上星期發生大地震，所以許多災民迫切需要援助。(6%)

A big earthquake happened last week, so many victims _____
_____ help.

31. 無論 Jason 到哪裡旅遊，他都會寄明信片給他的朋友們。(Wherever...)(5%)

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