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They're Back!



CLASS _____ NO. _____ NAME _____

SCORE



I. 詞彙 (36%)

- _____ 1. We should reduce the use of plastic bags and bottles to help p_____e our environment.
- _____ 2. Sam was fired because he has difficulty h_____ing most of the tasks.
- _____ 3. When the tide is in, the small island will v_____h from sight.
- _____ 4. According to the weather f_____t, there will be heavy snow tomorrow and people are advised to stay home.
- _____ 5. Invented in 1992, smartphones have greatly changed our ways of communicating with others over d_____es.
- _____ 6. Thanks to technological a_____es, now people can rely on robots to carry out dangerous missions.
- _____ 7. The salesman a_____ted to talk the old lady into buying his product, but she ended up leaving without buying anything.
- _____ 8. Linda came here in a hurry, but she searched in vain for her key. It was p_____e that she had left it on the bus.
- _____ 9. With hard work and determination, the patient is making steady p_____s. Soon he will be walking again.
- _____ 10. My English teacher asked me to revise my assignment because of the incorrect grammatical s_____e of sentences.
- _____ 11. George Washington and Abraham Lincoln are both _____ (prehistoric) figures. They are regarded as America's greatest heroes.
- _____ 12. All the participants were shocked by the _____ (announce) that the game had been cancelled for no reason.

technological 科技的 determination 決心 grammatical 文法上

II. 綜合測驗 (10%)

The world is full of amazing living creatures. Sadly, many animals may 13 in the near future because of human activity. As cities are expanding due to population growth, wild animals lose their natural habitats. 14, noise and pollution threaten the survival of animals. Clearly, they are not 15 of dealing with this environmental disaster. We can think of a species disappearing 16 removing one of the links in a food chain. With the loss, some creatures may find 17 impossible to eat enough to survive, and this will actually lead to their extinction. It is important that we take

immediate action to protect these living creatures in no time. In fact, the fates of many species depend on what we decide to do.

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| _____ 13. (A) show up | (B) die off | (C) crowd out | (D) tear apart |
| _____ 14. (A) Instead | (B) Therefore | (C) Furthermore | (D) However |
| _____ 15. (A) entire | (B) unable | (C) wild | (D) capable |
| _____ 16. (A) as | (B) to | (C) for | (D) in |
| _____ 17. (A) them | (B) it | (C) that | (D) what |

III. 閱讀測驗 (16%)

Nearly 80 percent of people in Taiwan live in cities where there are skyscrapers and shopping malls rather than plants, trees, and animals. They may not know much about Taiwan's wildlife species. Many would likely be shocked to hear that Taiwan is home to over 40 endemic mammal species. Sadly, that number is falling, as some species, such as the beautiful Formosan sika deer, are endangered.

Formosan sika deer were once a very common sight in Taiwan. During the days of the Dutch occupation in the early 17th century, it is estimated that about 20,000 of them were killed each year by hunters. The deer were killed for their valuable skins, many of which were sold to the Japanese market. By the year 1640, Taiwan was supplying Formosa sika deer skins to Japan. These Formosan sika deer skins were also sold to European countries, such as France and Germany. Worse still, Formosan sika deer started to lose their natural habitat on the lowland plains at that time. Taiwan's population was on the rise, so the plains were turned into farmland.

In the 1960s, Formosan sika deer had completely disappeared in the wild in Taiwan, with the last wild deer killed in 1969. The last surviving members of the species were kept in the country's zoos.

In the early 1990s, efforts were made to reintroduce Formosan sika deer into the wild, and around 200 deer were raised in Kenting National Park. After years, the number has reached 2,000 individuals. Today, there are discussions about similar reintroduction efforts in other national parks, such as at Yangminshan. Hopefully, this beautiful creature will be allowed to survive and thrive once again.

endemic 特有種的 mammal 哺乳動物 Formosan sika deer 梅花鹿 thrive 蓬勃發展 reintroduce 將...野放

- _____ 18. What is the passage mainly about?
 - (A) Major reasons behind the loss of plains in Taiwan.
 - (B) How Formosan sika deer were lost and brought back in Taiwan.
 - (C) Efforts made to bring back some extinct species in Taiwan.
 - (D) The importance of Formosan sika deer in the history of Taiwan.
- _____ 19. Which of the following country served Formosan sika deer skin during the 1640s?

(A) Japan.	(B) Germany.	(C) France.	(D) Taiwan.
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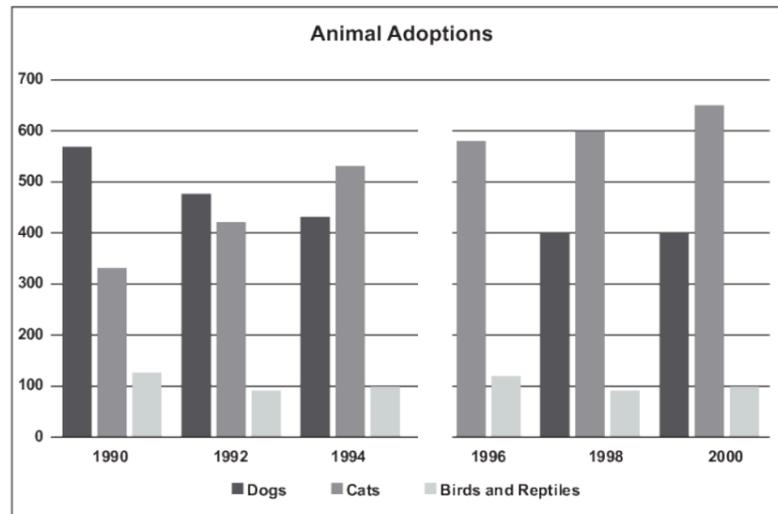


20. How are the second to fourth in paragraphs organized?
 (A) In the order of time. (B) In the order of importance.
 (C) By comparison and contrast. (D) By problem and solution.
21. According to the last paragraph, what do experts plan to do in the near future?
 (A) To build more national parks where animals can stay safely.
 (B) To bring more extinct species back to life again in Taiwan.
 (C) To increase the number of different animals in the zoos.
 (D) To raise Formosan sika deer in other parks to help them survive.

IV. 混合題 (15%)

Read the bar chart below and answer the following questions.

The Chart below gives information about the number of animals adopted from an animal rescue center over a decade.



22. Which group had remained almost the same over the ten years?
 (A) Dogs. (B) Cats. (C) Birds and Reptiles. (D) All of above.
23. In which year does the number of cat adoption start to exceed that of dog adoption?
 (A) 1992. (B) 1994. (C) 1996. (D) 1998.
24. What was the possible number of dog adoptions in 1996 if the related data show that they had kept decreasing during the ten years?
 (A) 372. (B) 398. (C) 415. (D) 450.
25. In which years does the gap between cat adoption and dog adoption reach 200?

26. What information about cat adoption do you observe from this bar chart?

V. 寫作測驗 (23%)

- (A) 合併及改寫句子
27. { People can't stop global warming.
 { People can't prevent extreme weather.
 (請用 ... nor ... 合併改寫句子) (4%)

28. Making negative comments about a friend's religious beliefs is not appropriate to Joe.
 (請用 Joe considers 開頭改寫句子) (5%)
 Joe considers _____
- (B) 引導式翻譯
29. 根據可靠消息，警方有把握即將逮捕到爆炸案的主謀。(6%)
 With the reliable sources, the police are confident that they are _____
 _____ to capturing the mastermind behind the bombing.
30. 在大地震發生數小時後，由緊急管理專家和工程專家所組成的救援團隊抵達該國。(4%)
 Hours after the big earthquake, the relief team _____ of experts in
 emergency management and engineering arrived at the country.
- (C) 整句式翻譯
31. 我們必須做出改善以及時改正錯誤。(... put ...) (4%)
