

立人高級中學113學年度第1學期高二文理組英文科期末定期評量試題

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第壹部分、選擇題(佔67分)

I. Vocabulary 15% (每題1分)

- Andy finds it boring to work in a factory because he often performs ____ tasks, such as assembling parts for long hours each day.
(A) aggressive (B) competitive (C) repetitive (D) conservative
- After winning the international championship, the baseball team returned home in ____, and many fans were moved to tears.
(A) triumph (B) charge (C) ruin (D) vain
- The scientists are working on a new ____ system for cancer, putting different cancers into various categories.
(A) correspondence (B) classification (C) invention (D) ambition
- David avoided a car accident by a narrow _____. He almost hit another vehicle by only a few centimeters.
(A) prayer (B) grind (C) resemblance (D) margin
- Any relationship should be based on ____ trust; otherwise, the bonds that tie people together won't be strong.
(A) sorrowful (B) essential (C) mutual (D) occasional
- The suspect decided to ____ to the crime after being shown the evidence against him.
(A) prefer (B) confess (C) afford (D) devote
- I opened the old, dusty box out of ____, wondering what treasures might be hidden inside.
(A) intelligence (B) innovations (C) curiosity (D) adjustment
- As a child, she had a(n) ____ friend named Lucy, who kept her company all the time, but she never replied because she didn't exist.
(A) innovative (B) elementary (C) artificial (D) imaginary
- I only have a nodding ____ with David. We are not friends; we see each other at the gym but never really talk.
(A) acquaintance (B) employee (C) architect (D) graduate
- Andy invested money in the new business, which turned out to be highly _____. He made a fortune than he had expected.
(A) capable (B) profitable (C) tremendous (D) constructive
- The artist decided to ____ her as a powerful queen in the painting, wearing a crown and holding a sword.
(A) recognize (B) rank (C) prompt (D) portray
- The firefighters managed to ____ the trapped dog from the burning house just in time.
(A) rescue (B) escape (C) circulate (D) revise
- I was lucky to catch a ____ of the celebrity as she walked past the café.
(A) flip (B) talent (C) glimpse (D) bruise
- She was ____ to speak in front of the class because she was afraid of making a mistake.
(A) stable (B) reluctant (C) earnest (D) ambitious
- Growing older is a(n) ____ part of life, but how you live each day is up to you.
(A) academic (B) reliable (C) promising (D) inevitable

II. Cloze 30% (每題1分)

Every year, millions of tourists travel to Thailand, with many __16__ elephant rides as a highlight of their trip. While this activity brings in a lot of money for the economy, it has a dark and painful side. To meet the __17__ for elephant rides, young wild elephants are often taken from their herds by cruel hunters. __18__, protective female elephants are sometimes killed while trying to save their babies. Once __19__, these young elephants are kept in tiny cages and fall victim to violent treatment, such as being beaten with sharp tools. The operators __20__ this merciless process, which is meant to break their will and force them to obey human trainers. After their training, the elephants are made __21__ tourists, even though their backs are not built for this kind of weight. The heavy loads and long working hours often cause serious injuries to their spines. __22__ that, they are given little food or water and are sometimes beaten while working. Over 13 million tourists ride elephants in Thailand each year, which puts money in the pockets of those who __23__ them. It is believed that supply __24__ comes __24__ demand. To help stop their suffering, we should reduce the demand for elephant rides. __25__ supporting such activities, visitors to Thailand can go to national parks, where elephants live freely in their natural environment. Watching them roam in peace is a much better and more meaningful experience.

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| 16. (A) enjoys | (B) enjoyed | (C) to enjoy | (D) enjoying |
| 17. (A) reward | (B) talent | (C) penalty | (D) demand |
| 18. (A) Otherwise | (B) However | (C) Therefore | (D) Instead |
| 19. (A) capture | (B) capturing | (C) captured | (D) to capture |
| 20. (A) go about | (B) lead to | (C) depend on | (D) die out |
| 21. (A) to carry | (B) carry | (C) carrying | (D) into carrying |
| 22. (A) Apart from | (B) Due to | (C) Rather than | (D) Regardless of |
| 23. (A) make a difference in | (B) dress up as | (C) make a name for | (D) take advantage of |

24. (A) not only; but also (B) no longer; for (C) never; without (D) scarcely; than
 25. (A) In addition to (B) Instead of (C) As a result of (D) Except for

Every year, Mazu pilgrimage may be the world's largest birthday party. Over five million people __26.__ the event, which spans over 300 kilometers across central Taiwan. __27.__, it is a must-see celebration for visitors to Taiwan. Held __28.__ Mazu, the sea goddess, it begins at Dajia's Zhenlan Temple around her birthday, which falls on the 23rd day of the third month in the lunar calendar. The __29.__ date is determined earlier through a traditional ritual during the Lantern Festival. Once the date is set, around 200,000 pilgrims embark on the journey, visiting over 100 temples along the way. They are __30.__ by a statue of Mazu, carried in a sedan chair, as they showed their strong devotion despite the physical demand. The pilgrimage is both a spectacular journey and a heartwarming festival of culture and community. Before the event begins, Zhenlan Temple comes alive with crowds, drums, firecrackers, and excitement as people prepare to __31.__ Mazu __31.__ on her journey. Millions gather to welcome her and seek her blessings, some even lying face down to let the sedan chair pass over them for good fortune __32.__. Locals warmly support pilgrims by providing free food, accommodations, and washing facilities, showcasing their generosity and hospitality which are __33.__ the Taiwanese people. Over time, the pilgrimage has become __34.__ a religious ritual; it is now a cultural event that draws participants of all ages and backgrounds, including international visitors. Recognized by UNESCO as a protected living culture, the Mazu pilgrimage is a must for anyone __35.__ to experience Taiwan's rich traditions and community spirit.

26. (A) fade away (B) participate in (C) pierce through (D) kneel down
 27. (A) Exactly (B) Undoubtedly (C) Remarkably (D) Occasionally
 28. (A) as a tribute to (B) with a preference for (C) in honor of (D) in anticipation of
 29. (A) stable (B) explosive (C) prompt (D) exact
 30. (A) accompanied (B) accomplished (C) explored (D) adjusted
 31. (A) turn; down (B) leave; behind (C) scare; to death (D) send; off
 32. (A) around the corner (B) on all sides (C) at one point (D) along the route
 33. (A) capable of (B) known for (C) similar to (D) characteristic of
 34. (A) less than (B) merely just (C) more than (D) more as
 35. (A) struggling (B) looking (C) unable (D) unlikely

Believe it or not, a recent study found that the average Taiwanese high school student sits for 10.1 hours each day. This total includes hours __36.__ studying. While this might be helpful for academic success, experts warn that it's __37.__ health problems. As the __38.__ of prolonged sitting become better known, medical professionals are urging everyone to take action. Scientists believe that sitting for extended periods denies muscles the chance to stay active, which, __39.__, slows the metabolism. This affects the body's ability to regulate blood sugar and blood pressure, increasing the risk of gaining weight. Weight gain can lead to a host of health issues, such as diabetes, cancer, and heart disease. These __40.__ not only harm an individual's quality of life but also place a heavy burden on healthcare systems. Thankfully, the solution is simple: move more. Incorporating regular movement into your day can help __41.__ of prolonged sitting. __42.__, standing up and moving around every 30 minutes is ideal. When this isn't possible, scientists advise __43.__ sitting periods to no more than two or three hours at a time. A short burst of activity, like stretching or taking a quick walk, can make a big difference. Other strategies include using adjustable desks that __44.__ switching between sitting and standing, walking part of the way home rather than relying on transportation, and choosing active hobbies such as hiking or dancing. The risks of a sedentary lifestyle are clear, but __45.__. By adopting simple active habits, we can protect our health and improve our overall well-being.

36. (A) spend (B) spent (C) spending (D) that spent
 37. (A) a recipe for (B) a route to (C) a concept of (D) a talent for
 38. (A) inventions (B) consequences (C) dynamics (D) clashes
 39. (A) in response (B) with determination (C) in turn (D) of use
 40. (A) severe illness (B) delightful atmosphere (C) unrivaled collection (D) chronic conditions
 41. (A) increase the potential risk (B) enlarge the current size (C) adopt innovative ways (D) combat the ill effects
 42. (A) In addition (B) On the contrary (C) For example (D) Best of all
 43. (A) to limit (B) that limits (C) limiting (D) limited
 44. (A) associate with (B) accuse of (C) allow for (D) opt for
 45. (A) as the solutions well (B) so are the solutions (C) as to the solutions (D) neither are the solution

III. Matching 8 % (每題1分) (十選八, 請忽略大小寫)

No visit to New York will be complete without spending time at Christmas. Every Christmas, New York City __46.__ into a magical winter wonderland, attracting crowds to its festive streets. Lights twinkle everywhere, and stores compete with dazzling decorations, drawing __47.__ of visitors to admire their creativity. Among the city's iconic sights are the Rockefeller Center Christmas Tree, a towering symbol of holiday cheer, and the stunning window displays on Fifth Avenue, which are redesigned yearly to amaze even longtime residents. The holiday season in New York offers a(n) __48.__ of activities beyond the lights. For outdoor enthusiasts, ice skating in Central Park with the Manhattan skyline as a backdrop is a must-try. Indoors, you can enjoy a performance of the classic Christmas ballet *The Nutcracker* or take a magical __49.__ to Macy's Santaland, where the North Pole comes to life. Seasonal treats are another highlight. The

German restaurant Rolf's features both gourmet dishes and breathtaking Christmas decorations. __50.__, the Union Square Holiday Market offers casual bites like gingerbread cookies and steaming bowls of soup. To stay warm, don't miss the season's signature beverages—Starbucks, __51.__, serves festive options like the Gingerbread Latte and Peppermint Mocha. If you're visiting for Christmas, why not __52.__ to celebrate the New Year? In Times Square, thousands gather to watch the iconic ball drop, enjoying music and a lively atmosphere. With its glowing lights, festive flavors, and endless activities, New York during the holiday season is truly unforgettable. Whether you explore its busy streets or enjoy quieter moments, it's __53.__ a magical experience everyone should try at least once.

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| (A) escape | (B) annually | (C) in particular | (D) absolutely | (E) transforms |
| (AB) hang around | (AC) flocks | (AD) in contrast | (AE) opts | (BC) abundance |

IV. Discourse 8% (每題2分)

Lamine Yamal is widely recognized as one of the most promising young talents in professional football. Born on July 13, 2007, in Barcelona, Spain, he spent his childhood in Catalonia, moving between his parents' homes in Granollers and Mataró. __54.__. To express pride in his roots, Yamal celebrates his goals by signaling "304," indicating the last three numbers of its postal code.

__55.__. At just six years old, he was scouted by FC Barcelona and admitted to La Masia, the club's world-renowned youth academy that has produced iconic players like Lionel Messi and Xavi Hernández. By the age of 16, he had already made history as the youngest player to represent Spain's senior men's team. At Euro 2024, Yamal's brilliance shone on the international stage. He not only became the youngest player to compete, score, and assist in a European Championship match but also played an essential role in Spain's success. __56.__.

Yamal's performances earned widespread praise from his teammates, coaches, and even Lionel Messi, who predicted that Yamal would one day compete for the famed Ballon d'Or. Messi's praise reflects the high regard in which Yamal is held within the football community. His phenomenal skill and maturity on the pitch are remarkable for his age, and his ability to handle pressure on the world's biggest stages sets him apart as a truly special player. __57.__. To be sure, he has already achieved extraordinary milestones that many players only dream of. As he continues to grow, Yamal is expected to become a defining figure in football's next generation, carrying forward the legacy of icons like Messi while paving his own unique path to greatness.

- A. Yamal's football journey began at an exceptionally young age.
- B. His crucial goal against France in the semifinals helped secure Spain's place in the finals, where they defeated England to claim their fourth Euro title.
- C. To excel in any field, whether in sports, art, or science, the dedication and focus required are universal traits of true greatness.
- D. His connection to Mataró's Rocafonda neighborhood, where he lived with his father, is particularly close to Yamal's heart.
- E. From his early days at La Masia to his record-breaking feats at Euro 2024, Lamine Yamal's rise mirrors the journeys of football's greatest legends.

V. Reading Comprehension 6% (每題2分)

Carbonated drinks, also known as soda or pop, are enjoyed by billions of people worldwide. These fizzy beverages have a fascinating history that spans centuries. It all began in 1767 when an English chemist, Joseph Priestley, created the first carbonated water. Inspired by the gas from a local brewery, Priestley identified it as carbon dioxide, the same gas found in natural spring water. Using a chemical reaction, he captured the gas and dissolved it in water, creating what he called "soda water." In 1783, Johann Jacob Schweppe commercialized Priestley's invention by founding the Schweppes Company. With improved carbonation techniques, Schweppe made soda water widely available. By the 19th century, flavored syrups were added to soda water, introducing tastes like pineapple and black cherry, paving the way for modern sodas such as Coca-Cola and Pepsi. As bottling methods advanced in the late 19th and early 20th centuries, soda became easier to produce and distribute. Innovations like vending machines and soda fountains further boosted its popularity.

Today, carbonated drinks are created by injecting pressurized carbon dioxide into water, a method far more efficient than Priestley's. The industry has grown enormously, offering a wide range of options, from diet sodas and sparkling waters to craft sodas with unique flavors in limited quantities. Health-conscious trends have also led to the development of beverages with natural ingredients and reduced sugar. This evolution highlights the beverage industry's adaptability to meet consumer preferences. From its humble beginnings in Priestley's experiments to its diverse forms today, carbonated drinks reflect a blend of science, innovation, and changing tastes. Whether it's a classic cola or a modern craft soda, these fizzy drinks continue to quench the thirst of people around the globe.

58. How did the innovations in bottling techniques and the introduction of vending machines contribute to the popularity of soda?

- (A) They reduced the production costs of sodas.
- (B) They made sodas more available and convenient for consumers.
- (C) They decreased the need for carbonation in soda production.
- (D) They introduced healthier alternatives to traditional sodas.

59. Based on the development of the carbonated drink industry, what does this suggest about the role of consumer preferences?

- (A) Consumer preferences have little impact on industrial innovation.
- (B) Consumer preferences are key in shaping product development and variety.
- (C) Innovations occur regardless of consumer preferences.
- (D) Consumer preferences only affect the marketing of products.

60. Why might craft sodas appeal to certain consumers today?

- (A) They offer unique flavors and smaller-scale production that feel more personalized.
- (B) They are cheaper and easier to distribute than traditional sodas.
- (C) They replicate the original soda water Priestley invented.
- (D) They avoid carbonation and focus on still drinks instead.

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VI. 混合題 8%

The **Dajia Mazu Pilgrimage** and the **Baishatun**(白沙屯) **Mazu Pilgrimage** are two of the most significant religious events in Taiwan, attracting thousands of participants each year. Both events celebrate Mazu, the goddess of the sea, showcasing the deep cultural and spiritual connection Taiwanese people have with her. While they share some similarities, each pilgrimage has its unique features that set it apart.

The Dajia Mazu Pilgrimage is one of the largest and most historic religious events in Taiwan, attracting tens of thousands of participants every year. Starting from Zhenlan Temple in Dajia, Taichung, this pilgrimage lasts about nine days and covers more than 300 kilometers. One key feature of the Dajia pilgrimage is its well-organized route and schedule. Temple authorities plan these in advance, usually during the Lantern Festival, making the event predictable and highly structured. During the journey, participants follow the statue of Mazu, carried in a sedan chair. Along the way, locals offer free food, drinks, and accommodations. Although the pilgrimage is physically demanding, the faith and dedication of participants remain strong throughout the journey.	Typically held in the first few months of the lunar calendar, the Baishatun pilgrimage lasts around 8 to 10 days and spans a distance of 200 to 300 kilometers. Although smaller in scale compared to the Dajia event, it has a loyal following and a deeply spiritual atmosphere. Unlike the Dajia pilgrimage, the Baishatun Mazu Pilgrimage, which starts from Gongtian Temple(廣天宮) in Miaoli, does not follow a fixed route. Instead, the path is determined by the movements of Mazu’s sedan chair, which participants believe is guided by the goddess herself. As the Dajia event does, locals also showcase their hospitality by offering food and washing facilities to passing pilgrims along the journey. It not only reflects people’s deep faith and devotion but also unifies Taiwanese people.
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Together, these two events illustrate the diversity and depth of Taiwan’s cultural and religious traditions, highlighting the enduring devotion to Mazu in Taiwanese society.

61-62. 下列簡短敘述摘記上方文章重點。請從文章中找出最適當適當的單詞(word)填入下列句子空格中，並視句型結構需要做適當的字形變化，使句子語意完整、語法正確，並符合全文文意。每格限填一個單詞(word)。

(填充，一格1分，共2分)

During the two pilgrimages, locals are very 61._____ to pilgrims along the way. To support those pilgrims on their journey, the locals not only provide food, drinks, and washing facilities but also 62._____ those exhausted participants so they can rest well at night.

63. From (A) to (F) below, choose the ONES that are **NOT** true for both Dajia and Baishatun Mazu Pilgrimages.
(多選, 共4分)

- (A) Participants follow Mazu's statue, carried in a sedan chair.
- (B) The routes for both pilgrimages are decided by Mazu.
- (C) Locals provide pilgrims with food, washing facilities, and accommodations.
- (D) Each pilgrimage lasts about the same number of days.
- (E) Both pilgrimages start from different temples.
- (F) The events reflect deep faith and devotion to Mazu, which brings all people together.

64. Melody: How do you like the two well-known Mazu pilgrimages in Taiwan?
Martin: I think it is cool to be guided by the goddess's instruction during the journey. It is the unpredictable nature that makes the pilgrimage unique. What do you think?

Melody: If I were the first-time participant, I would take the one determined before I set out.

According to the following dialogue, which Mazu pilgrimage will Martin and Melody attend?
(填空題, 一格一分, 共2分)

Melody: _____
Martin: _____

VII. 文意字彙與詞類變化 10% (每題1分)

65. The government's new policies aim to encourage e_____c growth by supporting small businesses.
66. In the novel, the main character is falsely accused of _____ (commitment) murder, which turns his life upside down.
67. Children and the elderly are more v_____e to illnesses during the winter season.
68. After running the marathon, she fell to the ground with e_____n but felt proud of her achievement.
69. It's important to drink an a_____e amount of water every day to stay healthy.
70. The students cheered _____ (enthusiastic) when their team won the championship.
71. After the storm passed, a rainbow began to e_____e from the clouds.
72. The old building was d_____ted as a historical landmark to preserve its cultural significance.
73. Visiting traditional festivals is a great way to experience the country's rich cultural h_____e.
74. The _____ (authority) announced new safety measures to protect travelers during the holiday season.

VIII. 翻譯填空 15% (每格1分)

75. Mike邀請了許多高中的好朋友到他家, 其中一位跟他一樣很喜歡看電影。

Mike invited many of his close friends from senior high school to his house, one of _____ (1) _____ t _____ (2) _____ much _____ (3) _____ in _____ (4) _____ movies as he does.

76. Hank今天上學又遲到了。更糟的是, 他忘記帶他的作業報告。他該是時候改變晚睡的習慣了。

Hank was late for school today. W _____ (5) _____ (6) _____, he forgot to bring his report. _____ (7) _____ (8) _____
_____ (9) _____ that he _____ (10) _____ the habit of going to bed late.

77. 你很難想像整場棒球賽全場的觀眾有多麼大聲為球員們吶喊加油的場景。

Hi _____ (11) _____ (12) _____ you imagine how loudly the spectators were shouting and cheering for the players throughout the game.

78. 要說在媽祖遶境可以吃到來自全台灣各式各樣的美食並不為過。

It is no _____ (13) _____ to say that one can eat _____ (14) _____ m _____ (15) _____ of cuisines from around Taiwan during the Mazu pilgrimage.

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1. CABDC/ BCDAB 11. DACBD 16. DDBCA/ 21. AADCB
26. BBCDA/ 31. DDDCB 36. BABCD/ DCCCB
46. E, AC, BC, A, AD 51. C, AB, D 54.DABE 58. BBA

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VI. 混合題 8%

61.	hospitable
62.	accommodate
63.	B, D
64.	Melody: __Dajia Mazu Pilgrimage____ Martin: __Baishatun Mazu Pilgrimage__

VII. 文意字彙與詞類變化 10% (每題1分)

65. economic	66. committing	67. vulnerable	68. exhaustion	69. adequate
70. enthusiastically	71. emerge	72. designated	73. heritage	74. authorities

VIII. 翻譯填空 15%(每格1分)

75.	(1) __whom __, __(2)_takes __, _(3)_pleasure __, __(4)_watching __
76.	(5) __Worse __, (6) __still __ (7) __It __, (8) __is __, (9) __time __, (10) __changed __
77.	(11) Hardly (12) could/ would
78.	(13) exaggeration (14) all (15) manner

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VI. 混合題 8%

61.	_____ (1%)
62.	_____ (1%)
63.	_____ (4%)
64.	Melody: _____ (1%) Martin: _____ (1%)

VII. 文意字彙與詞類變化 10% (每題1分)

65.	66.	67.	68.	69.
70.	71.	72.	73.	74.

VIII. 翻譯填空 15% (每格1分)

75.	(1) _____, (2) t _____, (3) _____ (4) _____
76.	(5) _____, (6) _____, (7) _____, (8) _____, (9) _____ (10) _____
77.	(11) _____ (12) _____
78.	(13) _____ (14) _____ (15) _____