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Grade 2

試験内容		試験時間	掲載ページ
一次試験	筆記（リーディング・ライティング）	85分	2019-3 P.2~18
	リスニング	約24分	2019-3 P.19~24
二次試験	面接（スピーキング）	約7分	2019-3 P.25~28



リスニングテスト・面接の音声について

音声は専用サイトにて配信しています。

専用サイト トップページ

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- 1 本冊（解答編）の袋とじ（音声配信のご案内）をキリトリ線に沿って開封。
- 2 袋とじの内側に印刷されているQRコードをスマートフォンなどで読み取る。QRコードを読み取れない場合は、アドレスを入力。
⇒専用サイトのトップページに。
- 3 音声を聞きたい試験のボタンを押す。
⇒該当の試験の音声再生ページに。
※試験1回分を通して聞くことも、1問ずつ聞くこともできます。
※面接の解答時間（無音部分）は実際の試験とは異なります。

▷ 配信内容：本書に掲載のリスニングテストおよび面接の音声

※面接の音声は、音読の指示と質問英文だけでなく、音読問題のモデルリーディングも配信。



一次試験

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次の(1)から(20)までの()に入れるのに最も適切なものを1, 2, 3, 4の中から一つ選び、その番号を解答用紙の所定欄にマークしなさい。

- (1) Rick decided to quit his job because the pay was not (). He could not live on just \$400 a week.
1 obvious 2 adequate 3 ridiculous 4 intensive
- (2) Until last year, the school chess tournament was held (), but then the principal decided that this was not enough. Now, the tournament is held twice a year.
1 innocently 2 visually 3 annually 4 objectively
- (3) Many different kinds of (), from motorbikes to huge trucks, took part in the New Year's parade.
1 liquids 2 barriers
3 vehicles 4 thermometers
- (4) The actor got so many messages from fans that he could not () to all of them himself. He decided to employ an assistant to help answer them.
1 confess 2 respond 3 drag 4 frown
- (5) Beethoven was a famous composer and musician who created several (). They are believed to be some of the best works of music ever made.
1 masterpieces 2 debts
3 proposals 4 traps
- (6) Richard Wilson is now a successful businessman, but he grew up in (). During his childhood, his family had almost no money.
1 accuracy 2 quantity 3 curiosity 4 poverty

- (7) Stacy watched a horror movie with her friend at the theater. During the movie, she was so scared that she began to (), so her friend held her hand.
1 commit 2 tremble 3 migrate 4 insist
- (8) Ben's roommate always listened to loud music late at night. Ben could not () the noise anymore, so he decided to move to another apartment.
1 tolerate 2 stimulate 3 disturb 4 inform
- (9) Sally had () that she would have to pay about \$80 for electricity in July. She was surprised when the amount was twice as much as she had expected.
1 accompanied 2 constructed
3 estimated 4 stretched
- (10) Yukio will go on a trip around Hokkaido next summer. He has a small (), so he will travel by bicycle and stay in cheap hotels.
1 budget 2 scar 3 flame 4 label
- (11) The girl begged her parents to let her go to the pop concert, but it was in (). They completely refused to let her go.
1 trouble 2 love 3 vain 4 mind
- (12) The reporter spent all day sitting in the courtroom () what everyone said in his notebook. He had a lot of notes to read by the end of the trial.
1 giving in 2 taking down
3 booking into 4 coming across
- (13) A : Are you going to fly directly from Japan to South Africa ?
B : No, I have to go () of Singapore. I'll wait in the airport for eight hours before I take the second flight.
1 by way 2 in charge 3 for fear 4 on behalf

(20) Daniel is a model who appears in many fashion magazines. Many people think that he looks good () he wears.

- 1 no telling where 2 no matter what
3 anything but 4 in which case

The Cost of Tourism

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- (21) 1 provides better attractions 2 creates too many jobs
3 attracts too many visitors 4 improves its economy
- (22) 1 become its only industry
2 decrease in the future
3 cause damage to the streets
4 make museums lose money
- (23) 1 By doing such things 2 On the other hand
3 For these reasons 4 In the same way

Portable Light

Today, around one in ten people in the world do not have access to electricity. Instead, they rely on things like batteries, oil lamps, or wood for energy and light. However, these are often expensive and cause damage to the environment. Now, Sheila Kennedy and Juan Frano Violich have come up with a solution to these problems. They have developed a new device that (24). It is called the Portable Light and uses solar energy to create light and charge batteries.

Because the device is very flexible, the Portable Light can be rolled or folded into different shapes. This means it can be used to (25). For instance, Native American women in Mexico attach the device to their traditional bags. When people carry the bags around during the day, sunlight charges batteries that can power their cell phones. In Nicaragua, the Portable Light has been rolled up and made into lights that can help protect sea turtles on beaches, and in South Africa, it has been turned into a blanket that can keep sick patients warm.

The Portable Light Project is part of a growing movement to provide small-scale electricity systems to the developing world. Not only does it allow people in developing countries to access electricity, it could also help solve a global problem. By allowing each person to produce light and electricity through solar power, such new inventions are reducing the amount of fossil fuels being burned around the world. (26), these inventions could help to reduce global pollution, creating long-term benefits for the whole planet.

- (24)
- 1 needs batteries and wood
 - 2 uses less money and more oil
 - 3 is healthy and easy to use
 - 4 is cheap and environmentally friendly

- (25)
- 1 help poor people find jobs
 - 2 meet a wide range of needs
 - 3 improve the health of young people
 - 4 protect the environment from harm

- (26)
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| 1 For example | 2 In contrast |
| 3 As a result | 4 In exchange |

Dear Mr. Walters,

Thank you for contacting AWP Bank. As always, we thank you for your business. You said in your e-mail that you have recently been unable to log in to our online banking system. After checking your account, I found that it has been locked because an incorrect password was entered three times. To fix this, you will have to reset your password. If you did not try to access your account and think I am someone else, please contact our customer support center at 1-800-582-3432.

To gain access to your account, please reset your password by clicking on this link: www.awpbank.com/awp. From there, you need to get a test code. To get the code, click "send code", and it will be sent to you in an e-mail. Then enter your username and the test code and set a new password. Please remember that passwords must be at least eight characters long and include at least one number.

Please keep your password in a safe place. After you change your password, you will need to change your security questions. These can be used to change your password if you forget it. Be sure to choose questions and answers that will not be easy for people to guess. If you still have trouble, you can call our customer support center at the number above.

Sincerely,
Janna Smith
AWP Bank Online Account Manager

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From : Jenna Smith <help@arpbank.com>
To : Brett Walters <brettwalters9@cmail.com>
Date : January 24
Subject : Your password

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Thank you for contacting ARP Bank. As always, we thank you for your business. You said in your e-mail that you have recently been unable to log in to our online banking system. After checking your account, I found that it has been locked because an incorrect password was entered three times. To fix this, you will have to reset your password. If you did not try to access your account and think that someone else did, please contact our customer support center at 1-800-555-3458.

To gain access to your account, please reset your password by clicking on this link : www.arpbank.com/pwr. From there, you need to get a reset code. To get the code, click "send code," and it will be sent to you in an e-mail. Then, enter your username and the reset code, and set a new password. Please remember that passwords must be at least eight characters long and include at least one number.

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- (27) Why did Mr. Walters contact ARP Bank ?
- 1 He does not know how to set up online banking.
 - 2 He cannot log in to his online bank account.
 - 3 He thinks someone tried to access his account.
 - 4 He forgot to set a new password for his account.

- (28) What does Jenna Smith say about a reset code ?
- 1 It is sent after the username is changed.
 - 2 It needs to be at least eight characters long.
 - 3 Mr. Walters should call the bank to get one.
 - 4 Mr. Walters needs one to fix his account.

- (29) Jenna Smith tells Mr. Walters that he has to
- 1 select some new security questions.
 - 2 try to guess his password one more time.
 - 3 call her at the customer support center.
 - 4 find a safe place where he can use his computer.

Forever Young

Over the last 200 years, people have begun to live longer and longer. This trend began in the more economically developed countries, and for some time there was a growing gap between the average length of life in rich countries and poor countries. Over the past few decades, however, many poor countries have also made improvements and they are now close to catching up with the wealthier ones. As a result, every year there is a growing number of older people in countries all over the world.

It is a good thing that people are living longer, but it does have some difficult aspects. One of these is that more and more people are suffering from diseases associated with getting older. The number of cases of high blood pressure, heart disease, cancer, and other illnesses is increasing. In Australia, for instance, a recent report said that people, on average, live 25 years longer than they did a hundred years ago. Now, there are many more people suffering from serious illnesses. One consequence is that each year countries have to spend more and more on medical care for older people.

Many governments have begun to promote healthier lifestyles for young people, such as losing weight and exercising regularly, as a way to prevent serious illnesses. However, as the body gets older, even people who have lived healthily are likely to become ill. Recently, research has begun to show that this is the result of people's DNA getting older. When DNA breaks down, important information to control the body's functions is lost. Eventually, serious illnesses may occur.

However, David Sinclair, a researcher at the University of New South Wales in Australia, is working on a way to keep DNA healthy. He used a chemical called nicotinamide mononucleotide (NMN) to see if he could reduce the effects of age on mice. Mice that were given NMN became stronger and healthier than they had been, showing that the chemical was effective. He believes that one day this chemical could be used to make a medicine for humans. In this way, old people may be able to live both longer and healthier lives.

- (30) What has happened in the past few decades ?
- 1 There has been an increase in the gap between how much money rich and poor countries have.
 - 2 The length of life in rich countries has become longer than that in poor countries.
 - 3 Wealthy countries have begun helping poor countries to pay for healthcare.
 - 4 Fewer people living in developing countries are dying young.
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- (31) What is one challenge that countries today have ?
- 1 The number of people under the age of 25 that suffer from diseases such as cancer has increased rapidly.
 - 2 The cost of providing healthcare is increasing because more people are living with serious illnesses.
 - 3 People are unhappy with the way that governments try to prevent diseases.
 - 4 People continue to cure illnesses in the same way they did a hundred years ago.
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- (32) What is one reason that even people who have lived healthily get serious illnesses ?
- 1 They have harmed their bodies by doing too much exercise.
 - 2 They are unable to produce as much DNA as they were able to do in the past.
 - 3 Their DNA gets older and loses the ability to manage how the body works.
 - 4 Their bodies need more food than the amount they are eating.
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- (33) David Sinclair believes that
- 1 mice will be able to live for as long as humans live.
 - 2 nicotinamide mononucleotide could be used instead of DNA in the body.
 - 3 a chemical that is produced by mice can help people become stronger.
 - 4 a medicine could be made to help old people live healthier lives.

Adult Brains and Reading

The human brain is one of the most mysterious organs in the body. In recent years, though, scientists have been learning more and more about it. One aspect they have been studying is the ability of brains to change over time. In the past, researchers used to think that only children's brains could change easily, but recent research suggests that adult brains are more flexible than originally thought. One study has shown that learning to read can have a surprising effect on adult brains.

The international team of scientists who carried out the study wanted to see if learning something like reading could affect the physical structure of an adult brain. They chose 30 adults in India who had never learned to read or write. Twenty-one of these adults were taught to read for six months, while the other nine were not taught. The scientists scanned the brains of all the participants before they began and after they finished.

While the 21 participants learned to read as expected, the scientists were surprised by their brain scans. These showed that changes occurred not only in the surface part of the brain—the part that adults use to learn new facts—but also in the parts deep inside. These deep areas of the brain control the body's physical movements and also sort the information that comes in through the senses. Based on where the changes occurred, the scientists believe that the participants' brains began to work in a way that helped their eyes focus clearly on the words written on the page and allowed information to be sent to the appropriate parts of the brain easily.

Furthermore, the scientists hope that this research can be used to support people with dyslexia—a condition in which people have difficulty learning to read. Dyslexia is often caused by problems with the way the deep area of the brain works, and by gaining a better understanding of the way that part of the brain works, better treatments can be developed. Scientists believe that they will be able to create new techniques to make reading easier for such people.

(34) What has recent research begun to show ?

- 1 The organs in the body have more functions than scientists originally believed.
 - 2 The brains of adults are able to change more than previous researchers thought.
 - 3 Some children's experiences prevent their brains from growing over time.
 - 4 Scientists are better at learning new information than other people.
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(35) What did an international team of scientists do ?

- 1 They examined adults to find out if learning to read changed their brains.
 - 2 They opened a school to help Indian children learn to read and write.
 - 3 They spent six months creating a special brain activity to improve schools in India.
 - 4 They created a survey to find out what learning activities adults should participate in.
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(36) The group of 21 participants

- 1 learned how to control the surface part of the brain better.
 - 2 became able to read by using glasses to improve their eyesight.
 - 3 sent information that they wrote down to the team of researchers.
 - 4 showed changes in the way the deep areas of their brains worked.
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(37) The scientists suggest that their research can be used to

- 1 create treatments for people who have trouble reading.
 - 2 develop a surgery to fix problems on the surface of the brain.
 - 3 help teachers who teach young children how to read.
 - 4 discover new tools that can be used to develop children's skills.
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(38) Which of the following statements is true?

- 1 A group of 30 adults in India spent six months teaching at a school.
- 2 Dyslexia is a condition that prevents children from being able to go to school.
- 3 One function of deep areas of the brain is to control movements of the body.
- 4 Scientists believe that it is difficult for children's brains to change.

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ライティング

- 以下の **TOPIC** について、あなたの意見とその理由を2つ書きなさい。
- POINTS** は理由を書く際の参考となる観点を示したものです。ただし、これら以外の観点から理由を書いてもかまいません。
- 語数の目安は 80 語～100 語です。
- 解答は、解答用紙のB面にあるライティング解答欄に書きなさい。なお、解答欄の外に書かれたものは採点されません。
- 解答が **TOPIC** に示された問いの答えになっていない場合や、**TOPIC** からずれていると判断された場合は、0点と採点されることがあります。 **TOPIC** の内容をよく読んでから答えてください。

TOPIC

Some people prefer to buy food produced in their local area. Do you think more people will buy locally produced food in the future ?

POINTS

- *Local economies*
- *Safety*
- *The environment*

Listening Test

2級リスニングテストについて

- ① このリスニングテストには、第1部と第2部があります。
- ★ 英文はすべて一度しか読まれません。
- 第1部……対話を聞き、その質問に対して最も適切なものを1, 2, 3, 4の中から一つ選びなさい。
- 第2部……英文を聞き、その質問に対して最も適切なものを1, 2, 3, 4の中から一つ選びなさい。
- ② No.30のあと、10秒すると試験終了の合図がありますので、筆記用具を置いてください。

第1部

- No. 1
- 1 Where he can get an influenza shot.
 - 2 Whether he can play sports tomorrow.
 - 3 What information to give to the doctor.
 - 4 How often he should take his medicine.
- No. 2
- 1 He sold his house recently.
 - 2 He damaged the fence in his garden.
 - 3 He has become interested in gardening.
 - 4 He is going to paint the fence in his yard.
- No. 3
- 1 Her phone bill has not arrived yet.
 - 2 Her phone bill has a mistake on it.
 - 3 Her phone number has changed.
 - 4 Her phone has stopped working.
- No. 4
- 1 She did not like the people there.
 - 2 She was offered a better one.
 - 3 It was far from where she lives.
 - 4 It did not offer enough money.

- No. 5*
- 1 She needs to pass the ball more.
 - 2 She needs to score more goals.
 - 3 She needs to practice every day.
 - 4 She needs to speak to a teammate.
- No. 6*
- 1 She wants to report a theft.
 - 2 She wants directions to her town.
 - 3 She wants a better parking space.
 - 4 She wants them to remove a car.
- No. 7*
- 1 Eat some of Gary's meal.
 - 2 Finish her shrimp curry.
 - 3 Order another dish.
 - 4 Complain to the waiter.
- No. 8*
- 1 Get some eggs for Mrs. Adams.
 - 2 Bake a cake for Mrs. Adams.
 - 3 Go to the store for some eggs.
 - 4 Ask his mother for some eggs.
- No. 9*
- 1 Get her a copy of the paper.
 - 2 Finish an article he is writing.
 - 3 Come to work early tomorrow.
 - 4 Talk to the mayor for her.
- No. 10*
- 1 He was hurt recently.
 - 2 He wants to try a new sport.
 - 3 He is good at ice hockey.
 - 4 He will change schools.
- No. 11*
- 1 Go to Anna's house with him.
 - 2 Call him to tell him Anna's address.
 - 3 Draw him a map to Anna's house.
 - 4 Tell Anna that he will be late.

- No. 12
- 1 By buying the first thing he sees.
 - 2 By going to another store.
 - 3 By asking her what she wants.
 - 4 By following the clerk's advice.
- No. 13
- 1 It is too far away.
 - 2 The tables are dirty there.
 - 3 There may be too many people there.
 - 4 He brought sandwiches from home.
- No. 14
- 1 Looking for a hotel near the beach.
 - 2 Inviting some relatives to the hotel.
 - 3 Eating dinner at another hotel.
 - 4 Checking what the beach rules are.
- No. 15
- 1 Whether she knows the way to his house.
 - 2 Whether she can lend him a jacket.
 - 3 Whether she has found his camera.
 - 4 Whether she will come to his party.

第2部

- No. 16*
- 1 The food is too expensive.
 - 2 The seats are not comfortable.
 - 3 It is not easy to read the menu.
 - 4 It is too noisy to talk to teachers.
- No. 17*
- 1 She had never been hiking before.
 - 2 She wore the wrong kind of shoes.
 - 3 She did not eat enough.
 - 4 She packed too many things.
- No. 18*
- 1 How much a Gold membership costs.
 - 2 What to bring to a swimming pool.
 - 3 The location of a training room.
 - 4 The opening of a swimming pool.
- No. 19*
- 1 She wants to fall asleep more quickly.
 - 2 She has trouble seeing the screen.
 - 3 She needs more time to read.
 - 4 She has to write many articles.
- No. 20*
- 1 Insects like their smell.
 - 2 Insects are scared of them.
 - 3 Humans like to eat them.
 - 4 Humans are attracted to them.
- No. 21*
- 1 He threw all of them away.
 - 2 He sold them cheaply.
 - 3 He started making soup with them.
 - 4 He planted them outside his store.
- No. 22*
- 1 Add syrup to them.
 - 2 Bake them in an oven.
 - 3 Mix them with cookies.
 - 4 Put them on top of hot drinks.

- No. 23*
- 1 Trying a new kind of drink at work.
 - 2 Using plastic bags for groceries.
 - 3 Taking a bottle of tea to work.
 - 4 Drinking less tea every day.
- No. 24*
- 1 He worked for his father's company.
 - 2 He made a kind of soap popular.
 - 3 He was born in 1949.
 - 4 He sold soap in London.
- No. 25*
- 1 By applying for a credit card.
 - 2 By going to a store early.
 - 3 By spending over \$100.
 - 4 By selling an old TV.
- No. 26*
- 1 Finish her homework before class.
 - 2 Belong to only one club.
 - 3 Relax with her teammates after class.
 - 4 Spend time studying English.
- No. 27*
- 1 He wants to work for a Korean company.
 - 2 He is moving to Korea for his job.
 - 3 To get better at speaking Korean with his friends.
 - 4 To build a better relationship with his clients.
- No. 28*
- 1 When their bodies are wet.
 - 2 When the air is cold or dry.
 - 3 When they are three years old.
 - 4 When there is a lot of rain.
- No. 29*
- 1 He could not find his report on Monday.
 - 2 He could not print his report.
 - 3 He did not like his history class.
 - 4 He did not listen to his teacher.

- No. 30
- 1 Flowers are half price today.
 - 2 The spring sale has ended.
 - 3 Shoppers can get free tools.
 - 4 The store sells many types of seeds.