

一、選擇題(第 1 至 41 題，每題 2 分，共 82 分)

I. 字彙題

說明：第 1 至 8 題，每題均有一空格字詞，請選擇最適合的答案，以完成該英文句子。

第 9 至 11 題，每題均有一個劃底線的字詞，請在四個選項中，選擇一個與劃底線的字詞意義最接近的答案。

1. Whenever Jeremy feels confused in life, he asks his mother for her _____.
(A) solution (B) conflict (C) opinion (D) emotion
2. Taitung is _____ for its rich nature and hot springs. Taiwan International Balloon Festival is also another highlight.
(A) complex (B) famous (C) gentle (D) independent
3. Our teacher _____ us to read more, especially reading for pleasure.
(A) encourages (B) handles (C) imagines (D) occurs
4. To combat global warming, many countries are looking for renewable natural _____ and energy to replace coal.
(A) disasters (B) creatures (C) diseases (D) resources
5. The city government is trying hard to assist those _____ people in finding work and housing so that they no longer have to sleep at the train station.
(A) trendy (B) homeless (C) environmental (D) global
6. The well-known businessman Warren Buffett keeps _____ the importance of honesty, which he believes is a critical element to any successful company.
(A) determining (B) refusing (C) emphasizing (D) representing
7. The COVID-19 pandemic has _____ Benjamin's plan to travel abroad. He has a desperate desire to fly out!
(A) destroyed (B) released (C) sketched (D) commanded
8. Hundreds of architects and artists have _____ to reconstructing the Notre-Dame Cathedral, whose roof collapsed due to a fierce fire in 2019.
(A) frustrated (B) contributed (C) convinced (D) postponed
9. Anna's grandmother had a great influence on her future career choice.
(A) debate (B) agreement (C) impact (D) decision
10. You should contact the customer service right away if you find your email account hacked.
(A) frequently (B) particularly (C) occasionally (D) immediately
11. The Nobel Prizes are a series of annual international awards given to those scholars or leaders who promote academic, cultural and scientific advancement.
(A) yearly (B) casual (C) outstanding (D) probable

II. 對話題

說明：第 12 至 21 題，請依對話內容選出一個最適合的答案，使其成為有意義的對話。

12. Tina: Look! I've just bought a new necklace at the *Cheers Jewelry*.

Amy: No way! _____

Tina: Really? How much does it cost you?

Amy: Only 4,500 NT dollars. It seems like we have the same taste.

(A) The pearls go perfect with your earrings.

(B) What is the diamond size?

(C) I also got a very similar one last week, actually.

(D) The purple jade is considered the stone of royalty.

13. (on the phone)

Chief of village: Hello, Mr. Wang, good to have you back to Taiwan.

Michael Wang: Thank you. Good to be back. Taiwan is safer than anywhere else.

Chief of village: You bet. As for the 14-day quarantine, I might need you to keep your record on the app every day. And I will put your meals in a bag hanging on your door knob.

Michael Wang: _____ Yes, I have requested gluten-free diet.

Chief of village: No problem. I will arrange that.

(A) You don't eat beef, do you?

(B) Do you know you can order food from foodpanda?

(C) Are you allergic to seafood?

(D) Any food requirement or preference?

14. Jerry: Honey, how about going to Penghu and enjoying the Penghu International Fireworks Festival?

Anna: Sounds good, yet _____ I heard the flight tickets were all sold out.

Jerry: I know, so we are taking the cruise. We can enjoy the fireworks on the sea.

Anna: Wow! That should be a lot of fun!

(A) which hotel will we stay?

(B) how can we get there?

(C) I am afraid I cannot afford the trip.

(D) can we use the triple stimulus vouchers?

15. Mom: Timmy, how do you like the civil sports center that was open last week?

Timmy: I like it a lot!

Mom: _____

Timmy: A swimming pool, a weight training room, a yoga room and, best of all, an indoor, air-conditioned basketball court.

Mom: Perfect! You should invite your dad to work out with you.

(A) What facilities does it have?

(B) Where is the sports center located?

(C) Which programs can we take together?

(D) How much is the admission fee?

16. Clerk: Excuse me. I need to take your temperature before you get into the department store.

Elsie: Sure. _____

Clerk: Yes, madame. We can't promise social distancing, so we require each customer to wear one.

Elsie: Fine. I will do it then. Thank you.

(A) How long have you been standing here?

(B) Have you got any COVID-19 cases?

(C) What if I say "no" to you?

(D) Do I have to wear a mask all the time?

17. William: I was so excited that our team finally won the championship this year!

Brian: Yeah, but _____

William: Don't be! We are the best team, and each individual plays an important part in the game.

(A) I am sorry that I was benched the whole game.

(B) the other team was definitely playing dirty.

(C) we are absolutely second to none.

(D) our coach was too thrilled to give tactics.

18. Justin: Hey, Siri.

Siri: What can I help you with?

Justin: _____

Siri: Looks like it will be partly cloudy. The high will be 30 degrees, and the low will be 23.

(A) How can I get to the water board?

(B) What's the forecast for tomorrow's baseball game?

(C) How's the weather tomorrow?

(D) What is 30 divided by 23?

19. Husband: The new bakery looks nice!

Wife: Yes, I heard from my colleagues that the white bread was excellent.

Husband: _____

Wife: Yeah, why not? I really wanna try its white bread. Don't forget to bring the shopping bag with you!

(A) How about making our own bread?

(B) The cake and the coffee taste great too.

(C) I just can't stand the smell of fresh bread.

(D) Why don't we try a loaf this time?

20. Angelina: Good morning. I need one ticket to Yunlin at 11:58, please.

HSR staff: I am sorry, but there is no available reserved seat for this train. _____

Angelina: No, I need it secured. I guess I will take the next one.

HSR staff: Sure. One reserved ticket to Yunlin at 12:58.

(A) Do you bring your ID card with you?

(B) Could you please sign your name here?

(C) Would you like to take a non-reserved seat?

(D) How about taking another train to Taipei?

21. Morris: I went to Tungkang for the Bluefin Tuna Festival last weekend.

James: Really? Did you see the first tuna auction of the year?

Morris: Yes. It was awesome! _____

James: Wow, it must be a giant bluefin tuna then.

(A) The first tuna weighed 180 kgs and was sold for 3 million this year.

(B) My family and I enjoyed the seafood there.

(C) It took us two hours to drive from Chiayi to Tungkang.

(D) So many people were celebrating the Bluefin Tuna Festival.

III. 綜合測驗

說明：以下兩篇短文，共有 10 個空格，為第 22 至 31 題，每題有四個選項，請依各篇短文文意，選出一個最適合該空格的答案。

▲下篇短文共有 5 個空格，為第 22-26 題，請依短文文意，選出一個最適合該空格的答案。

About 466 million people worldwide suffer from hearing loss, and 34 million of those are children. Hearing loss may 22 genetic causes, complications at birth, infectious diseases and ageing. Hearing loss can be either inborn or acquired. Inborn hearing loss can be caused by 23 factors, such as inappropriate use of drugs during pregnancy and childbirth. Sometimes low birth weight could be one of the causes, too. Acquired hearing impairment is 24 category. It covers the possible reasons like 25 to excessive noises, ageing, or wax or foreign bodies blocking the ear canal. 26, half of the causes of hearing loss can be prevented through public health means. As long as people raise awareness about the potential threats, they could reduce the risks of hearing loss.

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| 22. (A) result from | (B) take after | (C) figure out | (D) turn into |
| 23. (A) envious | (B) prosperous | (C) pleasant | (D) specific |
| 24. (A) the others | (B) another | (C) the other | (D) other |
| 25. (A) have exposing | (B) being exposed | (C) to be exposed | (D) exposed |
| 26. (A) Therefore | (B) However | (C) Moreover | (D) Likewise |

▲下篇短文共有 5 個空格，為第 27-31 題，請依短文文意，選出一個最適合該空格的答案。

The pandemic is affecting birthrates around the world, but the question is—does it increase the birthrate or lower it? Millions of people 27 to stay at home, so some experts have suggested this crisis may create the conditions for a baby boom. However, some have predicted that the birthrate may very likely decline 28 economic and social instability. Actually, the answer might differ in different countries. Take Indonesia for instance. The shutdown 29 has caused a stop for providing free birth control pills. The family planning agency had to make door-to-door visits and 30 pills. On the contrary, many women in the United States say they are likely to suspend their plan of having children, for they tend to lose or leave their jobs when 31 their spouses. European countries have similar results: over 50% women claim they would delay having children. For countries like these, the governments could provide incentives to support young couples.

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| 27. (A) are forced | (B) force | (C) forced | (D) have been forcing |
| 28. (A) in addition to | (B) regardless of | (C) in spite of | (D) owing to |
| 29. (A) appliance | (B) maturity | (C) measure | (D) terminal |
| 30. (A) explore | (B) distribute | (C) flush | (D) hesitate |
| 31. (A) comparing to | | (B) compared to | |
| | (C) been compared to | | (D) being comparing to |

IV. 閱讀測驗

說明：以下有兩篇短文，共有 10 個題目，為第 32 至 41 題，請於閱讀短文後，選出最適當的答案。

▲閱讀下文，回答第 32-36 題

Jessica, Charlie and their baby daughter Michelle were shopping at the Massy's department store on the last day of their travel overseas. They were flying back to Taiwan the next day. There happened to be a 50% discount on suitcases, so they decided to get one home.

The following are the floor guide and the conversation between Jessica and Charlie.

Jessica: I think I need to change Michelle's diaper.

Charlie: Sure, I guess I can stay here to check out the suitcases, and I will meet you both upstairs.

Jessica: Awesome. Since there is a nursing room, I will feed her after I change the diaper. You can take your time here!

7F	• International Restaurants		
6F	• Tax Refund Counter • Gift certificate		
5F	• Bedding, Towels & Detergent • Home Accessories		
4F	• Men's Formal Wear • Men's Casual Wear • Formal Shirts & Ties		
3F	• Women's Formal Wear • Women's Plus Sizes		
2F	• Women's Business Wear • Young Women's Fashion		
GF	• Cosmetics • Information • Liquors • Scarves & Handkerchiefs		
B1F	• International Food Court • MRT		
	• Grocery • Cafe		

35. What does this sign  on the Ground Floor refer to?
- (A) Shoe repair (B) Cosmetics (C) Wigs (D) Information
36. Based on the floor guide and the conversation, which of the following inferences is correct?
- (A) Charlie and his family could enjoy Japanese food in this department store.
 (B) Jessica may buy an LV bag and her facial cream on the same floor.
 (C) Jessica and Charlie's daughter, Michelle, could go to the toilet herself.
 (D) Charlie could read at the cafe while waiting outside the nursing room.

▲閱讀下文，回答第 37-41 題

Born in Taiwan, Andre Chiang was named the Rising Chef of the Year for 2009 at the World Gourmet Summit Awards of Excellence. He was only 33 years old then. The characteristics of being mentally strong, hardworking and goal-oriented make him become extraordinary in the field. In high school, he volunteered to work in one famous French restaurant in Taipei only to gain precious experiences. Inspired by the then-French-chef, he decided to dedicate his career to French cuisine. He worked hard and saved a big portion of his salary to buy the latest magazines and books about cooking.

When Andre was 20, he became the youngest chef of French cuisine in Taiwan. However, he was not contented. He gave up his handsome-paid job, sold his motorbike and flew to France to work at the three Michelin-starred restaurant *Le Jardin des Sens*. In his first year working in that restaurant, he worked from 5 am till midnight every day but got no pay. He never complained about it; instead, he was grateful for being able to work and learn in the “dream kitchen.” With a strong will and passion, he survived the first year even though he didn’t speak any French. He continued to work six more years in *Le Jardin des Sens* until his bosses assigned him to extend new branch restaurants in Asia, including Tokyo, Bangkok, Shanghai and Singapore.

Even though Andre has got a really tight schedule every day, he has kept his reading habit. In his autobiography, Andre recalled, “I seldom read recipes, which might limit my ideas and curb my creativity. Rather, I read books about architecture, arts and history so as to enrich myself.” Through his experiences and reading, he came up with the “Octo-philosophy,” in which he used eight elements, or concepts, to make up his dishes. He always knew what his next goal was. In 2014, he returned to his hometown Taipei, and opened a brand new restaurant *RAW*. The restaurant was named the best restaurant in Taiwan and ranked number 24 in Asia in 2017. Now he dedicates his time not only to running his own business, but also to passing on what he has learned to the next generation in Taiwan.

37. What is the passage mainly about?
- (A) Guidelines for Michelin-starred restaurants.
 (B) The famous cooker and the Octo-philosophy.
 (C) How to develop mental toughness and passion.
 (D) A talented young man with hard work and clear targets.
38. Based on the passage, which of the following statements is TRUE?
- (A) Chef Andre Chiang didn’t leave Taiwan for France until he was 33 years old.
 (B) Andre had learned how to speak French and saved enough money before he headed for France.
 (C) Books about architecture and arts are important resources to trigger Andre’s creativity.
 (D) Andre had got no pay when working at the dream kitchen for seven years.
39. According to the passage, what city did the three-star Michelin restaurant *Le Jardin des Sens* NOT extend the branch to?
- (A) Shanghai. (B) Taipei. (C) Bangkok. (D) Tokyo.

40. When did Andre Chiang decide to become a chef in French cuisine?

- (A) When he was 20 years old.
- (B) When he was a high school student.
- (C) After he worked with the Michelin-starred chefs.
- (D) After he created the Octo-philosophy.

41. As a chef, why didn't Andre read recipes based on the passage?

- (A) Because his innovation might get killed after reading recipes.
- (B) Because the best recipes were only delivered from masters to disciples.
- (C) Because the authors who wrote those recipes were not good enough.
- (D) Because many Michelin-starred chefs don't read recipes, either.

二、非選擇題(第 I 到第 III 題，每題 6 分，共 18 分)

I. 填充

說明：

- ▲請依據中文提示，將試題內空格①、②答案之完整單字(含提示之字首)，分別作答於答案卷之作答欄①、②之指定範圍內以完成句子。
- ▲請勿抄題，每格限填一字，超過一字者視為錯誤，不予計分。

1. 我很喜歡恐怖片，因為它們讓我尖叫並讓忘了我的煩惱。

I enjoy h ① movies a lot because they make me scream and have me f ② my worries.

II. 句子重組

說明：

- ▲請將題中 5 段提示字詞重組成一完整句子，並於句尾加上適當標點符號。
- ▲請將重組後的句子寫在答案卷之「非選擇題作答區」指定範圍內，答案中不能增減字詞或修改變化字詞，請勿抄題。

2. by the museum / My family and I / went to / held / the music event

III. 中譯英

說明：

- ▲請將以下中文句子譯成正確、通順、達意的英文，並將答案寫在「非選擇題作答區」之指定範圍內，請勿抄題。

3. 我爸上週日花整個下午洗他的新車。

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