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英 語

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I. 次の各文の()に最も適当なものを a)～d) から選びなさい。

1. Before he started () the piano, he had played the guitar for two years.
a) learning b) learn c) learns d) learned
2. I enjoy hanging () with my friends in the park when the weather is nice.
a) up b) out c) over d) off
3. By the time I get home tonight, my family () in bed for several hours.
a) will have been b) had been c) have been d) will be
4. That school has a very good (). Many of its graduates are accepted into elite universities and go on to have impressive careers.
a) decision b) translation c) prediction d) reputation
5. A: Good afternoon. Motoyama Corporation. Tanaka speaking. How can I help?
B: Hello, () Steve Jones. Can I speak to Ms. Yoshimura, please?
A: Ms. Yoshimura? Of course. Wait a moment please, Mr. Jones.
a) my name is b) you are c) please be d) my friend is
6. A: Do you enjoy gardening?
B: Yes, I do. I started a small garden last year, and now I grow lettuce, tomatoes, and some herbs.
A: That sounds great! I've () gardening, but I'd love to grow my own vegetables someday.
a) always included b) sometimes played c) never tried d) rarely wanted
7. A: Hi, I'm interested in seeing the city, but I'm not sure if I should take the half-day tour or the full-day one. Which do you recommend?
B: Well, the half-day tour is great if you don't have much time. It includes the main sights, like the old town and the cathedral. But if you choose the full-day tour you'll also visit the museum and then go on the river cruise.
A: That sounds nice. I like the idea of seeing more places, but I'm worried the full-day tour might be (). Is there a lot of walking?
B: There is some walking, but we take a bus between most places. That tour also includes a lunch break, so you'll have time to rest.
a) really expensive b) too tiring c) overly crowded d) extremely boring
8. A: Hi, Greg. Can you send me the updates to the semester schedule?
B: I'm still working on it. I'll send it to you as soon as I can.
A: OK. It doesn't have to be perfect, but I need to share the latest version in the meeting this afternoon, so please ().
a) double check the spelling b) take your time
c) finish it quickly d) work on it overnight



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9. In the United States, many children watch TV or use smartphones for hours every day. They almost never read books in their free time, only at school. It is not surprising that these children () and prefer watching videos.
- a) have many books b) go to school c) don't enjoy games d) can't read well
10. For the () it has rained on the day of my school sports festival. One year it was postponed until the following day. Another year it was moved to the gym. This year it was cancelled. I was really disappointed.
- a) last three years b) first time c) usual reasons d) parents and teachers
11. My () is my final presentation in my university English course. It was a really important course for me because I wanted a job in an international company. I needed a good grade on this course to get the job I wanted. Sadly, it did not go well because I couldn't remember what I wanted to say.
- a) biggest dream b) greatest regret c) biggest fear d) greatest success
12. Do streaming sites such as U-Next and Netflix pose an existential threat to traditional television in Japan? Netflix, with over 10 million subscribers, and U-Next, with 4.3 million, are only two of the services () Japan's TV giants. Though these numbers seem huge, NHK counted around 44 million subscribers in 2022.
- a) supporting b) beating c) challenging d) purchasing

II. 空白 (13) ～ (18) に、適当な単語 1 語を解答用紙に記入しなさい。

Dear Grandma and Grandpa,

How are you doing these days? I haven't seen you in such a (13) time. I really miss you!

I have some big news! I got a new part-time job working as a private tutor. I teach math and science to junior high school students. My job is to help them prepare for high school entrance exams. I mostly work on Saturdays and Sundays, but sometimes I work on weeknights after I finish school. It's kind of tough but I'm happy to be (14) some money. The hourly wage is quite good (15) to other jobs. I'm going to start driving school in a couple of months, so I need money for that. After I get my license I'm hoping to buy a new car, then I'll be (16) to visit you more often.

Anyway, teaching is an interesting job, but some of my students don't like to study. I get a little frustrated at times. I don't think I want to be a teacher in the (17).

Remember, it's my birthday next week, so don't (18) to come to the party.

That's all for now. I hope you're doing well.

Take care,

Billy

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Ⅲ. 次の英文を読んで、設問に答えなさい。

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(英文による長文)

(Source: C. Asher, BBC Science Focus, 12 April 2025) 改変

空白 (19) ～ (22) に最も適当なものを a) ～ d) から選びなさい。

19. a) another b) always c) every d) of
20. a) type b) way c) attempt d) season
21. a) excite b) exchange c) exact d) examine
22. a) continue b) pretend c) carry d) go



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23. According to the article, what did Benjamin Franklin do in 1752?
- a) He discovered lightning.
 - b) He invented the light bulb.
 - c) He did an experiment in a thunderstorm.
 - d) He flew above a lightning cloud.
24. According to the article, what is one reason that scientists don't fully understand lightning?
- a) Scientists have not been studying lightning for long enough.
 - b) Lightning can only be studied from space.
 - c) Lightning doesn't happen very often, so there are few chances to study it.
 - d) It can be dangerous to fly through a storm cloud to study lightning.
25. According to the article, what is one advantage of creating lightning in a laboratory?
- a) It can be cheaper than studying lightning in real clouds.
 - b) Lightning made in a laboratory is easier for scientists to control.
 - c) Scientists using a laboratory don't have to travel outside of Cardiff to study lightning.
 - d) The lightning created in a laboratory is completely safe.
26. この質問に対する解答は、英語で解答用紙に書きなさい。
- あなたの好きな天気はどんな天気ですか。自分の好きな天気の日には、何をしたいか書きなさい。
- 50－60 ワードの文章を英語で記入しなさい。



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英語解答用紙

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II.

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III.

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I.

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12.	c																				

II.

記載されている以外にも、該当する回答がある場合があります。

13.	long	14.	earning	15.	compared
16.	able	17.	future	18.	forget

III.

19.	c	20.	a	21.	d	22.	a
23.	c	24.	d	25.	b		

	I love sunny days, especially in summer. Warm weather is perfect for playing soccer in the park or having barbecues with friends. However,
26.	the summer heat can be dangerous. It's important to rest and drink water regularly to avoid heatstroke. I don't like rainy days because I can't go
	outside and do the activities I enjoy.