2020 年度 英語 実技検査 (リスニングテスト)

Listening Comprehension Test

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Please open your test.

You are going to have a Listening Comprehension Test. This test consists of two parts; Part 1 and Part 2. All of the questions in the two parts are multiple choice questions. For each question, there are four possible answers written on your question sheet, labeled 1, 2, 3 and 4. You must choose the best answer for each question. Indicate your choice by marking the correct number 1, 2, 3 or 4 on your answer sheet. You may take notes while listening.

Now, here are the directions for Part 1. In this part, you will hear 8 dialogues, No. 1 through No. 8. Each dialogue will be followed by one question. For each question, you will have 10 seconds to choose the best answer. The dialogue and the question will be read only once.

Now we will begin Part 1.

1

W: Good morning, Danny. You look worried. What's the matter?

M: Today I forgot my tie! We have an annual meeting with all the executives in the afternoon.

W: Oh my god. Can you borrow one from someone in your section?

M: I don't think so. Everyone including part-time workers has to attend the meeting. Should I buy one near here during lunch time? What do you think?

W: We have to prepare for the meeting right after lunch so you should not do so.

M: That's right.

W: Look at the schedule board. One of our colleagues is now doing outside work and will be back in half an hour or so. You can ask him to buy one on his way.

M: That's a good idea. I'll do that right away.

Question: What is Danny going to do next?

2

W: Wow, this campus is very large! Where should we start to look around?

M: There are some western style buildings. I'm interested in western style architecture so can we start with them?

W: Yes, of course. So this sign says there are two wooden western style buildings on this street; one is a memorial hall, and the other is a library. Both buildings were built in the early 1900s. Let's go.

M: This school was originally founded for agricultural education by some American teachers. So they still have some farms at this site.

W: Here we are at the memorial hall. Look at these windows. They look so cute!

M: These circular windows are often seen on modern houses. These two buildings are registered as important cultural properties.

W: You know a lot!

Question: What shape are the windows on the memorial hall?

3

W: Hello. Happy Strike Bowl. How may I help you?

M: Hello. I visited your place this afternoon and I think I left my bag then.

W: In that case, I'll check the lost and found. Can you describe your belongings as precisely as possible?

M: Yes. It was a blue paper bag and inside was a pair of red shoes.

W: OK. Hold on please.

I'm sorry we can't find it. We have two other branches around this area, so I'm afraid you might have confused us for one of them.

M: Two other branches? The one I visited today was next to a stadium. Is that you?

W: Ah, ha. That is a different one. Shall I tell you their phone number?

M: Yes, please.

Question: What is the man's problem?

4

M: Welcome back, Anna! You look good! How was your two-year-duty in Cambodia?

W: It was tougher than I'd expected. My main job there was to visit the schools and do research on school facilities. I usually took a bus to move from one village to another village but it took about five or six hours on average.

M: So much time?

W: When it was the rainy season, the traffic was stuck very often, so sometimes it took longer than that.

M: What did you do on your day-off?

W: I'd been involved with yoga since before I went to Cambodia, so I taught how to do yoga to my Cambodian roommate and she taught me how to cook traditional Cambodian dishes in return.

M: So you can cook Cambodian dishes. I've never tried Cambodian food.

W: Why don't you come to my place next weekend? I'll cook some for you.

Question: What is Anna's occupation?

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W: Excuse me, sir.

Where am I now on this map? I want to go to the museum but I'm lost.

M: Let's see. You are now here at the corner of 6th Street and West Avenue. The museum is on the opposite side of City Central Park.

W: How can I get there?

M: The easiest way is to take a taxi. It will take about 5 minutes and cost about 10 dollars or so.

W: Well, actually I don't want to spend money taking a taxi.

M: In that case, taking a bus is another option. The bus fare is \$3. But wait. Today is Saturday, and on weekends, they offer a 50% discount ticket.

W: Oh, that sounds nice. But is the bus stop near here? You know, I'm not good at directions.

M: Don't worry. The nearest bus stop is just over there. Can you see that pole across the street?

Question: How much will the woman pay for the bus?

6

W: Honey, are you entering the City Marathon this year?

M: I hope to. I plan to apply for it. Last year, the temperature was higher than I expected, so it was the first time I couldn't finish within three hours.

W: So, you are going to try for sub-three-hours this year?

M: Definitely. That's why I've started training at a gym after work.

W: What kind of training do you do at the gym?

M: Well, I build up the muscles in the lower half of my body. On Saturdays, usually fewer people are there, so I walk in the water for half an hour.

W: I hear the new marathon course for this year has a lot of ups and downs, so building

your muscles is a good strategy.

M: Since I started training at the gym, I feel my legs move more smoothly.

Question: What is one thing that the man did NOT do yet?

7

W: Josh, I heard that this one is very useful for teachers but do you know about it?

M: Yes, of course! I've been using it since it came out two weeks ago. It's very useful and every time I use this, the students are so excited. Do you want to try it?

W: Yes, I'd love to. Can you tell me how to set it up?

M: OK. First, you have to register your information, like your user name, your work place, and your purpose of use.

W: Uh, hmm. Oh, I can choose whether I use the description type or multiple choice type. I'll choose multiple choice type.

M: So then, you add the question up here and the four possible answers for multiple choice here at the bottom. Don't forget to include the right answer.

W: OK. Like this?

M: Yes. And when you are in the class, all you have to do is to show the pin code to the students and let them join the game using their mobile phones.

Question: What are the man and woman talking about?

8

W: Hi, George. I heard that you are from Arizona. It's famous for the Grand Canyon.

M: Yes, I'm from Tucson. Have you ever been to Grand Canyon National Park?

W: Yeah. Seven years ago, I traveled there for ten days. The night sky was unbelievably beautiful. What I remember most are the unique shapes of cactuses, like human-shaped or fan-shaped.

M: Oh, I see. You are talking about giant cactuses and prickly pears. Unfortunately, these days, the number of giant cactuses is decreasing.

W: Why is that?

M: Because poachers and collectors take them and sell them for \$1,000 or more.

W: Really? I bought some cactus seeds and planted them after I came back to Japan but they are still only 20 cm tall or so. How long does it take a cactus to grow into a human shape?

M: It will take more than about 60 years to begin growing arms!

Question: Why is the number of giant cactuses decreasing?

<Directions>

Here are the directions for Part 2. In this part, you will hear two passages, No. 1 and No. 2. Each passage will be read twice. For each passage, answer the two multiple choice questions written on your question sheet. You have 20 seconds to answer the 2 questions for each passage.

Now we will begin Part 2.

<Part2>

No.1

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