

英 語

【I】 次の英文を読み、設問に答えなさい。

Hundreds of sea lions take over beach in California ; officials close off area

著作権の都合により掲載いたしません。

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- (注) ※1 Monterey : モントレー市(米国カリフォルニア州)
※2 biologist : 生物学者
※3 sanctuary : 保護区

設 問

空欄 ～ に入る語として適切なものを，選択肢からそれぞれ1つずつ選び，その記号をマークしなさい．

1. Officials in Monterey closed off a beach there hundreds of California sea lions.

ア. to exclude イ. because of ウ. although エ. in spite of

2. Sea lions are seen at some beaches on the California coast.

ア. once a while イ. occasionally ウ. rarely エ. frequently

3. Sea lions might gather in Monterey Bay because of .

ア. the variety of what they can eat イ. the variety of what they can see
ウ. the variety of themselves エ. the variety of their numbers

4. Monterey Bay thus many sea lions might have gathered there.

ア. produces lots of dishes
イ. has lots of beautiful sceneries
ウ. require sea lions to chase food at all
エ. allows sea lions to get food easily

【Ⅱ】 空欄 ～ に入る語句として最も適切なものを，選択肢からそれぞれ1つ
選び，その記号をマークしなさい．

1. Tom to the gym every morning to stay fit.

ア. goes

イ. went

ウ. gone

エ. go

2. My Parents don't allow me out late at night.

ア. to stay

イ. stay

ウ. staying

エ. stayed

3. I like traveling, I can't go on vacation this year because of my busy schedule.

ア. Although

イ. Since

ウ. Because

エ. Even

4. We him since he moved to another city.

ア. don't see

イ. didn't see

ウ. haven't seen

エ. won't see

【Ⅲ】 次の１～４の和文に相当する英文を完成させるために、下線部にア～オを１つずつ
全て入れる時、空欄 9 ～ 12 の下線部に入る語として最も適切なものを、選択
肢からそれぞれ１つずつ選び、その記号をマークしなさい。

1. その映画はとても面白かったので、観るのを止められなかった。

The movie was 9 _____ stop watching it.

ア. interesting イ. I ウ. that エ. couldn't オ. so

2. これは私が一週間ずっと読んでいる本です。

This is the book _____ 10 _____ for a week.

ア. reading イ. have ウ. I エ. which オ. been

3. 私は大好きな作家の生まれた街を訪れるのが楽しみです。

I'm looking forward to visiting the city where _____ 11 _____
_____.

ア. my イ. favorite ウ. author エ. born オ. was

4. その問題は数時間議論されてきたが、まだ解決されていない。

The problem has been discussed for 12 _____ yet.

ア. hasn't イ. but ウ. solved エ. been オ. hours

【Ⅳ】 次の各文にある下線部の単語を文全体の意味を変えずに別の語と入れ替えるとき、最も適切なものを、選択肢からそれぞれ1つずつ選び、その記号をマークしなさい。

1. She hesitated before answering the difficult question. 13

ア. insisted イ. paused ウ. continued エ. shouted

2. I frequently go to the gym after work. 14

ア. rarely イ. often ウ. never エ. sometimes

【Ⅴ】 次の各文にある下線部の単語を反意となる語で置き換えるとき、適切なものを、選択肢からそれぞれ1つずつ選び、その記号をマークしなさい。

1. He gave us a brief explanation of the project. 15

ア. quick イ. short ウ. wrong エ. detailed

2. He is a very honest man. 16

ア. lying イ. truthful ウ. dishonest エ. positive

【Ⅵ】 次の各英会話の空欄 17 ～ 20 に入る語句として最も適切なものを選択肢からそれぞれ 1 つ選び、その記号をマークしなさい。

1. A : Why don't we have a party for Tom's birthday.

B : That's an excellent idea! When shall we have it?

A : How about next Saturday?

B : That's fine with me. We can 17 at my house.

ア. see.

イ. meet

ウ. watch

エ. beat

2. A : What kind of movie would you like to see?

B : I'd like to see fiction.

A : A new fiction movie is playing. It 18 very interesting.

B : Really? Let's see it.

ア. plays

イ. played

ウ. played out

エ. is

3. A : What are you going to do this weekend?

B : I'm not sure yet. Maybe I'll go shopping.

A : That sounds fun. 19 we go to the new shopping mall together?

B : That's a good idea.

ア . Why don't

イ . How

ウ . What

エ . Why

4. A : Happy birthday, John! What kind of present do you want?

B : I'd like to have 20 . I often listen to music when I'm studying.

A : How about these? They have very good sound.

B : Great! Let's buy them.

ア . a drum set

イ . a pair of earphones

ウ . a guitar

エ . a piano

【Ⅶ】 次の 1～4 について、英文(a) (b)の意味がほぼ同じ意味になるように、空欄
21 ～ 30 に入る語・語句として適切なものを、選択肢からそれぞれ 1 つずつ選
び、その記号をマークしなさい。

1. (a) 21 he is rich, he looks unhappy.

ア. Unless イ. And ウ. Though エ. But

- (b) He is rich 22 he looks unhappy.

ア. but イ. so ウ. even if エ. although

2. (a) Judy wrote 23 a long letter.

ア. me イ. to me ウ. mine エ. my

- (b) Judy wrote a long letter 24 .

ア. me イ. to me ウ. mine エ. my

3. (a) 25 us play a football game the day after tomorrow.

ア. Although イ. Please ウ. Let エ. Why don't

- (b) 26 about playing a football game the day after tomorrow?

ア. Who イ. However ウ. Which エ. How

4. (a) A police officer stopped my car. 27 was very friendly.

ア. He

イ. Her

ウ. His

エ. It

(b) The police officer 28 stopped my car was very friendly.

ア. who

イ. whose

ウ. whom

エ. which

5. (a) The problem was 29 difficult for me to solve.

ア. so

イ. very

ウ. too

エ. even

(b) The problem was 30 difficult that I couldn't solve.

ア. so

イ. very

ウ. too

エ. even

(問題終わり)