

國立彰化師範大學107學年度第2學期學士班轉學生招生考試試題

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I. Vocabulary and Grammar: (30%)

Select the best answer for the blank in each question.

- _____ 1. Laticia is a _____ of the clarinet; she has performed solos with many orchestras and bands around the world.
- a. neophyte
 - b. novice
 - c. virtuoso
 - d. termagant
- _____ 2. The children knew that once their grandfather made his decision, the new rule would be _____ because he would never change his mind.
- a. irrevocable
 - b. articulate
 - c. premeditated
 - d. discourteous
- _____ 3. The concert audience was frustrated by the poor _____ of the sounds coming from the speakers.
- a. recrimination
 - b. modulation
 - c. terminus
 - d. dissidence
- _____ 4. The Court of Appeal dismissed the extraneous evidence because it was not _____ to the trial.
- a. inalienable
 - b. pretentious
 - c. synonymous
 - d. pertinent
- _____ 5. The _____ nature of the song lyrics is supposed to be reminiscent of shepherds calling to their flocks at night.
- a. vocative
 - b. surreptitious
 - c. preternatural
 - d. inane

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- _____ 6. The workers passed their weary days with sweat and _____.
- a. paint
 - b. renown
 - c. toil
 - d. exile
- _____ 7. Please take these separate sections and _____ them into one document.
- a. specify
 - b. maneuver
 - c. merge
 - d. divulge
- _____ 8. After John fell down the steps, he felt unsteady and _____.
- a. flighty
 - b. giddy
 - c. scatty
 - d. squatty
- _____ 9. After the terrible tsunami disaster, Mac's orderly lives became _____.
- a. chaotic
 - b. optic
 - c. exotic
 - d. robotic
- _____ 10. NASA is currently in the process of trying to work out how to avoid any more of its spaceships from _____ on reentry to Earth.
- a. breaking off
 - b. breaking away
 - c. breaking out
 - d. breaking up
- _____ 11. Annie refused to leave until she _____ seen all the paintings.
- a. had
 - b. was
 - c. is
 - d. has
- _____ 12. _____ Max been more careful, he would have spotted the error.
- a. Were
 - b. Had
 - c. Has
 - d. Is

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_____ 13. Will you please write about John Cabot _____ Smith Adams?

- a. in front of
- b. in spite of
- c. instead of
- d. into

_____ 14. There are several ways of looking at the issue and _____.

- a. you'll have to opt
- b. you'll have to take
- c. you'll have to choose
- d. you'll have to accept

_____ 15. You should not worry too much what other people think; _____.

- a. just take no note of them
- b. just take no sign of them
- c. just take no hint of them
- d. just take no notice of them

II. Reading Comprehension (20%):

Read the following passages and choose the best answer (A, B, C, or D) for each question.

Passage 1

Being punctual shows respect in Korea, so make sure you are on time for the interview. It is very common for Koreans to bow and then shake hands with foreign colleagues, encompassing both Western and Korean cultural styles. There is great respect for the employer in Korea, so you should answer questions directly and not interrupt when the interviewer is speaking. Unlike in the U.S. where such questions are illegal, be prepared to answer questions about your age and marital status. Be honest but modest about your accomplishments. (Adapted from *Take Away English 4*)

1. According to the article, which statement is FALSE?
 - (A) You shouldn't be late for a job interview in Korea.
 - (B) You might have to talk about your family at an interview in Korea.
 - (C) You should be very modest about yourself at an interview in the U.S.
 - (D) You should not ask questions when your interviewer is talking in Korea.
2. Being *punctual* means _____.
 - (A) to be on time
 - (B) being able to punch the point
 - (C) being humble
 - (D) being respectful

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3. According to the article, what kind of questions are illegal in the U.S. during interviews?

- (A) Questions about the salary
- (B) Questions about sexual orientations
- (C) Questions about political beliefs
- (D) Questions about whether someone is single, married, or divorced

Passage 2

The Tasmania Tiger was a thylacine, which was a carnivorous leopard-sized marsupial found in Australia. It was given the name “tiger” because of its stripes; however, the thylacine was actually much more dog-like. It was presumed to have become extinct when the last known specimen died in a Tasmanian zoo in 1936. Since then, there have been many eyewitness reports (including two from scientists) and countless expeditions to prove the thylacine survives. So far, all that has been produced are a few footprints. Several scientists, however, are convinced that the thylacine lives on, possibly in Queensland. (Adapted from *Take Away English 4*)

4. Which of the following about the Tasmania Tiger is true?

- (A) It is a flying dinosaur.
- (B) It may have a living relative in Queensland.
- (C) It resembles a large bat.
- (D) It may be related to the orangutan.

5. Where do these creatures live now?

- (A) They live in the Tasmanian zoo.
- (B) They are extinct.
- (C) They are everywhere.
- (D) They may live in Australia.

6. According to the article, why is the thylacine named “tiger”?

- (A) Because of the sound it makes
- (B) Because of its look
- (C) Because it eats meats
- (D) Because of its size

Passage 3

Starting college at age twenty-nine was difficult. For one thing, I did not have much support from my parents and friends. My father asked, “Didn’t you get dumped on enough in high school? Why go back for more?” My mother worried about where the money would come from. My friends seemed threatened. “Hey, there’s the college man,” they would say when they saw me. Another reason that starting college was hard was that I had bad memories of school. I had spent years of my life sitting in

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classrooms completely bored, watching clocks tick ever so slowly toward the final bell. When I was bored, I was afraid of being embarrassed. Once a teacher called on me and then said, "Ah, forget it, Callahan," when he realized I did not know the answer. Finally, I soon learned that college would give me little time with my family. After work every day, I have just an hour and ten minutes to eat and spend time with my wife and daughter before going off to class. When I get back, my daughter is in bed, and my wife and I have only a little time together. Then weekends go by quickly, with all the homework I have to do. But I am going to persist because I believe a better life awaits me with a college degree. (from *Sentence Skills*)

7. Which was *not* the reason for a difficult college life at age twenty-nine?
 - (A) There was little support from parents and friends.
 - (B) There was not enough time to balance work, school, and family life.
 - (C) The author was reluctant to go back to school.
 - (D) The author was frustrated by school work in his earlier years.
8. Which is the best title for this article?
 - (A) Returning to School
 - (B) How to Balance Life and Study
 - (C) My School Days
 - (D) A Better Life
9. According to the article, which statement is FALSE?
 - (A) The author failed school many times before college.
 - (B) The author's friend did not have a college degree.
 - (C) The author's name is Callahan.
 - (D) The author had to take care of his parents after school.
10. How many reasons did the author provide to support his point that starting college at age twenty-nine was difficult?
 - (A) One
 - (B) Two
 - (C) Three
 - (D) Four