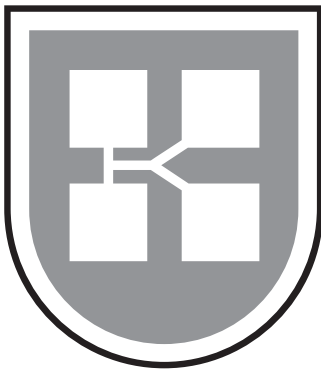


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Language Exam: 30 minutes



Information for candidates

Time allowed

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Instructions

- Use a pencil.
- Fill in the box at the top of this page and the top of the answers sheet.
- Write your answers on the answer sheet. Write the correct number or the line(s) next to each question number.
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Section A: Vocabulary

Read the sentences and dialogues and choose the best word(s) to fill in the brackets (). Write your answers on your answer sheet.

1. Stacy had to walk home from work on Saturday night, (1) she had missed the last train.
1. so 2. as 3. that 4. how

2. Kumiko and Peter met when they were both studying in America. Since then, they have (2) in touch via social media.
1. called 2. talk 3. kept 4. stay

3. A: Tom, please don't tell mom that I was the one who broke the vase.
B: Don't worry, Ben. It's our (3).
1. silence 2. reason 3. purpose 4. secret

4. A: Did you enjoy hiking through the jungle during summer vacation?
B: Of course. It was a great (4) that I will never forget!
1. adventure 2. times 3. origin 4. travel

5. It has been nearly 5 years, but the town still hasn't (5) the flooding. There are still areas where people can't move back.
1. drowned out 2. taken over 3. recovered from 4. repaired all

6. The (6) that the designer started with soon had to change. It went from being quite modern to having a more traditional style.
1. concept 2. stylish 3. network 4. occupants

7. After Jane left the company, management placed an advertisement (7) someone who could type well and had good communication skills.
1. transforming 2. seeking 3. looking 4. searching

8. A: Mr. Fields, you always have a lot of food left over at the end of each day. What (8) of the food that you don't sell?
B: Some food gets thrown away, but I donate most of it to the local shelter.
1. lingers 2. returns 3. happens 4. becomes

9. Jamie was so proud of the classic car he had bought and (9). He cleaned the engine, patched up some holes, and repainted it all by himself.
1. generated 2. restored 3. confirmed 4. attended

Section A continued...

10. **A: That meeting was so long. I don't know why they needed two presentations.**
B: I agree. A lot of the information (10). They were just repeating the same information with different graphics.
1. overlapped 2. disappeared 3. covered 4. resembled
11. **A: Hi June. How is the new job at the post office?**
B: In (11) of money, it's not that great, but I get to meet lots of people from my area.
1. line 2. case 3. terms 4. situation
12. **A: What would you like for dinner tonight, Linda?**
B: I have just finished (12) us a pizza. I didn't feel like cooking or going out tonight.
1. ordered 2. orders 3. ordering 4. having ordered
13. **I will only be out for a few hours so you should be okay on your own. (13) there be any problems while I'm out, message me on my cell phone.**
1. Should 2. Could 3. Shall 4. Would
14. **After (14) that my friend was unhappy in his job, I introduced him to my friend who had a position open in his company.**
1. detaining 2. learning 3. conceiving 4. pretending
15. **A: Wow! Thank you for these concert tickets. They must have been expensive.**
B: Don't worry. You (15) them. You have been so helpful to me this year.
1. own 2. restore 3. deserve 4. receive
16. **Todd ran into his mother's room crying, but she reassured him it was just a (16) and he should go back to bed.**
1. guarantee 2. conclusion 3. qualification 4. nightmare
17. **I thought I would come last in the tournament, but, (17), I played my best and came first.**
1. what is more 2. contradictory 3. in opposition 4. on the contrary
18. **I didn't want to be late, but (18) it started to rain heavily so everyone had to drive more slowly. I was surprised because the forecast said clear skies. I was 30 minutes late but my friend forgave me.**
1. all of a sudden 2. over the course 3. for the moment 4. to be honest
19. **Some foreigners are (19) some Japanese customs, like taking off your shoes when you enter a house. This can sometimes get them into trouble.**
1. capable 2. visible to 3. ignorant of 4. unaware

Section B: Conversations

Read the following conversations and choose the best sentence to fill in the brackets (). Write your answers on your answer sheet.

20. A: I'm thinking about entering the Tokyo Marathon next year.
B: Really? I didn't know that you liked running.
A: Actually, I don't. (20)
B: That's a good reason, and you have plenty of time to train. Good luck.
1. I have never run 42 kilometers before.
 2. I have a year to train for it.
 3. I'm raising money to help the homeless.
 4. I broke my leg in an accident last year.
21. A: Belinda, do you have your gloves and scarf?
B: Why? (21)
A: The report changed this morning. It might snow later on.
B: I'll grab them before I leave.
1. I thought it was supposed to be clear today.
 2. I didn't see the forecast last night.
 3. I have them in my bag already.
 4. I borrowed them from a friend at school.
22. A: Excuse me. I came here yesterday to try on some clothes and I think I left my umbrella here.
B: Nothing was handed in. Are you sure you left it here?
A: I think so. (22)
B: OK. Let's take a look around.
1. I found it yesterday in your changing rooms.
 2. I didn't go anywhere else yesterday.
 3. It was raining when I left the store.
 4. It's my favorite umbrella.
23. A: Claire, you are 20 minutes late. Where have you been?
B: I'm really sorry. (23)
A: I thought you were coming on the train. What happened?
B: I have to pick up my sister at her work later. Her car has broken down and there are no trains or buses near her office.
1. I couldn't find a parking space near here.
 2. I took the wrong train by mistake.
 3. I got lost when I came out of the station.
 4. I lost track of time.
24. A: I wish girls could wear pants instead of a skirt at school. It's so cold in the winter.
B: Actually, (24)
A: Really? That is great news.
B: I agree. I'm buying some pants this weekend.
1. I didn't know you wanted to wear pants.
 2. we can wear skirts to school all year round.
 3. the rules have changed so now we can.
 4. schools in England let girls choose pants or a skirt.

Section B continued...

A: Hey, Carl. Is it true that your sister is opening a hair salon in the shopping mall?

B: Yes, but to be honest, I'm a little worried about it.

A: Why? (25)

B: Well, yes. And she really enjoys it, too. That isn't the problem.

A: Then what is the matter?

B: First, there are already three salons in the mall. But mostly, because (26)

A: I can introduce her to my friend, Greg. He runs a company.

B: Thanks. That would be a great help.

- 25.
1. You have a great hairstyle.
 2. I thought she was great at cutting hair.
 3. Don't you like the shopping mall?
 4. Does she take the bus there?

- 26.
1. she is an excellent worker.
 2. she doesn't like cutting hair.
 3. she gave me a bad hair cut last week.
 4. she has never run a business before.

A: There are so many new TV shows out now. Which do you recommend?

B: There's this new series called 'Ghost Detective'. It's about a person who sees ghosts and they solve crimes together.

A: I've heard of that one. (27)

B: Well, I have only seen the first few episodes, but they have been great.

A: I heard that (28)

B: I heard it was, too. However, I rarely listen to critics.

A: Well, when you get there, let me know. Then I'll decide whether to watch it.

B: Sure thing.

- 27.
1. Why do you like it?
 2. Are you enjoying it?
 3. How many episodes are there?
 4. What is it about?

- 28.
1. the season finale is quite disappointing.
 2. the first episode was boring.
 3. it was made a long time ago.
 4. it is a remake of a Korean drama.

Section C: Ordering Sentences

Read the sentences and dialogues then put the words in order from 1-5 to fill in the brackets (). Write your answers on your answer sheet.

29. A: How did the interview go? Have you heard from them yet?

B: Unfortunately, they didn't hire me. They said that (29) in customer relations.

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| 1. more | 2. the job | 3. experience |
| 4. for | 5. called | |

30. You have to dress well and (30) the latest trends if you want to work in fashion.

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| 1. up | 2. date | 3. stay |
| 4. to | 5. with | |

31. I wouldn't have been late if I had (31).

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| 1. remembered | 2. my alarm | 3. to |
| 4. last night | 5. set | |

32. I thought my wallet was in my bag so (32) my name over the store speaker telling me to go to the information desk.

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| 1. to | 2. it | 3. me |
| 4. surprised | 5. hear | |

33. A: Mr. Gibbs. Is it possible for me to hand in my homework tomorrow?

B: The deadline is today. You can, (33), you will lose points for being late.

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| 1. clear | 2. just | 3. but |
| 4. be | 5. to | |

34. My parents want me to be a lawyer when I grow up. However, my grades at school aren't good, so I'm worried that (34) their expectations.

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| 1. I | 2. up | 3. live |
| 4. to | 5. won't | |

35. A: I can't decide between these two shirts. Which do you think looks better on me?

B: They both look great. Why don't you get them both?

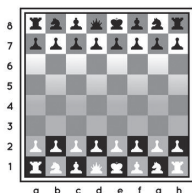
A: I (35) for both. I'll just take the green one for now.

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| 1. had | 2. money | 3. I |
| 4. wish | 5. enough | |

Section D: Reading 1

Read the passage below. From the information given, decide whether the statements are 'True' or 'False'. If there is not enough information to answer, choose 'Doesn't say'. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

Chess final ends with two gold medals.



The 44th Chess Olympiad ended with both India and Russia receiving gold medals. This unexpected result came about because of a problem with the Internet. Every two years, the Olympiad takes place to find which nation is the best at chess. This year, the competition was held online for the first time because of the coronavirus. Unfortunately, some of the final games ended early because two Indian players lost their Internet connection. Tournament officials chose to award both countries the gold medal to be fair. The poor Internet connection meant that the Indian team lost time.

This year, over 160 teams took part in the Chess Olympiad. The final was the second time that teams had technical issues. An Armenian player was disconnected during a quarter-final match and appealed for more time. When the officials rejected the appeal, the team withdrew from the competition in protest. During the final, however, officials said there were "unprecedented circumstances" because a "global Internet outage severely affected" the Indian players. Then also stated that the connection was lost "when the outcome of the match was still unclear."

36. **The Chess Olympiad is held online every other year.**
1. True 2. False 3. Doesn't say
37. **Russia and India had played each other online before.**
1. True 2. False 3. Doesn't say
38. **Both Russia and India had Internet trouble in the final games.**
1. True 2. False 3. Doesn't say
39. **Only two countries were affected by poor Internet connections.**
1. True 2. False 3. Doesn't say
40. **The Armenian team pulled out of the competition before finishing all their games.**
1. True 2. False 3. Doesn't say
41. **Competition officials predicted that there would be Internet issues like those experienced in the finals.**
1. True 2. False 3. Doesn't say
42. **Officials treated the Internet issues differently depending on the situation.**
1. True 2. False 3. Doesn't say
43. **The Russian team appealed the decision to award gold medals to both countries.**
1. True 2. False 3. Doesn't say

Section E: Reading 2

Read the article and interview in this section and answer the questions that follow each one. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

Space Cookies

Where is the strangest place you have cooked something? On the beach? In the woods? How about in space? Astronauts on the International Space Station have become the first to make space-baked cookies. According to the high-flying chefs, the cookies looked 'out of this world'. Space food is usually made on Earth, then either dehydrated (all the water is removed) or pre-packaged ready to be warmed up on the space station. The cookies are the first kind of food to be baked in space from raw ingredients. Being able to enjoy freshly baked goods in space will make the astronauts feel happier, which will be important as they begin to spend more time in space - journeying to the moon or even farther afield to Mars.



However, it was not as simple as they thought it would be. Usually, cookies take 20 minutes to bake at 150 degrees, but that was not enough in space. The first cookie was undercooked. It was mostly still raw dough. It wasn't until the fifth cookie, which took 130 minutes to bake, that they had a cookie that looked ready to eat. However, we still don't know how these cookies taste. For now, the cookies are in a Texas laboratory where they are being tested to see if they are safe to eat.

44. Why were the space cookies considered an important achievement?

1. Because astronauts may run out of pre-packaged food.
2. Because it is difficult to take raw ingredients to space.
3. Because they may make space travel more enjoyable.
4. Because astronauts need high-calorie foods for energy.

45. Why was the first cookie not successful?

1. They used too much dough.
2. The conditions affected the cooking time.
3. It was left in the oven too long.
4. The oven wasn't hot enough.

46. Which of the following statements is most likely true?

1. The final space cookies looked like regular cookies.
2. Astronauts have previously experimented with other recipes in space.
3. Space cooking will replace pre-packed food in the future.
4. The cookies had tasted similar to cookies baked on Earth.

Section E continued...

An interview with Tyera Eulberg

A: Today, we'll be talking with a rather unusual athlete, Tyera Eulberg. Hi, Tyera. Tell us what you do.

B: I play Octopush professionally. It's basically underwater hockey. There are six players on a team and we have a weighted puck and short hockey sticks. The difference is it's underwater, and there is no goalie.

A: Do you have any breathing equipment to help you?

B: We can't use scuba-tanks. We just have short snorkels so we can breathe and see underwater while we prepare for our play.

A: Do you have any other equipment?

B: We wear a scuba-mask and use fins on our feet to help us move around more quickly.

A: Is this sport played anywhere outside of America?

B: Yes. I'm the captain of the American team and we compete internationally. Every two years, around 25 countries compete together in the World Championships.

A: Wow. Is this a dangerous sport?

B: It is a limited-contact sport, but we still get injuries. I often come home with a black eye. My mother thinks I'm crazy, but she's also my biggest fan.

A: What do you think makes this sport special?

B: You have to work as a team. In a land sport, you might get a player who keeps the puck or the ball for too long, but in Octopush, when you have to breathe, you have to pass.

A: It sounds very exciting. Thank you for talking to us today.

B: You're welcome.



47. Why is Tyera Eulberg being interviewed?

1. She can swim very well.
2. She plays a unique water sport.
3. She is a professional ice hockey player.
4. She can hold her breath for a long time.

48. Which description is the closest to Octopush?

1. You put on scuba gear, go underwater, and play a hockey-like game.
2. You see how long you can hold your breath while you hit a puck underwater.
3. You play hockey underwater with no swimming equipment to help you.
4. You use a short stick to hit a puck into the opponent's goal while underwater.

49. How does Tyera's mother feel about Tyera playing Octopush?

1. She supports Tyera but can't believe anyone would play a sport like that.
2. She thinks Tyera should stop playing because it's dangerous.
3. She wishes her daughter would take up an international sport.
4. She hopes to join her playing Octopush one day.

50. Which of the following statements is most likely NOT true?

1. Tyera can hold her breath for a long time.
2. It's difficult for players to be too selfish when they play.
3. The players don't touch each other during the game.
4. There is no special player protecting the goal.

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