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英文(A) 試題

(非英語學系碩士班使用)

※請注意：1.本試題共三頁。

2.答案題號須標示清楚，並寫在答案卷上，否則不予計分。

I. Vocabulary: 20 points

Choose the most appropriate word from the vocabulary list below to fill in the blanks in the following passage. On the answer sheet, write down the English letter corresponding to the word chosen.

(A) were sitting out (B) deal (C) dominant (D) identity (E) mania
(F) came off (G) rarities (H) fallow (I) rocketed (J) account

Jeremy Lin is a point guard who 1 to near-instant celebrity when he 2 the bench and had a series of monster games, dragging the Knicks to a .500 record while their two biggest superstars 3 games. His celebrity then became a 4 in part because he's Asian-American and a Harvard graduate, two 5 in the NBA. It also obviously doesn't hurt that he plays for the 6 team in the nation's biggest media market (also it's the 7 period between football and baseball). That's basically the whole 8 , and if you'd like to learn more read Andrew Leonard's 9 of the early social media explosion and Alexander Chee's take on Lin and Asian-American 10 .

II. Cloze passages: 20 points

Fill in each of the following blanks with the most appropriate one from the choices offered.

Passage A

The Directorate General of Highways (DGH) announced that it would 1 traffic at Wuling Farm during the 228 holiday. The farm has become a popular tourist attraction in the cherry blossom season. Drivers experienced very bad traffic during the 228 holiday last year, when some spent seven hours driving from Siyuan Mountain Pass to Wuling Farm, which are only 16km 2 . The DGH said that residents and tourists 3 in passenger buses will have priority 4 to Wuling Farm. People 5 sedans must wait at the 3.5 km mark on Freeway No. 7, as the police will allow only 300 cars to enter per hour.

1. (A) urge (B) regulate (C) yield (D) retrace
2. (A) apart (B) away (C) between (D) within
3. (A) to travel (B) to drive (C) traveling (D) driving
4. (A) deliver (B) respect (C) venture (D) access
5. (A) by (B) in (C) with (D) of

Passage B

Education is the means 6 which the aims and habits of a group of people lives 7 from one generation to the next. Generally, it occurs through any experience that has a formative effect 8 the way one thinks, feels, or acts. 9 its narrow, technical sense, education is the formal process 10 which society deliberately transmits its accumulated knowledge, skills, customs and values from one generation to another.

6. (A) through (B) in (C) on (D) with
7. (A) by (B) on (C) with (D) in
8. (A) to (B) in (C) on (D) by
9. (A) In (B) Of (C) From (D) Through
10. (A) on (B) by (C) in (D) with

III. Composition: 20 points

Directions: According to various theories, motivation may be rooted in a basic need to minimize physical pain and maximize pleasure, or it may include specific needs such as eating and resting, or a desired object, goal, state of being, ideal, or it may be attributed to less-apparent reasons such as altruism, selfishness, morality, or avoiding mortality. In a passage of about 200 words, please explain the motivation you have for getting admitted to the graduate school you chose.

IV. Translation: 40 points

英翻中

1. On Friday, the government-controlled media began a counter-offensive against the bad publicity from the story of Yueyue, with major papers running stories about kind-hearted bystanders who have helped save people from traffic accidents. One case involved a 20-month-old boy named Xiaojie who was hit by a car but quickly pulled to safety by “kind-hearted” bystanders—coincidentally, perhaps, in Foshan, the same city where Yueyue was hit and left to die. Xiajie suffered only a broken leg, media reported.
2. The original restaurant opened in 1974, but Din Tai Fung’s story goes back much further. The founder, 86-year-old Yang Bing-yi, came to Taipei from China in 1948. After the bulk cooking-oil delivery service that employed him shut down, he set up his own cooking-oil business in 1958. But by the 1970s he was losing business as cooking oil became available in tins and customers no longer needed to buy it in bulk.

中翻英

3. 美國奧克拉荷馬一名 14 歲少女愛莉莎，能將各種英文單字倒著念，不管單字多長、多短都可以倒著念，而且反應極快。愛莉莎說，「一開始學習閱讀時，我就開始練習這種唸法，只要聽到一個單字，我腦海就會浮現這個字，然後可以順著唸或倒著唸，都不是難事。」專家指出，這種瞬間反應的能力，可能與她的腦部結構有關。

4. 由於近期伊朗情勢緊張，加上歐美經濟出現復甦跡象，造成國際能源價格持續走高。據中油表示，三月份液化石油氣國際合約價格攀升至每公噸一千二百零五美元的史上最高價。目前因實施緩漲措施，中油吸收液化石油氣緩漲金額已增至每公斤九點八元，將在日後國際氣價回跌時回補上述金額。