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科目:時事歐洲語文(英文)

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- I. Choose the appropriate item in each question. 20 %
- P. S. Write the letter representing the correct answer on the computer card.
- 1. The European Union was (A. decided; B. evolved; C. resolved; D. agreed) by a Treaty signed in Rome.
- 2. France rejected a constitution for Europe in a (an) _____ (A. referendum; B. agreement; C. treaty; D. question.)
- 3. Elites are the people having (A. poverty; B. power; C dreams; D. aspiration).
- 4. (A. Economical; B. Economic; C. Economy; D. Economize) integration has taken place for the past fifty years.
- 5. The problem of democracy in the European Union is a (A. situational; B. serious; C. solving, D. structural.)
- 6. Germany was (A. union; B. unify C. unified; D. united) in 1990.
- 7. Most of the European Union countries share a broad range of similar (A. interest; B. interesting; C. interested; D. interests).
- 8. There are small, (A. medium; B. medium-size; C. medium-sized; D. middle) and large member states in the European Union.
- 9. The first opinion stresses the political role of (A. a; B. an; C. the; D. this) union in the future.
- 10. In many ways, the European Union is (A. fragmented; B. split; C. integrated; D. constituted).
- II. Reading comprehension. 20%

Read the paragraph below and then answer the questions. Write the letter representing each correct statement on the computer card.

Language and culture teaching has always been considered an important component of applied linguistics. More traditional approaches to teaching, however, rarely took into account learners' linguistic and cultural worlds outside the classroom. Rather, it was assumed that learners entered the classroom as empty vessels to be filled with information about the world. The information itself was thought to consist of immutable, discrete elements that existed independently of individuals' worlds. The process of knowledge acquisition was assumed to be an internally driven one in which the elements were pieced together, unit by unit, in the building of autonomous systems of rules.

- 1. Applied linguistics is the same as (A. pure; B. theoretical; C. pragmatic; D. practical) linguistics.
- 2. Traditional approaches were more concerned with (A. internal; B. outside; C. inside; D. integrated) situations.
- 3. (A. Separate; B. Integrated; C. Complete; D. Empty) elements may contribute more to information.
- 4. (A. Internally; B. Externally; C. Social culturally; D. Previously) driven process is a good process of knowledge acquisition.

III. Translate the following into Chinese. Write answers on the answer sheet. 20%

- 1. President George W. Bush has told alliance members he wants to expand the organization to include three Balkan countries and put Ukraine and Georgia on track for membership.
- 2. That is a reflection of the president's low public approval ratings and the anticipation of a new administration that will set policy.

IV. Questions. Write answers on the answer sheet. 40%

- 1. Mr. Ma Ying-jeou was recently elected to be the next president of the country. He was formerly Mayor of Taipei City. Write a paragraph of at least ten sentences about Mr. Ma's achievements as the Mayor.
- 2. Why would Mr. Ma emphasize one-China principle in the 1992 consensus in his debate and talks? Write your analysis and predict what will come out of it. Also write at least ten sentences for this question.