

2018

English Entrance Exam

for Returnees

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UNTIL INSTRUCTED TO DO SO!**

Notes

- ◆ The exam is 45 minutes long.
- ◆ The exam has 4 sections. These are:
 1. Listening
 2. Vocabulary & Grammar
 3. Reading
 4. Writing
- ◆ Fill in your application number and your name at the bottom of the answer sheet.
- ◆ Write down your answers in pencil on the answer sheet.

Kyoritsu Girls' Junior High School

Listening Section Part 1

SAMPLE

1.



2.



1. What does Kaori think about e-mails and letters?

- a. She likes writing letters better than e-mails.
- b. She likes writing e-mails better than letters.
- c. She likes reading letters as much as e-mails.
- d. She likes reading e-mails better than letters.

2. What does Kaori sometimes send to her cousin with her letters?

- a. Pictures of the trip to America.
- b. Pictures of Kaori's school.
- c. Pictures of Kaori's friends.
- d. Pictures of Kaori's family.

3. When did her cousin go to America?

- a. On September 13.
- b. On September 30.
- c. During the summer vacation.
- d. After the summer vacation.

Listening Section Part 3

SAMPLE

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Listening Section Part 4

- 1. I ()()()()(), but now I don't.
- 2. You ()()()()(). I'm disappointed in you.

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Vocabulary & Grammar Section

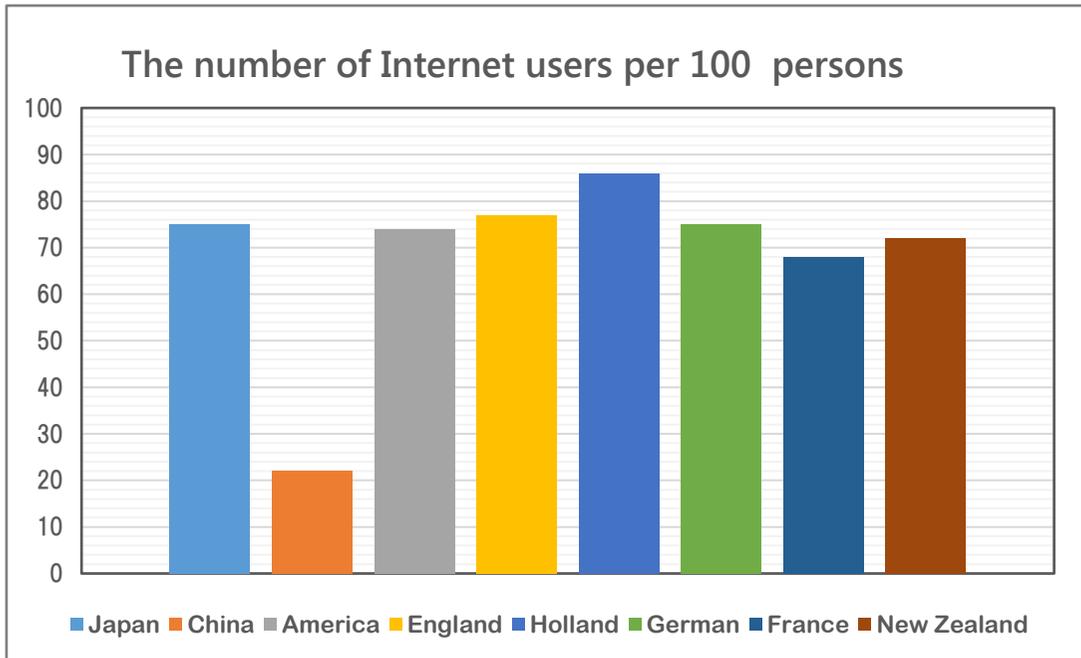
SAMPLE

There are 10 very short reading texts below, and in each text there is a blank. Choose the best word from among the four choices to fill in the blank. Write down your answer, **a**, **b**, **c** or **d**, on your answer sheet.

1. A woman suddenly stopped () front of me, so I was very surprised.
a. at b. in c. on d. with
2. A: Could you look () my dog while I am away?
B: Okay. No problem.
a. for b. at c. before d. after
3. A: Have you found the pen () you lost last week?
B: Yes. I found it under the bed.
a. who b. where c. when d. that
4. () Mica and her sister can speak English because they lived in New York for ten years.
a. Neither b. Either c. Nor d. Both
5. Yuka passed the entrance examination. That news really made () happy.
a. I b. my c. me d. mine
6. My classmate Cathy was absent from school today. So I had to attend the meeting in her ().
a. help b. change c. work d. place

7. Welcome aboard XYZ Airline 959. We are taking off in a few minutes. Please () your seatbelts. Thank you.
a. contact b. keep c. fasten d. settle
8. Would you like some more coffee, Tom? Your cup is ().
a. empty b. full c. small d. open
9. You should take good care of this vase because it is (). Even a slight knock could cause it to break into pieces.
a. sensitive b. fragile c. careful d. emotional
10. **A:** What is the date of your () for New Zealand, Chris?
B: I'm leaving on Sunday, the 3rd of December.
a. memory b. departure c. purpose d. movement

The graph below shows the number of Internet users in 2010. Choose the answer which is **NOT** supported by the graph from among the four choices. Write down your answer, **a, b, c** or **d**, on your answer sheet.



《By Statistics Bureau, Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications in 2010》

- There were more people in Japan using the Internet than in China in 2010.
- The number of people who used the Internet in Holland was the largest of the eight countries at that time.
- About seventy-five percent of Japanese people were using the Internet then.
- French people did not like using the Internet because they enjoyed appreciating pictures in those days.

Reading Section Part 2**SAMPLE**

Read the information on the following chart and think about the most appropriate word to fill in the blanks in the passage below the chart. Then write down your answer on your answer sheet. Make sure that you fill in each blank with **ONE** English word.

	Room Rates & Vacancy	Location	Services & Facilities
Grand Hotel	Mountain View (single) \$94 / 6 rooms left	Located 10 minutes from the International Airport but a long distance from the heart of downtown.	Check in 15:00/out 12:00 If you need, you can extend your checkout time for free.
	Ocean View (single) \$104 / 2 rooms left		
Prince Hotel	Beach Twin \$140 / SOLD OUT	Within walking distance from the beautiful beach and the heart of downtown. You can enjoy marine sports, and shopping or night life entertainment.	Free Wi-Fi / High-Speed Airport pick up / drop off service
	Ocean Twin \$153 / 2 rooms left		
	Ocean Suite (for 2 or 3) \$184 / available		
Holiday Hotel	Single \$89 / available	A little far away from the heart of the city, but we offer a 10 minute shuttle bus ride at anytime.	Free Wi-Fi Free cancellation
	Twin \$110 / Only 2 left		
	Family (for 4-6 persons) \$147 / available		

1. If you are planning to take a trip with a friend, you can stay at the () Hotel at the cheapest price.
2. You should choose the Prince Hotel near the () area if you enjoy shopping.
3. You can stay comfortably at the hotel until just before the departure of your flight if you choose the () Hotel.
4. If you book 2 Mountain View rooms at the Grand Hotel, the price is () dollars higher than 1 Ocean Suite at the Prince Hotel.
5. The Prince Hotel is the best choice for you, when you don't want to have any trouble for transportation to and from the ().

There is a long reading passage below. This passage is followed by five questions. For each question, choose the best answer from among the four choices. Write down your answer, a, b, c or d, on your answer sheet.

The elephant is the biggest animal that lives on land. Have you ever seen an elephant? They are very big and grey. They also have very long noses, called trunks, which they use to put food into their mouths. Elephants cannot see very well. Their eyes are on the side of their heads, so they have to move their whole body to look at things. All elephants have very good hearing, but they do not all have big ears. The elephants in Africa have very big ears. They use their ears to help them cool down on hot days. Elephants in other countries do not have such big ears.

Elephants live in both Africa and Asia. They can live for about 70 years. That is a long time. Most of an elephant's life is spent eating. Elephants spend 75% of their day eating. They eat a lot of plants and trees. They do not eat other animals. Elephants also need to drink a lot of water. They drink more than 250 liters of water a day. That is like drinking more than 700 small bottles of water a day.

Elephants do not like to be on their own. They travel around in groups, usually with about 10 other elephants. When new elephants are born, the whole group helps to look after the new baby elephants.

Elephants are very lucky because other animals do not attack them. Sometimes baby elephants are attacked by lions and crocodiles. However, there is a bigger problem for elephants than lions and crocodiles. The bigger problem is humans. Humans kill many elephants. Parts of the elephant are worth a lot of money, so people want to get these parts and sell them. People also kill elephants when elephants come too close to houses or towns.

Adapted from *READING FOR SPEED AND FLUENCY* *Compass Publishing*

1. **The reading is about ...**
 - a. elephants and how they live.
 - b. problems that humans have.
 - c. what elephants eat.
 - d. how much water elephants drink.

2. **African elephants' ears ...**
 - a. help them cool down.
 - b. do not help them hear well.
 - c. are not very big.
 - d. help them stay hot.

3. **Elephants spend most of their time ...**
 - a. drinking.
 - b. sleeping.
 - c. eating.
 - d. walking.

4. **How do elephants usually travel?**
 - a. They never travel and usually stay in the same area.
 - b. Usually by themselves.
 - c. Always with other animals.
 - d. In groups of around ten.

5. **Which of the following is a problem for elephants?**
 - a. They have a problem finding enough food.
 - b. Lions and crocodiles sometimes kill adult elephants.
 - c. Parts of their bodies are worth a lot of money.
 - d. They are usually attacked by other animals.

You will read a story below. If each statement is true, write T on your answer sheet. If not, write F.

It was summer and an exciting time in the village. Mr. Phillips, the school teacher, was leaving, and there was a new minister for the church. Even more exciting was that he had a lovely young wife, who would be the new teacher. The new minister and his wife were a young, good-looking couple. Everyone liked them and invited them to tea.

Anne liked Mrs. Allan immediately. "We must have Mr. and Mrs. Allan up to tea sometime soon," Marilla said.

"Oh, yes," said Anne, "and may I make a cake?"

"Yes, you may," promised Marilla.

Marilla and Anne prepared for tea all Monday and Tuesday. They made a great deal of food. Marilla wanted to give Mr. and Mrs. Allan the best tea of any family in the village.

Wednesday morning came. Anne got up very early because she was too excited to sleep. After breakfast, she made her cake. The cake came out of the oven looking perfect.

"Can I put flowers from the garden on the table?" asked Anne.

"Well, do as you like," said Marilla.

The minister and his wife arrived, and they all enjoyed a lovely tea. Everything went well until Anne's cake was passed around.

"Oh, you must take a piece of this, Mrs. Allan," said Marilla. "Anne made it just for you."

"In that case I must try it," laughed Mrs. Allan. She took a mouthful and a strange look came onto her face. Marilla tried hers and said, "Anne! What on earth is it in this cake?"

"Oh, isn't it all right?" cried Anne.

"What flavoring did you use?"

"Vanilla," said Anne.

"Go and bring me the bottle of vanilla you used." Anne returned with a small bottle labeled "Vanilla". Marilla took it and smelled it.

“Anne, you’ve flavored that cake with medicine! I broke a bottle of medicine last week and poured the rest of it in this old vanilla bottle. Couldn’t you smell it?”

Anne burst into tears and ran to her room. Lying on her bed, she heard somebody come in.

“Oh, Marilla,” cried Anne, without looking up. “It’s terrible. Mrs. Allan will think I tried to poison her.”

“My dear little girl, don’t cry,” said a happy voice. Anne jumped up to find Mrs. Allan standing by her bed.

“It’s just a funny mistake that anybody might make. Now, will you show me your flower garden? I loved the flowers on the table.”

Anne felt much better, showing Mrs. Allan her flower garden.

Adapted from *Anne of Green Gables, Montgomery, revised*

1. Mr. Allan was the new teacher who came to the village.
2. Marilla and Anne made so much food because they wanted to treat Mr. and Mrs. Allan the best of any family in the village.
3. Marilla let Anne pick up some flowers to put on the table.
4. Anne tried to flavor her cake with vanilla, but she used the wrong bottle.
5. Mrs. Allan told Anne that nobody would make the same mistake.

Writing Section Part 1

SAMPLE

Complete the dialogue below. Fill in the blanks so the conversation makes sense. Write down your answer on your answer sheet. Make sure that each blank has **ONE** sentence only.



Oh, dear. It began to rain. I wonder if Takeshi will be all right...



(1)



No. I told him that the weather forecast said it could be rainy in the evening, but...



(2)



Will you? Oh, thank you. If you do, he could avoid getting wet.

Writing Section Part 2

SAMPLE

Complete the dialogue below. Fill in the blank so the conversation makes sense. Write down your answer in ONE sentence on your answer sheet.

A: I'm moving to a new city next month. How can I make friends?

B: _____

A: Wow, good idea! Thank you. I'll try.

This is the end of the exam.