

Day 19

1.

【正确答案】E

【中文释义】估计从核电站泄露的辐射的危险是技术问题,但同时它的答案是特定价值取向的一部分,非常情绪化地决定着是否该建立这种核工厂的政策讨论。

【解题分析】正如 continue, remain 前后会同义一样, become 的转变在填空的两极思维中会反义,该题中 become 后的“one”,也就是 question 的重复,会 emotionally charged,可见 become 前应该是非 emotionally 的方式,强调这种对比的答案是 E。

【重点词条】**charge** *v.* ①强加任务或责任(to impose a task or responsibility on) [例] ~ him with the job of finding a new meeting place
②命令,责令(to command, instruct, or exhort with authority) [例] I ~ you not to go.
③裁决(of a judge, to give a charge to a jury)
④指控(to make an assertion against by ascribing guilt or blame) [例] ~s him with armed robbery/They were charged as being instigators.

2.

【正确答案】A

【中文释义】因为现代科学家发现古代希腊的宇宙观过时而且无关紧要,他们现在只是出于历史的兴趣而看待它。

【解题分析】该题的内容和 section 21 的第 4 题的内容类似。

【重点词条】**relevant** *adj.* ①相关的,重要的(having significant and demonstrable bearing on the matter at hand)
②社会现实性(having social relevance)

3.

【正确答案】C

【中文释义】尽管有人认为征收高速公路使用者的过路费会消除加收公路维护税的必要,但维护一个巨大的公路网所需的巨额费用必须依赖公路维护税这样的公众税。

【解题分析】下句的 these general taxes 即照应上句的 public taxes, 上句为消除对 public taxes 的需求,所以下句转折后应为必然需求 these general taxes。

【重点词条】**phenomenal** *adj.* ①现象的(relating to or being a phenomenon, as known through the senses rather than through thought or intuition)
②能知觉的(concerned with phenomena rather than with hypotheses)
③非凡的(extraordinary, remarkable)

4.

【正确答案】E

【中文释义】尽管他们的观点越来越对立,但这个小组知道他们必须达成一致意见,以便颁发奖励。

【解题分析】in spite of, far from, not like 都意味着对立面反义词的出现。

【重点词条】**incisiveness** *n.* 有决断力(impressively direct and decisive in manner or presentation)

5.

【正确答案】D

【中文释义】通过强迫我们向时钟的权威屈从,系统时间保存法强加给了我们的社会某种形式的专制。

【解题分析】force 和 impose 同义,答案应和 authority 同义,D 正确。

【重点词条】**anarchy** *n.* ①无政府(absence of government)

②无法律,无政治秩序(a state of lawlessness or political disorder due to the absence of governmental authority)

autonomy *n.* ①自治,独立(the quality or state of being self-governing; the right of self-government)

②自由(self-directing freedom and moral independence)

③自治州(a self-governing state)

6.

【正确答案】E

【中文释义】这些人所期待的事物对别人不会是已经清楚的,并且可能在他们自己的思想中也不是很明确的。

【解题分析】and 为小连接,空格填 apparent 的同义词。

【重点词条】**definite** *adj.* ①明确的(having distinct or certain limits) [例] set ~ standards for pupils to meet

②确切的(free of all ambiguity, uncertainty, or obscurity)

[例] demanded a ~ answer

③毫无疑问的(unquestionable, decided) [例] The quarterback was a ~ hero today.

7.

【正确答案】B

【中文释义】具有滑稽意义的是,能否正确使用比喻句依赖于词汇的本体义,因为正是不能辨认这个本体义,才导致交叉纠缠的暗喻和意义的谬误。

【解题分析】由 ironically 可知 denotative 与 figurative 为反义词,由空格前的 this 可知空格应填 denotative 的同义词,因而是 figurative 的反义词,为 literal。这个词考过很多次了。

【重点词条】**denote** *v.* ①注解(to serve as an indication of, betoken) [例] the swollen bellies that ~ starvation

②标志(to serve as an arbitrary mark for) [例] red flares denoting danger

③宣告(to make known, announce) [例] His crestfallen look denoted his distress.

esoteric *adj.* ①秘密的(designed for or understood by the specially initiated alone) [例] a body of ~ legal doctrine

②秘不外传的(of or relating to knowledge that is restricted to a small group)

③私人的,保密的(private, confidential) [例] an ~ purpose

8.

【正确答案】B

【中文释义】尽管似乎天经地义的是在人口稠密的地区会有更严重的交通事故的风险,但是这样的事故更有可能发生在人口稀少的地区。

【解题分析】上下句转折,上下句已存在 densely populated areas 和 sparsely populated regions 的对比,故空格应填 most likely 的同义词,B 正确。

【重点词条】**axiomatic** *adj.* ①不证自明的(taken for granted, self-evident)

9.

【正确答案】E

【中文释义】假如该理论正如它的支持者所声称的是不证自明的正确,那么,为什么在受过良好教育的人们当中仍存在着对它的反对意见呢?

【解题分析】上下句转折,上句称理论是 self-evidently true,故下句会反对它,认为它是 false 而非 true,故选 E。

【重点词条】**resignation** *n.* ①听任,顺从(an act or instance of resigning something, surrender)

②辞职(a formal notification of resigning)

10.

【正确答案】B

【中文释义】该作者没有意识到在她对与她自己的文风是如此相似地某种文风的严厉批评中所内含的那种冲突。

【解题分析】so similar to her own 修饰 a writing style, 简化的理解就是批评自己的风格, 可得答案 B。

【重点词条】**incongruity** *n.* ①不调和(the quality or state of being incongruous)

②不和谐的事物(something that is incongruous)

compliment *n.* ①恭维, 赞扬(an expression of esteem, respect, affection, or admiration, an admiring remark, formal and respectful recognition, honor)

②祝福(best wishes, regards) [例] accept my ~s/~s of the season