

30. () A: I would like to adopt a cat.
 B: No problem. What color of cat would you prefer?
 A: I don't know.
 B: It's OK.
 (A) I don't like cats.
 (C) Have a good time.
- (B) We only have dogs here.
 (D) I'll show you around first.

五、綜合測驗

Dear Lisa:

Thanks for helping me last night. As you know, I was so excited when I got Joe's invitation (31) dinner. I tried to (32) the conversation during the date, but I was too nervous. That's why I (33) you so many messages. After dinner, I suggest seeing a movie together, but Joe (34). So, I thought he probably didn't feel the same way about me. However, just ten minutes ago, he asked me out (35) another date. What does that mean?

Best,
 Ivy

- (31) () (A) about (B) from (C) for (D) to
 (32) () (A) break up (B) carry on (C) turn down (D) cheat on
 (33) () (A) to send (B) sending (C) sent (D) send
 (34) () (A) turned down me (B) turned me down (C) turn me down (D) turn down
 (35) () (A) with (B) on (C) at (D) in

Adam Braun started to backpack when he was young. During his trip in India, he came (36) a poor boy who was begging on the streets. To Adam's surprise, the boy wanted a pencil (37) in the world. Adam gave him his pencil, a big smile appeared (38) the boy's face. Adam then realized that small things like pencils can be of great (39) to some people. (40), he began to give away pencils to help more people to learn.

- (36) () (A) across (B) through (C) between (D) among
 (37) () (A) most (B) more (C) least (D) less
 (38) () (A) between (B) towards (C) about (D) on
 (39) () (A) pity (B) value (C) cause (D) travel
 (40) () (A) However (B) For example (C) Even so (D) As a result

六、閱讀測驗

Today, even the shyest person can meet others through online dating services. You can decide your Net pals by their ages, backgrounds, and interests.

These dating websites or apps offer you a list of people, in which you might meet your future partner. These online services can help you find the right people who you share similar interests with. First, you start by knowing each other through messages. Since you have a list of people to chat with, if your first or second choice does not work out, you can move on to the next person. After you know a person better and think you are ready for next steps, you might want to plan to meet him or her in person.

However, people walking out from the virtual world might be very different from our expectation. Therefore, it is important to be careful about your personal information. Don't give your real name, phone number or address easily. Although those dating websites and apps claim that

they are safe, choose a public place to meet.

similar 相似的	chat 聊天	virtual 虛擬的
expectation 預期'	personal information 個資	

- (41) () What is the passage mainly about?
 (A) Interests between men and women.
 (B) Newest dating websites and apps.
 (C) The history of Internet.
 (D) Online dating services.
- (42) () According to the passage, how do online dating services help people?
 (A) Providing a place for people to meet online.
 (B) Helping out with what to wear for a date.
 (C) Choosing perfect restaurants for first dates.
 (D) Playing online games with people around the world together.
- (43) () According to the passage, what is true about online dating websites and apps?
 (A) These online services are all very safe and convenient.
 (B) These online services have very few members.
 (C) People should be careful about giving their personal information away.
 (D) Apps are believed to be safer than websites.
- (44) () Before you meet your Net pals in person, you should _____.
 (A) talk on the phone at least once a day.
 (B) get to know each other through messages.
 (C) use roses to find each other.
 (D) have a video chat first.
- (45) () Naomi is going to meet her Net pal for the first time. She should **NOT** _____.
 (A) friend her Net pal on Facebook.
 (B) meet her Net pal at McDonald's
 (C) tell her Net pal her address
 (D) be careful about her Net pal

Sustainable development might seem like a difficult job for a person. However, there are a few things we can do together in our day-to-day life to make a difference. First, you can use energy-saving light bulbs. They use 25% to 80% less power than regular bulbs, so they not only help the planet but also help your pocket. Also, use the 15-minute rule. If you're going to leave a room for more than 15 minutes, turn the lights off.

The **shortage** of water is also a big problem in India, South Africa, and other countries. Therefore, saving water is also a great way to help out Mother Nature. One way to do this is to use low-flow shower heads. A regular shower head uses about 15 to 20 liters of water per minute, but only about 6 liters of water are used with the low-flow shower head per minute.

Last but not least, take the bus or the MRT when you travel around, and bring your own bottle when you need to buy a drink. Let's do these things and we might be able to help the sustainable development.

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regular 一般的	low-flow shower head 省水蓮蓬頭

- (46) () What is the passage mainly about?
(A) What we did to the Earth.
(B) Easy ways to make drinks.
(C) How to make energy-saving light bulbs.
(D) Some ideas for sustainable development.
- (47) () According to the passage, what can we do to help the Earth out?
(A) Try not to cause waste when buying a drink.
(B) Bring our own bottles to India or Africa.
(C) Use regular light bulbs in our house.
(D) Use only 15 liters of water a day.
- (48) () What a “**shortage**” happened, it means that _____.
(A) someone did a clean-up
(B) something became not enough
(C) someone stopped growing up
(D) something lost its value
- (49) () According to the passage, which of the following is **NOT** true?
(A) The 15-minute rule is a way of saving energy.
(B) Countries like India use a lot of water every day.
(C) Everyone can do something simple to save the planet.
(D) Using a low-flow shower head can save more than half of water.
- (50) () What is the author’s attitude toward sustainable development?
(A) Only a few people can save the Earth.
(B) It is too difficult for ordinary people to do.
(C) It is possible if everyone keeps doing the right things.
(D) Doing one good thing every day will change nothing.