

市立新北高工 111 學年度第 2 學期期末考試題										班別		座號		電腦卡作答
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一、 選擇題。(25 題，每題 2 分，共 50 分)

- ( ) 1. A \_\_\_\_\_ opportunity will never come back, so you'd better seize it while you can.  
(A) losing (B) lost (C) loss (D) lose
- ( ) 2. They don't seem to be aware of the \_\_\_\_\_ danger.  
(A) approached (B) approach (C) approaching (D) approaches
- ( ) 3. The castle \_\_\_\_\_ in the 17<sup>th</sup> century has become a famous tourist attraction.  
(A) building (B) was built (C) which built (D) built
- ( ) 4. People in this city prefer to buy the products \_\_\_\_\_ from other countries because they think they are of better quality. (A) imported (B) importing (C) which imported (D) are imported
- ( ) 5. \_\_\_\_\_ a rainy day, we have to cancel the match.  
(A) It is (B) As it being (C) It being (D) There is
- ( ) 6. He got up from the chair, his legs \_\_\_\_\_ numb.  
(A) feeling (B) felt (C) feels (D) to feel
- ( ) 7. \_\_\_\_\_, we will pay a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Jones.  
(A) Time permits (B) Time permitting (C) Time permitted (D) If time permitting
- ( ) 8. The woman rushed out of the burning house, \_\_\_\_\_ for help.  
(A) crying (B) cried (C) and cries (D) to cry
- ( ) 9. The lady \_\_\_\_\_ next door is a world-famous actress.  
(A) living (B) who living (C) lives (D) lived
- ( ) 10. All of the people \_\_\_\_\_ in the experiment can speak at least three languages.  
(A) participated (B) who participates (C) participating (D) which participate
- ( ) 11. The castle \_\_\_\_\_ in the middle of the lake was built in the 16<sup>th</sup> century.  
(A) which locates (B) situated (C) which situates (D) that located
- ( ) 12. Helen was lying on the lawn, \_\_\_\_\_ the stars in the night sky.  
(A) and watched (B) watching (C) to watch (D) and she watching
- ( ) 13. \_\_\_\_\_ late for the meeting, Aaron had to submit a written excuse.  
(A) Having arrived (B) Arrived (C) To arrive (D) Because arriving
- ( ) 14. \_\_\_\_\_ at the test result, the student burst into tears.  
(A) Disappointing (B) Disappointed (C) Having disappointed (D) Been disappointed
- ( ) 15. \_\_\_\_\_ not to use dirty words, the guy seemed to get angry and stopped talking.  
(A) Been told (B) Having been told (C) To be told (D) Telling
- ( ) 16. \_\_\_\_\_ in the movie at all, Joseph fell asleep in the theater.  
(A) Not interesting (B) Having not interested (C) Been not interested (D) Not interested
- ( ) 17. \_\_\_\_\_ to the left, and you will find the train station.  
(A) Turning (B) To turn (C) Turn (D) If turning
- ( ) 18. I know a lot of foreigners, most of \_\_\_\_\_ are working in Taiwan.  
(A) them (B) whom (C) which (D) they
- ( ) 19. Hundreds of bags were stolen from the store, \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) all of them were name brands (B) some of which costing over ten thousand dollars  
(C) and most of which were fake (D) none of which was made in Taiwan
- ( ) 20. \_\_\_\_\_ Please sit down.  
(A) There comes he. (B) Here comes the teacher. (C) Here the teacher comes. (D) Here is he.

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- ( ) 21. On the other side of the mountain \_\_\_\_\_ a small beautiful village.  
(A) have (B) has (C) being (D) lies
- ( ) 22. \_\_\_\_\_ that we canceled the picnic in the park.  
(A) Such heavily did it rain (B) So heavily was the rain  
(C) Such heavily was the rain (D) So heavily did it rain
- ( ) 23. \_\_\_\_\_ that he is always patient with students.  
(A) Such his enthusiasm for teaching is (B) Such is his enthusiasm for teaching  
(C) So interested in teaching he is (D) So he is interested in teaching
- ( ) 24. No sooner \_\_\_\_\_ home than it started to rain.  
(A) did we got (B) had we got (C) we got (D) we had got
- ( ) 25. \_\_\_\_\_ enough money, he would have bought the diamond ring for his wife.  
(A) If he has (B) If he should have (C) Had he (D) Had he had

## 二、閱讀測驗 (5 題，一題 2 分，共 10 分)

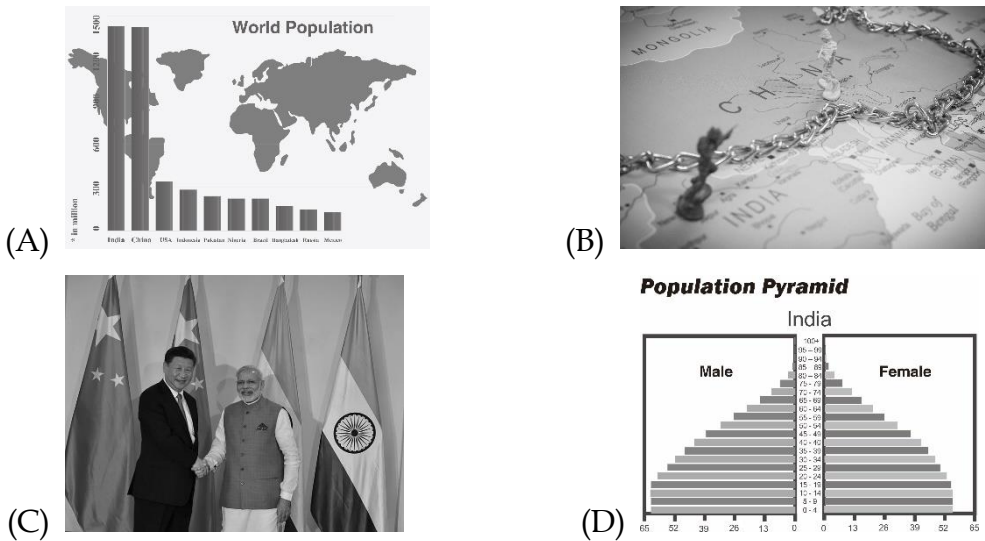
The United Nations (UN) started collecting population data in the 1950s. In China, the most recent census was conducted in November 2020. India is meant to hold one every 10 years, with the last one having been in 2011. However, because of the COVID-19 pandemic, the scheduled 2021 census was postponed. In addition to the huge task, some people say that India's politicians don't want to hold the census because it will bring attention to issues like unemployment.

China has long held the record for being the country with the largest population in the world. However, based on a recent survey by the UN, the situation is changing. China's population shrank last year instead of growing for the first time in over 60 years. In the years since the UN started collecting data in 1950, India's population has grown by over 1 billion people. The UN estimates that India's population is now matching or more significant than that of mainland China. Around the same time that India becomes the world's most populous country, the UN's report also estimates that the global population will be about 8.04 billion.

Nevertheless, the problems that the increasing population has brought have become an issue that India has to face. India must create enough job opportunities to support its citizens. The UN's report also noted that both China and India are experiencing rapid increases in the number of people aged 65 or over. As a result, caring for an aging population would become a greater burden for India's government.

- ( ) 26. What is the purpose of the first paragraph?  
(A) To emphasize the recent census done in China in November 2020.  
(B) To explain why COVID-19 has claimed many people's lives.  
(C) To estimate the potential issues the census could bring to light.  
(D) To describe current census records in China and India.
- ( ) 27. According to the passage, in what order did the following situation happen?  
a. India delayed its census because its officials did not want others to focus on some social problems.  
b. A recent survey supports the UN's claim that India's population has surpassed China's.  
c. The number of older people is growing fast in India and China and it may become a difficult issue.  
d. China's population has decreased rather than increased in 2022 according to the UN's report.  
(A) d→a→b→c (B) a→d→b→c (C) a→d→c→b (D) d→b→c→a

( ) 28. Which of the following pictures best describes the topic of this passage?



In the past, migration between Mexico and the United States mostly involved citizens of the former country moving to the latter to chase the “American Dream.” Indeed, millions of Mexicans have started new lives in the U.S., with many becoming citizens. A recent trend, however, sees Americans emigrating in the opposite direction, pulling up their roots at home to seek out opportunities south of the border. There are a number of factors influencing their choice.

One of the factors is the rising cost of living in the United States. Recent years have seen sharp increases in prices of most goods and services. This rise in prices — known as inflation — is at a level not seen since the 1980s. Inflation affects everything, including transportation, groceries, and childcare. The cost of renting a house or an apartment has skyrocketed, with property costs pushing the dream of buying one's own home out of reach for most. Compare this with Mexico, everything, including rent, is much more expensive. Houses can be bought in Mexican cities for less than half the cost in the U.S.

Mexico's relatively relaxed immigration laws enable visa holders to enjoy extended stays, even without officially immigrating. Business opportunities exist, too, especially for start-up technology companies. “Work from home” even makes it possible to remain employed in America while living in Mexico.

Mexico's warm, dry weather and beautiful sandy beaches have long made it a vacation paradise. Combine this with tasty food, friendly people, and lively culture, it's not surprising many Americans are calling it home.

( ) 29. What is the main purpose of this passage?

- (A) To describe the experience of changing nationality.
- (B) To prove the higher possibility of employment in Mexico.
- (C) To explain the reasons why many Americans moved to Mexico.
- (D) To show the safest way to enter the neighboring country.

( ) 30. According to the passage, which of the following factors and details are NOT matching?

Reasons	Supporting details
① Inflation	It influences a wide range of things, such as the cost of daily necessities.
② High rent	The rent is still high, but most people can deposit more to buy a house in the U.S.
③ Business	Some startups have chance to develop in Mexico.
④ Work	There is no need to work thanks to work from home.
⑤ Environment	The relatively dry weather makes it a good choice for holidays.
⑥ Other reasons	The culture and food of the country make people call Mexico home.

- (A) ①,⑥
- (B) ②,④
- (C) ③,⑤
- (D) ①,④

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### 三、 句子改寫。(7 題，一題 4 分，錯一個字扣一分，扣完為止，共 28 分)

#### A. 句子改寫，請將以下句子改寫為分詞構句。

31. Although he was rejected by the publisher, the man didn't give up his dream of being a writer.

→ \_\_\_\_\_, the man didn't give up his dream of being a writer.

32. Because James had been turned down by Mary, he was upset.

→ \_\_\_\_\_, James was upset.

33. Tuberculosis (肺結核病) can be fatal if it is not treated properly and promptly.

→ Tuberculosis can be fatal if \_\_\_\_\_.

34. Ten patients participated in this study, and six of them received the new treatment.

→ Ten patients participated in this study, \_\_\_\_\_.

#### B. 倒裝句改寫，請將以下句子改為倒裝句。

35. If I were your mother, I would be very proud of you.

→ (W) \_\_\_\_\_, I would be very proud of you.

36. Though he drove fast, he was very careful.

→ (F) \_\_\_\_\_, he was very careful.

37. I didn't talk to her until she apologized to me. (用 Not until 放句首改寫)

→ \_\_\_\_\_

### 四、 翻譯題，中翻英 (6 格，一格 2 分，共 12 分)

38. 坦白說，我不喜歡你室友。他太霸道了。

\_\_\_\_\_, I don't like your roommate. He's way too bossy.

39. 現在中國最大的城市裡住著約兩百萬從外地移民而來的勞工，而他們其中大部分都住在市內較貧困的地區。

China's largest city now has around two million migrant workers, most of \_\_\_\_\_ (l) \_\_\_\_\_ in the poorer areas of the city.

40. 我從沒聽過如此荒謬的故事，他也沒有。

I've never heard such a ridiculous story, and (n) \_\_\_\_\_ he.