

2014 Entrance Exam Listening General Instructions Script

これからリスニングテストを始めます。[13]ページを開いてください。

[pause 5 seconds]

問題は全部で20問あって、3つのタイプに分かれています。放送される英語を聞いて、49～58, 59～63, 64～68のそれぞれについて最も適切なものを(A)～(D)の中から一つ選び、A 解答紙のその2(リスニング)に記入しなさい。問題冊子にメモを取るとよいでしょう。

では、TYPE A から始めます。

TYPE A では、それぞれの英語の表現に最も近い内容を述べているものを、(A)～(D)の中から一つ選びなさい。問題は1度しか読みません。1問の解答時間は約15秒です。

では、例題をやってみましょう。

(例題)

Example A: Shall we review the homework?

[pause 15 seconds]

この場合、答はAです。
それでは、問題を始めます。

[pause 5 seconds]

[問題]

[pause 15 seconds after each question]

49. ... 58.

次に TYPE B を始めます。

TYPE B では、英文を聞いて、印刷された質問に対する最も適切な答えを、(A)～(D)の中から一つ選びなさい。英文を約 30 秒の間隔を置いて繰り返します。二度目の朗読が終わってから1分後に、次の TYPE C の問題を始めます。あらかじめどんなことが聞かれているのかを知っておくために、59 番から 63 番までの問題を読みなさい。時間は約1分です。

[pause 60 seconds]

それでは始めます。

[pause 5 seconds]

[話 2回]

[pause 30 seconds after first passage, pause 60 seconds after second passage]

次に TYPE C を始めます。

TYPE C では、会話を聞いて、印刷された質問に対する最も適切な答えを、(A)～(D)の中から一つ選びなさい。会話を約 30 秒の間隔を置いて繰り返します。あらかじめどんなことが聞かれているのかを知っておくために、64 番から 68 番までの問題を読みなさい。時間は約1分です。

[pause 60 seconds]

それでは始めます。

[pause 5 seconds]

[話 2回]

[pause 30 seconds after each passage]

これでリスニングテストの放送を終了します。

TYPE A SCRIPT

49. Wow, that really suits you!
50. Do you mind if I sit here?
51. I'm going to wait for the tea to cool a bit.
52. Her cupcake business really took off after the TV commercial.
53. Don't miss such a great opportunity!
54. Do you want to try that on?
55. The test was really challenging.
56. She mistook him for her father.
57. What is the matter with you this time?
58. I am not in the mood to go out for dinner with you.

TYPE B SCRIPT

In recent years, there has been a big increase in western countries of people who have decided to become vegetarian. People who are vegetarian eat a diet of vegetables, fruit, eggs, honey, milk, and other dairy products, as well as food like pasta, rice, and bread. They don't eat any meat, fish, or other sea animals. Why is being vegetarian so popular? There are three main reasons: being healthy, not wanting to eat animals, and the environment.

First, more and more people have become health conscious. They think that eating a diet of mainly vegetables can help prevent health problems and increase the amount of good minerals and vitamins in their daily diet. Of course, it depends on what you eat. You can still eat in an unhealthy way, even if you are vegetarian!

The second reason is that vegetarians often feel it is cruel and unnecessary to kill animals for food. There are two parts to this idea. The first is that eating animals is wrong. The second is that animals which are raised for food are treated poorly or killed in a cruel way.

Finally, many people become vegetarian for environmental reasons. Raising animals for food wastes resources, because all the grain used to feed one cow can be food for more people than that one cow can. Also, farming uses less land than raising animals, which means more land for rainforests.

TYPE C SCRIPT

Male: Hi. What are you reading?

Female: An article about Nikola Tesla.

M: Who?

F: Nikola Tesla. He was a great inventor, perhaps one of the greatest.

M: Really? I know about Thomas Edison, but why haven't I heard of Nikola Tesla?

F: That's a good question. According to this article, although we use many of his inventions in daily life, we think others invented them.

M: Oh, give me an example.

F: Well, he invented the radio in 1900, but history books state that Marconi invented it in 1901. Everyone knows that Wilhelm Roentgen discovered x-rays in 1895, but Tesla discovered them in 1894. And Tesla even helped Edison with electrical motors.

M: So Tesla and Edison were friends?

F: Actually, they were rivals. Tesla and Edison were on opposite sides of an important issue: what kind of electricity should be used

in houses and businesses. Edison used some dirty tricks to show Tesla's electricity was more dangerous.

M: So, Edison won and we use his electricity?

F: No, that's what is strange. Tesla won, mainly because his form of electricity was safer, cheaper, easier to send over wires, and easier to change in power levels.

M: What an irony, because Edison's electric company is famous even now as a major supplier of electricity, Tesla's electricity!

F: Yes. The article concludes that Edison won the fame contest because he was a better businessman.