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**MARK YOUR ANSWERS ON THE OPTIC FORM.**

**LISTENING PART**

**PART A. You have ONE MINUTE to look at *Questions 1–5* before you listen. You will hear five situations. Listen and circle the best alternative. You will hear the recording TWICE.**

1.What is the main purpose of the talk?

a. To introduce an employee

b. To celebrate a job opening

c. To describe a department’s functions

d. To answer a question about advertising

2.Why is the man concerned?

a. He is locked out of a building.

b. He needs driving directions.

c. He has a busy schedule.

d. He has missed an appointment.

3**.** What will happen next week?

a. Clients will arrive for a visit.

b. A construction project will end.

c. A package will arrive.

d. Planning for a picnic will begin.

4.What does the man need to do tomorrow?

a. Contact another staff member

b. Send the woman an e-mail

c. Complete some forms

d. Conduct an interview

5.Why does the man want to speak with the woman?

a. To clarify some instructions

b. To tell her about a printing problem

c. To ask her to review a document

d. To arrange payment for work

**PART B. You have ONE MINUTE to look at *Questions 6–10* before you listen. You’ll hear a radio program about Barcelona. Choose the best answer. You will hear the recording TWICE.**

6. Visitors to Barcelona should **NOT** go \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. when there is a festival on b. in the middle of summer c. early spring

7. The best way to get around the city is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. on a moped b. on the Metro c. by taxi

8. Barcelona is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. a very old city

b. a completely modern city

c. a city with modern and old features

9. What can you see in Maremagnum?

a. lots of opera houses b. lots of theatres c. lots of shops and cafés

10. The Sagrada Familia cathedral\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. is not completed b. doesn’t take long to visit c. is not worth visiting

***Choose the best alternative that completes the sentences 11-20.***

11. We have entered a dark era in which terrorist movements are developing the capacity to cause \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ destruction.

a. ostentatious b. unprecedented c. irreconcilable d. incidental

12. Yesterday, I met a boy on the train, and we had a nice \_\_\_\_\_\_ about our favorite football teams.

a. travel b. date c. conversation d. meal

13. Perhaps you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your mistakes in your last test and that is why you have made the same mistakes on this test.

a. overlooked b. confused c. invested d. browsed

14. I have been \_\_\_\_\_\_ twice this week for leaving the car in streets where parking is not allowed.

a. executed b. accused c. praised d. fined

15. There is real concern that food supplies will not be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to feed the increasing world population.

a. sufficient b. subjective c. equal d. effective

16. The Japanese word “Origami” is now an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ known word and it means the art of paper folding in every language.

a. exceptionally b. internationally c. artistically d. endlessly

17. A former employee, very angry due to having been dismissed, broke into the company and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ damaged several machines.

a. faithfully b. curiously c. deliberately d. cooperatively

18. I was walking along the street when I accidentally \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ my friend.

a. moved into b. bumped into c. came into d. fell into

19. At the summit, everybody was amazed because the view of the surrounding mountain range was\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. useless b. ordinary c. challenging d. spectacular

20. A plenty of fossil evidence shows that birds are actually the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of dinosaurs; that is, they came from dinosaurs.

a. strangers b. acquaintances c. predecessors d. descendants

**Choose the synonym (=) of the underlined words in 21-22.**

21. The **aim** of the police was to rescue the kidnapped child.

a. salary b. chief c. goal d. force

22. I thought I could **mend** the radio myself, but I had to admit defeat.

a. fix b. choose c. persuade d. break

**Choose the antonym (X) of the underlined words in 23-24.**

23. Swimming in this lake is very **dangerous** because the bottom is muddy.
a. frightening b. safe c. risky d. enjoyable

24. Many people think it is **cruel** to keep animals in zoos.

a. kind b. heartless c. brave d. awful

***Choose the best alternative that completes the sentences 25-36.***

**CLOZE I**

It has been hypothesized (25) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ emotions (26) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ anger, fear or sadness have evolved and changed in many ways ever since the species first (27) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Many psychologists have had lots to say about this issue. (28) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ what is said about emotions is they are shaped by culture and even politics. That is to say specific emotional responses, as well as a group’s interpretation of their significance, may be influenced by cultural norms.

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| 25. a. whom b. whose c. that d. which | 26. a. rather b. such as  c. as long as d. but for | 27. a. have emerged b. were emerging c. emerge d. emerged  | 28. a. Several  b. Many of c. Much of  d. Some |

**CLOZE II**

Skyscrapers today are carefully designed (29) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ they will survive every kind of disaster: earthquakes, fires, strong winds, and (30) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ crashing airplanes. Before a skyscraper is ever built, careful consideration is given to its foundation. A skyscraper can be in a lot of trouble (31) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a firm foundation. That is why the underground foundation of a skyscraper may take as long to create as the building (32) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

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| 29. a. so that  b. whenever c. which d. in order to | 30. a. even  b. enough c. rather d. too | 31. a. through b. without  c. by d. in | 32. a. on their own b. one another c. themselves d. itself  |

33. Today most of the world’s cheese \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in large commercial factories that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ industrial equipment and state-of-the-art technology.
a. was mass produced / employed b. have been mass produced / was employing
c. is mass produced / employ d. had been mass produced / is employing

34. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a new 3.6 meter telescope, astronomers \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ more than 50 new exoplanets, which are defined as planets that orbit other stars.

a. Being used / discovered b. To be used / would discover
c. Having used / discover d. Using / have discovered

35. Behavioral scientists say that it is essential that an infant \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ loving attention.

a. is given b. be given c. will be given d. has given

36. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ wrote many books, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ acted in several plays.

a. not only / but also b. both / but c. no sooner / than d. whether / or

***Choose the best alternative that is closest in meaning to the sentences in 37-41.***

37. The firm owes its success to the high quality goods coupled with superb advertising.

a. Advertising rather than the actual quality of the goods is behind the success of the firm.

b. Through sophisticated advertising techniques the firm has managed to sell its goods at a high profit.

c. The excellent quality of the products and effective advertising have ensured the firm’s success.

d. Both excellent advertising and reasonable prices have contributed to the success of the firm.

38. Most of those present at the conference failed to appreciate just how important these findings were.

a. It is significant that those who attended the conference realised that most of the findings were important.

b. Most of the people attending the conference didn’t realise just how significant the findings were.

c. The important findings were fully appreciated by those who attended the conference.

d. Most of those who attended the conference found there was much to appreciate.

39. Whether you like it, or not, I am determined to invite all my friends to party.

a. I have decided to invite every one of my friends even if you don’t want.

b. Maybe you like it maybe not, but they have already invited me to the party.

c. I am supposed to invite all my friends though you do not want me to do so.

d. All my friends are ready to come to my party although you think the opposite.

40. His imagination was full of horror.

a. The horror of his imagination was great.

b. Imagination is a horrible thing for him.

c. The greatness of horror was all in his imagination.

d. There was a great amount of horror in his imagination.

41. New characteristics can be obtained when genes are added or changed.

a. Obtaining new genes is easy with addition or change in characteristics.

b. With addition or change in new characteristics we may obtain genes.

c. To form new characteristics we may add or alter genes.

d. The change or addition of new characteristics is possible by obtaining genes.

***Choose the best alternative that completes the missing part in questions 42-50.***

42. Although my roommate and I have many differences of opinion, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. we have fought whose turn it is to clean the refrigerator

b. I have made the decision to find a new roommate

c. we get along well most of the time

d. I think we will never be friends

43. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, which was designed to amuse children.

a. Tim enjoys playing especially with one of his cousins

b. They’re showing cartoons on TV every morning

c. Please try one of these new sweets

d. Nicole took her six-year-old daughter to the museum of toys

44. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, starting a new school is a major event in his or her life.

a. As children start to make new friends

b. No matter what age a child is

c. That a student is able to express himself or herself safely

d. If the student is nervous or worried about the workload

45. Had you upgraded your computer, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. this program would have run properly

b. unless you increased its memory

c. you will not have so much trouble

d. if you had wanted it to run smoothly

46. When a firm wants to fill a vacancy, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
a. it is essential that future managers must be trained as thoroughly as possible
b. there have always been staff who want to leave for various reasons
c. it usually puts an advertisement in a newspaper
d. the applicants were invited for an interview

47. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The explosive reaction between petrol and oxygen in a car engine is over a fraction of a second. Other chemical reactions are much slower. It can be days before there is an obvious sign of a reaction when iron rusts. The reason why reactions occur at different speeds is because they have different activation energies.

a. Activation energy is the minimum amount of energy required for a reaction to occur

b. Some chemical reactions occur extremely rapidly

c. The suitable temperature determines the success of a chemical reaction

d. Any explosion at any place will be highly destructive

48. Dehumanisation can clearly be seen in all historical data relating to concentration camps. For example, in the past the prisoners were forced to remain naked, they were starved and beaten, their heads were shaved and they had numbers tattooed on their bodies. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Such torture and cruelty inflicted on prisoners and slaves undermine their self-esteem and they gradually start to feel as valueless as animals.

a. Some forms of tattoo require body piercing

b. This was conducted as an experiment and the results were incredible

c. Most of them cannot endure this brutality and start a revolt

d. This had the effect of reducing the prisoners to something less than human

49. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. If girls are dark-haired, the firms persuade them to dye their hair and become blonde. If their hair is straight, they will make it “naturally” wavy. And girls with pale complexion needn’t worry at all. There are various cosmetics available for them to look the colour of peaches and cream.

a. In countries, where most people are dark, fair hair is considered beautiful and vice versa

b. Teenagers, girls in particular, go through many years being worried about their looks

c. It is better to consult a hairdresser about the best way to change your style

d. The cosmetic firms spend their time trying to make people change their appearance

50. Perhaps no other group has been so misrepresented by television and movies as the American teenagers. Their Hollywood image is of a glamorous, good looking but spoiled and stupid group of young people who spend most of their time at parties. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Hollywood, somehow, doesn’t seem interested in showing this real world.
a. Tragically, many American teenagers now try to live up to this fake image of themselves

b. In reality, many American teens suffer from drug abuse, broken families, uncertain futures and low self-esteem

c. The result of this misrepresentation is that American teenagers are both hated and envied all over the world

d. For many American young people, this image is actually very close to reality

***Choose the best alternative in the following dialogues in questions 51-55.***

51.**Gary:** Why don't you ask Susan for help with the report?
 **Philip:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
 **Gary:** Why do you say so?
 **Philip:** Because she's refused to help me many times before.

a. I promised myself that I'd never ask her for assistance with anything.

b. You know what will happen the next time I go to the director's room.
c. Well, she isn't good with the computer.
d. You're right! I'd never thought of her before coming to you.

52. **Mary:** Michael has always wanted to be a brain surgeon and I'm certain that he will be a very accomplished one.
 **Brenda:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 **Mary:** Of course it is. It requires a great deal of care.
 **Brenda:** Yes, there is no doubt about that.

a. I will disagree with you about this as he is a dull person.
b. I agree with you but it will take a long time to graduate from university.
c. I'm not certain about that since he was forced to go to medical school by his family.
d. I'm sure he will, but it is a very difficult profession.

53. **John:** Excuse me sir, do you have time to answer a few questions?

 **Passenger:** Oh well, I suppose so. My plane is not leaving yet. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 **John:** We are doing it for Lufthansa, Sir, for airline records. First question, Sir. Are you going on holiday?

 **Passenger:** Yes, I am flying to Paris to see the Eiffel Tower.

a. Why are you asking so stupid questions to people?

b. Do you know how long the delay will last?
c. Are these questions prepared by Lufthansa or by another airline?

d. But, for what purposes or for whom are you doing this survey?

54. **Robert:** You are looking upset. What’s happened?

 **Brenda:** Nothing serious. But I’ve just missed a bus and there won’t be another one for an hour.

 **Robert:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
 **Brenda:** You’re right! Let’s go to my favorite place for it.

a. The timetable has changed. They now run every half hour.

b. How annoying! Why don’t you use your bicycle more?

c. How fortunate! That means we can go and have a coffee together.

d. Take the number 4 bus, and then walk the last two kilometers.

55. **Carol:** How did you find the conference on greenhouse gas emissions?

 **Paul:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 **Carol:** I’m afraid I will disagree with you about this part. There was quite detailed information about the steps you could take to reduce them.

a. As a matter of fact, the debate about greenhouse gas emissions was extremely brilliant.

b. Honestly, the discussion about the measures to reduce greenhouse gas emissions was very limited.

c. In fact, I detest conferences about greenhouse gas emissions, so I found it rather boring.

d. Well, the presenters were more knowledgeable than I thought and so the session was wonderful.

***Choose the best alternative in the following situations in questions 56-60.***

56. You wanted to go to the cinema and even though your colleague didn’t agree at first, you eventually persuaded him to go out with you. However, the film turned out to be quite disappointing as the acting was poor and the plot was really not meaningful, and thus extremely boring. You found yourself feeling obliged to apologise and you say:

a. Actually I seldom go to the cinema and so I'm not sure whether this movie counts as a quality film or not.
b. Does this type of film appeal to your interest? It isn't my kind of film indeed.
c. If I'd knew that the film wasn't worth watching, I'd never have asked you to come with me. I'm so sorry.
d. What a pity! A skillfully written scenario was apparently ruined by poor acting.

57. Your next-door neighbor wants to use your phone, for hers is out of order. However, as the house is in a mess, you don't want her to see it. Yet, you don't want to refuse her request, either. Trying to find a middle way, you say:

a. Sorry, the room isn't suitable now. Can you come back in a few minutes?
b. I'm busy right now. You should have informed me beforehand.
c. If I were you, I would go to a public phone before coming to me.
d. I regret to tell you that my phone is out of order as well.

58. You recently bought a sweater which had washing instructions in international symbols. After being washed, it stretched and the colours ran. You write a note to the manufacturer complaining and pointing out that such symbols are not clear. You say politely:

a. Is there a way to expand the interpretation of these symbols? If so, please let me know.

b. Why not print your washing structures in international symbols as this would simplify them?

c. The washing instructions on it are quite confusing; it’d be better if you simplify them.

d. Tell me what these symbols are good for since I have no idea what they really mean.

59. Someone asks you where a certain school building is. You are not totally sure where it is and want to be as helpful as possible and say:

a. It is very near here. Do you see the post office there? It is just next to the post office.

b. I am afraid I can’t help you. I have never heard of the place.

c. It’s down this hill and to the right somewhere. They’ll be able to help you better at the tourist office down there.

d. Go along this road as far as the traffic lights. Then turn left and it is the second building on your left.

60. Mr. and Mrs. Jones are at a formal dinner. Mr. Jones has spilled wine on the tablecloth and he is extremely embarrassed. Afterwards, Mrs. Jones wants to comfort him and says:

a. At the dinner you made me feel very uncomfortable and embarrassed. Do learn to be more careful.

b. Something is wrong tonight. Everyone at the dinner seemed uncomfortable.

c. On the whole, the conversation was tedious, don’t you agree?

d. Don’t worry. I am sure very few people actually noticed what happened at the table.

***Choose the irrelevant (unrelated) sentence in 61-65.***

61. A thick layer of snow on a steep slope is always liable to avalanche. (I) A lot of avalanches take place in the Alps. (II) A very small disturbance may set it in motion. (III)The vibrations caused by a passing train are adequate. (IV) Once in motion it gains in speed and crushes everything in its path.

a. I b. II c. III d. IV

62. Written communication is the basis of much communication in the business world. (I) Letter writing, however, has gone into a decline since the appearance of the telephone. (II) It includes letters, reports, memoranda and telex messages. (III) It has the disadvantage of being slower than oral communication. (IV) But it has the great advantage of providing a record of transactions so that disagreements can be avoided and accuracy checked.

a. I b. II c. III d. IV

63. Most children, from time to time, show aggressive tendencies. (I) This is entirely normal, and should be regarded as so. (II) In fact, children should be encouraged to express their aggression fully through creative activities and exploration. (III) Actually, more accidents happen indoors than they do outdoors. (IV) For this, a safe, suitable background must be provided.

a. I b. II c. III d. IV

64. Today the West is in the grip of a second industrial revolution. (I)The first caused a shift from agriculture to industry. (II) One solution to the problem of unemployment thus became apparent. (III)The new revolution is shifting the economy away from traditional manufacturing industries to those based upon information, services and new technologies. (IV) Naturally one can’t help wondering whether there will be a third revolution in the future.

a. I b. II c. III d. IV

65. Tidiness means keeping things out of sight and yet available when wanted. (I) It implies that there is a special place for everything. (II) It also implies that each thing used finds its way back to its place by a continuous process. (III) The process depends, however, upon the drawer, cupboard and the storage space being provided. (IV) In some households half the living-room is regularly treated as storage space.

a. I b. II c.III d. IV

***Answer the questions 66- 80 according to the following texts.***

**TEXT I**

A very few additives undoubtedly improve the taste and nutritional value of our food. Most, however, do not. They’re added to food to pass lower quality food off as higher quality, to turn simple ingredients into unnecessarily complex and expensive foods, to increase shelf life so that days-old food can be sold as fresh, and to make very similar products look quite different. They’re used primarily to boost the profits of the manufacturers, with relatively little thought for your health. 90 percent of additives have no nutritional value whatsoever and may, indeed, present specific health risks.

66. The main point stressed in the passage is that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. the quality of food is always greatly improved by food additives

b. additives are to the advantage of food manufacturers, not consumers

c. the great majority of food additives have a high nutritional value

d. food additives have no negative effects on health

67. One reason why food additives are used is that they \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. are indispensible for good health

b. reduce the cost of food production to a minimum

c. make poor quality food appear attractive

d. enable high quality food stuffs to be sold more cheaply

68. One can infer from the passage that the disadvantages of food additives\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. are extremely limited

b. have been exaggerated

c. can safely be ignored

d. outweigh the advantages

**TEXT II**

The outbreak of Ebola virus has caused major concern and fear in the whole world. Fourth reported eruption of this virus has caused much speculation about transmission of a deadly disease to other parts of the globe. However, better knowledge and information from an official of the United Nations program who first studied the illness in 1976 has helped to allay the fears of the world. The virus is a frightening reality. The illness has an incubation of 21 days and kills up to 90 percent of its victims within one week. Symptoms start with headache and fever, diarrhea, and extent to massive bleeding from every body orifice. It is, like AIDS, transmitted via direct contact with a victim’s blood or other body fluids. As this type of contact is rather unusual, the chance of its speeding to outside areas is difficult. The other important factor which decreases the spread of the illness outside the immediate area of infection is the fact that once ill, the patient usually dies within one week.

69. The fourth outbreak of the Ebola virus \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. is viewed as a superficial eruption

b. has created fear throughout the world

c. transmits the deadly disease to other parts of the world

d. caused the UN to investigate the fears of the world

70. The virus is only transmitted \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. through direct contact with body fluids b. when the contact is rather unusual

c. via blood transfusion d. directly from patients

71. Fears were allayed \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. as the victims died before they could travel to others parts of the globe

b. as the incubation period was 21 days

c. by the UN program which studied the illness

d. because this is the fourth outbreak of the virus

72. The victims all\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. die in one week b. have bleeding from body orifices

c. transmit AIDS d. contact the virus from outside sources

**TEXT III**

Most great cities have beautiful fountains but in Rome they are a living part of the city. Italian poets have immortalized them in verse. One of Italy’s major composers, Ottorino Respighi, enshrined ***them*** into richly descriptive symphonic poems. Books about Rome’s fountains published in Italian, French and English have contributed to their fame. The best known is Niccolo Salvi’s 18th century Fountain of Trevi. It is a tradition for visitors to cast small coins into its churning waters, allegedly to ensure their eventual return to Rome for Christians, and for others, to ensure that their dreams have come true. The most imaginative fountain is probably Bernini’s Fountain of the Four Rivers. Another by Bernini is The Graceful Fountain of The Triton of the Piazza Barberini. In the Piazza della Repubblica is the colossal Fountain of the Naiads. Its charming beauties wrestle with seaborne monsters. The Fountain of Barcaccia in the Piazza di Spagna was designed like a leaking boat by Bernini’s father, Pietro. One of the pleasures of visit to Rome is a night tour of the city’s numerous illuminated fountains.

73. From the details in the passage, it is clear that Rome’s fountains\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. have been the subject of poetry, music and prose

b. are not as well known as those of many other cities

c. are the main reason why tourists visit the city

d. were all built by the Bernini family

74. The custom of throwing money into the Fountain of Trevi is supposed to\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. provide the needy in the city with some money to spend

b. pay for all the other fountains to be illuminated

c. help people realize their wishes

d. ensure the person become rich

75. According to the passage, one of the joys of a visit to Rome is\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. visiting the famous 18th century shrines

b. listening to Ottorino Respighi’s symphonies

c. reading books about the famous fountains

d. touring around the lit up fountains at night

76. In line 2, ***“them”*** refers to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. poets b. composers c. cities d. fountains

**TEXT IV**

*Artificial Intelligence (AI)* is the ability of a computer-controlled robot to perform tasks commonly associated with intelligent beings and it has been showed that some computers can be programmed to perform some complicated tasks like making logical deductions or solving puzzles much better than human beings. It is a common topic in both science fiction and in projections about the future of technology and society. The existence of an artificial intelligence that rivals human intelligence raises ethical issues and the potential of the technology inspires both hopes and fears. The writers go on exploring the impact of artificial intelligence on society and think about the films made about it. For example, in the films *Al* has appeared as a servant in Star Wars, as a conqueror in Matrix, as a law enforcer in Knight Rider, and as a savior of the human race in the Fountain Series. Academic sources have considered such consequences as: a decreased demand for human labor, the enhancement of human ability, and the need for redefinition of human identity and basic values. Also, several futurists argue that artificial intelligence will transcend the limits of progress and fundamentality transform humanity. For example, Ray Kurzweil has used Moore’s law to calculate that desktop computers will have the same processing power as human brains by the year 2029. Moreover, some futurists predict that human beings and machines will merge in the future into cyborgs that are more capable and powerful than either. In spite of all of thoughts, most of the critics believe that the discussion is premature.

77. It can be understood from the passage that some programmes equipped with Artificial Intelligence \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. have never been able to carry out some tasks such as solving puzzles

b. are better at performing certain tasks than human beings

c. aren’t as smart as human beings to perform tasks such as making deductions

d. don’t have the capacity to accomplish certain tasks human beings can do

78. It is pointed out in the passage that the existence of Artificial Intelligence\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. brings about merely pessimism about the future

b. incites people to neither optimism or anxiety

c. causes people to be hopeless about science fiction films

d. fills people with both dread and optimism about the future

79. It can be inferred from the passage that when the academic sources think of films in which *Al* is introduced as a conqueror or savior of the world, they conclude that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. people are in need of considering the meaning of human identity and fundamental values

b. those films will seriously weaken the people’s ability to perform straightforward tasks

c. people’s ability to carry out some tasks will get worse and worse day by day

d. basic values will shape the development of computer-controlled robots

80. According to the passage, some futurists claim that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

a. *Al* will surpass the limits of development and those will change the society

b. human beings will be much more powerful than desktop computers by the year 2029

c. desktop computers will be as productive as human beings by the year 2029

d. *Al* don’t have the power to affect the potential of technology as human beings do

**-END OF THE TEST-**

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