

2017年 第1回 実用英語技能検定  
(日曜日実施)

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	(3)	4	(13)	2	(23)	1
	(4)	1	(14)	3	(24)	4
	(5)	1	(15)	1	(25)	3
	(6)	3	(16)	4		
	(7)	1	(17)	2		
	(8)	4	(18)	3		
	(9)	3	(19)	2		
	(10)	4	(20)	1		

2	(26)	1
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	(30)	1
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3	(32)	2
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4	<p>People's right to express themselves freely is a cornerstone of democracy. Even the slightest restrictions could threaten democracy and are therefore unacceptable. Additionally, the war on terror and the prevalence of the Internet in communication make it vital to protect free speech.</p> <p>Freedom of speech is integral to democracy. When governments crack down on citizens' expression, democracy itself is threatened. History has shown there is a correlation between the rise of government authoritarianism and the imposition of restrictions on free speech. Without the transparency afforded by the unrestricted flow of ideas and information, government accountability is impossible and democracy fails.</p> <p>As governments combat terrorism, free speech is especially important given that tensions run high among governments and citizens alike. Restrictions introduced to help prosecute suspected terrorists could escalate into widespread suppression of ideas deemed threatening to the state. Such suppression could then inspire citizens to commit violence and vigilante acts, as they may feel they are justified in serving as an arm of the government.</p> <p>Finally, social media's enormous role in information sharing means restrictions on free speech would likely involve intensive monitoring of the Internet. This would inevitably entail the invasion of privacy. If such invasive measures were introduced, citizens would begin to lose even more of their rights.</p> <p>For the above reasons, it seems sensible that free speech never be impinged upon. If people are prevented from expressing themselves freely, democracies could become totalitarian states and liberties such as security and privacy will be endangered.</p>
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(\*上記はあくまでも解答例です。)

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Part 1	No. 1	3	No. 6	4
	No. 2	4	No. 7	2
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Part 2	No. 11	2	No. 16	4
	No. 12	1	No. 17	1
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Part 3	No. 21	3
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Part 4	No. 26	4
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