

「準2級リスニングテスト」 原稿

ただいまから、準2級リスニングテストを行います。これからお話することについて質問は受けませんので、よく注意して聞いてください。リスニングテスト放送中に音飛びや騒音があった場合は、発生した問題のトラックに戻し、やり直します。しかしながら、万が一教室監督者が気づかない場合もございますので、その際は速やかに手を挙げてお知らせください。

このテストには、第1部から第3部まであります。英文はそれぞれ一度だけ読まれます。第1部では、例題を一題放送します。放送の間メモをとってもかまいません。

では、第1部のテストから始めます。これは、対話を聞き、その最後の文に対する応答として最も適切なものを選ぶ形式です。第1部の例題を聞いてください。対話とそれに続く応答が一度だけ読まれます。

☆Would you like to play tennis with me after school, Peter?

★I can't, Jane. I have to go straight home.

☆How about tomorrow, then?

★1 We can go today after school.

★2 I don't have time today.

★3 That will be fine.

皆さんは、今の問題の答えを一つだけ選びます。ここでは3が正しい答えですから、解答用紙の例題のところに3がマークされています。

問題は No. 1 から No. 10 まで 10 題で、解答時間はそれぞれ 10 秒です。

以上、説明が終わりましたので、今から準2級の No. 1 を開始します。

(★=男性 A ☆=女性 A ☆☆=女性 B)

☆☆No. 1

☆Is there any cheese left in the refrigerator, honey?

★Let me check. No, we don't have any.

☆OK. I'm making cheeseburgers tonight, so I'm going to the supermarket. Do you want anything?

★1 Sure, it's open until 7 p.m.

★2 OK. The cheese is on the table.

★3 Yeah. Could you buy some eggs?

☆☆No. 2

★Excuse me. Does this train stop at Silverton Park Station?

☆No, this is an express train. Only local trains stop at Silverton Park.

★Oh no. I took the wrong train!

☆1 Don't worry. The express train won't be crowded.

☆2 Don't worry. Just change trains at the next station.

☆3 Don't worry. You can buy a train pass there.

☆☆No. 3

★Please have a seat, Janet.

☆OK, Mr. Begley. Is there something you want to talk about?

★You were late to work again today. You need to come on time.

☆1 Well, I took today off.

☆2 I'm sorry. I promise to get here earlier.

☆3 No, I've worked here for one year.

☆☆No. 4

★Great basketball game, Abby.

☆But we lost the game, Dad. I didn't think it was so great.

★It doesn't matter if you win or lose, Abby. You did your best!

☆1 Yeah, maybe you're right.

☆2 Well, I lost my favorite ball.

☆3 No, the game was canceled.

☆☆No. 5

☆Are you going somewhere, Ben? What is that map for?

★Well, I'm thinking about traveling around Asia this summer.

☆Wow, exciting! What countries will you go to?

★1 I went to China last year.

★2 I haven't decided yet.

★3 I'll be there for one month.

☆☆No. 6

☆Hello. *Riverton Times*.

★Hello. I have your paper delivered to my house every day, but I'd like to cancel it.

☆I'm sorry to hear that. May I ask you why you want to cancel?

★1 I really enjoy the *Riverton Times*.

★2 I'd like to try reading your paper.

★3 I read the news on the Internet now.

☆☆No. 7

☆Thanks for shopping at ValueMart, sir. Your total is \$42.50.

★OK, just a moment—Oh no! I left my wallet in my car!

☆That's OK. I can keep your groceries while you get it.

★1 No, those aren't my groceries.

★2 Well, I don't shop here often.

★3 Thank you. I'll be right back.

☆☆No. 8

★Oh no, honey, it snowed last night.

☆Wow! It snowed a lot. The weather report didn't say anything about snow.

★Well, traffic's going to be bad when you go to work.

☆1 Yeah, I'd better leave early.

☆2 Well, you can borrow my boots.

☆3 No, I didn't see the weather report.

☆☆No. 9

☆Waiter, what kind of beans are in this soup?

★This soup is made with black beans. Is everything OK?

☆OK? It's delicious! I'd like to order another bowl.

★1 Wonderful. I'll bring one to you soon.

★2 Oh no. I'm sorry that you don't like it.

★3 Hmm. It isn't supposed to be spicy.

☆☆No. 10

★Hello.

☆Don, it's Debbie. I need to cancel our date tonight. I have to babysit my sister.

★Well, I guess there's nothing you can do. Want to go out next weekend?

☆1 Well, my sister's only six.

☆2 Sure, that sounds great.

☆3 OK. Pick me up in an hour.

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☆☆No. 11

★How's your soup, honey?

☆It's excellent. Here, try some.

★Thanks. It's delicious. My curry is great, too. We should come to this restaurant more often.

☆I'm glad we didn't go to our usual place. This one is much better.

☆☆Question: Why does the couple like the new restaurant?

☆☆No. 12

☆Do you drive to the office, Dave?

★Well, I normally drive in the wintertime when it's cold. Now that summer is here, though, I've been riding my bike to work.

☆Oh really? I guess that's a good way to get exercise.

★Yeah, it is. But the real reason I do it is that it's a lot cheaper than driving.

☆☆Question: What does the man say about riding his bike to work?

☆☆No. 13

★Kate, how's your new French class at the language school?

☆Great! My teacher's really interesting. He doesn't use textbooks at all.

★Really? No textbooks?

☆Yeah. He thinks that students learn more when they're having fun, so he gets us to play games and talk about our interests.

☆☆Question: How does the girl's teacher teach his students?

☆☆No. 14

★Ms. Brown, what happened to your hand? Did you cut yourself?

☆No. The neighbor's dog bit me last week.

★That must have hurt.

☆It did, Fred. And now I'm nervous whenever I see a dog.

☆☆Question: What happened to Ms. Brown?

☆☆No. 15

☆Hello?

★Hi, Beth. It's Craig. Listen, I was wondering if I could use your tent this weekend.

☆Sure. You can come over and get it this afternoon. Are you going somewhere?

★Yeah. I'm going camping at Mt. Davis with some friends.

☆☆**Question:** What does Craig want to do?

☆☆No. 16

☆We're writing poems in our English class, Dad. The teacher is going to give a prize for the best poem.

★Well, Fiona, you're very good at writing. You might win.

☆Do you want to hear the poem I wrote?

★Sure. I'd love to.

☆☆**Question:** What will Fiona do now?

☆☆No. 17

★Excuse me. I'm looking for the lions. My daughter wants to see them.

☆They're on the other side of the zoo, sir. If you hurry, you can watch the lion show.

★Thank you. We'll go there right away.

☆Enjoy the show!

☆☆**Question:** What does the man say about his daughter?

☆☆No. 18

★Excuse me. I'm looking for *Black Days*, the new novel by Edward Benson. Do you have it?

☆Yes, we do. It just came in yesterday. Lots of his fans have been waiting for it.

★Me, too. I've read all his other books. Where can I find it?

☆It's in the new-releases section near the front of the store.

☆☆**Question:** What is one thing we learn about the novel *Black Days*?

☆☆No. 19

☆Welcome to the Wexford Hotel, sir. Can I help you?

★I hope so. Do you have any available rooms? The other hotels I went to were full.

☆Sorry, sir, we don't. Most hotels around here are probably full. Lots of tourists are in town to see the Wexford Jazz Festival.

★Well, thanks anyway. Maybe I'll try the other side of town.

☆☆**Question:** What is the man's problem?

☆☆No. 20

★Reedville Police Station.

☆Hello. I'm calling because I think someone stole my mountain bike.

★OK. When did you see it last?

☆I parked it in front of my house last night, but when I woke up, it was gone.

☆☆**Question:** Why is the woman calling the police?

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☆☆No. 21

☆Jasmine worked for one week on a fruit farm during her college's summer vacation. She made \$300, which she spent on a new bicycle. Jasmine enjoyed the job very much because she likes being outside. She was also glad she could buy what she wanted.

☆☆Question: What did Jasmine spend her money on?

☆☆No. 22

★Michael stayed home from school yesterday because he had a bad cold. Although he felt much better this morning, he wanted to stay at home and watch TV. His mother told him it would be better to go to school because he could play with his friends there. When Michael got to school, he knew that his mother was right.

☆☆Question: What did Michael want to do this morning?

☆☆No. 23

☆The puffin is a small bird with a black-and-white body like a penguin. Unlike penguins, however, puffins can fly very fast. Puffins are able to move so quickly because they are very light. They usually weigh less than 1 kilogram, and they can move their wings hundreds of times in one minute.

☆☆Question: What is one thing we learn about puffins?

☆☆No. 24

★It was lunchtime and Cathy was very hungry. She wanted to eat pasta, so she went to an Italian restaurant. But, there was a long line to get in. A waiter told her it would take 30 minutes to get a seat, so Cathy decided to go to a hamburger shop next door.

☆☆Question: Why did Cathy decide not to have pasta?

☆☆No. 25

☆Takeshi lives by himself in an apartment building in Tokyo. There is an elderly lady in the same building, and Takeshi often helps her. She finds it hard to walk, so he does the shopping at the supermarket for her on his way home from work. The elderly lady is a good cook, and she sometimes makes meals for Takeshi.

☆☆Question: How does Takeshi help the elderly lady?

☆☆No. 26

★Sarah is a junior high school student. Recently, she noticed that there was a lot of garbage on the streets in her neighborhood, so she started a garbage-collecting day with some of her classmates. Once a week, they walk around the neighborhood, picking up old bottles and cans. Then, they take them to be recycled.

☆☆**Question:** What did Sarah decide to do?

☆☆No. 27

★Many people are looking for ways to eat less food. Scientists at Georgia University in the United States have found that people eat more food if they use large dishes and spoons. The scientists say that if people ate with smaller dishes and spoons when they cook at home, they would not eat as much.

☆☆**Question:** How can people eat less, according to scientists at Georgia University?

☆☆No. 28

★Ladies and gentlemen, you are standing in line to meet Marcia Damien, the star of the movie *Mars Beyond!* She will sign your posters or DVDs for free. Each person may take only one picture, so remember to smile! Please do not ask Ms. Damien for her e-mail address or any other personal information.

☆☆**Question:** What is one thing the speaker says?

☆☆No. 29

★Welcome to Gulliver's Foreign Foods, where you can find the best teas, curries, and cheeses from around the world. Be sure to check out our wide choice of curries and teas from India. For today only, our staff will give out discount coupons for packs of Indian curry. Please feel free to take one!

☆☆**Question:** What can the staff members do for the customers today?

☆☆No. 30

★Vicky is trying to get more exercise. She used to always take the bus to college in the morning. But now, she sometimes gets up early and goes on foot instead. She often goes swimming at the local sports gym in the evenings, too. Vicky hopes the weather will be nice so she can be outside more often.

☆☆**Question:** What does Vicky sometimes do on weekday mornings?

では、時間です。筆記用具を置いて答えの記入をやめてください。これにて試験終了となります。公正なる試験実施にご協力いただきありがとうございました。質問がある方は、ただちに試験監督者にお申し出ください。

試験監督者に連絡いたします。これより最終の受験者数を確認してください。その後、解答用紙を回収し枚数の確認を行ってください。なお、問題冊子は回収しません。受験者数と解答用紙の枚数の一致を確認してから、解散の指示を出してください。

受験者の皆さんは、身のまわりをよく点検し、忘れものがないように注意してください。受験者の皆さんが退室するときは、別の教室が試験中の場合もありますので、声を出さず、会場出口まで静かに退室してください。それでは、解散の指示を出すまで静かにお待ちください。