

高2 AD 春期講習 Text Sample

[1] 次の 1-5 の英文の下線部に最も意味の近い語句を、それぞれ a-e の中から1つ選びなさい。

1. Owing to his hard work, he could accomplish his purpose.
a. In spite of b. Unless c. Because of d. In stead of
2. You'll have to walk more slowly. I can't keep up with you.
a. maintain the same speed as you b. keep our promise
c. defend yourself d. keep you waiting
3. I'm afraid something has gone wrong with this computer.
a. this computer is breaking b. this computer works well
c. this computer is out of order
d. someone has misused this computer
4. Don't worry if you have no money. You can have the ticket for nothing.
a. in any time b. if you pay later
c. without reason d. free
5. I forgot to call up Mr. Jones yesterday, although I had promised to call him up exactly at three o'clock.
a. visit b. telephone c. shout up d. scold

[2] 次の 1-3 の日本文とほぼ同じ意味になるように、各英文の空所に入る最も適当な語句を、それぞれ a-e の中から1つ選びなさい。

1. 彼は電車に置き忘れたカメラを探そうとした。
He tried to find the camera which he had () in the train.
a. left behind b. forgotten
c. kept behind d. put somewhere
2. 警察官が私の腕をつかんだ。
A policeman caught me () arm.
a. with my b. by the c. by my d. with the
3. 来春に彼が戻ってくるかどうか分からない。
I don't know if he () back next spring.
a. will come b. comes c. had come d. came

[3] 次の 1-5 の日本文とほぼ同じ意味を表すように、() の語句を並べかえて英文を完成しなさい。文頭に来る語も小文字になっている。

1. 彼が死んだという噂(うわさ)はうそだとわかった。
(the, out, of, death, false, turned, his, rumor).

2. 父親は息子とその仲間と交際しているのが気に入らなかった。
(like, with, the father, being, his son, didn't, the group).

3. 昨日行なわれた英語の試験では、良い点が取れそうもなかった。
I (to get, the English test, a high score, in, given, didn't, seem)
yesterday,

4. 彼は彼女を忘れようとして、仕事に没頭した。
He (about, to work, to, stop, devoted himself, thinking, so as) her.

5. 彼らはやっとのことで新しい環境に馴(な)れた。
They (the, with, to, used, new circumstances, got, difficulty).

[4] 次の英文を読んで、設問に答えなさい。

Our earth is full of a number of things. Some parts are more full of things than others. The things on it are related to each other. The earth is like a watch. (A) There is [about, of, accidental, the mechanism, nothing, a watch]. Each part is a working part and each is absolutely necessary to make the watch (a) go. Moreover, the watch can go only when each part is (1) connected with other parts.

All the parts of the earth are also working parts, and are necessary to make it go. Consider physical features such as Grand Canyon of the Colorado River, or Mt. Fuji in Japan. They are the result of relationships between the land, the water, and the air. These relationships were started millions of years ago and have continued to this very day.

There is another (b) way in which the earth resembles a watch. The earth is a precision instrument like a watch. However, unlike a watch, it shows no sign of running down or (2). "Seed and harvest time, summer and winter, day and night" continue to arrive in time.

How do we understand how a watch works? Only by knowing what use each spring, gear, and wheel serves, and how the parts hang together*. In the same way, we can understand how our world works only by getting to know the parts, and the relationships between them.

This, however, is not easy, even if it could be done (3). For there are far more working parts to the earth than to a watch or any other precision instrument. Nobody yet knows exactly how many working parts there are to it. After all, some parts of the world are still almost unknown. Large areas of Antarctica remain uninvestigated. (B) So do large areas of the atmosphere and the oceans. Both of them are at work all the time, cooling and warming, drying and moistening the land surfaces of the earth. However, how they are working is not fully understood. Some of the relationships between the known working parts are not fully understood (4).

(注) hang together: 団結する, 協力する

A 下線部(A)の [] 内に与えられた語句を並べかえて, 正しい英文をつくりなさい。

B 下線部(a)の go とほぼ同じ意味で用いられている本文中の語を書きなさい。ただし, 必要に応じて形を変えること。

C 文中の空所(1)～(4)に入る最も適切な語句を, それぞれ a～d の中から1つ選びなさい。

- (1) a. properly b. directly c. normally d. accidentally
(2) a. going b. working c. stopping d. running
(3) a. at last b. at most c. at all d. at best
(4) a. too b. also c. either d. neither

D 下線部(b)の way と最も近い意味で way が使われているものを, 次の 1～4 の中から1つ選びなさい。

1. Do you know the way to the station?
2. In some ways, it is quite a good idea, but the high cost makes it impossible.
3. There are many ways of solving the problem.
4. Which way is the library from here?

E 下線部(B)を次のように言い換えたとき, () 内に入る語を書きなさい。

Large areas of the atmosphere and the oceans () (), too.

F 本文の内容と一致しないものを次の 1～5 の中から1つ選びなさい。

1. The earth is a complicated machine consisting of countless parts working together.
2. All of the various parts of the earth are necessary for the earth to continue to be as it is today.
3. Unlike a watch, the earth is slowly approaching its end.
4. We need to learn how the different parts of the earth interact.
5. It is difficult to understand how the earth works because it has many complicated parts.