

平成 29 年 度 (第 58 回)

英 語 検 定 試 験 問 題

2 級

平成 29 年 9 月 10 日 (日) 実施

注 意

1. 解答にあてられた時間は 80 分です。試験開始後の途中退場はできません。
2. 問題は全部で 12 問あります。
3. 問題 ～ は「聞き方」の試験です。15 分程経ってから開始されます。余裕があれば、放送が始まる前に問題に目を通しておいてもかまいません。
4. いっさい声を出して読むはいけません。
5. 印刷不明のところのほかは、問題についての質問はいっさいできません。
6. 解答用紙は別紙になっています。答えはすべて解答用紙にマークしなさい。
7. 筆記用具は B または HB の黒鉛筆またはシャープペンシルを用いなさい。
(万年筆、ボールペンは使用不可)
8. 氏名等、必要事項を解答用紙の決められた欄に記入およびマークしなさい。
9. 問題用紙、解答用紙ともに提出してください。

主催 公益財団法人全国商業高等学校協会

解答用紙番号		
受験番号		
年	組	番
氏名		

学校名 _____

□1 次の各組の中に、第1音節（1番目の部分）をもっとも強く発音する語が1つずつあります。
その語の番号を選びなさい。

- a. ① ac-tion ② de-gree ③ in-tend ④ per-form
b. ① con-tain ② em-ploy ③ pri-vate ④ re-gard
c. ① a-tom-ic ② dis-cus-sion ③ in-ven-tor ④ vac-u-um
d. ① con-ven-ient ② gen-er-al ③ pro-tec-tion ④ wher-ev-er
e. ① im-me-di-ate ② re-mark-a-ble ③ sec-re-tar-y ④ tra-di-tion-al

□2 次の a～e の各問いに対するもっとも適当な答えを①～④の中からそれぞれ1つずつ選びなさい。

- a. Your friend is riding a bicycle on the wrong side of the road and you want to warn him. What would you say?
- ① That's dangerous. Stay on the other side.
② That's the right direction.
③ Slow down, please.
④ Go faster.
- b. You finished dinner at a restaurant in the U.S. You enjoyed the food and are ready to pay for it. What would you say?
- ① Sorry, I couldn't finish the dish.
② Bring me the menu, please.
③ We're ready for coffee.
④ Could I have the check, please?

c. You found your old diary by chance. You want to tell your friend about it. What would you say?

- ① I might have lost my diary.
- ② I happened to find my diary.
- ③ Forget about my diary.
- ④ Find my diary, please.

d. Your friend is only giving you a very rough plan of the trip. You need more information about it. What would you say?

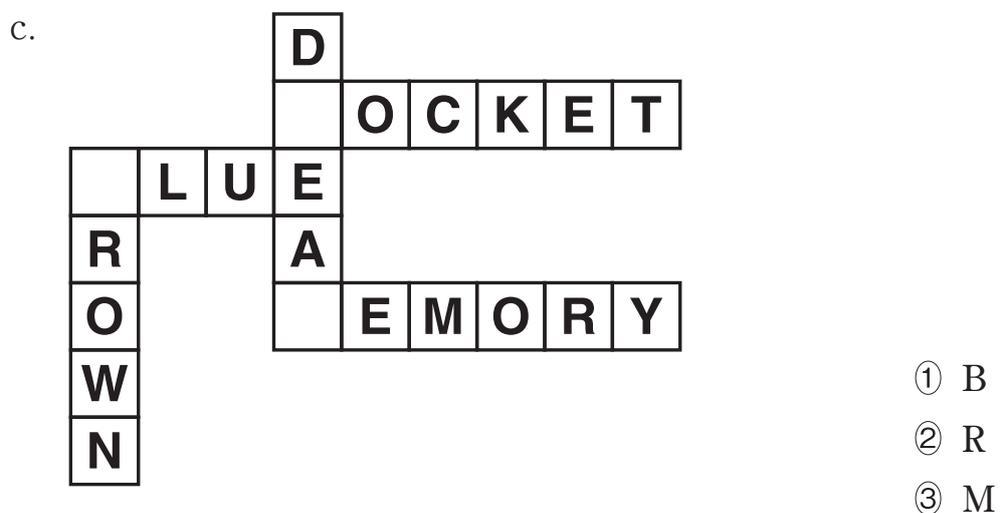
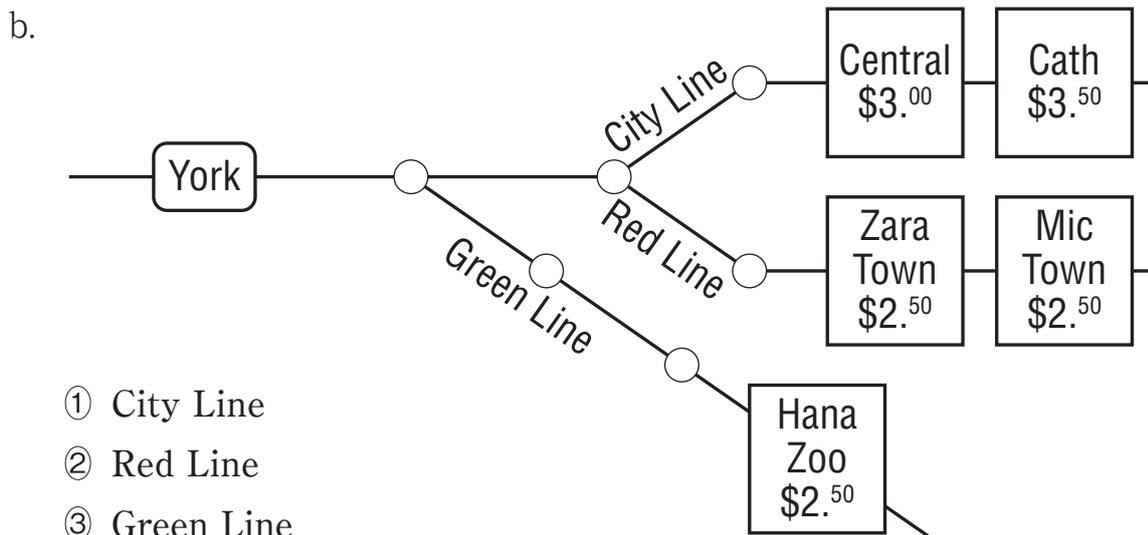
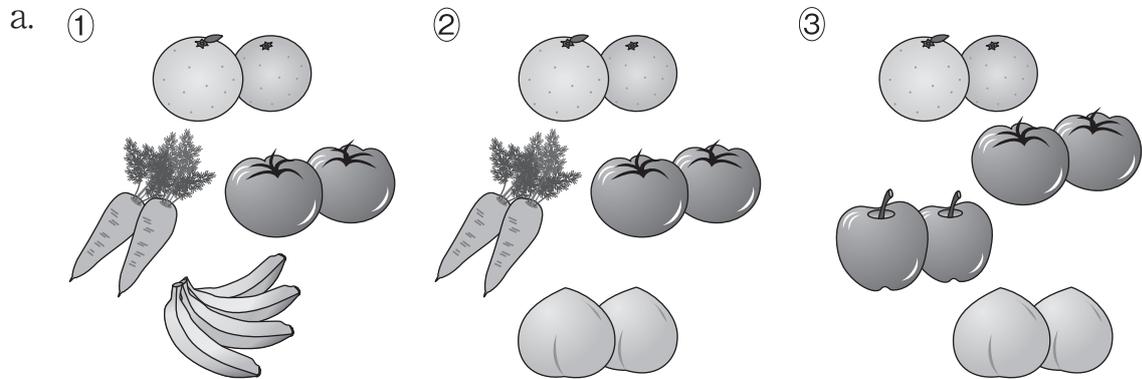
- ① It doesn't have to be clear.
- ② The plan is easy to understand.
- ③ Where exactly are we going to travel?
- ④ Please read it more carefully.

e. You're in a restaurant. A song comes on the radio. You want to know more about it. What would you say?

- ① I think this is a new radio.
- ② What is the name of the song?
- ③ My family loves the song.
- ④ Please turn off the radio.

3 これから a～e の絵や図表などについて、英語で会話と問いがそれぞれ 2 回ずつ読まれます。

その問いに対するもっとも適当な答えを①～③の中から 1 つずつ選びなさい。



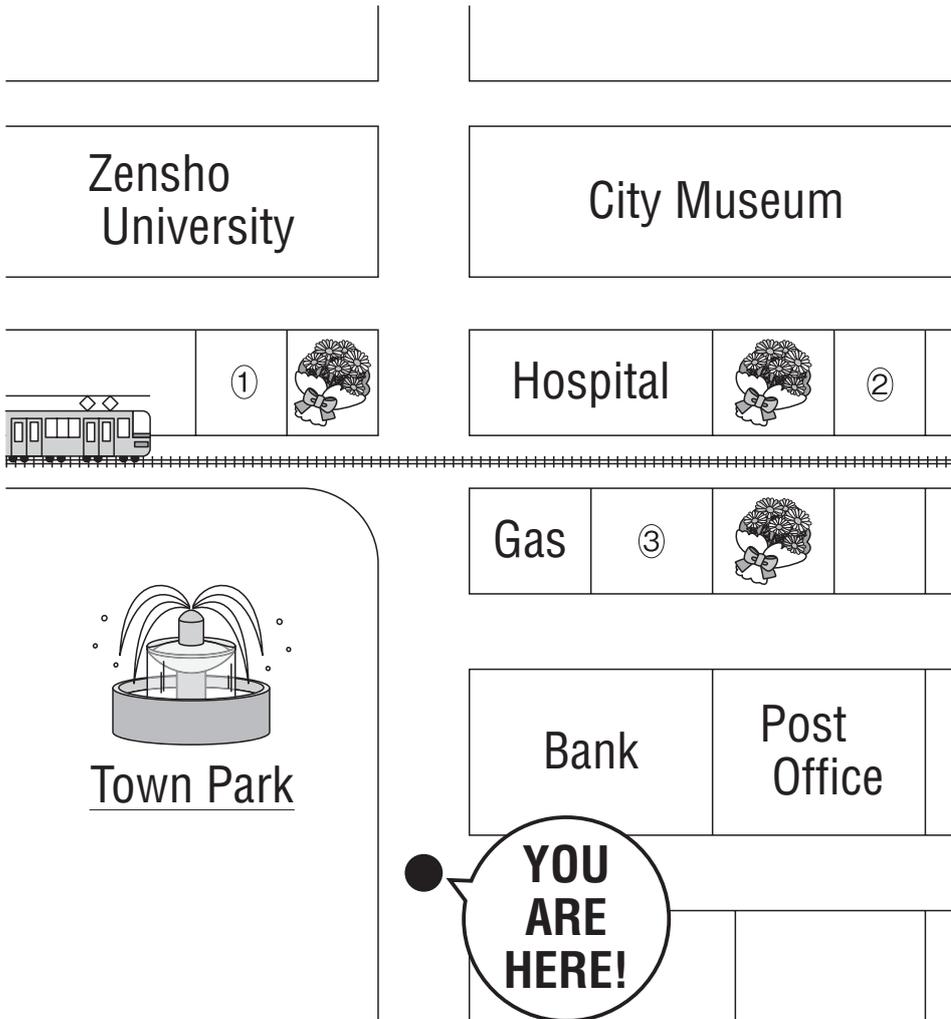
d.

– Regular Schedule –

	Time	Subject
1	9:00 a.m.	P.E.
2	10:00 a.m.	English
3	11:00 a.m.	Math
Lunch Time		
4	1:00 p.m.	Art
5	2:00 p.m.	World History

- ① P.E.
- ② English
- ③ Art

e.



4 はじめに短い英文が読まれます。次にその内容について問いの文が読まれます。同じ英文と問いの文がもう1回くり返されます。その問いに対するもっとも適当な答えを①～④の中から1つずつ選びなさい。

a. ① At nine o'clock.

② At nine-fifteen.

③ At nine-thirty.

④ At nine-fifty.

b. ① He was excited and felt good.

② He was tired and unhappy.

③ He was tired, but happy.

④ He wasn't tired at all.

c. Because she had to { ① do her homework at school.
② finish eating breakfast quickly.
③ leave for school earlier than usual.
④ finish her homework before leaving home.

d. Because { ① a girl near him used her smartphone during the movie.
② two girls behind him kept talking at the theater.
③ the movie was boring.
④ a girl kept talking to him during the movie.

e. ① It was very comfortable.

② The coffee smelled good.

③ It was very crowded and noisy.

④ Tony's favorite music was being played.

5 これから a～e の英文がそれぞれ 2 回ずつ読まれます。その内容と一致するものを①～④の中から 1 つずつ選びなさい。

- a. ① Paul climbed Mt. Everest last summer.
② Paul has never climbed Mt. Everest.
③ Paul often takes pictures of mountains.
④ Paul thinks climbing mountains is boring.
- b. ① Misaki enjoyed her school trip in Okinawa.
② Misaki's plane took off safely, even in the strong wind.
③ Misaki was afraid of getting on the plane.
④ Misaki wasn't able to visit Okinawa.
- c. ① Karen has never visited Japan.
② Karen works as a carpenter in New York.
③ Karen is interested in Japan's historical buildings.
④ Karen is going to visit New York to see her friends.
- d. ① Ken was absent from school because of his fever.
② Ken called his teacher to give her a message.
③ Ken went to see a doctor with his teacher.
④ Ken went to school, but returned home soon.
- e. ① Nancy helped someone with their homework on the Internet.
② Nancy asked her teacher how to answer the question.
③ Nancy used the Internet to finish her homework.
④ Nancy has answered the questions on her homework before.

6 大学でKeikoとMichaelが会話をしています。その内容について英語で5つの問いが読まれます。同じ会話と問いがもう一回くり返されます。その問いに対するもっとも適当な答えを①～④の中から1つずつ選びなさい。

- a. ① The screen glass of his phone is broken.
② He can't communicate with his friends.
③ The map on his phone doesn't work.
④ His phone was stolen.
- b. ① Sometime tomorrow.
② Before Michael's lesson starts.
③ After Michael's lessons finish.
④ Right after this conversation.
- c. ① She is going to help Michael buy a new phone.
② She has to take Michael's phone to the shop.
③ She has to fix her mobile phone.
④ She wants to buy a new phone.

- d. ① He likes them very much.
② He wants to avoid them if possible.
③ He can stop using them from tomorrow.
④ They are free for everyone.

- e. Because { ① she has to check her school website.
② she has too much free time.
③ she has a new mobile phone.
④ social networking services are not expensive.

□7 次の英文を読んで、a～eについて本文の内容と一致するものを①～④の中から1つずつ選びなさい。

Commercials for coffee are constantly on TV. We can see more and more coffee shops around. It seems that the drink is very popular nowadays.

Coffee has long been thought bad for our health, but it is becoming accepted by ^{*1}medical experts. They say coffee can protect against many kinds of problems like heart disease, even when it is produced without ^{*2}caffeine. A lot of studies published worldwide in recent years have shown that coffee can be good for our health.

The U.S. government announced new food guidelines, as it does every five years. For the first time it said that coffee is not generally bad for people, even those who drink more than two or three cups per day.

Coffee may also help people live longer. According to a study on 400,000 U.S. men and women aged 50 to 71, coffee can lower the risk of dying from any cause by 10 percent — except cancer — among those who drink two or three cups of coffee every day.

However, medical specialists do not yet understand the clear reasons why drinking coffee is good for our health. That is why one of the ^{*3}authors of the new guidelines warned that, “It is not wise to think that coffee is good for all diseases.”

^{*1}medical expert(s) : 医療の専門家 ^{*2}caffeine : カフェイン

^{*3}author(s) : 著者

- a. Until recently, coffee was regarded as
- ① productive.
 - ② unhealthy.
 - ③ wealthy.
 - ④ useless.
- b. Coffee without caffeine is
- ① not called coffee.
 - ② also healthy.
 - ③ not expensive.
 - ④ very popular.
- c. Recent studies show that coffee can bring about
- ① a stomach ache.
 - ② aging.
 - ③ good health.
 - ④ cancer.
- d. People who drink two or three cups of coffee a day are likely to
- ① live longer.
 - ② get sick.
 - ③ have a good night's sleep.
 - ④ look healthy.
- e. One medical specialist
- ① thinks that coffee destroys all diseases.
 - ② thinks that coffee prevents all diseases.
 - ③ thinks that coffee causes all diseases.
 - ④ doesn't think that coffee helps with all diseases.

8 次の会話文を読んで、(a)～(e)に入るもっとも適当なものを①～⑥の中からそれぞれ1つずつ選びなさい。

Kate : Zensho Computer Service, Kate speaking.

John : Hello. My name is John Smith. May I speak to Mr. Lucas, please?

Kate : Who do you work for, please?

John : Oh, sorry. _____ (a)

Kate : All right. _____ (b)

John : Thank you.

<One minute later>

Kate : _____ (c)

John : Is he going to be long, do you think?

Kate : I don't think so. _____ (d) Or shall I have him call you back?

John : _____ (e) My phone number is 01-345-7788.

Kate : All right, sir. May I have your name again?

John : I'm John Smith of ABC Electronics.

Kate : OK, I'll have him call you back.

John : Thank you so much. Good-bye.

- ① Would you ask him to return my call?
- ② I'm sorry, but he is on another line.
- ③ Shall I leave a message for him?
- ④ I work for ABC Electronics.
- ⑤ Would you like to hold the line?
- ⑥ Hold on, please.

9 次の a～e の英文の () に入るもっとも適当なものを①～④の中から1つずつ選びなさい。

a. Why don't we use the () of the hot spring to make boiled eggs?

- ① burn ② heat ③ smell ④ weight

b. Many people will () the meeting to hear the speech.

- ① attend ② strike ③ outline ④ doubt

c. The clerk gave me the () of the two oranges.

- ① other ② most ③ same ④ bigger

d. Don't () your time. You have to finish your work by 5 pm.

- ① raise ② destroy ③ waste ④ close

e. This smartphone is the () model. People are going to love it.

- ① latest ② earliest ③ least ④ worst

10 次の英文の①～⑤にはどの語句が入りますか。もっとも適当なものを①～④の中から1つずつ
選びなさい。

Where does the water you drink come from? Do you drink *¹tap water or do you drink *²bottled water? Many people think that bottled water is cleaner and safer than tap water. To their surprise, this is usually not (a). Of course, in some parts of the world, the public water *³supply is *⁴polluted, and bottled water is a good choice. (b), in most developed countries, the water supply is clean and safe.

Bottled water is very popular in several countries. For example, more than 50 percent of Americans, Canadians, and Italians drink it. Why do they drink bottled water? Some people think it is more natural. (c) people think bottled water tastes better than tap water. Most people, however, cannot tell the difference. (d), if your city can provide you with a good water supply, you do not have to buy bottled water. You'll be able to (e) money, too.

*¹tap water : 水道水

*²bottled water : ボトルで売られているミネラルウォーター

*³supply : 供給 *⁴pollute(d) : 汚染する

- ① a (① dirty ② enough ③ free ④ true)
② b (① However ② Therefore ③ Because of this ④ In other words)
③ c (① No ② Few ③ Other ④ Less)
④ d (① Instead ② Therefore ③ Sadly ④ On the other hand)
⑤ e (① earn ② pay ③ save ④ spend)

11 次の英文の a～e の () にはどの語句が入りますか。もっとも適当なものを①～③の中から1つずつ選びなさい。

- a. I heard my name (① call ② called ③ calling) from behind me.
- b. Susan sometimes makes her lunch (① her ② hers ③ herself).
- c. I don't feel like (① eat ② eating ③ to eat) fried chicken now.
- d. The express train (① leaves ② has left ③ had left) when I arrived at the station.
- e. The more time you spend reading, the (① good ② better ③ best) your English gets.

12 次の a～e の英文の意味が通るようにするには、() 中の語句をどのように並べたらよいですか。正しい順序のものを①～④の中から1つずつ選びなさい。

- a. There (1. an old house 2. be 3. to 4. used) on the corner.
[① 1-4-2-3 ② 3-2-1-4 ③ 4-1-3-2 ④ 4-3-2-1]
- b. Steve (1. because 2. must 3. angry 4. be) he does not say anything.
[① 2-1-3-4 ② 2-4-1-3 ③ 2-4-3-1 ④ 3-2-4-1]
- c. I found (1. it 2. read 3. to 4. easy) this book in English.
[① 1-4-3-2 ② 3-2-1-4 ③ 4-1-3-2 ④ 4-3-2-1]
- d. We (1. with 2. hands 3. each 4. shook) other.
[① 1-3-2-4 ② 2-4-1-3 ③ 4-2-1-3 ④ 4-3-2-1]
- e. It doesn't (1. whether 2. you 3. matter 4. lose) the match or not.
[① 3-1-2-4 ② 3-2-4-1 ③ 4-1-2-3 ④ 4-2-1-3]

