

# 國立臺灣藝術大學 102 學年度碩士班招生考試試題

科目：英文

- 說明：
- 一、本試題紙上請勿作答。
  - 二、選擇題答案請依序劃在答案卡上並注意題號。(限用 2B 鉛筆作答)
  - 三、本試題紙與答案卡、答案卷一併繳回。

第一部份：單一選擇題。共 35 題，每題答對得 2 分，答錯不倒扣。

I. 句子填空 (30%)：請將適當的選項填入句中。共 15 題，每題答對得 2 分，答錯不扣分。

- (1) It was with great \_\_\_ to have the resignation of our vice president due to illness.  
(A) disappointed (B) disappointment (C) disappointing (D) disappoint
- (2) The workplace regulations require employers \_\_\_ suitable facilities for breastfeeding mothers to rest.  
(A) for providing (B) to be provided (C) to provide (D) providing
- (3) The idea of what is beautiful \_\_\_ from person to person.  
(A) argues (B) varies (C) jumps (D) shares
- (4) The Olympic Games in London \_\_\_ visitors from around the world in the summer of 2012.  
(A) attracted (B) combined (C) symbolized (D) convinced
- (5) Chris was \_\_\_ and wanted to try his hand at bungee jumping.  
(A) departed (B) aquatic (C) adventurous (D) previous
- (6) Mom made a delicious meal out of the food that was left \_\_\_ from last night's dinner.  
(A) over (B) off (C) in (D) out
- (7) Roger \_\_\_ his sports car to his friends, trying to make them envious of him.  
(A) showed off (B) looked into (C) crossed out (D) took over
- (8) Ellen likes all kinds of music, \_\_\_ hip hop.  
(A) securely (B) incredibly (C) especially (D) entirely
- (9) Compared to travelling by ship, it is \_\_\_ faster for people to fly to their destinations.  
(A) repeatedly (B) relatively (C) unfortunately (D) originally
- (10) This is a \_\_\_ to all departments that when you place an order with a vendor, please send your order document to us directly.  
(A) remains (B) reminder (C) remainder (D) remembrance
- (11) Once your appeal is turned \_\_\_ by the university faculty, you cannot appeal again in the same academic year.  
(A) over (B) down (C) under (D) below
- (12) The village council did not \_\_\_ for the collection and enforcement for real property taxes.  
(A) consider (B) account (C) explicate (D) explain
- (13) The sidewalk is wet, so it is probably \_\_\_. Be careful when you walk on it.  
(A) slip (B) slippery (C) smooth (D) shallow
- (14) Dr. Allen has made a series of straightforward and sometimes \_\_\_ speeches in the last 10 years.  
(A) provocatively (B) provocative (C) provocation (D) provoked
- (15) If you hadn't called me two days ago, I \_\_\_ about last night's concert.  
(A) didn't know (B) wouldn't have known (C) wouldn't know (D) hadn't known

II. 克漏字測驗 (20%)：請依文意，填入適當答案。共 10 題，每題答對得 2 分，答錯不扣分。

第(16)至(20)題請參考以下文章：

Dear Members of the City Council,

Recently you announced that recommendations from the citizens of Greenville are being considered for improving transportation, especially in the downtown area. I have lived here for 27 years and have seen the traffic get more and more (16) \_\_\_ every year. The government needs to (17) \_\_\_ what to do now in order to save our city from the same problems that we see in so many other places. I have a very strong opinion on the subject and would like to know if you would consider my recommendation.

My idea is not a form of transportation that (18) \_\_\_ air, rail, or water, and is not exactly a motor vehicle. Therefore, it is cost-efficient, safe, easy to repair, and simple in design. My recommendation is that we allow the use of the Segway in the downtown area. Right now, the law says that we can only use the Segway on Delk Avenue sidewalks on Sundays. This is not a good use of such a wonderful form of transportation. My family and I the enjoy using ours, but we haven't seen too many other people doing the same. I think that allowing the use of the Segway all over the downtown area will really help people to get around better and solve the problem with the congestion on the small narrow streets in the city center.

As you may know, the Segway was invented in 2001 and not released to the public until 2002. It is a two-wheeled electric vehicle and has become very popular mainly because it is so easy to use. Drivers lean forward to go forward, lean back to go backward, and turn by using a handlebar, leaning it left or right. It's not very fast, but not too slow either. Drivers can go up to 12m/h (20 km/h) and of course for safety reasons, wearing a helmet is always recommended (much like a bicycle ). The Segway is just (19) \_\_\_ into an electrical outlet to recharge, so of course this makes them great because of the high cost of fuel these days and much better for our environment. Allowing the Segway to be used on more than just one street will encourage people to buy them and use those that already have them will use them more. There are no tickets to buy for the subway, or (20) \_\_\_ to pay on the buses, no terminals, and the parking problems that we have would become much less because the Segway is very small. The authorities could even think about renting and or selling them too, and a lot of money wouldn't even have to be spent. This change of plan for us could make Greenville one of the most important cities in new developments in transportation in our country!

Mrs. Rudolf Baker

(16) (A) congesting (B) congested (C) congestion (D) congest

(17) (A) decide (B) design (C) ponder (D) set

(18) (A) inquires (B) investigates (C) involves (D) impairs

(19) (A) pulled (B) plugged (C) reproduced (D) proceeded

(20) (A) penalty (B) loan (C) fares (D) credits

**第(21)至(25)題請參考以下文章：**

**Deforestation and the Greenhouse Effect: How Could You Help?** Every minute of every day an area of rainforest the size of a football (21) \_\_\_ is cut down. Why are these trees being cut down? What do we use them for?

The main reason for deforestation is our demand for fuel and wood and paper. Just think about it.

**Fuel:** About half of all the trees cut down in the world are used for fuel. Burning wood is especially common in developing countries where oil is very expensive or not easy to (22) \_\_\_. This in itself is not bad; but most of these trees are not being replaced, which is a problem.

**Wood and Paper:** The use of wood and paper, mainly in developed countries, is also a (23) \_\_\_ of deforestation. Wood like mahogany is used for furniture and is very valuable. In every square mile of rainforest, there are probably only half a dozen mahogany trees, yet the whole area is often cut down for those few trees, with other trees left to rot, even if they are useful for something. To add to this, every year, the average U.S. office employee uses approximately 9,999 sheets of paper, which adds up to about 27 pounds per person. Only 5 percent of this paper is ever recycled.

**The Greenhouse Effect and Global Warming:** A worrying effect of deforestation is global warming. The earth is made habitable by a process called the greenhouse effect. Many important gases found in our atmosphere are produced by this process. When light from the sun reaches us a lot of it is absorbed by the earth, but much of that light escapes right back into space. The greenhouse effect gasses help to (24) \_\_\_ some of this light, which warms our planet. This is important because without it, it would be too cold. When we cut down and burn trees more gasses in the atmosphere are created than necessary which causes the greenhouse effect to be stronger and overheat the earth: hence global warming. This isn't good because the increased temperatures might cause the polar ice caps to melt and also might create a climate change. If this happens we could see a dangerous rise in sea levels, flooding, super-sized hurricanes and tornados, and droughts.

This would be devastating for the earth, but how could you help?

- Turn off the lights when you leave a room. This saves money and electricity so less fuel has to be burned.
- Recycle paper (as well as glass, plastic, and metal) as much as possible.
- Send memos and messages via email.
- Store records on CD-ROMs or even better, on memory sticks and hard drives.
- Send and receive faxes via personal computers to avoid printing.
- (25) \_\_\_ others to do the things above.

Small things matter and probably take little time or effort. In the end you are helping the world from ecological disaster.

- (21) (A) arena (B) place (C) stadium (D) deck
- (22) (A) obtain (B) possess (C) pick (D) access
- (23) (A) outcome (B) result (C) mobilization (D) cause
- (24) (A) trap (B) reject (C) execute (D) buckle
- (25) (A) Nominate (B) Encourage (C) Discourage (D) Deceive

III. 閱讀測驗 (20%)：閱讀文章後，回答下列問題。共 10 題，每題答對得 2 分，答錯不扣分。  
第(26)至(30)題請參考以下文章：

The atmosphere of the night markets in Taiwan is what makes them so unique. They are usually very crowded, as people from all over the world like to gather there. Store owners will loudly advertise their wares. Many night markets boast cheap and delicious snacks that are full of Taiwanese flavors. Shops selling cheap clothes and toys are also found at most night markets. In fact, you can find everything you need from household goods to the latest fashions.

However, the biggest attraction of night markets is still the food. Oyster omelets are a mainstay at most night markets. To make this dish, tiny oysters are mixed into an egg omelet and then topped with a sweet sauce. Stinky tofu is another night market favorite. Although it smells strange at first, you'll be surprised by its delicious taste.

In addition to common snacks, many night markets are famous for specialty dishes. For example, Tainan markets have become famous for coffin cakes. The dish gets its name because it's served in a hollow, coffin-shaped piece of bread. Under the lid, the bread is stuffed with a delicious filling of beef, chicken, or pork. After trying one, you'll be dying for more.

- (26) What does the article say about the people who go to night markets in Taiwan?
  - (A) They speak quietly and like to keep to themselves.
  - (B) They usually live on the same block as the night market.
  - (C) They like to go to sleep very early during the week.
  - (D) They are from many different places.
- (27) How did "coffin cakes" get their name?
  - (A) From a man named Mr. Coffin.
  - (B) From the way that the bread looks.
  - (C) Because the woman who invented them had a cough.
  - (D) Because they were forgotten a long time ago.
- (28) Which of the following is true?
  - (A) You can find oyster omelets in almost every night market in Taiwan.
  - (B) Stinky tofu smells like a famous perfume that is sold in stores.
  - (C) Night markets are best known for their clothes and toys.
  - (D) Night markets across Taiwan always serve the same food.
- (29) What is a good title for this article?
  - (A) Crowded and Noisy on a Saturday
  - (B) Cheap Clothes: The New Frugal Craze
  - (C) The History of Stinky Tofu
  - (D) Night Markets: A Part of Taiwanese Culture
- (30) Where would you most likely find this article?
  - (A) In a textbook on the Taiwanese language.

- (B) In a travel guide to Taiwan.
- (C) In a cookbook on Taiwanese cuisine.
- (D) In the international section of Taiwanese newspaper.

第(31)至(35)題請參考以下文章：

Before the grass has thickened on the roadside verges and leaves have started growing on the trees, it is a perfect time to look around and see just how dirty Britain has become. The pavements are stained with chewing gum that has been spat out and the gutters are full of discarded fast food cartons. Years ago I remember travelling abroad and being saddened by the plastic bags, discarded bottles and soiled nappies at the edge of every road. Nowadays, Britain seems to look at least as bad. What has gone wrong?

The problem is that the rubbish created by our increasingly mobile lives lasts a lot longer than before. If it is not cleared up and properly thrown away, it stays in the undergrowth for years; a semi-permanent reminder of what a tatty little country we have now.

Firstly, it is estimated that 10 billion plastic bags have been given to shoppers. These will take anything from 100 to 1,000 years to rot. However, it is not as if there is no solution to this. A few years ago, the Irish government introduced a tax on non-recyclable carrier bags and in three months reduced their use by 90%. When he was a minister, Michael Meacher attempted to introduce a similar arrangement in Britain. The plastics industry protested, of course. However, they need not have bothered; the idea was killed before it could draw breath, leaving supermarkets free to give away plastic bags.

What is clearly necessary right now is some sort of combined initiative, both individual and collective, before it is too late. The alternative is to continue sliding downhill until we have a country that looks like a vast municipal rubbish tip. We may well be at the tipping point. Yet we know that people respond to their environment. If things around them are clean and tidy, people behave cleanly and tidily. If they are surrounded by squalor, they behave squalidly. Now, much of Britain looks pretty squalid. What will it look like in five years?

- (31) The writer says that it is a good time to see Britain before the trees have leaves because
- (A) Britain looks perfect.
  - (B) you can see Britain at its dirtiest.
  - (C) you can see how dirty Britain is now.
  - (D) the grass has thickened on the verges.
- (32) According to the writer, things used to be
- (A) worse abroad.
  - (B) the same abroad.
  - (C) better abroad.
  - (D) worse, but now things are better abroad.
- (33) For the writer, the problem is that
- (A) rubbish is not cleared up.
  - (B) rubbish lasts longer than it used to.
  - (C) our society is increasingly mobile.
  - (D) Britain is a tatty country.
- (34) The writer thinks
- (A) it is too late to do anything.
  - (B) we are at the tipping point.
  - (C) there is no alternative.
  - (D) we need to work together to solve the problem.
- (35) Which statement will the writer probably agree on?
- (A) People are squalid.
  - (B) People behave according to what they see around them.
  - (C) People are clean and tidy.
  - (D) People are like a vast municipal rubbish tip.

#### IV. 英文作文 (30%)

請以“An Interesting Dream”為題，寫一篇文長至少 140 個字的英文作文，來敘述你所做過的夢。這個夢必須是有趣而且令你難忘的。本題評分的重點包含內容、組織、文法、用字遣詞、標點符號以及大小寫等。