

## 【英検<sup>®</sup>2級】小問集合 6/10

氏名：\_\_\_\_\_ 日時：\_\_月\_\_日 得点： /20(合格ライン 14/20)

時間：12(15)分

次の (1) から (20) までの ( ) に入れるのに最も適切なものを ①, ②, ③, ④ の中から一つ選び、その番号のマーク欄を黒くぬりつぶしなさい。

- (1)( ), before the ceremony began, the teacher reminded all students to greet guests respectfully during the school festival.  
① silently ② commonly ③ politely ④ luckily
- (2)To help the national economy grow, many people choose to buy ( ) products instead of cheaper foreign-made items.  
① domestic ② routine ③ manual ④ formal
- (3)A: This explanation in the textbook makes no sense to me.  
B: That's okay. I'll ( ) the idea carefully using simple examples.  
① convert ② imply ③ submit ④ explain
- (4)The online store provides a detailed ( ) for every item, helping customers understand features before making a purchase decision.  
① hammer ② description ③ harmony ④ route
- (5)After questioning several witnesses, the investigators discovered clear ( ) showing that the suspect could not have been present.  
① rhythm ② praise ③ harmony ④ evidence
- (6)Emma spends hours every evening ( ) music, using melodies to express emotions she finds difficult to put into words.  
① composing ② flattering ③ rescuing ④ declaring
- (7)Modern researchers analyze the ( ) of species to learn how living creatures survive environmental changes over long

periods.

① humanity ② psychology ③ evolution ④ landscape

(8)After talking late into the night, the siblings finally reached an ( ) about how household chores should be divided.

① identity ② argument ③ expense ④ occasion

(9)A: The Wi-Fi still isn't working properly.

B: Please ( ) the cable again and make sure it is firmly attached.

① reflect ② investigate ③ define ④ connect

(10)Kate shut the window tightly because the loud sounds from construction outside were extremely ( ).

① irritating ② judging ③ detecting ④ exchanging

(11)Mr. Ikeda ( ) all night at the hospital, watching over his daughter and making sure she was comfortable.

① left over ② stayed up ③ spoke up ④ looked over

(12)A: Do you think this amount of money will be ( ) three nights at a hotel downtown?

B: I doubt it.

① capable of ② particular about ③ sufficient for ④ obliged to

(13)Over many years of publishing important papers, the professor became ( ) respected within the international scientific community.

① further ② better ③ worse ④ nothing

(14)A: She complains about every small problem at work.

B: Yes, it's exhausting. She's always so ( ) lately.

① hard ② lazy ③ low ④ sick

(15)Because Victor cannot attend practice regularly, Michael will ( ) the role of team leader starting next month.

① drive off ② take over ③ make sure ④ pull down

- (16)A: This jacket looks great, but it costs too much.  
B: I'll try to ( ) the price by negotiating with the store manager.  
① divide ② burst ③ run ④ talk
- (17)George earned his coworkers' trust because everyone ( ) him for his originality and thoughtful approach to solving problems.  
① looks up to ② goes away with  
③ takes away from ④ moves on with
- (18)If Tom's grandparents ( ) a computer earlier, they would not still rely on outdated office equipment today.  
① wouldn't buy ② haven't bought  
③ don't buy ④ hadn't bought
- (19)Monica practiced daily and followed strict training routines, but she failed to win the title ( ) her determined effort.  
① Above ② Despite ③ Outside ④ Within
- (20)Since becoming president, Shuntaro has worked even harder for the club, contributing ( ) than anyone expected.  
① all the best ② all the most  
③ all the more ④ all the better