

英文解釈の実践練習[品詞に強くなる]後期①

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解答時間 10 分

次の英文を読み、空所 (1)～(15) に入る最も適切な語を、下の選択肢から選び、番号で答えなさい。ただし、同じ語を繰り返し用いてはならない。

(A)

Many owners identify (1) they think is a dog's "guilty look", but science has (2) that this is actually a reaction (3) the owner's body language at that moment. Guilt is a relatively (4) emotion. The dog is simply (5) that it's about to be punished, without (6) what it's done wrong.

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| ① worried | ② why | ③ through | ④ what |
| ⑤ shown | ⑥ complex | ⑦ for | ⑧ produced |
| ⑨ that | ⑩ exists | ⑪ to | ⑫ necessary |
| ⑬ knowing | ⑭ created | ⑮ who | |

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The notion that religion is a force produced by cultural evolution, and that it primarily exists to produce functional benefits to individuals and groups can explain why religions are in decline in some parts of the world. As human societies created nations, and devised mechanisms for self-governance, the gods who were so effective at enforcing group norms and ethical behavior through punishment were no longer as necessary.

(A)

1	identify [aidentəfài]	動	～を見分ける、特定する
2	guilty [gílti]	形	罪悪感のある、有罪の
3	reaction [riækʃən]	名	反応
4	relatively [rélətivli]	副	比較的、相対的に
5	complex [kəmpléks]	形	複雑な

(B)

6	notion [nóʊʃən]	名	考え、概念
7	evolution [èvəlú:ʃən]	名	進化、発展
8	devise [diváiz]	動	～を考案する、工夫する
9	mechanism [mékənizəm]	名	仕組み、機構
10	enforce [infó:rs]	動	～を施行する、～を守らせる
11	ethical [éθikəl]	形	倫理的な、道德上の