



สถาบันทดสอบทางการศึกษาแห่งชาติ (องค์การมหาชน)  
National Institute of Educational Testing Service (Public Organization)

## รหัสวิชา 93 ภาษาอังกฤษ

สอบวันเสาร์ที่ 27 กุมภาพันธ์ 2559

เวลา 14.00 - 15.30 น.

ชื่อ.....นามสกุล..... เลขที่นั่งสอบ.....

สถานที่สอบ..... ห้องสอบ.....

### คำเตือน

1. ให้ผู้เข้าสอบปฏิบัติตามระเบียบ สทศ. ว่าด้วยแนวทางปฏิบัติเกี่ยวกับการดำเนินการทดสอบ พ.ศ. 2557 อย่างเคร่งครัด
2. ห้ามนำโทรศัพท์มือถือ หรือ อุปกรณ์สื่อสาร หรือ อุปกรณ์อิเล็กทรอนิกส์ทุกชนิดเข้าห้องสอบโดยเด็ดขาด
3. ห้ามคัดลอก บันทึกภาพ หรือ เผยแพร่แบบทดสอบ หรือ กระจายคำตอบโดยเด็ดขาด

หากผู้เข้าสอบฝ่าฝืนข้อปฏิบัติ สทศ. อาจดำเนินการ ดังนี้

1. ไม่ประกาศผลสอบในรายวิชานั้นๆ หรือ ทุกรายวิชา
2. แจ้งไปยังสถานศึกษาของผู้เข้าสอบ เพื่อดำเนินการทางวินัย
3. แจ้งพฤติกรรมฝ่าฝืนไปยังสถาบันการศึกษา เพื่อประกอบการรับเข้าศึกษาต่อ
4. ดำเนินคดีตามกฎหมายในกรณีที่เกิดความเสียหายแก่ระบบการทดสอบและ สทศ.

เอกสารนี้เป็นลิขสิทธิ์ของสถาบันทดสอบทางการศึกษาแห่งชาติ (องค์การมหาชน)  
การทำซ้ำหรือดัดแปลงหรือเผยแพร่งานดังกล่าว จะถูกดำเนินคดีตามกฎหมาย

Part 1: Conversation (10 ข้อ ข้อละ 2 คะแนน รวมเป็น 20 คะแนน)

Directions: Read the dialog and choose the best answer. (Questions 1-5)

At school:

Fonda: Are you okay? You look sad.

Nancy: I got an 'F' in Mathematics. I tried my best, but the exam was too difficult.

Fonda: \_\_\_\_ (1) \_\_\_\_.

1. Don't worry. Be happy
2. Don't do that again
3. Don't give up
4. Don't tell anyone about this

At a seaside resort:

Sara: What shall we do this afternoon?

Sonia: \_\_\_\_ (2) \_\_\_\_.

Sara: Umm, it's such a boring activity. Why don't we go diving?

Sonia: \_\_\_\_ (3) \_\_\_\_.

2. 1. I still have no idea what to do
2. Let's go sunbathing on the beach
3. I have to ask the rest of us first
4. Some of our friends won't go diving with us

3.
  1. I'm afraid we can't
  2. Because it's dangerous
  3. That sounds like a great idea
  4. We still have enough of time to go

On the skytrain:

Bill: Excuse me. Have we met before?

Ploy: I'm not sure. \_\_\_\_\_ (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Bill: Yes. But that was a year ago. I've moved to a new company.

Ploy: Oh, I see. Are you Bill?

Bill: Yes.

Ploy: \_\_\_\_\_ (5) \_\_\_\_\_. I'm Ploy.

4.
  1. Did you work at QD Company?
  2. Is your company near mine?
  3. Do you love your job?
  4. Can you remember my name?
  
5.
  1. You're so kind
  2. Good night Bill
  3. It's great we are friends
  4. Nice to see you Bill

Directions: Read the situations and choose the best answer. (Questions 6-10)

**Situation:** Daughter: Mom, I'm going shopping with my friends at Chatuchak Weekend Market.

Mother: Beware of pickpockets. There are a lot of people there.

Daughter: Thank you, mom.

6. The mother says that because \_\_\_\_\_.
1. she doesn't want her daughter to go there
  2. she wants her daughter to take good care of her purse
  3. she doesn't want to let her daughter go there alone
  4. she wants her daughter to be careful when buying things

**Situation:** Your friend asks your advice about how to lose weight.

7. What will you say?
1. Your problem is that you weigh too much.
  2. You need some good food for a happy life.
  3. The best way to do is to exercise more.
  4. If I were you, I'd gain some more weight.

**Situation:** You want to ask your co-worker for his opinion about your presentation.

8. What will you say?
1. Am I good enough?
  2. What do you think of it?
  3. Is my presentation a good one?
  4. Do you have any idea?

**Situation:** Your friend won the first prize of lottery, but he lost all the lottery tickets.

9. What will you say?
1. Sorry to hear that.
  2. Congratulations
  3. All the best.
  4. You just have a bad day.

**Situation:** A group of tourists has been looking for the Bangkok map for quite a while.

10. What will you say?
- 1: What are you doing?
  2. Do you want to take a taxi?
  3. Where are you from?
  4. Can I help you?

Part 2: Reading comprehension (15 ข้อ ข้อละ 2 คะแนน รวมเป็น 30 คะแนน)

Directions: Read the following passage and choose the best answer. (Questions 11 – 25)

Reading One (Questions 11 – 15)

(Paragraph 1) Toyota's new robot glides around like R2-D2 from the Star Wars movies. It is devoted to a single task: picking things up.

(Paragraph 2) HSR is short for "human support robot." It comes with a single mechanical arm. It can grasp objects of various shapes and sizes and also pick up smaller items with a tiny suction cup.

(Paragraph 3) It doesn't have other tricks, except for a computer panel on its head for surfing the Internet. A person can also access the robot from another computer and use it like a camera-phone.

(Paragraph 4) Kouichi Ikeda is its engineer. He is serious about using it to help around regular homes. First it will be for people with disabilities and then for the elderly in general. Picking up is especially challenging for people with spinal disorders, he said.

(Paragraph 5) "Although it can only do one simple task of picking up, it's already making disabled people quite happy. We're just getting started. But finally we want it to enter people's homes," he said.

11. What is NOT true about HSR?
1. It has a computer panel on its head.
  2. It has two special arms to grasp objects.
  3. It can pick up smaller items.
  4. It hasn't entered people's homes yet.
12. Which paragraph tells the readers who invents the robot?
1. Paragraph 2
  2. Paragraph 3
  3. Paragraph 4
  4. Paragraph 5
13. The word 'glides' means \_\_\_\_\_.
1. looks
  2. sits
  3. helps
  4. moves

14. The robot is expected to help disabled and \_\_\_\_\_ people.

1. young
2. old
3. small
4. overweight

15. What does 'its' refer to?

1. The robot's
2. The computer's
3. The Internet's
4. The camera-phone's



## Reading Two (Questions 16 – 20)

(Paragraph 1) The sharp decline of the elephant population in Tanzania, most likely due to poaching, is worrying. The country's government has just estimated that 65,721 elephants died there in the last five years. The report showed the number of Tanzanian elephants had plummeted. In 2009, there were an estimated 109,051. By 2014, the number was down to 43,330.

(Paragraph 2) The Tanzanian ports of Dar es Salaam and Zanzibar have also become main exit points for vast amounts of ivory. At least 45 tons of ivory have flowed from Tanzania to international markets in Asia since 2009.

(Paragraph 3) Across Tanzania, some smaller elephant populations had increased. In the famed Serengeti region, the numbers rose from 3,068 to 6,087 animals. However, beyond the most heavily visited tourist locations, elephant numbers were significantly down.

(Paragraph 4) The Tanzanian government says it has added an additional 1,000 rangers to protect wildlife. However, there is a real risk that it could be a case of too little too late for some elephant populations.

(Paragraph 5) In February, China imposed a one-year ban on ivory imports. The ban took immediate effect, but its citizens' desire for ivory has fueled poaching that threatens the life of African elephants.

16. What is the passage mainly about?
1. Tanzanian elephants in danger
  2. Elephants in Tanzania's tourist sites
  3. China's ban on ivory imports
  4. Protecting elephants in Tanzania
17. What is TRUE according to the passage?
1. Tanzania has a ban on ivory imports.
  2. The number of elephants has been falling throughout Tanzania.
  3. A large number of elephants were shot in Tanzania without permission.
  4. The vast amounts of ivory have been exported from Tanzania by plane.
18. The word 'threatens' is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.
1. changes
  2. improves
  3. prevents
  4. destroys

19. The government responds to the problem by \_\_\_\_\_.
1. putting a ban on the import of ivories
  2. increasing more staff to take care of the elephants
  3. moving the elephants from the tourists sites to safer areas
  4. making elephant hunting unlawful in Tanzania
20. The number of elephants in Tanzania five years ago was \_\_\_\_\_.
1. more than 100,000
  2. less than 100,000
  3. more than 50,000
  4. less than 50,000

**Reading Three (Questions 21 - 23)**

(Paragraph 1) Fast food is known for being convenient. But when it comes to nutrition, it is not considered to be the best choice. McDonald's says they want to change that. In July 2011, the company announced a plan to provide customers with healthier options. One change since then has been the addition of apple slices to Happy Meals.

(Paragraph 2) Now, the fast-food chain is enlisting kids' help to make changes to Happy Meals. Sarah Ralston, 11, and Elanya Saley, 9, won a contest to become honorary Happy Meal chefs. Their job is to help the company's executive chef, Dan Coudreaut, create a new Happy Meal option.

21. According to the passage, to make their Happy Meals healthier, McDonald's has added \_\_\_\_\_ to them.
1. fish
  2. beans
  3. vegetables
  4. fruits

22. According to the passage, the number of new Happy Meal creators is \_\_\_\_\_.

1. one .
2. two
3. three
4. four

23. What does 'it' refer to?

1. Fast food
2. McDonald's
3. Nutrition
4. Choice

Reading Four

Directions: Read the following table and choose the best answer. (Question 24)

Movie Schedule for November and December			
Date	Title	Duration (Minutes)	Movie Rating
14/ 11/ 2014	April Bride	129	G
28/ 11/ 2014	Live for Hope	60	G
12/ 12/ 2014	Yobi	86	PG
26/ 12/ 2014	The Proposal	108	PG

24. What is TRUE according to the table above?

1. Two movies are more than two hours long.
2. It takes two weeks to see another movie.
3. One film is less than an hour long.
4. Three films are shown in December.

Reading Five

Directions: Read the excerpt and choose the best answer. (Question 25)

**Taurus (April 20 – May 20)**

Be inventive, step outside the square and let go things that have been holding you back for some time. Let your imagination run wild and trust yourself to take a risk. Conversations with children will be important.

25. In which section of the newspaper is this excerpt likely to be found?

1. Entertainment
2. Horoscope
3. Classified ads
4. Business

Part 3: Grammar and Vocabulary (15 ข้อ ข้อละ 2 คะแนน รวม 30 คะแนน)

Directions: Choose the best answer. (Questions 26 – 40)

Passage One (Questions 26 – 30)

A big bowl of milk and cereal can be a great way to start the day. (26) \_\_\_\_\_ breakfast cereals and snack bars contain nutrients (27) \_\_\_\_\_ help our bodies stay (28) \_\_\_\_\_ and healthy, but some of these foods (29) \_\_\_\_\_ with too many vitamins and minerals.

According to a new study by the Environmental Working Group (EWG), this may be more harmful (30) \_\_\_\_\_ helpful.

- |                 |               |
|-----------------|---------------|
| 26. 1. Many     | 2. Much       |
| 3. Few          | 4. Little     |
| 27. 1. who      | 2. which      |
| 3. whose        | 4. when       |
| 28. 1. strength | 2. strong     |
| 3. strongly     | 4. strengthen |
| 29. 1. pack     | 2. packed     |
| 3. are packing  | 4. are packed |
| 30. 1. and      | 2. but        |
| 3. than         | 4. too        |



Passage Two (Questions 31 – 35)

A group of (31) \_\_\_\_\_ criminals have stolen 1.2 billion username and password combinations. It is the (32) \_\_\_\_\_ known collection of stolen Internet credentials, according to a New York Times report.

Cyber security firm Hold Security (33) \_\_\_\_\_ that the group of criminals collected personal information from 420,000 websites such as household names and small Internet sites. They (34) \_\_\_\_\_ websites inside Russia as well as big companies in the U.S. and (35) \_\_\_\_\_ countries. The firm cannot say exactly which websites were broken into.

- |                   |                |
|-------------------|----------------|
| 31. 1. Russia     | 2. Russian     |
| 3. Russians       | 4. Russian's   |
| 32. 1. large      | 2. larger      |
| 3. largest        | 4. very large  |
| 33. 1. found      | 2. was found   |
| 3. has been found | 4. was finding |
| 34. 1. hatched    | 2. hiked       |
| 3. hooked         | 4. hacked      |
| 35. 1. other      | 2. others      |
| 3. another        | 4. one another |



Passage Three (Questions 36 – 40)

When Wu Kai, a Harbin resident, looked (36) \_\_\_\_\_ her apartment window on Monday, she couldn't see anything. At first, she thought it (37) \_\_\_\_\_. Then she realized it was smog. Her husband left for work wearing a mask to (38) \_\_\_\_\_ his mouth and nose and stop him from breathing in the pollution. His regular bus wasn't out of service (39) \_\_\_\_\_ the low visibility.

Many people (40) \_\_\_\_\_ get around. Authorities in the city closed schools and some highways on Monday. Harbin's Taiping International Airport canceled or delayed at least 40 flights.

- |                |                |
|----------------|----------------|
| 36. 1. at      | 2. out         |
| 3. down        | 4. in          |
| 37. 1. snows   | 2. snowed      |
| 3. had snowed  | 4. was snowing |
| 38. 1. cover   | 2. lower       |
| 3. close       | 4. lock        |
| 39. 1. despite | 2. even though |
| 3. because of  | 4. because     |
| 40. 1. must    | 2. mustn't     |
| 3. could       | 4. couldn't    |

Part 4: Miscellaneous (10 ข้อ ข้อละ 2 คะแนน รวมเป็น 20 คะแนน)

Restatement

Directions: Choose the correct answer which has the same meaning as the given sentence. (Questions 41 – 45)

41. Tom is smarter than Big but not so smart as Paul.

1. Big is smarter than Paul.
2. Paul is smarter than Tom.
3. Big and Paul are smarter than Tom.
4. Tom is the smartest.

42. Jimmy was a fruit seller for 10 years.

1. Jimmy is now a fruit seller.
2. Jimmy has been selling fruits for 10 years.
3. Jimmy started selling fruits 10 years ago.
4. Jimmy is not a fruit seller anymore.

43. Henry's favorite food is spaghetti.

1. Henry loves spaghetti more than other food.
2. Spaghetti is one of the dishes that Henry likes.
3. Henry loves spaghetti as well as other food.
4. Henry doesn't mind eating spaghetti.

44. He forgot to bring an umbrella, so he got wet.
1. If he brings his umbrella, he won't get wet.
  2. Although he brought his umbrella, he got wet.
  3. Before he got wet, he forgot to bring his umbrella.
  4. He got wet because he forgot to bring his umbrella.
45. Either Thomas or Linda will hold a party.
1. Both of them will hold a party.
  2. One of them will hold a party.
  3. None of them will hold a party.
  4. Thomas not Linda will hold a party.

### Error Recognition

Directions: Choose the answer which is grammatically incorrect. (Questions 46 – 50)

46. Not (1) drinking enough water can lead (2) to health problems such as headaches, (3) poorly physical performance, and (4) more serious issues.
47. (1) Heavy rainfall caused the river (2) to overflow and (3) raise to a record breaking (4) 43-feet crest.
48. Around 88 million Americans (1) whom don't smoke, (2) including 54% of children (3) between the ages of 3 and 11, are (4) exposed to secondhand smoke.
49. The money (1) that the government collects from junk food taxes (2) will be put towards projects that (3) encouraging people to eat (4) healthy foods.
50. A school's football season (1) often begins in (2) late summer when temperatures are still (3) high, so there (4) are a greater risk for heat stroke.