1. Vocabulary: Choose the most appropriate word to complete each sentence (20%)

1. Fried chicken usually appeals to children. They are our ______ customers.
   (A) discounted  (B) primary  (C) detailed  (D) adjacent

2. Maybe some stars fall together and ______ at a central point.
   (A) un-name  (B) reimburse  (C) translate  (D) collapse

3. This country has a tradition of ______. For example, the individual’s freedom of choice is emphasized.
   (A) earth  (B) transaction  (C) liberty  (D) breeze

4. When my daughter was three years old, I became ______ for another baby.
   (A) eager  (B) immune  (C) random  (D) tiny

5. Her actions were a ______ of her loyalty to John.
   (A) obesity  (B) token  (C) twilight  (D) digestion

6. ‘_______’ means ‘very beautiful’ which is often used to describe women.
   (A) Administrative  (B) Aerobic  (C) Supportive  (D) Gorgeous

7. Mary is ______ her studies at PCCU in Taipei.
   (A) pursuing  (B) reflecting  (C) sweeping  (D) rubbing

8. In 1938, the allies ______ this country.
   (A) reduced  (B) invaded  (C) concluded  (D) theorized

9. Job and time ______ are not important to Tom and he seldom follows plans seriously.
   (A) galaxies  (B) juries  (C) headwaters  (D) commitments

10. Helen does not eat this food because it has been ______ by ants.
    (A) contaminated  (B) inscribed  (C) grumbled  (D) complained

1. Grammar: Choose the one word or phrase that best completes the sentence. (20%)

1. It is ______ day that travel advisories have been issued for most of the major highways.
   A. such snowy  B. so snowy  C. such a snowy  D. such snowy a

2. Smith wrote his first poem ______.
   A. while he worked a porter in a saloon in New York
   B. while working as a porter in a saloon in New York
C. while worked as a porter in a saloon in New York
D. while he was worked as a porter in a saloon in New York

3. It is not safe to get off a car ___.
   A. unless it is in motion          C. after you have opened the window
   B. until it has come to a stop     D. before the traffic light turns red

4. The rich woman offered a reward to ___ restore her lost car.
   A. who should    B. who would    C. whoever should    D. whomever should

5. ___ raw materials into useful products is called manufacturing.
   A. Transform      B. Transforming  C. Being transformed  D. When transforming

6. In the eastern part of New Jersey ___, a major shipping and manufacturing center.
   A. lies the city of Elizabeth   C. around the city of Elizabeth lies
   B. the city of Elizabeth lies there  D. there lies the city of Elizabeth around

7. A panda’s primary activity is sleep, ___ its waking hours looking for food.
   A. that it spends     B. for spending   C. will spend    D. and it spends

8. Learning to use machines ___ very important today.
   A. is    B. being    C. are    D. were

9. It is likely that of all the factors affecting consumer behaviors, price is the one ___ the most.
   A. that influences consumers   C. consumers that it influences
   B. it influences consumers     D. why consumers influence it

10. Niagara Falls actually comprises ___ split by Goat Island.
    A. two waterfalls are natural  C. they are two natural waterfalls
    B. that two waterfalls are natural  D. two natural waterfalls
1. Close test: Choose one best word or phrase for each blank to complete each sentence context (20%)

If you have ever flown across several time zones, you have experienced (1). You arrived in a new time zone, but your body was still living on the time in the old zone. You were wide awake and ready for dinner (2) the night, and you wanted to sleep all day.

People suffer from jet lag because all living things have a (3). Plants and animals are all in rhythm with the natural divisions of time—day and night and the seasons.

(4), most birds wake up and start singing. When the sun (5), they go to sleep. When spring arrives, they start looking for a mate. When winter comes, some birds (6) to a region with a warmer climate. Their biological clocks tell them that it is time to do all of these things.

Animals that live near the sea and (7) both the land and water for their food have their biological clocks set with the tides. When the tide (8), they know that it is time to search for the food that the sea (9).

Some insects seem to set their alarm clocks to wake them up at night. They (10) all night looking for food, and then they sleep during the day. Honeybees have a very strong sense of time. They can tell by the position of the sun exactly when their favorite flowers open.

1. (A) opt-in system (B) fossil fuel (C) jet lag (D) memory distortion
2. (A) in the middle of (B) in practice (C) on duty (D) to the point
3. (A) aerobic exercise (B) biological clock (C) poisonous chemical (D) rolling vibration
4. (A) By nature (B) In good company (C) Instead of (D) At dawn
5. (A) disposers of (B) compares to (C) goes down (D) puts away
6. (A) descend (B) migrate (C) sneeze (D) deteriorate
7. (A) depend on (B) attract attention (C) are convicted of (D) fail to
8. (A) seeks to (B) makes demands (C) calls for (D) goes out
9. (A) committed to (B) went forward (C) left behind (D) resulted in
10. (A) break down (B) stay out (C) give in (D) lead up to
Passage A:

Just like other places in the world, Hawaii has its own rules of etiquette. Etiquette includes good manners and the way one is expected to act. Here are some tips on customs and etiquette in Hawaii that are good to know in case you travel there.

The most important time to remember to have good manners is when you visit someone’s home. Most people in Hawaii take their shoes off before entering a house. Forgetting to do so can be seen as very rude. Therefore, if you’re unsure whether or not you should remove your shoes, take a look around. If there are lots of shoes in the entryway, take yours off. Otherwise, ask the host to be sure.

You should also bring a small gift, such as a dessert, when visiting. This action often turns a get-together into a potluck, with everyone bringing some food to share. After an event, guests are expected to take a plate of food home with them. You will either be asked to make one for yourself, or be offered one by the host. Even if you do not intend to eat the food, taking the plate shows good manners. It is said to be impolite to have a host with large amounts of leftovers.

No matter where you travel in the world, take some time to look into the local customs and etiquette beforehand. By doing so, you show proper respect for others and their culture, thus reducing the chance of hurting anyone’s feelings.

1. Which is an example of etiquette?
   A. Shaking someone’s hand when you meet him or her.
   B. Waking up early in the morning.
   C. Visiting a local museum.
   D. Asking someone for directions while traveling.

2. Which is not a custom mentioned in the article?
   A. Bringing a gift for the host of a get-together.
   B. Leaving lots of leftovers for the host’s family.
   C. Accepting a plate of food that is offered to you.
   D. Remembering to take your shoes off.
3. What message is stressed in the last paragraph?
   A. Hawaii has a very polite culture
   B. Good manners are important no matter where you go.
   C. Visiting someone’s home in a different country can be troublesome.
   D. You should only follow the customs of your own culture.

4. Where can we probably find this article?
   A. In a local Hawaiian newspaper.
   B. In a US history textbook.
   C. In a catalogue of Hawaiian clothes.
   D. In a travel magazine.

Passage B:

Music began with early Christian groups singing and worshiping. This early form of music was called chanting. Historically, there are no records of this because music notation had not been developed yet, therefore its transmission was oral. Around 600 A.D. there was some disagreement about how to sing during religious services due to the variety of musical dialects. Pope Gregory the First knew there was danger and sent monks all over to see how the different priests were chanting in their services. This led to a meeting which caused the creation of an official way in which Christian songs should be sung and became known as the Gregorian Chant.

There are three types of Gregorian Chant: syllabic, neumatic, and melismatic. Syllabic chants are usually sung by a congregation because they are the easiest to sing. This is a simple chant with one note for each syllable. The neumatic chant with approximately three to five notes per syllable can be sung by a congregation but is usually performed by a soloist. The last type of chant, melismatic, can have up to 100 notes per syllable and must be sung by an advanced vocalist.

Another distinguishing feature of Gregorian chants is that they are monodic. Monodic means that they only contain one line of music at a time, which can be sung by an individual or a group of people all at the
In contrast, polyphonic music has more than one line of music at the same time, and all of these lines can not possibly be sung by the same person. This music was created because composers became frustrated with the monodic structure of the Gregorian chant.

5. What is the main topic of the passage?

6. Why are there no records of early music?
   A. They had no way of writing down musical notes.
   B. Writing hadn't been invented yet.
   C. Each church wanted to keep their music a secret.
   D. It was dangerous to write music down.

7. What are the types of Gregorian Chant mentioned in the passage?
   A. monodic, polyphonic, and neumatic  B. melismatic, syllabic, and monodic
   C. syllabic, neumatic, and melismatic  D. polyphonic, syllabic, and melismatic

8. According to the passage, which kind of chant is the most difficult?
   A. syllabic  B. neumatic  C. melismatic  D. monodic

9. Why was polyphonic music created?
   A. Songwriters were fed with the limited possibilities of monodic music.
   B. The Pope feared that Gregorian Chants would not be accepted by all of the religious groups.
   C. Monodic music became unpopular with the congregations.
   D. Composers did not understand how to write monodic music.

10. What paragraph would most likely follow this passage?
    A. Examples of the three types of Gregorian Chant
    B. Other types of music sung in church
    C. A history of the popes who succeeded Pope Gregory I
    D. Information about the different kinds of polyphonic music
V. Translation 翻譯 20%

A. 英翻中 10%
1. There are many factors that can cause an animal or plant species to become endangered. The main cause of species endangerment is humanity's destruction of both water and land habitats. Deforestation and soil, air, and water pollution can all destroy habitat.

2. In addition to physiological difficulties, many astronauts may also suffer from psychological stress caused by confined environment and feeling of loneliness and depression due to long periods of time away from family and friends.

B. 中翻英 10%
1. 我們體驗得愈多，愈能對周遭的人事有所包容。

2. 假如你更用功點，上學期的英文就不會被當了。