

<b>Lesson 4 - Lesson 6</b> 定期考査用問題	Class	No.	Name	/100
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**1. Choose a phrase from the box and complete each sentence.** (3点×5=15点)

- (1) Most students bring their own mobile battery \_\_\_\_\_.
- (2) Some employees are willing \_\_\_\_\_ because they can get higher wages than on the day shift.
- (3) It is often said that Japanese companies are too slow \_\_\_\_\_.
- (4) Some vending machines are supposed \_\_\_\_\_ as disaster relief support.
- (5) In my view, household robots will enable people \_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) to free themselves from annoying house chores and save time  
 (b) to serve people in need their drinks for free                      (c) to work on the night shift  
 (d) to recharge their smartphones    (e) to market their new products

**2. Fill each blank with a suitable word. In (2) and (4), put a word that begins with the letter shown.**

(3点×5=15点)

- (1) 食品廃棄は世界の先進国に共通する問題である。  
 (            )(            ) is a problem that is common in the developed nations of the world.
- (2) 現代技術を使うのをためらう年配の農家がいるにちがいない。  
 There must be old farmers who ( a            )( r            ) to use modern technology.
- (3) 電力消費量を考慮に入れると、24時間営業は制限されるべきだ。  
 Thinking about the (            )(            ) of electricity, 24-hour operations should be restricted.
- (4) 有機農家は化学肥料を使わずに野菜や穀物を育てます。  
 Organic farmers produce their vegetables and grains without using ( c            )( f            ).
- (5) 各小売店の売り上げの減少は大変深刻であり、店長はみな神経をすり減らしているかもしれない。  
 The (            )(            )(            ) at each store is so serious that the store managers may all be feeling very nervous.

**3. Translate the sentences below into Japanese.** (3点×5=15点)

- (1) The average age of Japanese farmers is getting higher. This is because farming doesn't attract the young.  
 日本人農家の平均年齢は高齢化が進んでいる。\_\_\_\_\_。
- (2) Some convenience store chains have already stopped their 24/7 operations.  
 いくつかのコンビニチェーンは\_\_\_\_\_。
- (3) Ken is going to major in agriculture and engineering in college as he's interested in smart farming.  
 ケンは\_\_\_\_\_。
- (4) Electric appliances made in Japan are said to have too many functions.  
 日本製の家電製品は\_\_\_\_\_。
- (5) Climate change doesn't always have negative results. It is now possible to grow rice in Hokkaido, though it wasn't in the past.  
 気候変動は必ずしも負の結果をもたらすとは限りません。昔は不可能でしたが、\_\_\_\_\_。

**4. Put the words in brackets in the most suitable order.** (4点×5=20点)

- (1) 週に3回ゴミ出しすることが家族内のナナの役割です。  
Taking [ a role / times / the garbage / is / out / a week / three ] Nana has to play in her family.  
Taking \_\_\_\_\_ Nana has to play in her family.
- (2) もしAIが人間の仕事を代替するなら、たいていの企業は人件費の多くを削減できるだろう。  
If AI replaces human jobs, most [ a lot / labor costs / firms / be able to / of / will / their / reduce ].  
If AI replaces human jobs, most \_\_\_\_\_.
- (3) 最近ファミレスやコンビニチェーンでますます多くの外国人アルバイトを見かけます。  
Nowadays, I [ part-time workers / an / at / see / number / foreign / of / increasing ] chain restaurants and convenience stores.  
Nowadays, I \_\_\_\_\_ chain restaurants and convenience stores.
- (4) 外国語学習分野における近年の技術革新は大きな変革をもたらすはずである。  
Recent [ the field / language / development / of / learning / in / technological / foreign ] ought to be a game changer.  
Recent \_\_\_\_\_ ought to be a game changer.
- (5) 日本の農業における労働者と後継者不足は大変深刻なので、できる限り早急に新政策が導入されなければならない。  
Labor [ lack / agriculture / successors / are / shortages / in / and / Japanese / of ] so serious that a new policy must be introduced as soon as possible.  
Labor \_\_\_\_\_ so serious that a new policy must be introduced as soon as possible.

**5. Read the following dialog and put T (True) or F (False) in the brackets.** (4点×5=20点)

Ken: Hi, Meg. Did you know that SK Mart's going to shorten its operating hours from June? I saw a notice saying so at the store this morning.

Meg: No, I didn't know, but I have no problem with that at all. I don't think we need around-the-clock convenience stores. And I read in the newspaper that many convenience stores are planning to close at night for environmental reasons.

Ken: They may say so, but I think it's mainly because they're short of workers.

Meg: Don't be so cynical!

Ken: Well, it's going to be inconvenient for me because I often go to SK Mart to get something to eat before morning practices at school.

- (1) Ken learned online about SK Mart's shortening of its operating hours. [     ]
- (2) Meg already knew about SK Mart's decision before this conversation took place. [     ]
- (3) Meg thinks that people don't need convenience stores with 24-hour operation. [     ]
- (4) Ken has almost the same opinion as Meg about the shortening of operating hours. [     ]
- (5) Ken often goes to SK Mart in the early morning to get some food. [     ]

**6. What is your opinion about using generative AI when you study English? Write your answer in about 90 words.** (15点)

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1. Choose a phrase from the box and complete each sentence. (3点×5=15点)

- (1) Most students bring their own mobile battery (d).
- (2) Some employees are willing (c) because they can get higher wages than on the day shift.
- (3) It is often said that Japanese companies are too slow (e).
- (4) Some vending machines are supposed (b) as disaster relief support.
- (5) In my view, household robots will enable people (a).

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| (a) to free themselves from annoying house chores and save time | (c) to work on the night shift   |
| (b) to serve people in need their drinks for free               | (e) to market their new products |
| (d) to recharge their smartphones                               |                                  |

2. Fill each blank with a suitable word. In (2) and (4), put a word that begins with the letter shown.

(3点×5=15点)

- (1) 食品廃棄は世界の先進国に共通する問題である。  
(Food) (waste) is a problem that is common in the developed nations of the world.
- (2) 現代技術を使うのをためらう年配の農家がいるにちがいない。  
There must be old farmers who (are) (reluctant) to use modern technology.
- (3) 電力消費量を考慮に入れると、24時間営業は制限されるべきだ。  
Thinking about the (energy) (consumption) of electricity, 24-hour operations should be restricted.
- (4) 有機農家は化学肥料を使わずに野菜や穀物を育てます。  
Organic farmers produce their vegetables and grains without using (chemical) (fertilizers).
- (5) 各小売店の売り上げの減少は大変深刻であり、店長はみな神経をすり減らしているかもしれない。  
The (decrease) (in) (sales) at each store is so serious that the store managers may all be feeling very nervous.

3. Translate the sentences below into Japanese. (3点×5=15点)

- (1) The average age of Japanese farmers is getting higher. This is because farming doesn't attract the young.  
日本人農家の平均年齢は高齢化が進んでいる。これは農業が若者を引きつけないからである。
- (2) Some convenience store chains have already stopped their 24/7 operations.  
いくつかのコンビニチェーンはすでに年中無休営業をやめている。
- (3) Ken is going to major in agriculture and engineering in college as he's interested in smart farming.  
ケンにはスマート農業に興味があるので大学で農学と工学を専攻するつもりです。
- (4) Electric appliances made in Japan are said to have too many functions.  
日本製の家電製品は多機能すぎると言われている。
- (5) Climate change doesn't always have negative results. It is now possible to grow rice in Hokkaido, though it wasn't in the past.  
気候変動は必ずしも負の結果をもたらすとは限りません。昔は不可能でしたが、今は北海道で稲作が可能になっています。

4. Put the words in brackets in the most suitable order. (4点×5=20点)

(1) 週に3回ゴミ出しすることが家族内のナナの役割です。

Taking [ a role / times / the garbage / is / out / a week / three ] Nana has to play in her family.

Taking out the garbage three times a week is a role Nana has to play in her family.

(2) もしAIが人間の仕事を代替するなら、たいていの企業は人件費の多くを削減できるだろう。

If AI replaces human jobs, most [ a lot / labor costs / firms / be able to / of / will / their / reduce ].

If AI replaces human jobs, most firms will be able to reduce a lot of their labor costs.

(3) 最近ファミレスやコンビニチェーンでますます多くの外国人アルバイトを見かけます。

Nowadays, I [ part-time workers / an / at / see / number / foreign / of / increasing ] chain restaurants and convenience stores.

Nowadays, I see an increasing number of foreign part-time workers at chain restaurants and convenience stores.

(4) 外国語学習分野における近年の技術革新は大きな変革をもたらすはずである。

Recent [ the field / language / development / of / learning / in / technological / foreign ] ought to be a game changer.

Recent technological development in the field of foreign language learning ought to be a game changer.

(5) 日本の農業における労働者と後継者不足は大変深刻なので、できる限り早急に新政策が導入されなければならない。

Labor [ lack / agriculture / successors / are / shortages / in / and / Japanese / of ] so serious that a new policy must be introduced as soon as possible.

Labor shortages and lack of successors in Japanese agriculture are so serious that a new policy must be introduced as soon as possible.

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Meg: Don't be so cynical!

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(1) Ken learned online about SK Mart's shortening of its operating hours. [ F ]

(2) Meg already knew about SK Mart's decision before this conversation took place. [ F ]

(3) Meg thinks that people don't need convenience stores with 24-hour operation. [ T ]

(4) Ken has almost the same opinion as Meg about the shortening of operating hours. [ F ]

(5) Ken often goes to SK Mart in the early morning to get some food. [ T ]

6. What is your opinion about using generative AI when you study English? Write your answer in about 90 words. (15点)

In my view, it's not good to depend on generative AI when learning English. Let me tell you why I think so. My English teachers often ask me to submit English essays for homework. It's difficult for me to write such a lot of English. I therefore want to use generative AI to help me and easily get my assignments done. However, this won't help me improve my English ability. On the contrary, my ability will decline as I do nothing to improve it. This is why I believe we shouldn't use generative AI. (94 words)