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1) One good way to persuade someone is to _____. One mother did it this way. She left her four-year-old son in the house while she ran out to throw something in the trash can. When she returned to the house, her son had locked the door. She started to ask him to open the door, but she knew he was at the age where he was saying "No" to everything. She thought that insisting that he open the door would result in an hour-long battle of wills. Then an idea occurred to her. She thought about what he truly valued, cared about, or was really interested in. In a sad voice, she said to him, "Oh, too bad. You just locked yourself in the house. Now you can't go out with me to play after lunch." The door opened at once.

- ① use long and insisting words
- ② try hard to reject the other person
- ③ let the other person know your grief
- ④ encourage the other person to talk about others
- ⑤ talk in terms of the other person's interests

2) A recent study shows that kids who watch a lot of TV are more likely to be _____ than those who do not. Can you guess why? It's because of commercials on TV! The junk food is often advertised in commercials by their favorite cartoon characters. It is so appealing that kids just want to go out and get it right away! Kids who watch a lot of TV and those attractive commercials are also likely to stay only at home and be getting less exercise.

- ① active
- ② violent
- ③ diligent
- ④ humorous
- ⑤ overweight

3) Deciding whether your child is bright, and how and when to give them right kind of attention, requires careful observation. For this, it can be very helpful to _____, though it may sound like a bit of hard work. It helps you to take a step outside the routine of everyday living, so that you can get a clearer, more objective view of what is happening in your family. Then, looking back, you may be able to see how situations have developed, and how they can be changed. A daily record book will help you not only to judge whether you have a bright child but also to watch his or her emotional development.

- ① keep a diary
- ② praise them
- ③ write a letter
- ④ play together
- ⑤ read them stories

4) Now, more than ever, good job opportunities are opening up for the person who speaks well before a group. Even though you do not intend to become a lawyer, a radio or television announcer, or a professor, you have good reason to learn how to speak effectively. For example, you take part in various group activities every day. If you want to stand out from the group, you have to make your ideas and feelings known to others. You won't be noticed if you shyly whisper at the corner, "Me, too." There comes a time when you must _____.

- ① learn a foreign language
- ② hide your feelings
- ③ stand up and speak out
- ④ develop your creativity
- ⑤ listen to others carefully

5) I believe that a person can find truth in life by _____. For example, I know a carpenter who has devoted himself to his work for years. He has got great skills and can also tell much about life. Unfortunately, young people graduating from school quickly grow impatient with their unattractive, basic-level jobs. They wonder if their work will lead to anything meaningful, and they ask for different responsibilities—but they may never be satisfied. If our knowledge is broad but shallow, we really know nothing. Yet developing one skill in great depth can show truth in life.

- ① admitting what he cannot do
- ② meeting people in other fields
- ③ reading as many books as possible
- ④ learning from his elders' experiences
- ⑤ focusing on one thing and mastering it

6) What makes a good walk? Most of all, a good walk should be _____. There should be rich colors to delight our eyes and sweet sound to ring in our ears. Spring flowers, summer trees, autumn leaves, and winter snow are all nice surprises along the way. The singing of birds, murmuring of a stream, whispering of the wind, and happy talking of people are the symphonic sounds of a good walk. You can look around or pick up flowers or sit for a while in the course of a long walk. After this good refreshing walk, you'll feel alive and relaxed.

*murmur (시냇물 등이) 졸졸 흐르다

- ① long and tiring
- ② done as fast as possible
- ③ taken regularly if possible
- ④ a pleasant experience to our senses
- ⑤ done considering our physical condition

7) While some things certainly help burn extra calories, do not think they are an easy way out. For instance, caffeine might help you lose a few calories, and you start to think along the lines of "oh well, if 250 mg will burn an extra 10%, let's go for 500 mg." You may end up experiencing trembling hands and sleeplessness long before you start going down a size. For great success, some people reduce food and eventually just starve themselves. But they end up slowing down their metabolism instead. The lower the metabolism rate, the harder it is for the body to burn fat. So do not try to be _____. This would only ruin your health.

*metabolism 신진대사

- ① extreme
- ② selfish
- ③ repetitive
- ④ accurate
- ⑤ professional

8) There are so many things for an inexperienced tennis player to think about at the same time. He must remember to bend his knees. He must think of keeping his eyes on the ball. He must remember to hold his wrist straight and follow through on his swing. An inexperienced reader also has to remember many things at once. He must try to read in phrases, not word by word. He must analyze new words, look for the main idea, and read important details. And at the same time, he must read faster and faster. Thus, learning to read well is like _____.

- ① supporting tennis players
- ② learning to improve in a sport
- ③ respecting the spirit of fair play
- ④ considering teamwork important
- ⑤ being interested in sports

9) A film star probably thinks about his last film all the time, a politician about her last election, and an author about her last novel. So when discussing the work of stars, politicians, authors or any VIP, try to focus your comments on their _____. Telling Woody Allen how much you loved his 1980 film *Stardust Memories* would not create any appreciation towards you. "What about all my wonderful films since?" he would ask. Stick to the very recent past if possible.

- ① current work
- ② smallest thing
- ③ positive reviews
- ④ greatest achievement
- ⑤ international relations

10) Playing the piano helps people _____. This skill can be developed for both younger and older students. There are many things with regard to piano playing that build this ability: remembering a particular exercise, memorizing an entire sheet of music for a performance, and so on. Memorizing music can do wonders for your everyday memory. So piano playing not only benefits your ears, but it also benefits your brain. The more you practice, the more you are getting important skills that can be carried through to all parts of your life.

- ① connect with the past
- ② build a better memory
- ③ better understand music
- ④ sense their surroundings
- ⑤ produce faster response

11) Social enterprises are organizations which apply market-based strategies to achieve a social purpose. But their real aim is _____. For example, charity shops are a type of social enterprise. They usually sell mainly second-hand goods donated by members of the public, and are often run by volunteers. Most people prefer buying these second-hand goods as these shops use fewer natural resources and would appear to do less damage to our nature than through buying new goods.

- ① to accomplish environmental targets
- ② to educate the public to make better investments
- ③ to strengthen volunteer programs in local government
- ④ to lend money to small businesses that have difficulties
- ⑤ to employ individuals from disadvantaged backgrounds

12) The killdeer is the _____ of the bird world. If an enemy comes by while the killdeer sits on its nest on the ground, it drops to the ground near the enemy, always far away from the nest. One wing is extended over the back as if wounded, the other beats wildly in the dust, and the tail feathers are spread. The bird lies flat on the ground, constantly crying kill-dee-dee-ee as though in the greatest pain. The bird continues this performance, allowing itself to be almost caught until the enemy is away from the nesting area. Thinking an injured bird is easy to catch, the enemy ignores the nest and follows the bird. After the killdeer moves far away from the nest, it flies off and the enemy ends up empty-pawed.

- ① actor
- ② artist
- ③ doctor
- ④ singer
- ⑤ magician

13) We humans have the strong desire to _____. It is one of human's strangest but most widespread natures. We put off visiting local attractions or cashing in gift certificates because we mistakenly expect to have more free time in the future. We keep holding on to prized bottles of wine because we keep picturing some ideal future occasion for using them. One way to avoid it is to give yourself deadlines for fun. You could make up your mind to cash in your gift certificates by January, and to uncork your expensive wine this Friday, celebrating the first weekend of the year.

- ① conquer nature
- ② succeed in life
- ③ escape the past
- ④ postpone pleasure
- ⑤ create something new

14) Perception is a knowledge about the object or person which is present before the perceiver. To make this point clear, let's take an example. A woman meets a friend in her office. On returning home after work, she tells her family about the friend she has met earlier in the office. While talking to her family members about the person, she may have an image of the person in her mind. But, this is not called perception because _____. None of her sensory organs are gathering information about him. She is simply describing the friend on the basis of her memory. She is just referring back to the memory in his absence.

- ① the family don't know who the person is
- ② the person does not exist before her
- ③ the person is not in her memory
- ④ it is made through her senses
- ⑤ it is not made in her brain

15) When first lady Betty Ford announced that she had had breast surgery in 1974, people were surprised. Breast-cancer survivors at the time were often afraid to mention their treatment, even to friends. Today, many people in the public eye, particularly celebrities, feel comfortable _____. Brooke Shields has acknowledged her depression. Michael J. Fox has written about his struggle with Parkinson's disease. Elizabeth Taylor has updated fans about her heart surgery through Twitter. Naturally, patients sympathize with those celebrities, closely follow their battles with serious illnesses, and have hope themselves.

- ① chatting with friends online
- ② expressing their own opinions
- ③ sharing their medical problems
- ④ bringing laughter to the public
- ⑤ talking about their family history

16) I'm now going to tell you one of the biggest secrets to coming up with ideas. It's something that will change your life! When you get an idea, _____. Comedian Sinbad can memorize an hour-long comedy routine, but he told me that when he gets an idea, it will disappear in a flash unless he captures it: "I've had ideas and I'll call my secretary to tell her, and then only to say to myself, 'Oh, I forgot the idea.' So now if an idea comes up, I will always stop and make a note wherever I am, even at dinner." Respected travel writer Pico Iyer says, "I make a huge amount of notes then and there. I don't trust myself to keep it in my head."

- ① write it down
- ② memorize it
- ③ give it a thought
- ④ put it into action
- ⑤ tell it to someone

17) It is usually _____ in the mountains, but why? Although we are not aware of it, we live at the bottom of an ocean of air. The atmosphere of our planet presses down on us all the time. Air pressure is greater near the ground than it is higher in the sky. The higher the air pressure, generally the warmer the temperature. The molecules nearer sea level are compressed together and when the molecules compress together, the air gets warmer. Try pumping up a tire with a bicycle pump. When you push the piston down, you compress the air inside. After pumping for a while, you can feel the pump get warmer as the compressed air inside heats up.

*molecule 분자

- ① drier
- ② cooler
- ③ darker
- ④ cloudier
- ⑤ quieter

18) In China there is a bamboo tree that is planted, watered, and fertilized for the first four years and nothing happens. There is no visible sign of growth. But some time during the fifth year, the bamboo tree grows about 90 feet in six weeks. The question is: Did the bamboo tree grow in six weeks or did it take five years to grow? If the bamboo had not received water and fertilizer during the four years, would the plant have flourished? NO. The bamboo tree would have died. The lesson is clear. _____ and keep doing the right thing. Even though the results may not be visible, something is happening.

- ① Have patience
- ② Be creative
- ③ Criticize others
- ④ Help the poor
- ⑤ Share your wealth

19) If you find that you don't know what you want to do with your life, try meeting with a career coach or counselor who can help you to identify your passions and how you can pursue them professionally. And chasing success is never easy, but it can be easier if you _____. Focus on an individual who is successful in his or her field and model some of your actions after his or hers. Your role model doesn't have to work in the same field as you. What's important is to aim at the habits that can help you in your field. Look at how he or she handled difficulties or how much determination it took to keep pursuing goals.

- ① hide your negative feelings
- ② have a lifelong job
- ③ use your sense of humor
- ④ are careful what you say
- ⑤ follow in someone else's footsteps

20) Insects make up about four-fifths of all the animals on earth. More than 900,000 kinds of insects are known. Fortunately, only a few of them are harmful. Perhaps the greatest harm is done by crop-eating insects, which destroy millions of tons of grain, vegetables, and fruits every year. You have probably also seen many trees, flowers, and bushes destroyed by insects. But what is surprising is that some plants _____. The pitcher plant is one of them. The leaves of this plant form a pitcher-shaped container that holds rainwater. The rim of the container has stiff hairs pointing downward. Insects that enter the "pitcher" are unable to climb out because of the hairs. In their struggle, the insects fall into the water and drown, and they are digested by the plant.

- ① help insects survive
- ② fight back by eating insects
- ③ communicate with each other
- ④ serve as a cure for illness
- ⑤ pollute the natural environment

21) The giant redwood trees in California are amazing. They are the largest living things on earth and the tallest trees in the world. Some of them are 300 feet high and more than 2,500 years old. You would think that redwood trees would have a very great root system, reaching down hundreds of feet into the earth. But that is not the case. Redwoods have a very shallow root system. If one of these trees is separated from the others—if they are cut down—then the tree will begin to die. It won't get enough water, and its roots will be torn out by a strong wind. Finally the tree will fall. But together, in a group of redwoods, the roots of each tree intertwine and hold one another. If any tree begins to sway, all the other trees around it hold on to its roots and give it strength. They _____. So do we!

- ① have their own problems
- ② compete with one another
- ③ need one another to survive
- ④ seek the shelter from the sun
- ⑤ want to have everything without effort

22) Crumple a small scrap of newspaper into the bottom of a tall drinking glass. The paper should remain in the bottom when the glass is turned upside down. Fill a bowl with water. Hold the glass upside down and push it straight down to the bottom of the bowl. Make sure the paper will not fall out when you turn the glass upside down. Now, remove the glass and take out the newspaper. The newspaper is _____! This is what happens. Water cannot fill the glass because the glass is already filled with air. The glass is really not empty but is full of air. The air in the glass pushes down on the surface of the water and prevents the water from filling the glass. However, if the glass were turned on its side under water, the air would be released and then water would fill the glass.

*crumple 구기다, 찌부러뜨리다

- ① dry
- ② dirty
- ③ torn
- ④ thick
- ⑤ soft

23) In the old days, we enjoyed a strong degree of neighborliness in our villages. Neighbors know each other by first name, help each other when the need arose, and live and play together. Such friendships cut across race, language, and age. Nowadays as we upgrade into very beautiful new apartment houses, we have somehow lost the warmth, personal touch, and connections of our old villages. The loss of this community spirit is an unavoidable process of development. Many people today complain that such a spirit of _____ is lost when they move to new apartment houses. Ironically, although apartments have many common spaces and community events, many families stay private and live within their own homes.

- ① equality
- ② economy
- ③ challenge
- ④ competition
- ⑤ togetherness

24) Getting rid of waste materials is basically a way of returning back to the earth what we took from it. Since all materials that we use are taken from the earth, they have to be returned in order to be used again. In fact, nothing is created or destroyed, but everything is changed in form. For example, an apple is obtained from the earth. Basically it consists of minerals taken from the earth but made in a form we can eat. When we eat it, it becomes part of our body for a while and then returns to the earth in the form of waste. Then this waste is made into a new form and reused. In this way, a cycle is set up. This is nature's ways of dealing with wastes: to _____ in a way that is acceptable to the earth.

- ① recycle them
- ② sort them out
- ③ collect them regularly
- ④ dry them for storage
- ⑤ leave them out of doors

25) When I do the dishes I enjoy taking my time with each dish, being fully aware of the dish, the water, and each movement of my hands. I know that if I hurry in order to eat dessert sooner, the time of washing dishes will be unpleasant. That would be a pity, for each minute, each second of life is a miracle. The dishes themselves and the fact that I am here washing them are miracles! If I am incapable of washing dishes joyfully, if I want to finish them quickly so I can go and have dessert, I will be equally incapable of enjoying my dessert. With the fork in my hand, I will be thinking about what to do next, and the flavor of the dessert, together with the pleasure of eating it, will be lost. I will never be able to _____.

- ① live in the present moment
- ② forget about the painful past
- ③ develop a plan for the future
- ④ think or make good decisions
- ⑤ spend much time daydreaming

26) My oldest son wanted to move to Beijing to learn Chinese and explore a different culture. I was a bit concerned that he would be far away and communication with home would be difficult. But times have changed. We can get news live from around the world through the Internet. My son introduced me to online chatting and through a small webcam, we now talk several times a week free of charge. All of a sudden, thanks to modern day technology, _____.

- ① the generation gap has disappeared
- ② nationality doesn't matter any longer
- ③ distances don't seem so great anymore
- ④ we don't need to study foreign languages
- ⑤ memories of the past can be reached any time

27) Certain announcements like "You're fired," or "There's been an accident," make you feel shocked. When you hear them, remember this healthy way to cope: get some _____. In one experiment, researchers asked people to think of a difficult episode from their past. Those in one group were told to relive the event as if it were happening again; the others were instructed to recall the memory, stepping back from the scene as if it were a video. Surprisingly, the latter group felt less stressed and had lower blood pressure.

*relive 되살리다

- ① distance
- ② sleep
- ③ food
- ④ exercise
- ⑤ criticism

28) Consciously and unconsciously, people tend to imitate those around them. That's why the latest research shows that things like happiness, depression and obesity can spread like wildfires through social networks. So, surround yourself with friends who can also be _____. You can hang out with people who look and act the way you would like to. Social imitation is the easiest form of self-improvement. Social support is critical to changing all kinds of behavior. Good friends can not only help you through bad times, but they can also help you stay focused on your goals.

- ① severe critics
- ② role models
- ③ running mates
- ④ social workers
- ⑤ great competitors

29) According to a wildlife researcher, Jennifer Hunter, predators with experience of skunks avoid them both because of _____ and their distinctive body shape. She wanted to know how predators know a skunk is a skunk. She prepared lots of stuffed black-and-white skunks and gray foxes, which were about the same size. She dyed the stuffed skunks gray and the foxes black-and-white. She then placed the animals at many sites around California. In places where skunks were common, predators such as bears and mountain lions wouldn't attempt to drag away the black-and-white foxes as well as the gray skunks.

*stuffed 박제된

- ① their coloration
- ② their violence
- ③ their bad smell
- ④ the movement
- ⑤ the unique sound

30) When we search for something on the Internet, why do we get 11,980,764 results? Tens of millions of pages exist on the Internet, and many more are being added every day. When you are in a hurry, such a huge amount of results make you feel more irritated. To prevent a gigantic list of results, you should _____. For example, search not on classical music, but on Beethoven symphonies; not cake recipes, but chocolate cake recipes. Also, spending ten minutes or so to read the search engines' search tips will save you time, and reduce your frustration level.

- ① visit various websites
- ② change the search engine
- ③ be as specific as possible
- ④ use a brand-new computer
- ⑤ employ a computer expert

31) Imagine you are a spacecraft. There's no air at all out there in space. One side of you cooks in the sun, while your other side freezes in the shade. Inside you are computers, communications equipment, and all sorts of other delicate, high-tech materials. Most of your parts work best if they are neither too hot nor too cold. But, unfortunately, heaters and coolers take up lots of room, use a lot of electricity, and add a lot of weight to the spacecraft at liftoff. What's to be done? Engineers with NASA's New Millennium Program have come up with some new ways _____ in a spacecraft, without adding weight, using too much power, or taking up too much room.

- ① to move place to place
- ② to control the temperature
- ③ to communicate effectively
- ④ to help train new astronauts
- ⑤ to learn more about instruments

32) How many times have you heard or used the expression "I'll be happy when"? We've all said it. I'll be happy when I have more money, when I find the perfect partner, when I change jobs, when I get a promotion, when I get a new car, when I have a new home, when I lose weight, when my child graduates, when I retire, and when I take a vacation. The list could go on and on. It's not unusual for us to postpone our happiness, hoping for a better tomorrow. Why do you put off your happiness until Friday night, Sunday morning, this summer, or next winter? You'll never be happy that way. The real fun in life is the journey and is enjoying the present moment. You have a right to enjoy life, right here, right now! As you do, you'll be amazed by the joy of daily life. Don't _____ happiness.

- ① delay
- ② hate
- ③ fear
- ④ enjoy
- ⑤ express

33) If I drive into Boston and complain, "What a crowded, smog-ridden mess this place is!" I am really expressing what a crowded, smog-ridden mess I am at that moment. If I feel motivated and am full of hope and happiness, I can just as easily say, while driving into Boston, "Wow, what a thriving, energetic city this is!" I am describing my inner landscape, not Boston's. When I am happy, I see the happiness in others. When I am full of hope, I see hope all around me. But when I am angry, I see other people as unnecessarily angry. When I am bored, I see the world as boring and unattractive. When I am depressed, I notice that people's eyes look sad. _____.

- ① How I feel determines what I see
- ② What I make determines what I sell
- ③ What I wear determines what I eat
- ④ What I need determines what I buy
- ⑤ How I study determines what I plan

34) Do people frequently think your younger brother or sister is older than you? You're in luck. New research by Danish scientists suggests that chances are, _____ throughout their lives and are less likely to suffer from dementia, according to the research. The scientists had participants look at photographs of hundreds of pairs of twins, all in their 70s or older, and guess their ages. Following up the twins over the course of seven years, the scientists found that it was likely that the older-looking twin died first.

*dementia 치매

- ① the better people eat, the less they get stressed
- ② the younger people look, the longer they'll live
- ③ the weaker people are, the younger they look
- ④ the older people get, the wiser they become
- ⑤ the earlier the birth order is, the healthier people are

35) Not everyone can become a great athlete. Some people do not have the motivation to train, or are physically incapable of training. Laureano Ruiz believes that 80% of youngsters can develop into great athletes with proper training. He also believes that reaching the top is like a marathon, not like a sprint. You must work out as hard as you can, and spend every bit of your spare time training, striving to become a better player. The people who work hard to get there will get there. Even if you are born with "good genes," this does not guarantee success. For example, if I were born with the genes to become a great hockey player, but I never worked hard, and I spent all my off-seasons drinking beer instead of training, do you think that I would become a great hockey player? I don't think so. Great athletes _____.

- ① value team spirit
- ② should play by game rules
- ③ overcome their weaknesses
- ④ are made and not born
- ⑤ should talk to others honestly

36) Antarctica is the coldest place on earth. It is a frozen desert with little rain. Temperatures of the interior of Antarctica in winter reach a minimum of between -80°C and -90°C. In Antarctica there are no bacteria to spoil meat, and no spores to turn bread moldy because of the cold. In 1947 Admiral Cruzen visited the camp at Cape Evans that had been abandoned by Captain Scott more than 35 years before. From the camp's appearance, the occupants might have just left. Boards and rafters of the cabin looked as if they were fresh from the sawmill. There was no rot in the timbers, and not a speck of rust on the nailheads. Biscuits and canned meat _____.

*rafter 서까래

- ① were polluted
- ② were broken to pieces
- ③ could not be found
- ④ could still be eaten
- ⑤ were made tasteless

37) Ants are sent out from the nest to find food and bring it back. When they find a piece that is too large, they go back and get other ants to come back and help them. A scientist carefully cut a dead grasshopper into three pieces. The second was twice as large as the first, and the third twice as large as the second. Then the three pieces were placed in different places. When the scout ants found each piece, they looked it over for a moment, tried to lift it and then rushed off for helpers. 23 ants were brought back to work on the smallest; 44 on the one twice as large, and 89 on the third. The scout ants _____ each piece very well!

- ① hid
- ② kept
- ③ shook
- ④ digested
- ⑤ measured

38) Along with industrialism and the development of laborsaving devices in the factory and at home came a greater amount of _____ for some Americans. The average workweek for workers in manufacturing decreased from 66 hours per week in 1860 to 51 hours per week in 1920. The most popular activities enjoyed during this time period were sports. By 1920 there were at least 50 baseball clubs. Football became the most popular college sport. Cycling, tennis, golf, and basketball were also enjoyed. Of course it was the wealthy, with more free time and money to spend, who were able to take the greatest advantage of this revolution.

- ① leisure time
- ② buying power
- ③ emotional pain
- ④ material growth
- ⑤ stress and anxiety

39) How friendly are you with your co-workers? Close relationships at work are sometimes discouraged. However, it turns out that those who are friendly with each other are better able to deal with office stress. Researchers have long known that work stress can have a negative influence on health. Studies have shown that stress at work increases the risks of depression, heart attacks and other health worries. But now a new report shows that the solution to work stress may be gotten from co-workers in the next desks. Employees who _____ are far less likely to suffer serious depression problems.

- ① perform very well
- ② take pride in their work
- ③ get paid better than others
- ④ feel social support at work
- ⑤ change positions less often

40) Yesterday was a long, but rewarding day. I got to volunteer in the San Francisco Pride Parade. That meant hours on my feet, under the hot sun and with very little water. By the time I got on the train to go home, all of the seats were taken and my feet were killing me! But a very nice gentleman, much older than myself, offered me his seat. I told him I was fine, but he insisted I sit. While I was feeling sorry, a young man, who had watched all this, offered the seat he was sitting in to the older gentleman. That reminded me that _____. I couldn't help but smile.

- ① two heads are better than one
- ② slow and steady wins the race
- ③ he laughs best who laughs last
- ④ an early bird catches the worm
- ⑤ one good deed leads to another

41) In most of our daily situations we choose to focus on _____. Here is an example. In some parts of Mexico hot springs and cold springs are found side by side. Because of the convenience, women often bring their laundry. They boil their clothes in the hot springs and then rinse them in the cold ones. A tourist was watching this procedure. He said to his Mexican friend and guide: "I imagine that the women think Mother Nature is pretty generous. She supplies such clean hot and cold water here side by side for their free use." The guide replied, "No sir, there is much complaint because she supplies no soap."

- ① where others live
- ② how much we earn
- ③ what we don't have
- ④ what we shouldn't do
- ⑤ what we do for a living

42) At the start of a lecture, the instructor asked some people to come to the front of the classroom. Then, he had the people put their right hand in their pocket. Giving a banana to each person, the instructor told them to eat the banana. The participants spent a few minutes trying to peel the banana. Some creative people used their feet; others tried to use their desk. Then, a woman turned to the man standing next to her. She whispered something to him, and he nodded. Soon, he held her banana while she was peeling it. Immediately, all the people were asking their neighbors for help. Without using many words, the instructor could show _____.

- ① how long we can endure
- ② what makes people use tools
- ③ how much cooperation pays off
- ④ why we should love one another
- ⑤ why people use the body language

43) When you take antibiotics, you may feel better, but that's a mere side effect of antibiotics: They are designed to kill the harmful bacteria. If you take medication for only half its course, you may only weaken the remaining bacteria without finishing them off completely. And weakened bacteria actually come back stronger than before, worsen the infection, and spread it deeper into your body, which results in a greater threat to your system. Therefore, while you may feel better in two or three days, it's important to make sure you've killed all of the enemy. Unless you want to meet another doctor who specializes in infectious disease, _____.

*antibiotics 항생제

- ① avoid overusing antibiotics
- ② wash your hands more often
- ③ keep the infected body part dry
- ④ take the full course of medication
- ⑤ read the labels of your medication

44) Animals seem to have a sixth sense for danger that people had better observe. Before a hurricane, sharks that rarely leave their home waters will run away from the path of the storm, responding to changes in air pressure, while seagulls and other birds instinctively fly inland. Many animals are far more sensitive to vibrations in the ground than humans, and extreme changes in animal behavior can sometimes show that an earthquake is about to occur. After the 2005 tsunami in Sri Lanka, it was reported that very few animals were killed despite the huge loss of human life. Many of them were also acting strangely on the day before the tsunami hit. It seems likely that they sensed something coming and ran away to safety. Therefore, if the animals are _____, you probably should too.

- ① playing
- ② fighting
- ③ escaping
- ④ sleeping
- ⑤ relaxing

45) What usually happens when you meet someone for the first time? We create an immediate evaluation from their appearance, voice, etc. "Do they dress like us?" "Are they close to our age?" "What do they do for a living?" "Could we possibly have anything in common with them?" Basically, we spend the first minute deciding whether or not they appeal to us and if we want to continue a meaningful conversation with them. Meanwhile, they are doing the same with us. If we both consider the other to be someone interesting, then there is a possibility for a friendship to develop. Based on these _____, we decide if we like this person, and they do the same.

- ① early judgments
- ② self introductions
- ③ general arguments
- ④ constructive criticisms
- ⑤ sincere recommendations

46) On Earth, the world you're living in now, when you want to get from place to place, you walk, you drive, you take a bus, you swim, you hop a plane, or you just hop. In other words, when you want to change the scenery or go to a place where you want to be, no matter where you want to go, you must _____. You may be thinking about a beautiful sunlit beach, but if you haven't boarded an airline and gone to the beach, you'll find when you look around that you're still right where you started. That beautiful beach may be in your mind, but you and your body are still at home, and maybe there's still a bad snowstorm outside.

- ① be patient
- ② spend money
- ③ move your body
- ④ find a companion
- ⑤ stay where you are

47) A good old gentleman used to stop by occasionally at an antique shop in New Hampshire to sell furniture. One day after he left, the antique dealer's wife said that she wished she had told him how much she enjoyed his visits. The husband said, "Next time, let's tell him so." The following summer a young woman came in and introduced herself as the daughter of the old gentleman. Her father, she said, had died. Then the wife told her about the conversation she and her husband had had after the old gentleman's last visit. The young woman's eyes were filled with tears. "Oh, how much good that would have done my father!" she cried. "He was a man who needed to know that he was liked." "Since that day," the shopkeeper said later, "whenever I think something particularly nice about people, I _____."

- ① think of it later
- ② tell them about it
- ③ learn from them
- ④ come to like them
- ⑤ try to copy them

48) In schools, we spend most of our time learning the solution to a problem or the answer to a question. All other answers are incorrect, and the person who has the right answer most often is the best student. After years of learning this way, we carry this type of thinking into our jobs and other areas of our lives. When we learn how to do a job, it becomes the way to do the job. Any other approaches need not be considered. If someone else does the job differently, we tend to think he or she must be doing it incorrectly. When it comes to work, this type of thinking can really hurt us. Inflexible thinking keeps us from finding creative, simpler and better ways to do the job. The solution to a problem is not necessarily _____.

- ① hard to find out
- ② limited to one way
- ③ far from your place
- ④ found through efforts
- ⑤ based on your experience

49) Every day we read about a young athlete who breaks a barrier. The most famous athletic barrier was the four-minute mile. Experts believed for many years that a human being could not run a mile in under four minutes. But in 1954, a man named Roger Bannister ran the mile in less than four minutes. Today, high school athletes and a thirty-seven-year-old man have accomplished that remarkable feat. There was a time when experts believed a twenty-eight-foot long jump was physically impossible, but Bob Beamon pulled off one of the most incredible athletic achievements of our time when he went right on past the twenty-eight-foot marker and jumped twenty-nine feet. But his long jump record was broken by Mike Powell. Yes, _____.

- ① we can do what we think is important
- ② luck is when opportunity meets preparation
- ③ no mountain can be moved by a single hand
- ④ cowards die many times, but the brave die once
- ⑤ yesterday's impossibility is today's possibility

50) Here's some good news for parents of preteens and teens: You rule. According to a survey conducted by the Kaiser Family Foundation, typical kids aged 10 to 18 spend as much as 7 hours and 38 minutes a day consuming entertainment media including TV, games, etc., which are bad for children's mental and physical health. However, kids whose parents set any time or content limits are plugged in three hours less each day. Other recent studies have also found that teens whose parents set boundaries also smoke less, are more emotionally stable, and do better in school. These results prove parents do have a big influence. "The reality is that teenagers understand that parents' _____ is for their well-being and safety," one of the researchers says.

- ① praise
- ② patience
- ③ diligence
- ④ achievement
- ⑤ regulation

51) New research, conducted with college freshmen, found that _____ influenced what kind of relationships developed. The research shows that the course of a relationship may be influenced much more quickly than was once thought. The participants' rating on a potential relationship with new friends within a few minutes is the best predictor of how the relationship actually developed over the next nine weeks. How positively people rated a potential relationship was more important than how much they had in common. "People want to quickly determine if a person they just met is someone they are going to want to hang out with in the future," a participant said.

- ① personal tastes
- ② positive life styles
- ③ common interests
- ④ first quick judgments
- ⑤ successful interaction

52) In January 2009, Timothy Gowers, a professor of mathematics at Cambridge, decided to see if massively cooperative mathematics is possible. He posted a difficult math problem he couldn't solve on his blog, and encouraged the visitors to jump in and start solving. Mathematics is a process of generating vast quantities of ideas and rejecting the majority that don't work; Gowers thought that the participation of so many people would speed the filtering. Comments following on, the problem was solved six months later. Some tasks, like math problem solving, are generally regarded as the area of individual intellect. Gowers' experiment, however, suggests this prejudice needs to be rethought, demonstrating _____.

- ① the wisdom of crowds
- ② disadvantages of blogs
- ③ high participation in voting
- ④ abusive online communication
- ⑤ the importance of mathematics

53) People use coin tosses to break ties or make decisions. Nobody is certain whether it comes up heads or tails since each side is supposed to have an equal chance of winning. But does it really? For a coin toss to really flip perfectly, the coin needs to spin in just the right way. However, in the real world, coins will never spin perfectly. It will always wobble or tip in one direction while spinning. To see how wobbling affects the rotation of the coin, the researchers videotaped actual coin tosses and measured the angle of the coin in the air. They found that 53 percent of the time, the coin landed on the side that it started from. So, if you toss the coin heads up, there's a slightly greater chance that it will land heads rather than tails. It turns out that coin tosses _____.

*wobble 흔들리다

- ① are never truly random
- ② prevent conflicts among friends
- ③ should be done in a closed space
- ④ are a fair way in decision-making
- ⑤ cause people to entirely rely on luck

54) Electric cars drastically reduced the noise of the car engines. Unfortunately, the sweet silence of 21st-century technology rather causes a serious problem: data from thousands of accidents revealed that pedestrians and bicyclists are less likely to hear electric cars approaching and are more likely to be hit or run over. As a solution, that has prompted 'going-back-to-the-past': _____. So, the manufacturers who have tried to make cars quieter, are now figuring out the best means of warning people that 3,000 pounds of metal is rolling their way. A beautiful melody? Some annoying song? The debate is continuing so far.

*pedestrian 보행자

- ① recycling of second hand cars
- ② fake car noise that will alert people
- ③ practical safety education for drivers
- ④ vehicles that use alternative energy sources
- ⑤ road pavement for silent and smooth driving

55) Is the glass half empty or half full? Is the weather partly sunny or partly cloudy? Is this going to be a good day or a bad day? What would you pick? Your answer depends on your _____. A positive person would say the glass is half full, it is a partly sunny day, and the day is going to be good. Realistically, things may happen that may not make it a perfect day, but the person will make the best of it. The person will enjoy the day and be excited about what he or she is doing. However, a negative person will see a half empty glass and be angry about the partly cloudy day. The person will be sure it is going to be a bad day, complain often, and blame others for his or her misery.

- ① attitude
- ② safety
- ③ teamwork
- ④ sacrifice
- ⑤ independence

56) Air takes up space. The amount of space that air takes up is called air volume. Air volume is affected by temperature. Air is made up of tiny particles that are constantly moving around. At higher temperatures, the particles move around more quickly and, as a result, take up more space. The opposite happens at lower temperatures: The particles move around more slowly, and so are less spread out. Thus, as long as pressure remains constant, a given number of particles will have a greater volume (take up more space) when they are at a higher temperature than when they are at a lower temperature. Consider a balloon stretched over the mouth of an "empty" bottle. The bottle is full of air. When you place the bottle in a hot water bath, the particles of air inside the bottle begin to move around more quickly and spread out. As a result, the balloon will _____.

- ① be inflated
- ② dry very quickly
- ③ melt by heat
- ④ pollute the water
- ⑤ spin many times

57) The hallmark of a well-presented talk is _____. A reader can always look back over a printed page, but a listener cannot look back over your words without missing something else you are saying. The spoken word is fleeting. You should state an important idea several times so that your listeners can remember its meaning. It's like making a path in a meadow. Walk across the grass once, and you don't make much of a mark. The more times you go down that path, the clearer it becomes, and similarly, the more clearly your listeners can understand your main point. One successful orator offered this formula for a successful speech: "First, I tell my audience what I'm going to tell them," he said. "Then, I tell it to them. Then, I tell them what I'm going to tell them."

- ① the memorization of the details
- ② the expression of your feelings
- ③ the repetition of the main point
- ④ the exactness of your pronunciation
- ⑤ development of critical thinking

58) A unique place has been supposed to be hidden in a remote area of the Himalayan mountains. It is believed that people live there in peace and harmony, surrounded by the spectacular scenery of snowy mountain peaks. This utopia is known as Shangri-La, a word that in the local language means lands of peace. It was first mentioned in the novel *Lost Horizon* by British author James Hilton in 1933. In the novel the people who live at Shangri-La are living years beyond the normal life span, and very slowly aging in appearance. Although Shangri-La is a fictional place described only in the novel, today the meaning of the word is sometimes used differently. For example, for a man who spends all his life looking for a cure for a disease, such a cure could be said to be the man's "Shangri-La." In other words, it is used as a symbolic expression for _____.

- ① an imaginary place we cannot reach
- ② a warning system of an unexpected danger
- ③ something a person pursues all his or her life
- ④ a quiet place surrounded by the mountains
- ⑤ a place where the souls of bad people go after death

59) The clock that is four hours wrong is not a problem. We instantly know it's wrong and make the necessary corrections. The clock that is four minutes wrong—especially if it's slow—can create all kinds of problems. For example, if I'm scheduled to catch a flight at 10:00 a.m. and I get there at 10:04 a.m., I'm in serious trouble because of the arrangement I have with the airline. The deal is simply that if I'm not there when an airplane gets ready to go, the airplane will go without me. I found out last summer that the airlines live up to the agreement. I also found out that airplanes are much easier to catch before they leave the ground. Yes, _____!

- ① a winner is one who knows his limitations
- ② a little thing can make a big difference
- ③ you can never plan the future by the past
- ④ forgiveness is a gift you give yourself
- ⑤ you should look on the bright side of things

60) In the game of life, before you can get anything out you must put something in. Unfortunately, there are many people who stand in front of the stove of life and say, "Stove, give me some heat and then I'll put some wood in you." Many times the secretary goes to the boss and says, "Give me a raise and then I'll start doing better work and being more conscientious." Often the salesman goes to the boss and says, "Make me the sales manager and then I'll really show you what I can do. It's true I haven't done much until now, but I need to be in charge in order to do my best work. So just make me the manager and then watch me go." What they are really saying is, "_____." But life doesn't work that way.

- ① The harder I work, the luckier I get
- ② Time is the wisest counselor of all
- ③ Work hard and play equally hard
- ④ Reward me and then I'll work hard
- ⑤ Whatever is begun in anger ends in shame

61) Misery comes through attachment, not through work. If a beautiful picture belonging to another is burnt, a man does not generally become miserable. But when his own picture is burnt, how miserable he feels! Why? Both were beautiful pictures, and perhaps copies of the same original; but in one case much more misery is felt than in the other. That's because in one case he relates to the picture, and not in the other. This "I and mine" causes all the misery. In other words, with the sense of _____ comes misery.

- ① humor
- ② justice
- ③ presence
- ④ possession
- ⑤ responsibility

62) Award-winning figure skater Erin Sutton and world-class figure skater Brian Boitano have something in common: a love for ice skating and a strong dedication to their sport. They both know a great deal about getting up before dawn in order to put in hours of practice on the ice. Sutton has been skating since she was four years old. As an eighth grader, her "workday" on the ice began at 5:30 am. Even on Saturday mornings she was usually at the rink by 6:30 a.m. Boitano also knew that schedule as a young skater. For years, he skated from 5 am. to 10 a.m. before going to school. His dedication paid off. In 1988, he won an Olympic gold medal. Whether a skater is a veteran or a novice, it takes years of effort to produce the three- to five-minute routines of leaps, spins, and complex footwork that keep fans on the edge of their seats and judges awarding high scores. _____.

- ① Great leaders serve those that they lead
- ② Ask others for advice, but decide yourself
- ③ Slow down your life, and you'll succeed
- ④ Most of us have difficulty complimenting others
- ⑤ There are no shortcuts to becoming a champion

63) In the early 20th century, many people believed medical science could cure any disease. But through two world wars, they discovered no one had a solution to deadly diseases, so people turned toward prevention. The government tried to educate people not to use common cups and utensils. They also told people not to cough or sneeze without covering their mouths. People were encouraged to wash their hands often and pay attention to personal cleanliness. In this way, they could reduce the chance of infecting someone else or becoming infected themselves. Based on past experience, we also need to _____.

- ① reduce the chance of medical errors
- ② avoid the possibility of war breaking out
- ③ improve the condition of medical science
- ④ take responsibility to stop spreading diseases
- ⑤ acknowledge the poor hygiene of food handlers

64) Office work has changed a lot over the past years. Computers have replaced typewriters, and small USB drives have replaced entire rooms full of paper files. However, what hasn't changed much is the need for _____ in the office. Many of the same old problems still exist, along with a number of new ones. Office workers have been falling over cartons of paper, cutting themselves with scissors or knives, and falling off chairs for generations. Today they also get repetitive strain injuries from intensive keyboard work and injuries from stumbling over cables connecting electronic equipment.

- ① safety awareness
- ② immediate action
- ③ privacy protection
- ④ information exchange
- ⑤ understanding each other

65) Can you believe your eyes? A recent experiment suggests that the answer to that question may _____. In the experiment, kids and adults were asked to look at two orange circles. They were designed to trick the viewers; one of the circles was larger than the other. When young children aged four to six looked at these tricky circles, they weren't fooled. They were able to find the bigger circle with accuracy. Older children and adults, on the other hand, did not do as well. Older children often identified the smaller circle as the larger one, and adults got it wrong most of the time.

- ① remain all the same
- ② depend on your age
- ③ do more harm than good
- ④ help you understand eyesight
- ⑤ vary according to your culture

66) Solutions to problems are usually expected to cause intended consequences, but more often than not, while solving one problem, the solutions _____. In England, cattle that became ill with "mad cow" disease during the mid-1990s led many farmers to sell their cattle before they demonstrated symptoms. In the cattle food production business, the body parts of those cattle are often ground up, dried, and added to cattle feed for protein. Unfortunately, the "mad cow" disease is passed on in the cattle protein and the disease was spread widely to previously uninfected cattle.

- ① meet farmer's protests
- ② generate more problems
- ③ solve other unexpected problems
- ④ don't drive enough economic growth
- ⑤ hide the difficulty involved in the process

67) Most people measure wealth in dollars and cents. In my opinion, another measure of wealth is _____. For years, I had a next-door neighbor, Marion, who would do anything for you. He'd give you the shirt off his back. He was a man of modest means, but he was still generous. The last years of his life, Marion suffered from progressive heart disease. He dropped dead in the middle of a conversation with friends at the beach. His funeral was truly impressive! There were hundreds of people there—so many that the church couldn't hold them all. People couldn't wait to give testimony to how he had positively impacted their lives. I couldn't help but think, "He's the richest man I have ever met."

- ① how long one has lived
- ② how one has obtained wealth
- ③ how hard a life one has lived
- ④ how many people show up at one's funeral
- ⑤ how much money one has donated to charity

68) Because he was born with cerebral palsy, Christy Brown was almost completely paralyzed. Until he was five years old, many people thought he would never be able to communicate at all. But Christy's mother had faith that he would. Christy's life did change when he picked up a piece of chalk with the toes of his left foot. His mother drew the letter 'A' in chalk on the floor and asked him to copy it. He tried, but he could not copy the letter. After his mother said, "Try again, Chris," he made up his mind to succeed. But it wasn't easy. Every time he failed, he decided to succeed again and again, and with great effort he finally did. Now Christy has written four novels, a collection of poetry, and the script for My Left Foot, a movie based on a book he wrote about his life. If Christy had not had _____, he would not have the rewarding life he leads today.

*cerebral palsy 뇌성마비

- ① honesty
- ② affection
- ③ creativity
- ④ consideration
- ⑤ determination

69) In busy emergency rooms and battleground hospitals, medical professionals are forced to employ a system called triage. This involves examining patients and grouping them into one of three categories according to _____. The first category includes those who won't survive even if they receive treatment. These patients are given only pain relief. Members of the second group have a higher chance of survival if immediate treatment is given. This group is assigned the highest priority, particularly when resources are limited. The third category contains those who will survive even without treatment. These people are given the lowest priority. However, doctors and nurses reexamine patients periodically to check for changes in their status.

*triage 환자의 분류

- ① their blood type
- ② the level of pain
- ③ their age and weight
- ④ the seriousness of the status
- ⑤ the body parts that need treatment

70) Our planet has maintained its perfect balance throughout billions of years by reflecting sunlight with clouds. As the warm ocean water evaporates, clouds form in the sky. Then, these bounce sunlight, reducing the heat below. Just how much heat is reduced depends on cloud thickness, water droplet size, and density of the droplets. We could consider imitating this natural process. That is, we can deliberately adjust the amounts of clouds in selected areas to _____. It is not hard to create clouds. Volcanoes and the burning of fossil-fuel do it all the time by adding tiny particles to the air. We should research it now in case sudden climate changes force us to act quickly.

- ① clean the atmosphere
- ② detect volcanic eruptions
- ③ stop sudden earthquakes
- ④ prevent unwanted heating
- ⑤ make use of ocean water

71) As a novelist, Mark Twain was the most rational of men. But as a businessman, he was very fond of get-rich-quick plans that _____. Some of those plans were based on his own inventions, but it was a typesetting machine invented by James Paige that almost bankrupted him. After pouring thousands of dollars into the machine's development, Twain gathered several potential investors for a demonstration. Shortly after the machine was turned on, it began to rattle violently. When a piece of the machine flew out the window, the would-be investors fled out the door. Still, Twain kept on pouring money into unsuccessful inventions until his losses finally amounted to a spectacular sum.

- ① had never gone wrong
- ② usually ended in disaster
- ③ did not need a lot of money
- ④ investors couldn't understand
- ⑤ actually made him a millionaire

72) Sometimes the parents of rich children believe that their child will be happy if he is provided with everything he needs. They try to substitute money for love and care. In such instances, the rich child can't be very happy indeed. In addition, some children brought up in this way tend to be very poor in relationships. They do not know how to value things like friendship. Such a child is poor indeed despite being financially rich. Using money and surrounding himself with all kinds of toys, the child tends to grow up with the wrong sense of what is true happiness. Then one day when he realizes that _____, he will not know which way to turn to.

- ① parents' attention makes the children happy
- ② some children can buy anything they want
- ③ rich families want to make more money
- ④ money does not always buy happiness
- ⑤ he has to work to earn pocket money

73) Most of you probably know what the 50 stars in the American flag represent. How about the 13 stripes? After the Declaration of Independence, the American people wanted to have their own flag. The first flag had 13 horizontal stripes and 13 small stars representing the 13 colonies that rebelled against the British Crown and became the first states in the Union, which has been also referred to as "the North." In 1791 and 1792, when Vermont and Kentucky joined the Union, two stars and two stripes were added. Soon, however, many new states wanted to join the Union, and Congress realized that if a new stripe was added for each state, the flag would grow too large. In 1818, Congress decided that _____ but that a star would still be added for each new state.

- ① the flag would always have thirteen stripes
- ② the stripes would be horizontal, not vertical
- ③ the flag would represent the ideals of America
- ④ no more states would be admitted into the Union
- ⑤ the South would not be permitted to use the flag

74) Americans place emphasis on _____. This may be why e-mail has become such a popular means of communication in American society. American businesses sometimes hire experts to suggest ways in which they could accomplish their goals faster with the resources they are investing. Popular magazines offer suggestions for more speedy ways to shop, cook, clean a house, do errands, raise children, tend the yard, and so on. The Internet provides immediate access to all kinds of information and products. Americans have come to expect instant responses to phone calls, e-mails, faxes, and other forms of communication. Many quickly become impatient if the responses aren't immediately forthcoming, even when there is no urgency.

- ① sincerity
- ② creativity
- ③ speed
- ④ appearance
- ⑤ individuality

75) Two friends were walking in the park. Just as they turned a corner, dark and threatening clouds covered the skies and soon sudden heavy showers compelled them to seek cover under a tree. One of them said: "There goes our walk. Why did it have to start raining just now?" The other said: "It is so beautiful. I could stand here the entire day, watching the rain fall on the very dry land, giving it a new chance to grow new life. Look at the leaves and flowers. They almost seem to be singing with joy at the beginning of the monsoon showers after a long dry season." While one rejoiced when it rained, the other complained. Basically, it is _____. Almost every event can be viewed in two different ways: positive or negative.

- ① a sense of timing
- ② a sense of balance
- ③ a matter of attitude
- ④ a matter of interest
- ⑤ a matter of experience

76) To pursue your passions and fulfill your dreams, you have to do the things that are different from what is generally accepted. Every single personal best we have heard and read about speaks to the need to _____. It's clear why this is the case. Nothing new and great is achieved by doing things the way you've always done them. You have to test unproven strategies. You have to break out of the norms that shut you in. You have to do the things you think you cannot. You have to venture beyond the limitations you normally place on yourself. Getting extraordinary things done demands a willingness to experiment with innovative ideas.

- ① focus on disadvantages
- ② take risks with bold ideas
- ③ consider others' viewpoints
- ④ respect the established tradition
- ⑤ analyze the situation objectively

77) If the books are stored illogically such as by size or color, it becomes virtually impossible to locate a specific book. However, if the books are arranged in an organized way such as by subject and author, then finding books becomes easy and quick. Your memory works that way, too. In one study, students were asked to learn pairs of unrelated words such as dove and car. Group 1 read the words silently. Group 2 read a sentence aloud that contained the words. Group 3 made up their own sentence and read it aloud. Group 4 made a vivid mental picture where the words interacted with each other, for example, "The dove just missed a speeding car." The final group learned three times better than the first group. So, to remember well, _____.

- ① keep telling yourself important points
- ② take brief breaks while you're reading
- ③ create strong connections and associations
- ④ concentrate on the most important things
- ⑤ choose a book arranged in a systematic manner

78) Parents tell their children to be good, so that they can grow up to be moral adults and responsible citizens. Teachers tell their pupils to study hard, so that they can earn high grades, get into good colleges, and find decent jobs. Supervisors tell their employees to work hard and aim high, so that they can win pay raises and promotions. Even when the present is wonderful, people can't take full pleasure in it, as they're already imagining a better future. We rarely seem to live in and enjoy the present moment, believing that what counts most will happen in the future. We, as human beings, generally postpone our happiness, convincing ourselves that _____.

- ① our desires are not really that bad
- ② tomorrow will be better than today
- ③ the present is the most precious moment
- ④ we like someone just because they like us
- ⑤ we are in a perfect relationship with others

79) There once was a bunch of tiny frogs who arranged a climbing competition. The goal was to reach the top of a very high tower. The race began. The crowd was saying, "Oh, too difficult," "They will never make it to the top," and "The tower is too high." The tiny frogs began collapsing. The crowd continued to yell, "It is too difficult! No one will make it!" More tiny frogs got tired and gave up. But one tiny frog continued to climb higher and higher. This one refused to give up! He was the only one who reached the top! All of the other tiny frogs wanted to know how this one frog managed to do it. It turned out that the winning frog was deaf! The wisdom of this story is a life lesson for all of us. Never _____.

- ① listen to other people's negative comments
- ② try to advise others unless they ask for it
- ③ judge others if you don't want to be judged
- ④ compare yourself with anyone in this world
- ⑤ complain because you don't have more money

80) Recently on a flight to Asia, I met Debbie, who was warmly greeted by all of the flight attendants and was even welcomed aboard the plane by the pilot. Amazed at all the attention being paid to her, I asked if she worked with the airline. She did not, but she deserved the attention, for this flight marked the milestone of her flying over 4 million miles with this same airline. During the flight I learned that the airline's CEO personally called her to thank her for using their service for a long time and she received a catalogue of fine luxury gifts to choose from. Debbie was able to acquire this special treatment for one very important reason: she was a _____ customer to that one airline.

*milestone 획기적인 사건

- ① courageous
- ② loyal
- ③ complaining
- ④ dangerous
- ⑤ temporary

81) Some of the most extensive research on the subject of success was conducted by George and Alec Gallup. They interviewed people acknowledged as successful in a wide variety of areas: business, science, literature, education, religion, etc. The goal of the researchers was to determine what these high-achieving people had in common. There was one thing they all had in common: the willingness to _____. All of them agreed that success wasn't something that had just happened to them due to luck or special talents. It happened because they'd made it happen through continuous effort. Instead of looking for shortcuts and ways to avoid hard work, these people welcomed it as a necessary part of the process.

- ① take a risk
- ② make plans ahead
- ③ get rid of bad habits
- ④ work long, hard hours
- ⑤ respect others' opinions

82) When you're eager to get your slice of the pie, why would you be interested in giving a hand to other people so that they can get their piece? If Ernest Hamwi had taken that attitude when he was selling zalabia, a very thin Persian waffle, at the 1904 World's Fair, he might have ended his days as a street vendor. Hamwi noticed that a nearby ice-cream vendor ran out of bowls to serve to his customers. Most people would have sniffed, "Not my problem," perhaps even hoping the ice-cream vendor's misfortune would mean more customers for them. Instead, Hamwi rolled up a waffle and put a scoop of ice cream on top, creating one of the world's first ice-cream cones. He _____ and, in the process, made a fortune.

*vendor 상인 **sniff 콧방귀를 꺾며 말하다

- ① opened a new shop
- ② helped his neighbor
- ③ joined the big event
- ④ kept his recipe secret
- ⑤ learned from his failure

83) Are you a student who has your mind set on graduation day? If so, try to enjoy your schoolwork all the way, day by day, semester by semester. Don't put off your happiness until graduation. Are you an office clerk who wants to become a CEO in the future? That's a great goal, but try to enjoy the work it takes to achieve your goal. Enjoying climbing the career ladder will make you happy at work every single day. Happiness is not a destination. Don't wait for the future. Be happy through the journey. You have to learn that happiness comes from enjoying the _____ of your work.

- ① choice
- ② change
- ③ difficulty
- ④ result
- ⑤ process

84) North America is an interesting continent, and it has its _____. Its natural environment ranges from the wet rain forest to the dry desert, from high mountains to flat plains. Many kinds of animals live there. There are still many wide-open spaces in North America, but there are crowded spaces, too. Farming is important in North America, but more people work in industry. Some places in North America are difficult for humans to live in the summer because it is too hot. And there are also some places closed in the winter because of the snow. Probably no other continent has a wider range of natural and cultural differences than does North America.

- ① great variety
- ② good weather
- ③ beautiful nature
- ④ large population
- ⑤ traditional belief

85) Many people believe that the best way to improve performance is to increase knowledge, but much of the time it isn't. In their book *The Knowing-Doing Gap*, Stanford University professors Jeffrey Pfeffer and Robert Sutton point out that thousands of books are published each year that basically have the same opinions and advice contained in the books which were published a year or even a decade ago. "Yet," they say, "these books sell well because the ideas, although often widely known and proven to be useful and valid, remain unachieved." They also point out that of the billions of dollars spent on training and consulting, most of it is on information that is being repeated and still not achieved. Their conclusion? "Anyone can read a book or attend a seminar. The trick is in _____."

- ① turning knowledge into action
- ② seeking help from others actively
- ③ investing as much money as needed
- ④ making the most of what is available
- ⑤ remembering what he or she is learning

86) Sports activities can help you _____. Some kinds of sports help you learn to make and keep friends. They also help you to become a good neighbor and a good citizen. Team sports help you develop your leadership abilities. You also learn the importance of supporting the leader. When you play as a member of a team, sometimes you learn to give up your personal achievement for the good of the team. In an individual sport such as track and field, you learn how to accept defeat in a graceful manner. When you compete against your rival, you can also learn to play fair and to lose honorably.

- ① take regular exercises
- ② improve social skills
- ③ keep your body healthy
- ④ overcome your shyness
- ⑤ develop self-confidence

87) Having a glowing smartphone in your bed at night could do more than interrupt your sleep—it could also make you _____. Smartphones and tablets emit a blue light. A study found a link between blue light exposure and increased hunger. It found that exposure to the light increases hunger levels, even right after eating a meal. It's because if you sense blue light at night, it stops producing melatonin. Melatonin helps control weight gain as it stimulates the appearance of 'beige fat' that can burn calories instead of storing them.

- ① fat
- ② lazy
- ③ tired
- ④ stupid
- ⑤ gloomy

88) On the day that George W. Bush arrived in the White House, the phrase *tax relief* started coming out of the White House. It was repeated almost every day thereafter, was used by the press describing his policies, and slowly became so much a part of public discussion that his political opponents started using it. How could that be possible? Just think of the word *relief*. For there to be relief, there must be an affliction, an afflicted party, and a reliever that removes the affliction and is therefore a hero. And if people try to stand against the hero, those people are villains for trying to _____. When the word *tax* is added to relief, the result is a metaphor: Taxation is an affliction. And the person who takes it away is a hero and anyone who tries to stop him is a bad guy.

*affliction 고통 **metaphor 은유

- ① show courage
- ② prevent relief
- ③ do heroic acts
- ④ give up politics
- ⑤ hide expected results

89) One study asked 218 Dutch students to solve a Sudoku puzzle and complete a word search for twenty-four minutes. The students were randomly given one of three treatments: one where they were forced to multitask; one where they could organize their work by freely switching between the Sudoku puzzle and the word search; and one where they performed the task in a definite order. They were awarded points for each correctly filled Sudoku cell and each word found. The total points scored were lowest in the first group and highest in the third. These results suggest that _____ is better for productivity. Multitasking actually makes you a fool.

*Sudoku 스도쿠(숫자 퍼즐 게임의 명칭)

- ① having a clear schedule of work
- ② enjoying work like playing games
- ③ thinking creatively about solutions
- ④ remaining open to others' opinions
- ⑤ using as many resources as possible

90) As a freshman in high school, I started being friends with a guy I met in one of my classes. We talked a lot, and I could tell we were starting to like each other. Maybe because I felt like I had to impress him, when he asked me whether I had two cars at my house, I said, "Of course, we have a couple"—even though my family only had one car. I assumed that he had two cars himself and thought it would make me look better if we had something in common. But to my surprise, he said, "Oh, we only have one car." Then, I felt really stupid. A few days later, he told one of my good friends that he used to think I was really nice, but now he changed his mind because I was "arrogant." The little white lie didn't help me get any closer to him at all; it actually did the _____.

- ① right
- ② opposite
- ③ similar
- ④ terrific
- ⑤ expected

91) I remember my uncle Mel coming to visit me at my Harvard Law School office when he returned to campus for his twenty-fifth alumni reunion. He said, "You know, Bill, it has taken me twenty-five years to forget deliberately what I learned at Harvard Law School. Because what I learned at Harvard Law School is that all that counts in life is the facts—who's right and who's wrong." In a moment, he added, "It's taken me twenty-five years to learn that people's perceptions of those facts are also as important as the facts. Unless you understand their perspective, you're never going to be effective at making deals or settling disputes." His advice helped me realize the importance of putting yourself in the other side's shoes in negotiation. If you are trying to change their thinking, you need to begin by _____.

*alumni reunion 동창회

- ① making the negotiation topic clear
- ② sharing what you think of matters
- ③ ignoring what made them think so
- ④ understanding what their thinking is
- ⑤ consulting experts on your proposals

92) College students' academic achievement is the result of various factors: thinking styles, behavioral patterns, motivation, and so on. Some researchers have argued that the most capable high school students do not always turn out to be the best college students, and these students do not always fulfill their potential. Students who got good grades in high school, therefore, shouldn't be satisfied with minor achievement, and students who didn't study well before entering college don't have to expect that they are going to do badly in college. Given that college students satisfied the college's entrance requirements, there is much room for them to develop their potential in the future. So, it would be short-sighted _____.

- ① to insist that you don't have to go to college
- ② to make college's entrance examination difficult
- ③ to help students realize what their own dream is
- ④ to select their college only according to its reputation
- ⑤ to assume future performance based on past attainment

93) Rabbi Ziv and a friend were invited to lunch at a restaurant owned by a widow. Throughout the meal, Rabbi Ziv engaged in a long conversation with the rather talkative woman, while his friend, when not eating, turned his attention to a holy book he was studying—obviously an inappropriate behavior. After they left, Rabbi Ziv said to his friend, "It seems to me that you are guilty of stealing a meal from that woman." "She invited us," the shocked friend said, "and she certainly didn't expect us to pay." Rabbi Ziv continued, "She didn't expect us to pay money. The payment she wanted was that we listen and talk to her. And this, you didn't do." Just as guests are uncomfortable when the host makes no effort to engage them in conversation, so, too, hosts feel bad when their guests are too quiet and seem shy. Even if you are quiet by nature, make an effort to be _____.

- ① ambitious
- ② curious
- ③ honest
- ④ diligent
- ⑤ sociable

94) In the middle of the summer, two men, Bill and Ed, had the tiring job of clearing a field of trees. The boss said that they would be paid per tree cut down. Bill wanted to make more money, so he worked hard and sweated, swinging the axe strongly. Ed, on the other hand, seemed to be working about half as fast as Bill. He even took a break and sat off to the side for a few minutes. Bill kept cutting down trees until every muscle in his body was crying loudly. At the end of the day, Bill was terribly exhausted, but Ed was smiling and telling jokes. Amazingly, Ed had cut down more trees! This story shows that _____.

- ① rest is productive
- ② work gives satisfaction
- ③ all life needs energy
- ④ laziness appears unattractive
- ⑤ nothing works unless you do

95) Animals don't make their own food and must get it by eating plants and other animals. For example, in a grassland, wild grasses grow in bright sunlight. One day, a squirrel comes out of its underground tunnel and eats some of the grasses. The squirrel lives for a while but is then caught by a ferret. Flying over the ferret's head, however, is an eagle. It dives down and grabs the ferret. In the spring, the eagle dies. Worms and bacteria feed on its dead body and return nutrients to the soil. In turn, the soil becomes rich, and helps new grasses grow. This example shows that relationship in nature can be explained by the phrase "_____."

*ferret 족제비

- ① full circle
- ② sudden change
- ③ slow growth
- ④ animal kingdom
- ⑤ natural selection

96) A Greek storyteller told a story of the god Jupiter and goddess Venus. They were once arguing whether it was possible for a living being to _____. Jupiter said "Yes," but Venus said "No." So, to solve the question, Jupiter turned a cat into a beautiful lady, and gave her to a young man for a wife. The wedding was performed well and the young couple sat down to the wedding feast. "See," said Jupiter, to Venus, "how well she behaves. Who could tell that yesterday she was a cat?" "Wait a minute," replied Venus, and let loose a mouse into the room. As soon as the bride saw the mouse, she jumped up from her seat and tried to attack the mouse. "Ah, you see," said Venus, "you're wrong. She showed her true colors."

- ① forgive its enemy
- ② change its nature
- ③ express its emotion
- ④ get along with others
- ⑤ avoid making mistakes

97) Infants delight in having an impact, in creating change. Their delight in playing peek-a-boo probably comes from their ability to both predict and affect others' behavior. The ability to predict events makes effective action and control possible. Infants will suck hard on a pacifier when that turns on a light in front of them. I once observed a toddler spend half an hour knocking a napkin holder full of napkins off a table, then replacing it and the napkins in it, then knocking it down and replacing it again, repeating this over and over. This child was learning about the world and her ability to _____ it. Such activities are satisfying in themselves, without rewards and sometimes in spite of the punishments they bring.

*peek-a-boo 까꿍 놀이 **pacifier 고무젖꼭지

- ① influence
- ② observe
- ③ imitate
- ④ overcome
- ⑤ maintain

98) Have you ever admired those successful people who seem to have it all? You see them chatting confidently at business meetings, comfortably at social parties. They're the ones with the best jobs, the nicest spouses, the coolest friends, and the most beautiful houses. But wait a minute! A lot of them aren't cleverer than you. They're not more educated than you. They're not even better looking! So what is it? What makes them so successful is their more skillful way of _____. Nobody gets to the top alone. Over the years, people who seem to 'have it all' have captured the hearts and conquered the minds of hundreds. They reached the top, step by step, with the help of others. So if you want to succeed, learn how to win the hearts of those around you.

- ① making good use of time
- ② controlling their emotions
- ③ dealing with fellow human beings
- ④ looking at things in a positive way
- ⑤ setting priorities and focusing on them

99) You can teach creativity in math. Consider the following example of a third grade math teacher in China who teaches for creativity and mathematical learning at the same time. Professors Weihua Niu and Zheng Zhou explain that the teacher was able to accomplish both goals by simply making a little change to what many math teachers already do. Specifically, she not only asked students to share their work when solving problems, she also required that students approach math problems from multiple perspectives, using as many different methods to analyze and solve a problem as possible. Put simply, she actively encouraged her students _____ when solving problems. This very simple, small change establishes the conditions for students' creative ideation to flourish.

*ideation 관념 작용, 관념화

- ① to observe the world around them
- ② to imitate what she had shown them
- ③ to use information provided in the textbook
- ④ to come up with as many solutions as possible
- ⑤ to ask questions about the words they did not know

