

B 次の問題 8～問題 14 に答えなさい。

問題 8 次の会話文の ( ) に入る最も適切なものはどれか。

[友達同士の会話にて]

A Why do you get up so early?

B ( )

A Must you do every day?

B Yes. It's my housework.

- ① Because I must cook breakfast for my sister.
- ② Because I will cook breakfast for my sister.
- ③ Because I mind cooking breakfast for my sister.
- ④ To get on the bus at 7:00.
- ⑤ To get off the bus at 7:00.

問題 9 次の会話文の ( ) に入る最も適切なものはどれか。

[靴屋にて]

A ( )

B I am looking for my father's present.

A Which color does he like?

B He likes blue. He often buys blue shoes.

- ① Do you like shoes?
- ② When is your father's birthday?
- ③ I like red shoes.
- ④ Why do you like blue shoes?
- ⑤ May I help you?

問題 10 次の英語の説明に当てはまる A～C の語句の組合せとして、妥当なものはどれか。

- A liquid to take when people are thirsty = ( A )  
B a place for agriculture = ( B )  
C life swimming in the sea, the lake and so on = ( C )

- |   | A       | B        | C        |
|---|---------|----------|----------|
| ① | picture | gym      | fish     |
| ② | water   | farmland | swimwear |
| ③ | picture | farmland | fish     |
| ④ | water   | farmland | fish     |
| ⑤ | picture | gym      | swimwear |

●問題 11、問題 12 について、日本文と英文の意味が一致するように、英文の ( ) の中の語を並び替えた場合、2 番目と 6 番目にくるものとして、最も妥当なものはどれか。

問題 11 彼女は握手をしようと私に手を差し出した。

She ( hand / gave / shake / to / me / her ) .

- |   | 2 番目 | 6 番目  |
|---|------|-------|
| ① | her  | to    |
| ② | me   | shake |
| ③ | me   | to    |
| ④ | her  | shake |
| ⑤ | to   | hand  |

問題 12 彼が 25 歳の時に買ったその家は、いまだに綺麗なままだ。

The house ( he / bought / is / twenty-five / which / when / he / was ) still clean.

- |   | 2 番目   | 6 番目        |
|---|--------|-------------|
| ① | which  | twenty-five |
| ② | bought | is          |
| ③ | he     | was         |
| ④ | was    | he          |
| ⑤ | is     | bought      |

●次の英文を読んで、問題 13、問題 14 に答えなさい。

On the fourth planet there lived a businessman. This man was so busy that he did not even see the little prince arrive.

“Hello,” the little prince said. “Your \*cigarette has gone out.”

“Three plus two make five. Five plus seven make twelve. Twelve plus three make fifteen. Hello. Fifteen plus seven make twenty-two. Twenty-two plus six make twenty-eight. I don’t have time to light it again. Twenty-six plus five make thirty-one. Whew! Then that makes five hundred and one million, six hundred and twenty-two thousand, seven hundred and thirty one.”

“Five hundred million of what?” asked the little prince.

“What? Are you still there? Five hundred and one million of...I don’t remember...I have so much to do! I am important man - I don’t have time for silly games! Two plus five make seven...”

“Five hundred and one million of what?” asked the little prince again. He never stopped asking a question once he had started asking it.

The businessman looked up. He said:

“In the fifty-four years I have lived on this planet, I have been forced to stop only three times. The first time was twenty-two years ago when a \*bug dropped \*from who knows where. I made the most \*awful noise, and I made four mistakes in my math. The second time was eleven years ago when I became ill. I do not get enough exercise. I have no time to waste. I am an important man. The third time...is right now! As I was saying, five hundred and one million...”

“Millions of what?”

The businessman realized that the little prince would not stop his questions. He answered:

“Millions of those little objects you sometimes see in the sky.”

“\*Flies?”

“No, no. The little objects that shine.”

“Bees?”

“No. The little golden objects that make lazy people dream. But I am important man! I don’t have time for \*sitting around and dreaming.”

“Oh! You mean stars?” said the little prince.

“Yes, that’s right. Stars.”

“And what do you do with five hundred million stars?”

“Five hundred and one million, six hundred and twenty-two thousand, seven hundred and thirty one stars. I am an important man. I \*add them carefully.”

“And what do you do with these stars?”

“What do I do with them?”

“Yes.”

“Nothing. I own them.”

“You own the stars?”

“Yes.”

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(注) \*cigarette: タバコ \*bug: 虫

\*from who knows where: どこからともなく

\*awful: すさまじい \*Flies: Fly 「ハエ」の複数形

\*sitting around: ぼーっとする \*add: 合計する

問題 13 下線部の内容として最も妥当なものはどれか。

- ① 忙しいので代わりに消えたタバコに火をつけてほしいということ。
- ② 計算を邪魔をされた3回のうちの3回目が小さな王子さまのせいだということ。
- ③ 小さな王子さまはビジネスマンにとって3人目の訪問者だということ。
- ④ すぐ3回目の計算に入らなければ、計算の期日に間に合わなくなるということ。
- ⑤ 運動もゴミ捨ても3日に1回しかできていないということ。

問題 14 本文の内容に一致するものとして、最も妥当なものはどれか。

- ① The businessman is good at math.
- ② The businessman said he had nearly 50000000 stars.
- ③ The businessman tried catching a noisy bug, but it ran away.
- ④ The little prince kept asking a question until the businessman answered.
- ⑤ The little prince is so rich that he owns a lot of stars.