



CNN リスニング検定

- ◎ CNNで放送されたニュース、インタビューを素材にしたリスニングテストです。
- ◎ 所要時間は約35分です。
- ◎ CNNで放送されたものをそのまま使用しているため、背景音が聞こえる箇所があります。
- ◎ Part 1からPart 5まであります。Part 1は「フレーズ問題」、Part 2は「ディクテーション問題」、Part 3は「ショートニュース問題」、Part 4は「ニュース問題」、Part 5は「インタビュー問題」です。
- ◎ Part 1、Part 3、Part 4、Part 5は問題文と設問が1回ずつ流れます。設問に対する最も適切な答えを4つの選択肢から選び、(A) (B) (C) (D)のいずれかを丸で囲んでください。
- ◎ Part 2は、問題文が2回ずつ流れます。各空欄に入る単語1語を直接書き込んでください。
- ◎ メモをとりながら解答してかまいません。

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Here are the directions for **Part 1**. In this part, you will hear four short excerpts from news reports. After each excerpt, you will hear one question. You will hear each excerpt and question only once. For each question, you will have 10 seconds to choose the best answer and circle your choice in the test booklet.

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Which of the following is closest in meaning to “catch on” as used in this excerpt?

- (A) be better understood
- (B) be introduced for the first time
- (C) start to become popular
- (D) begin making a profit

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What does “wrap up” mean as used in this excerpt?

- (A) finish
- (B) describe
- (C) begin
- (D) accept

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What does “pave the way for” mean as used in this excerpt?

- (A) go beyond
- (B) provide an alternative to
- (C) slow the progress of
- (D) lead to the development of

NO. 4

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Which of the following is closest in meaning to “I don’t blame them.”

- (A) I don’t understand why they did what they did.
- (B) They should be praised for their actions.
- (C) What they did was totally understandable.
- (D) Their actions cannot be forgiven.

Here are the directions for **Part 2**. In this part, you will hear three short news reports. For each report, write the missing words in the blank spaces in the test booklet. Write only one word in each blank space. You will hear each report two times. For each report, after listening two times, you will have 30 seconds to write the missing words in the test booklet.

NO. 1



Hemingway's book is pretty much ① _____ reading for most visitors to Paris. What's unexpected is that it has also become a source of ② _____ for many of the French in the wake of the ③ _____ Paris attacks. At bookshops across Paris, owners have seen a sudden ④ _____ in sales of French versions of Hemingway's 51-year-old ⑤ _____.

NO. 2



Market-research firm Euromonitor has found that global sales of alcohol are ① _____ for the first time in 15 years. It's a trend particularly notable in slowing ② _____ economies. And it seems what we are drinking is changing as well. In America, a nation typically ③ _____ with ④ _____ and bourbon, it seems millennials are fast developing a ⑤ _____ for wine.

NO. 3



Zimbabwe's only leader since ① _____, the world's oldest head of state, has finally called it ② _____—under a little bit of pressure. At age 93, Robert Mugabe succumbed to that growing pressure from his own party and also the military. The humiliating impeachment ③ _____ that began on Tuesday may have been the thing that gave him that extra push. Mugabe will be ④ _____ by the vice president he ⑤ _____ just weeks earlier.