

Answer key

1-20 DBBCC BDABD DADBD ACADC
 21-40 ABBCA DADBD BCAAB CABCA
 41-55 CBD CD BCCDA DBCAB
 56-65 AE/BC/B/C/D AD/BD/AB/E/A
 66-69 DCAB

VI Vocabulary Writing (16%) (全對才給分)

70. average	71. variety
72. awoken	73. expert
74. valuable	75. grabbed
76. Except	77. afterward
78. skipped	79. presentation
80. memorable	81. embarrassed
82. ignorance	83. communicate
84. disappointment	85. message

VII Translation (11%) 請依提示作答，錯一處扣 0.5 分。

94. 分段式給分，共三段，每段 1 分，每段扣完為止。

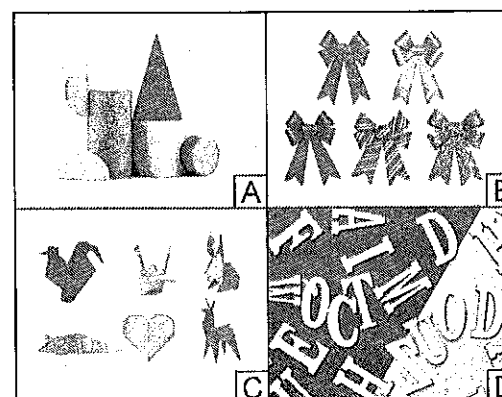
86. on the other hand	87. handed the book (over) to
88. According to studies/ research	89. lookout for falling
90. taste like chicken	91. take depression seriously
92. denied yelling at	93. hangs out with
94. It is reported (that)/ a strange creature was seen/ in the lake last night.	

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Part A 1%

Look at the pictures below. You will hear a short conversation or talk. Choose the picture (A, B, C, or D) that best matches the conversation or talk.

Question 1



D 1. W: Good morning, class! Today, we're going to do something fun and creative. I want everyone to think about their favorite letter from the alphabet. We'll use colorful paper to make that letter. Then, we'll decorate our classroom with our letters. It's going to be a colorful day full of learning and fun!

Q: Which picture shows what the woman is asking the students to create? (Unit 12)

Part B 3%

In part B, you will hear several questions or statements. Choose the best response or reply.

B 2. Did you know Jack is leaving our crew? (Unit 5)

- (A) Yes, it's too hot for him in this room.
- (B) Really? I'll miss working with him.
- (C) I guess he's going out to buy lunch.
- (D) Why did you say he's a cruel person?

B 3. What is the weather currently like? (Unit 2)

- (A) It was raining hard yesterday.
- (B) It's cloudy but not cold right now.
- (C) It looks like a big hamburger.
- (D) It will be sunny over the weekend.

C 4. This website has millions of users around the world. (Unit 12)

- (A) Really? What kind of problems are they?
- (B) That's a lot of money for creating a website!
- (C) Wow! It must be really popular.
- (D) I wonder why so many people dislike it.

Part C 3%

In part C, you will hear several conversations between a man and a woman, and then a question following each conversation. Choose the best answer for each question.

- C** 5. M: What did you do at the airport this morning?
W: I just sat there for a while.
M: That sounds a bit boring, doesn't it?
W: Not really. I like watching planes take off!
Q: What does the woman enjoy doing at the airport? (Unit 5)
(A) Watching people repair planes.
(B) Buying plane models.
(C) **Watching planes rise into the air.**
(D) Eating at the airport cafés.
- B** 6. W: Did you do anything special over the weekend?
M: Yes, I tried surfing for the first time!
W: Oh, how was it? Were you scared?
M: Not really. It was full of excitement!
Q: How did the man feel about trying surfing? (Unit 6)
(A) He was too scared to enjoy it.
(B) **He thought it was fun.**
(C) He preferred something less dangerous.
(D) He felt it was boring.
- D** 7. M: How's our small bookstore doing?
W: It's quiet but we have regular customers.
M: We need to keep it alive. It's a special place for many.
W: I agree. Let's plan some events.
Q: What do the speakers want to do with the bookstore? (Unit 10)
(A) Sell it to someone else.
(B) Open another one.
(C) Change its location.
(D) **Make sure it's still open.**

Part D 3%

In part D, you will hear a long talk. For each, take notes on the talk using the form below. Then, you will hear several questions. Use your notes to answer each question. (Your notes in the form won't count towards your score.)

Questions 8-10 (Read the form and options before listening to the talk)

1. Purpose of Tipping

- To appreciate good service

2. Places to tip

- 92% of people tip at sit-down restaurants
Typical Tip: 15%–20% of a meal at restaurants
- 25% of people tip at coffee shops
- 12% of people tip at fast food restaurants

3. Income & Age

- Upper-income Americans tip more.
- Older adults are more likely to tip 15% or less at restaurants than younger people.

Today, I'd like to share some interesting facts about tipping habits in the US. In the US, tipping is very common and is often *expected*. It's seen as a way for people to show they appreciate good service. Most Americans tip at sit-down restaurants. 92% say that they always or often leave a tip. Other services or places where tipping is common include hairdressing, food delivery, and bars. For an average meal at a restaurant, most people tip between 15% and 20% of the bill. However, Americans are less likely to tip in some situations. Only 25% always or often tip at coffee shops, and just 12% regularly tip at fast food restaurants, where there are no waiters. Interestingly, tipping habits can be different based on income and age. Upper-income Americans may tip more often and in larger amounts. Older adults are more likely to tip 15% or less of the bill at restaurants compared to younger people. Understanding these customs can help make your travels in America *smoother* and more pleasant. Remember, in many cases, workers depend on tips because they are paid a low *salary*. (Unit 8)

- A** 8. What is the main topic of this talk?
(A) **Tipping culture in the US.**
(B) The history of tipping in the US.
(C) The salary for service workers in the US.
(D) Reasons why Americans tip in restaurants.
- B** 9. Which of the following services or places do Americans tip least often?
(A) Hairdressing.
(B) **Fast food restaurants.**
(C) Food delivery.
(D) Coffee shops.

D 10. What else can we learn from the talk?

- (A) In the US, about 25% of people tip at sit-down restaurants.
- (B) Older adults are more likely to tip at coffee shops than younger people.
- (C) Americans tip at restaurants to get food faster.
- (D) Tipping habits in the US often change due to income and age.**