

2023年 岡山大学 前期入学試験問題 — 英語 — 解答例

問1 — 読解総合 —

1. C
2. B
3. 睡眠時間や就寝時刻、及び夜間の起床回数は、靴のサイズと同様に、人によって様々であり、また同一人であっても年齢によって変わるものであるから、万人に通用する「理想的」な睡眠は存在しないということ。
4. (a) 就寝時刻や夜間に起きた回数、及び合計の睡眠時間を大まかに知らせてくれる点。
(b) 睡眠の質に関するデータの評価は難しいので、結果として深刻な誤解を招くおそれがある点。
(c) 睡眠アプリの評価をあまり深刻に考えずに、たとえ悪い評価になっても決して心配しないようにすること。

問2 — 読解総合 —

1. 自分が携わっている仕事は何の役にも立たず、社会的な価値が無いと思っている労働者が多く存在していて、その数が急速に増えているという学説。
2. B
3. D
4. B
5.
 - ・ 経営者によって尊重され励まされていると感じる場合。
 - ・ 自分の考えを仕事に取り入れることができている場合。
 - ・ 仕事を上手くこなすための十分な時間があると感じている場合。
 - ・ 管理職や同僚からの支援があって、組織の重要な決定や方針に影響力を持つことができている場合。

問3 — 和文英訳 —

- ① (解答例 1) It's safe to say (that) I understand the worries about how to get along with the fellow workers much younger than you in an organization like a company.
- (解答例 2) Some people have a hard time getting along with much younger colleagues in a company-like organization, and I can understand the reason.
- (解答例 3) I understand how difficult it is to deal with co-workers who are from different generations in the organization like companies.
- ② (解答例 1) When I have more experience, I become very anxious to say something, but he (or she) should have some time to repeat one trial and error after another, I think.
- (解答例 2) Since I am more experienced, I feel like saying something to young dancers. However, they might need some time to leave alone and think for themselves.
- (解答例 3) If I was (were) more experienced than a younger worker who was having problems, I would be tempted to help them out. However, I wonder if it is important for their personal growth that they are allowed to struggle on their own for a little bit.
- ③ (解答例 1) When (they are) complimented, obviously they come to wear a better face with plenty of confidence.
- (解答例 2) When they are praised, young dancers obviously look better and more confident.
- (解答例 3) When I praise younger workers, they are visibly happy and seem full of confidence.

〈答案例 1〉

I would create a national law to make tuition free at high schools and colleges.

This is because every opportunity for education should be given to all people equally.

Today, not a few students give up the idea of going on to university on account of their small family budgets. Not only that, some high school students, unable to pay their school fees, have no choice but to leave their school. Unfortunately, family finances will set a rigid limit on educational opportunities to their children.

The continuation of such an educational environment like this will send our society to a society with a large gap between the rich and poor on the basis of academic backgrounds received according to family budgets. It is giving an educational opportunity for free to each student according to their ability that will surely make our society a truly classless one, that is, a comfortable and wonderful world.

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〈答案例 2〉

In Japan, almost all high schools and junior high schools have their own school rules, and according to some school rules, boys and girls have been treated in a different manner. To give one example, all girls are forced to wear skirts whenever they are at school, which might violate some of their own rights. One reason is that it would be bad for their health to wear skirts on very cold days. Another reason is that the rule might not pay any attention to transgenders. Some of them will not wear skirts and they want to do what boys do: wearing pants. I think the school should allow all girls to have the choice to wear skirts or pants.

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〈答案例 3〉

I would like to change the education system because education plays an important role in the success of a person as well as a society. I strongly believe that everyone must have equal opportunity to get access to education, and higher education should be provided free of charge. As a result, university students can concentrate on their studies and complete their degrees without financial support from their parents or student loans. In fact, a large number of university students are not able to continue their higher education. This is because some parents can't afford expensive tuition fees or because some students have no choice but to take on part-time jobs to cover the cost. In the long run, making education free will have a positive impact on individuals and society. It will allow students to gain knowledge and skills and help society prosper.

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