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CONVERSATION

เทคนิคในการทำข้อสอบ Conversation

Conversation Technique **3 "S" STRATEGIES**

1. Situation	2. Status	3. Speaker
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Interesting Idioms and Expressions

1. GREETINGS (การทักทาย)

ทักทายทั่วไป

- How are you
(doing / going / getting on)?
- How's life?
- How's it going?

ทักทายหลังไม่เจอกันนาน

- What have you been up to?
- Haven't seen you for ages /
for a long time!
- Long time no see.



2. THANKS (การกล่าวขอบคุณ)

การกล่าวขอบคุณ

- Thank you. / Thanks (for)
- Much obliged / appreciated.
- I (really / do) appreciate it.

การตอบรับว่าไม่เป็นไร

- You're (always) welcome.
- Not at all. / (Please) don't mention it.
- It's a pleasure. / (My) pleasure.

3. APOLOGY (การกล่าวคำขอโทษ)

การกล่าวคำขอโทษ

- Excuse me, please. / Pardon (me).
- I (do / really / sincerely) apologize.
- Please forgive me.

การตอบรับว่าไม่เป็นไร

- That's ok. / That's alright.
- Please don't worry. / No worries.
- Never mind.



4. OFFERING TO DO THINGS OR GIVING THINGS (การเสนอ/ขอความช่วยเหลือหรือให้สิ่งของ)

การเสนอให้ความช่วยเหลือ / ให้สิ่งของ

- Can / May I help you (with)?
- What can I do for you?
- Can I be of any help?
- Do you need a hand / (some) help?

การขอความช่วยเหลือ

- Can you lend me a hand?
- Do you mind helping me with?

การตอบรับความช่วยเหลือ / สิ่งของ

- That's very kind / nice / lovely (of you).
- That would be nice / good / great.
- I'd love some / one.

การบอกปฏิเสธ

- No, thank you. / No, it's all right, really.
- Thanks, but you needn't bother.
- No, don't worry about that.

5. ASKING FOR AND GIVING DIRECTIONS (การถามและบอกทาง)

การถามทาง

- Can / Could you tell me the way to?
- Do you know where is?
- How can I get to?

การบอกทาง

- (It's) this / that way.
- Follow this street / the sign.
- Go / Get along / down the street.



Exercise 2

Directions: Choose the best answer.

Conversation 1

A: Excuse me, do you know ____1____?

B: Yes, it's just a few blocks down that way. Make a right at the traffic light and then walk straight for about 10 minutes.

1. a. how to get out of the museum b. how to get to the museum from here
 c. how is this place d. where is my friend

Conversation 2

A: Would you like some help carrying boxes?

B: Oh, thank you so much for offering, ____2____.

2. a. and you needn't bother
 b. and I will let you go
 c. but I think I can manage
 d. but I won't appreciate them

Conversation 3

A: _____ 3 _____?

B: I'm kind of busy, but I can spare you a few minutes. What's up?

A: I don't understand what people mean when they say "Let's agree to disagree".

B: Well, "agree" means we think the same way and _____ 4 _____.

The opposite is we disagree.

A: I know, but what about "Let's agree to disagree?"

B: _____ 5 _____. Both sides have different opinions, but they agree that there is no point in arguing about it anymore.



- 3.
 - a. Do you need help
 - b. Do you have time
 - c. Do you think you can do it
 - d. Do you want to be my crush
- 4.
 - a. change the topic
 - b. make no comments
 - c. have many opinions
 - d. accept what the other side says
- 5.
 - a. It's simple
 - b. This is fantastic
 - c. That's right
 - d. There are some issues

Grammar

1. Lily and I joining a neighborhood swimming team.

2. The _____ novelist has been nominated for an award.

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3. You _____ clean your room more often. It became a mess.

a. need

b. can't

c. should

d. mustn't

4. The window was broken, so the thieves _____ gotten in through that window.

a. must have

b. couldn't have

c. should have

d. can't have

5. He was sitting on the floor _____ the guitar.

a. play

b. playing

c. played

d. was played

6. They had the car _____ before they started the journey once again.

a. fix

b. to fix

c. fixing

d. fixed

7. The boss doesn't want _____ any more excuses.

a. hear

b. to hear

c. hearing

d. heard

8. I am sorry for _____ you during the weekend.

a. disturb

b. to disturb

c. disturbing

d. disturbed



Conversation

Directions: Choose the best answer.

11. Your friend is about to cross the street, and he doesn't see a fast-approaching car.

You shout, _____

a. Look up!

b. Get out!

c. Watch out!

d. Hurry up!

12. You are in the dentist's chair, and the dentist says to you, _____

a. Let's have a look.

b. Go ahead.

c. Make yourself at home.

d. Wait and see.



13. Jim and Tony have just seen a very exciting rugby match.

Jim comments on how exciting it was. Tony agrees and says: _____

a. It certainly was.

b. So do I.

c. I did, too.

d. It seems you're right.

14. You spill your drink on the stranger sitting next to you.

You say: _____

a. How wet you are!

b. It will happen again.

c. Never mind.

d. How clumsy of me!



15. Sarah's neighbor, Tom, helped her move some heavy furniture into her apartment.

Sarah says: _____

- a. Thank you so much for helping me.
- b. I'm happy to help anytime.
- c. Don't worry about it.
- d. I feel terrible about it.



A: Hey, everyone! Have you ever had your iris scanned? I just did it at Heathrow Airport.

B: No, but I've heard it's better than fingerprinting or DNA profiling.
How does it work?

A: You just stand in front of a camera and ____16____. Then, it's checked against your records.

B: What happens when the scan doesn't match your records?

A: Well, I was wearing contact lenses, and ____17____. They interviewed me for half an hour before letting me go.



16. a. your eyes are blind due to an iris scanner
b. you are handled immediately by a camera
c. your eyes are digitally photographed
d. an iris scanner involves physical contact
17. a. mine didn't match
b. it remembered me
c. its patterns were clear
d. iris scanning was safe



Situation: On a tennis court

Bob: Hey, Ben. Are you going to Safari World on Saturday with Jim?

Ben: I'm not sure if I'm going to go.

Bob: Why not? ____18____.

Ben: Tom isn't invited. I know he and Jim don't get along well.

Bob: ____19____. What do you think you'll do?

Ben: Well, I think I will hang out with Tom on Saturday.

Please don't mention any of this to him. I feel sorry for him.

Bob: No problem. ____20____.



18. a. You'll have a great time

c. This always comes up

b. That's the way to go

d. There is nothing at all

19. a. I hear it

c. I object

b. I see

d. I say so

20. a. My eyes are closed

c. My lips are sealed

b. My ears are burning

d. My arms are twisted





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