

## BULATS 聽讀測驗模擬練習題-閱讀部分 2016-2

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### Reading Part

#### Part 1: VOCAB SENTENCE QUESTIONS

- 1 It was an ambitious goal, but it now looks \_\_\_\_ reach.  
A within  
B inside  
C amidst  
D approaching
- 2 The government is set to \_\_\_\_ in a set of changes to the tax system.  
A implement  
B section  
C phase  
D execute
- 3 To a greater extent than ever, retailers now need to contend \_\_\_\_ the migration of shoppers to the internet.  
A against  
B with  
C to  
D through
- 4 We always do what we can to \_\_\_\_ our customers' requests.  
A accomplish  
B respond  
C engage  
D accommodate
- 5 Management is considering \_\_\_\_ best to deal with these complaints from employees.  
A how

- B what
- C the
- D if

6 Already, technology has had a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ effect on the banking industry.

- A comprehensive
- B penetrating
- C influential
- D profound

7 Of \_\_\_\_\_, we have found it difficult to recruit staff with both the professional and language skills required for this position.

- A late
- B recent
- C last
- D old

8 It remains to be seen whether the company has the determination and the \_\_\_\_\_ to make the required changes.

- A adequacy
- B wherewithal
- C potentiality
- D instrumentality

9 We have \_\_\_\_\_ the decision to close branches in remote areas and small towns.

- A given
- B done
- C gotten
- D taken

10 What's your \_\_\_\_\_ plan if this doesn't work?

- A contingency
- B coordination
- C instigation
- D backtracking

11 Remember to \_\_\_\_\_ all your work at the end of the day.

- A do up
- B put down
- C back up
- D bring down

12 You must \_\_\_\_\_ down your computer if you are leaving your desk for more than 30 minutes.

- A shut
- B close
- C end
- D lock

**Part 2-1: GRAMMAR QUESTION**

- For **Questions 1-5** read the text below and think of **ONE** word that best fits each space.
- Write only **one** word for each space on your Answer Sheet

**Example:**

We have a wide variety (0)..... products available.

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**PROJECT PLANNING**

When a project is initiated, it is vital that care is taken in the planning phase. This is where the scope 1.\_\_\_\_\_ the project is determined and the key objectives formulated. Clear objectives and the steps and resources required to achieve them are vital if a project is to be kept 2.\_\_\_\_\_ track and completed within the allocated time frame. In larger projects, 3.\_\_\_\_\_ will be multiple objectives, but in planning it must be made clear which objectives will 4.\_\_\_\_\_ priority over others. In order to achieve the fulfillment 5.\_\_\_\_\_ these objectives, planning must ensure that adequate manpower and resources are assigned and timelines are realistic.

Write your answers in the spaces below.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_

## Part 2-2: GRAMMAR QUESTION

- For **Questions 1-5** read the text below and think of **ONE** word that best fits each space.
- Write only **one** word for each space on your Answer Sheet

### Example:

We have a wide variety **(0)**..... products available.

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### **CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP MANAGEMENT (CRM)**

These days, companies are relying 1.\_\_\_\_\_ automated CRM systems to track and manage their relationships 2.\_\_\_\_\_ existing and potential customers. This kind of tool can be vital to a company's success as it provides a highly efficient way of managing and analyzing large amounts of data 3.\_\_\_\_\_ that marketing and sales can focus on more targeted interaction with customers. Not 4.\_\_\_\_\_ is this highly cost effective, but it can also lead to significant gains 5.\_\_\_\_\_ productivity.

Write your answers in the spaces below.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_

## Part 2-3: GRAMMAR QUESTION

- For **Questions 1-5** read the text below and think of **ONE** word that best fits each space.
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**Example:**

We have a wide variety **(0)**..... products available.

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### PLEASE STAND

Most American workers feel that they waste too much time each week 1.\_\_\_\_\_ meetings. One way in which some companies are trying to keep meetings as short and productive 2.\_\_\_\_\_ possible is to have standing meetings. Instead of sitting on chairs, staff discuss the points on the agenda while standing 3.\_\_\_\_\_, often next to a whiteboard so they can brainstorm and share ideas. Not only is this healthier, it means all items 4.\_\_\_\_\_ dealt with quickly and efficiently. However, some staff feel standing meetings are only useful sometimes, and they are not good as 5.\_\_\_\_\_ regular way to deal with more serious problems or issues.

Write your answers in the spaces below.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_

### Part 3-1: VOCAB TEXT QUESTION

- Look at the following extract.
- For **Questions 1-5** mark **ONE** letter **A, B** or **C** on your answer sheet.

#### RAISING PRICES

Businesses are often wary about putting up prices. The last thing a company wants is the negative publicity a price 1.\_\_\_\_\_ can generate. Nor does it have any desire to provide a(n) 2.\_\_\_\_\_ for existing customers to reevaluate and consider switching to a competing product or service. The reality is, however, that at times there is little choice, so the question becomes, how do we do this without 3.\_\_\_\_\_ customers?

These days many companies 4.\_\_\_\_\_ a virtual price increase by reducing the volume of the product or scope of service without changing the price. Another idea is to 5.\_\_\_\_\_ the increase in price with the addition of services.

Customers are often more accepting of higher prices if it seems they're getting something a little extra. Either way, at certain points a price raise cannot be avoided, and companies need to think very carefully how to keep the customer satisfied.

Choose the best option for each gap.

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|----|---------------|--------------|------------------|---------------|
| 1. | A. leap       | B. jump      | C. skip          | D. hike       |
| 2. | A. premise    | B. stimulant | C. impetus       | D. impulse    |
| 3. | A. alienating | B. severing  | C. relinquishing | D. disrupting |
| 4. | A. perform    | B. factor    | C. arouse        | D. effect     |
| 5. | A. overbear   | B. overthrow | C. offset        | D. offput     |

## Part 3-2: VOCAB TEXT QUESTION

- Look at the following extract.
- For **Questions 1-5** mark **ONE** letter **A, B** or **C** on your answer sheet.

### PROVIDING A SAFE WORKPLACE

As an employer, you are responsible for providing a safe working environment, and safe working 1.\_\_\_\_\_ for your employees. The suggestions below can help keep your workplace free from accidents or injuries.

- For certain areas of your workplace or certain 2.\_\_\_\_\_ you may require staff to wear protective clothing. However, make sure that helmets, boots and other protective clothing fit 3.\_\_\_\_\_ and that it is worn 100% of the time.
- Many injuries happen when staff try to lift heavy objects, so make sure lifting equipment is provided and that staff are trained in how to lift heavy objects without 4.\_\_\_\_\_.
- Keep hallways and floors free from objects, cables, etc and make sure they are not slippery.

Finally, remember, new staff are more 5.\_\_\_\_\_ to have accidents or be injured than experienced staff, so provide a good orientation program with a strong focus on safety in your workplace.

Choose the best option for each gap.

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|----|---------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|
| 1. | A. directions | B. conditions | C. actions  | D. positions |
| 2. | A. works      | B. tasks      | C. topics   | D. efforts   |
| 3. | A. rightly    | B. justly     | C. enough   | D. properly  |
| 4. | A. injury     | B. hurt       | C. breaking | D. sore      |
| 5. | A. likely     | B. probable   | C. suitable | D. reliable  |

### Part 3-3: VOCAB TEXT QUESTION

- Look at the following extract.
- For **Questions 1-5** mark **ONE** letter **A, B** or **C** on your answer sheet.

#### **CULTURAL DIVERSITY IN THE WORKPLACE**

Companies are well aware of the benefits of having a culturally diverse workforce. Employees with different cultural backgrounds can make a unique 1.\_\_\_\_\_ if they feel included and respected. Therefore, it is important that companies are aware of the areas in which potential problems or misunderstandings could 2.\_\_\_\_\_. These include:

#### **Customs**

Cultures often have different 3.\_\_\_\_\_ to things such as food and how it is eaten, or they may have different religious practices which require some flexibility from employers. This may include things like time through the working day for prayer.

#### **Values**

Different cultures also have different ideas about how people of different genders or ages should be treated, and they may feel differently about family 4.\_\_\_\_\_, money or business ethics.

Thus, in order not to discriminate against employees on the 5.\_\_\_\_\_ of their backgrounds, companies need to think carefully about how best to manage diversity in their organizations.

Choose the best option for each gap.

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|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------|
| 1. A. input     | B. contribution | C. advancement    | D. profit    |
| 2. A. arise     | B. turn up      | C. issue          | D. turn out  |
| 3. A. positions | B. minds        | C. attitudes      | D. concepts  |
| 4. A. elements  | B. obligations  | C. specifications | D. incidents |
| 5. A. fact      | B. foundation   | C. role           | D. basis     |



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