

READING TEST

In the Reading test, you will read a variety of texts and answer several different types of reading comprehension questions. The entire Reading test will last 75 minutes. There are three parts, and directions are given for each part. You are encouraged to answer as many questions as possible within the time allowed.

You must mark your answers on the separate answer sheet. Do not write your answers in your test book.

PART 5

Directions: A word or phrase is missing in each of the sentences below. Four answer choices are given below each sentence. Select the best answer to complete the sentence. Then mark the letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on your answer sheet.

101. Ms. Iwata handed out copies of the agenda that ----- had printed for the meeting.
(A) hers
(B) her
(C) she
(D) herself
102. The food ----- for the conference must be sent to the caterer by Friday at 5:00 P.M.
(A) order
(B) group
(C) profit
(D) lesson
103. The product review says that the Cozy Days space heater is ----- to warm up than similar products.
(A) slowest
(B) slower
(C) slowed
(D) slowing
104. Employees from San Jose International will arrive in Alajuela tomorrow for ----- first training session.
(A) they
(B) their
(C) them
(D) theirs
105. To apply for a driving permit, you must ----- two forms of identification.
(A) meet
(B) work
(C) show
(D) ride
106. Sales of Seviana Cosmetics have ----- improved since the new marketing campaign began last quarter.
(A) steady
(B) steadily
(C) steadiest
(D) steadied
107. Most applicants to Shim Accounting Services have completed a ----- internship at the company headquarters.
(A) clear
(B) present
(C) taken
(D) paid
108. Each Beehive Crafts Supply customer may redeem ----- coupon per visit.
(A) alone
(B) one
(C) first
(D) once

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104	A	B	C	D
105	A	B	C	D
106	A	B	C	D
107	A	B	C	D
108	A	B	C	D

109. Dietrich Dentistry asks patients to provide 24-hour notice to cancel a scheduled -----.
- (A) appointment
 - (B) involvement
 - (C) requirement
 - (D) investment
110. The building inspection has been postponed until next week ----- that the electrical work can be completed.
- (A) also
 - (B) when
 - (C) than
 - (D) so
111. Mr. Carson ----- all the arrangements for the company retreat next month.
- (A) having made
 - (B) to make
 - (C) making
 - (D) will make
112. The cafeteria in Morris Hall offers ----- breakfast and lunch for Arai and Ramos associates.
- (A) complimentary
 - (B) accountable
 - (C) replaced
 - (D) secured
113. Visitors to Kensington Corporation must obtain guest passes ----- the security office prior to entering the facility.
- (A) upon
 - (B) from
 - (C) toward
 - (D) between
114. Tachibana Pharmaceuticals' new method of ----- chemical solutions will increase efficiency in the laboratory.
- (A) combine
 - (B) combinations
 - (C) combining
 - (D) combines
115. Lexino Publisher's dictionary database allows users to search for entries in ----- languages.
- (A) multiplied
 - (B) multiplying
 - (C) multiples
 - (D) multiple
116. No one is permitted on the factory floor ----- proper safety gear.
- (A) following
 - (B) regarding
 - (C) unless
 - (D) without
117. Heidt Used Appliance Store guarantees that your purchase will arrive in working -----.
- (A) condition
 - (B) conditional
 - (C) conditionally
 - (D) conditioned
118. ----- Ms. Park appreciated the job offer from Seon Advisory Group, she declined the opportunity because she would have to relocate.
- (A) Now that
 - (B) Only if
 - (C) While
 - (D) Whether
119. The convention center is located on Market Street, directly ----- Glenview Shopping Center.
- (A) opposite
 - (B) among
 - (C) apart
 - (D) nearby
120. ----- a small festival celebrating the town's heritage, the Clarytown Celebration has become one of the biggest annual events in the area.
- (A) Origin
 - (B) Originate
 - (C) Originated
 - (D) Originally
121. ----- of the management team include improving productivity and reducing annual expenditures.
- (A) Priority
 - (B) Prioritizing
 - (C) Priorities
 - (D) Prioritized

109	A	B	C	D
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113	A	B	C	D
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115	A	B	C	D
116	A	B	C	D
117	A	B	C	D
118	A	B	C	D
119	A	B	C	D
120	A	B	C	D
121	A	B	C	D

122. ----- employees affected by changes to Linerex Corporation's health plan should watch the online presentation.
 (A) Every
 (B) Much
 (C) Those
 (D) Which
123. Senior human resources personnel need to ----- at least two training events this year to be eligible for a bonus.
 (A) have hosted
 (B) be hosted
 (C) have been hosted
 (D) hosting
124. Aomori Agriculture Solutions specializes in increasing crop yields ----- the development of better farming techniques.
 (A) because
 (B) through
 (C) previous
 (D) although
125. Chae Media, Inc., plans to ----- the renovation of its publishing house in Seoul.
 (A) send away for
 (B) move forward with
 (C) take back from
 (D) watch out for
126. The marketing team at Bescura Cars has created a series of ----- humorous commercials, designed to appeal to younger consumers.
 (A) economically
 (B) exactly
 (C) deliberately
 (D) patiently
127. Programmers at Ulrich-Ahn Company are responsible for ensuring that software conforms to the ----- system standards.
 (A) establish
 (B) established
 (C) establishing
 (D) establishes
128. Pour the cake batter into the pan and shake gently if the batter is ----- distributed.
 (A) unevenly
 (B) undeniably
 (C) unwillingly
 (D) unknowingly
129. Geneto Technology uses three ----- of laboratory accuracy to ensure consistent results.
 (A) indicators
 (B) indicate
 (C) indicating
 (D) indicated
130. The financial figures released by Tsai and Wu International ----- only to expenses from the month of July.
 (A) organize
 (B) ponder
 (C) correspond
 (D) subscribe

122	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
123	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
124	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
125	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
126	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
127	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
128	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
129	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
130	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)

PART 6

Directions: Read the texts that follow. A word, phrase, or sentence is missing in parts of each text. Four answer choices for each question are given below the text. Select the best answer to complete the text. Then mark the letter (A), (B), (C), or (D) on your answer sheet.

Questions 131-134 refer to the following advertisement.

There is no better time to visit beautiful Nova Scotia, and Nova Scotia Tours can help! With over 25 years in business, we know how to plan **131.** tailored to our clients' specifications. You and your family can enjoy everything from our Gaelic fiddle music and Ukrainian heritage festivals to the fresh, salty air and delicious seafood. For adventure seekers, there are many activities **132.** you busy. **133.** Or, **134.** you prefer, relax and dine at any of our world-class restaurants. But don't wait. Call us today at 902-555-0166!

- 131.** (A) garments
(B) deliveries
(C) conferences
(D) vacations
- 132.** (A) to keep
(B) keep
(C) having kept
(D) would keep
- 133.** (A) Book now to reserve your hotel.
(B) Speak with our representatives Monday through Friday.
(C) Try whale watching, kayaking, or cycling.
(D) Choose from over hundreds of locations.
- 134.** (A) if
(B) moreover
(C) despite
(D) both

131	A	B	C	D
132	A	B	C	D
133	A	B	C	D
134	A	B	C	D

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Questions 135-138 refer to the following article.

New Head at Balmer Industries

Balmer Industries, one of the **135.** pharmaceutical companies in Switzerland, yesterday announced the appointment of Li Xia Qiao as its newest CEO. The announcement **136.** nearly two months after Edon Durian, the current head of Balmer, made public that he will retire at the end of the year. **137.** Qiao is well-known in the industry for successfully heading several small pharmaceutical companies. The job at Balmer will be the first position she has held at the helm of an international firm of this size. Qiao, **138.** currently resides in Basel, begins working in Zurich on 28 November.

135. (A) leading
(B) determined
(C) hopeful
(D) mutual
136. (A) come
(B) comes
(C) will come
(D) will have come
137. (A) The company is currently interviewing for the position.
(B) A new CEO will be announced in November.
(C) Balmer then plans to move its headquarters to Basel.
(D) Durian has led the company for seven years.
138. (A) whose
(B) her
(C) who
(D) herself

Questions 139-142 refer to the following notice.

Are you an amateur athlete looking for a **139.**? Get ready for the premier competition of the year. Test your abilities at the Johannesburg Metropolitan Meet of Champions, **140.** athletes from Randburg, Roodepoort, and Sandton will have a chance to represent their hometowns and compete for prizes in a variety of sports. The meet will take place in Roodepoort on 30 March. **141.** To register, visit jmmchampions.co.za. **142.** athletes are not eligible to participate in the competitions but may register as volunteers for the event.

139. (A) trainer
(B) scholarship
(C) teammate
(D) challenge
140. (A) with
(B) yet
(C) where
(D) along
141. (A) Tickets are available at all locations.
(B) It is open to athletes 15 years or older.
(C) Winners will be announced then.
(D) Training is scheduled for the next day.
142. (A) Profession
(B) Professional
(C) Professions
(D) Professionally

135	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
136	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
137	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
138	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
139	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
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141	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
142	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)

Questions 143-146 refer to the following e-mail.

To: Claudia Espino
From: Yumiko Fujihara
Date: June 2
Re: Tokyo Showcase Request

Dear Ms. Espino,

Mr. Miyashita, the owner of The Miyashita Gallery of Kyoto, was pleased to display your work as part of the May Modern Artists Celebration. He was impressed with your stunning collection of oil paintings of everyday life in Madrid. He now hopes to present these pieces at his other gallery in Tokyo in September. Are they available for and sale? . Please inform us if you are interested and, , we can arrange a meeting to discuss compensation and further details.

Respectfully yours,

Yumiko Fujihara
Administrative Assistant
The Miyashita Gallery

143. (A) particular
(B) particularity
(C) particularize
(D) particularly

144. (A) repair
(B) analysis
(C) exhibition
(D) treatment

145. (A) Any work that does not sell would be returned to you in October.
(B) We can restore the art to its original condition.
(C) The gallery specializes in sculptures of all kinds.
(D) You will receive a discount on any piece you buy.

146. (A) even if
(B) if so
(C) so long as
(D) in case

143	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
144	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
145	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
146	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)