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基礎英文寫作(一)

Exercise10

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1. Kelly: I've gained too much weight lately. I've decided not to eat desserts.

\*to gain weight: 增重

→Kelly has decided to stop eating desserts.

2. Willy: Would you like to come to my birthday party?

Barry: I'd love to. When is it?

→Willy invited Barry to go to his birthday party.

3. Boss: Why didn't you tell me about the meeting?

Secretary: I'm really sorry. I've got my hands full and I totally forgot about it.

\*to get one's hands full: 忙極了

→The secretary failed to tell her boss about the meeting.

4. Ted: Will you marry me?

Nina: I'll give it some thought.

→Ted asked Nina to marry him.

5. Harry: Do you want to share a cab(計程車) with me?

Don: Sure.

→Don agreed to share a cab with Harry.

6. Mom: Come on, Rose. Just try again.

→Rose's mother encouraged her to try again.

7. Emmy: Kent, please don't forget to buy milk on your way home.

→Emmy reminded Kent to buy milk on his way home.

8. Kurt: Simon, could you pass me the salt, please?

→Kurt asked Simon to pass (him) the salt.

9. Phil: Did you know anything about the surprise party?

Leon: Who, me? Oh, no. I didn't.

→Leon denied knowing anything about the surprise party.

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10. Mona: You're right. I am lazy.

→Mona admitted being lazy.

11. Lisa: I hate to wait in a long line. I just can't stand it.

→Lisa can't stand waiting/ to wait in a long line.

12. After a short break, they continued to work on their team project.

→After a short break, they continued working on their team project.

13. Teacher: Don't talk to each other during the exam.

→The students aren't allowed to talk to each other during the exam.

14. Billy: Nick? Where is he? I have some good news for him.

→Billy can't wait to tell Nick some good news.

15. Matt: Can you wait for ten minutes, Jean?

→Matt wanted Jean to wait for ten more minutes.

16. Karen: Do you like my cheesecake? I learned to make it from my grandmother.

→Karen's grandmother taught her how to make the cheesecake.

17. Policeman: Show me your driver's license.

Miss Wilson: Here it is.

→The policeman told Miss Wilson to show him her driver's license.

18. Doctor: Stay in bed for three days if you want to get well soon.

Patient: oh, no. I hate to lie in bed all day.

→The doctor ordered the patient to stay in bed for three days.

19. Greg: You shouldn't put off paying your bills.

Helen: I know, but sometimes I just can't make both ends meet.

\*to make both ends meet:收支平衡

→Greg advised Helen not to put off paying her bills.

20. Allen: Do you want me to pick you up at the airport, Roy?

→Allen offered to pick up Roy at the airport.

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21. Mick expected something.

His friends would back him up.

\*to back him up: 支持

→Mick expected his friends to back him up.

22. We plan something.

We will spend our holiday at Disney World.

→We plan to spend our holiday at Disney World.

23. I miss something.

I lived in the country.

→I miss living in the country.

24. Annie regretted something.

She sold her mother's china.

\*china: 陶瓷

→Annie regretted selling her mother's china.

25. Can you imagine something?

Wilson cooked dinner for his family.

→Can you imagine Wilson cooking dinner for his family?

### Question 1-5: Translation

1. 幾乎沒有一個學生不討厭考試的，雖然它是學校生活中極為重要的一部分。

(幾乎沒有 there is hardly...、討厭 hate)

There is hardly a student but hates any exam though it is a very important part of school life.

2. 考試一到，我就得開夜車準備應考。有時候會過於緊張而睡不好。

(開夜車 stay up (late)、緊張 nervous、睡得好 sleep well)

Whenever the exam comes, I have to stay up for the exam. Sometimes I am too nervous to sleep well.

3. 準備考試期間，我必須犧牲一些我平時喜歡做的活動，例如打球或看電視。

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(犧牲(=放棄)give up、平時 in normal times; ordinarily)

During the time to prepare for the exam, I have to give up some activities which I enjoy in normal times, such as playing ball or watching TV.

4. 一旦考不好，我就擔心父母親會責備我。也會感到沮喪。

(考不好 do not do well in the exam、擔心 be worried that...、(感到)沮喪的 depressed)

Once I can't do well in the exam, I am worried that my parents will scold me for it. And I will feel very depressed.

5. 考試帶給我很大的壓力。要是沒有考試，那該多好。

(壓力 pressure、但願 I wish)

Examinations bring me high pressure. How I wish that there were no exams!