

2026 年度医学科入学試験問題

英語問題・解答例・出題の意図

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I. Read the following passage and answer the questions which follow.

(Adapted from: "Design for the Mind" by Melissa Fleur Afshar in *Newsweek*, May 16, 2025.)

QUESTIONS

1. According to the article, what drives Anselmo's current work? Write your answer in Japanese.

思慮深い建築とは誰もが利用しやすいものでなければならないという信念

2. What does "It" in the underlined part (1) refer to? Write your answer in Japanese with additional explanation.

Anselmo が投稿した (オンライン) 動画。Anselmo が設計した保育園の中を見

学者が実際に歩き回って見ているように撮影されている。

3. Underlined 2: For children to work together towards common goals, sharing skills, ideas and expertise, what kind of space did Anselmo create specifically? Write your answer in Japanese.

自然光が差し込み、上質な素材を使い、レズジョ・エミラの手法に鼓舞された温

かみのある子ども主体のデザイン空間

4. Underlined 3: Why does Anselmo argue that design constraints do not limit creativity? Write your answer in Japanese.

デザインの制約があるがゆえに、人々は利用可能なものを使って既成概念にと

らわれない考え方をするようになるから

5. Explain the term “their spaces” used in the underlined part (4) in Japanese.

(人々が) 自分の個性を反映し、喜びをもたらしてくれる空間

6. Underlined 5: Explain this feeling in Japanese.

地に足が付き、高揚し、認められていると感じる感覚

II. Read the following passage and answer the questions which follow.

(Adapted from “Why Are Cats Such a Medical Black Box?” by Emily Anthes in *The New York Times*, March 11, 2025.)

QUESTIONS

1. Explain the meaning of the underlined part (1) in Japanese, clarifying what “that” refers to.

オリーヴは（おとなしくて臆病な性質であり、）よくクローゼットの中やシャ
ワーカーテンの裏に姿を隠していたため、筆者がオリーヴの病気の兆候に気付
くことは困難であったということ

2. Which of the following is the best word to replace the underlined part
(2) with? Write the LETTER of your answer.

(D)

3. What situation is described by the term "black box"? Write your
answer in Japanese.

ネコ（の医療）は研究が進んでおらず、科学的根拠に基づく医療が困難な状況

4. What does the underlined part (4) refer to? Write your answer in
Japanese.

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5. Explain the meaning of the underlined part (5) in Japanese.

（さまざまな専門領域を扱う）獣医学校においても、長い間イヌが標準的な学
習対象であったということ

6. Explain the meaning of the underlined part (6) in Japanese, clarifying
what is meant by "that" and the term "reality".

ネコを医者に連れて行くことは、ネコ自身にとっても筆者にとってもイヌより
ストレスのかかることであつたし、またネコはイヌほどには医者のお世話が必要

としているようには見えなかったという筆者の証言が、飼い主がネコを医者に連れて行く頻度はイヌに比べて少ないという事実を具体的に物語っているということ

7. In context, where in the passage between **Paragraph 6** and **Paragraph 8** would the following sentence best fit? Write the WORD that comes immediately before the sentence and the WORD that follows immediately after the sentence.

直前 : cats 直後 : Cats

8. What does the underlined part (7) mean? Choose the best answer from the following and write the LETTER of your answer.

(B)

9. What does the underlined part (8) mean? Choose the best answer from the following and write the LETTER of your answer.

(B)

10. According to the passage, what do the author and Dr. Karlsson have in common? Write your answer in Japanese.

(ひと腹から生まれた) きょうだいネコを飼っていて、そのうちの1匹が(免疫異常による) 病気で死亡し、もう1匹には環境アレルギーがある、という点

11. Based on the whole passage, explain the meaning of the underlined part (9) in Japanese.

ネコの遺伝子配列 [ゲノム] が解読され (、ネコの医療の高度化に応用され) る

こと／オリーヴの病気の原因（とその治療法）が明らかになること

III. Read the following passage and answer the questions which follow.

(Adapted from: "Appendix cancer rising among younger generation – new study" by Prof. Justin Stebbing, Biomedical Sciences, Anglia Ruskin University., 11 June 2025.)

QUESTIONS

1. Explain the meaning of the underlined part (1) in English.

"This shift" means the increasing number of younger patients diagnosed with appendix cancer.

2. According to the article, why is appendix cancer a dangerous form of cancer? Write your answer in English.

Appendix cancer is difficult to detect and can develop without any warning signs.

3. According to the article, what are some of the possible reasons given for changes in appendix cancer rates? Write your answer in English.

Modern lifestyle problems, such as bad/poor/unhealthy diets, being overweight or obese, and lack of physical activity; and new environmental factors, such as increased use of plastics and chemicals, and changes in water quality.

4. In your own words, explain the meaning of the underlined part (2) in English.

"Usually files under the radar" means to go undetected or unfound.

5. According to the article, how are appendix cancers often found? Write your answer in English.

Most appendix cancers are found after surgery for appendicitis.

6. In your own words, explain the meaning of the underlined part (3) in English.

Factors common to different patients are causing problems.

7. According to the article, what two approaches can be taken to reduce the risk of appendix cancer? Write your answer in English.

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IV. Read the following and write an essay in English in about 150 words.

Some people say that leadership requires admitting your mistakes and learning from them. What was one mistake that you made and how did you learn from that mistake? Write your essay by explaining a mistake that you made and two things that you learned from that mistake.

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とを企図している。