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問題と解答

英語

I 次の英文を読んで、後の英文（1）～（10）の空所（①）～（⑩）を埋めるのに最も適当なものを、それぞれ与えられた1～4より一つずつ選びなさい。

No Fixed Home, No Fixed Lifestyle

How would you like to move house every so often? Well, one couple has been doing this for a while. American couple David Roberts and Elaine Kuok decided to ① settle in New York after living in various locations around the world. However, instead of buying their own home, they chose to live in Airbnb accommodations for a month at a time, each in a different neighborhood.

What is the couple's lifestyle like? They keep their ② belongings to a minimum, filling just three suitcases between them, because everything they need for their daily lives is provided by Airbnb. David and Elaine enjoy the fact that they can experience living in different neighborhoods. David says that he likes to build up a relationship with each neighborhood. [③] they return and see the coffee shops they had visited before or the video shops they had browsed* in, they feel nostalgic*. He likens* the experience to dating. He says, "It's almost like we've dated this person a little bit, right? And so we know these neighborhoods in a slightly different way than if [we] hadn't lived there for a month or two."

Some people may find such a lifestyle unusual, but the idea of "home" is actually changing. Vicky Richardson, an architecture expert, points out that for more and more people, "home" is where you can connect with your ④ online profile. It is no longer a ⑤ physical place with material objects. The Internet has changed the way we work, but will it change the way we live, too? It might become normal to live like [⑥] in the near future.

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注 browse: 見て歩く nostalgic: なつかしい liken: たとえる

- (1) The underlined word ① "settle" is closest in meaning to (①).
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| 1. become famous | 2. move to live |
| 3. learn to drive | 4. start studying |

- (2) David and Elaine decided to stay in each neighborhood for (②).
1. one week
 2. one month
 3. one year
 4. one day
- (3) The underlined word ⑥ “belongings” is closest in meaning to (③).
1. friends
 2. hobbies
 3. places
 4. things
- (4) David and Elaine choose to live in Airbnb accommodations because (④).
1. Airbnb provides personalized service
 2. they can experience different neighborhoods
 3. they are unable to afford their own home
 4. they find hotels too expensive
- (5) The best word to put in [④] is (⑤).
1. However
 2. Whatever
 3. Whenever
 4. Whoever
- (6) David explains that getting to know each neighborhood is (⑥).
1. like staying in a hotel with personalized service
 2. similar to dating someone
 3. a painful journey through the past
 4. an exciting adventure filled with surprises
- (7) Vicky Richardson is a person who (⑦).
1. knows a lot about building design
 2. lives in Airbnb accommodations
 3. enjoys adventures online
 4. sells houses in New York
- (8) The underlined phrase ④ “online profile” is closest meaning to (⑧).
1. Internet reputation
 2. digital identity
 3. online game
 4. virtual character
- (9) The underlined word ⑥ “physical” is closest in meaning to (⑨).
1. emotional
 2. intellectual
 3. real
 4. spiritual
- (10) The best words to put into [④] are (⑩).
1. David and Elaine
 2. Vicky Richardson
 3. residents in New York
 4. the owner of Airbnb accommodations

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（１） That movie was so （ ⑬ ） that I could not leave the room till the end.

1. excite 2. excitement 3. excited 4. exciting

（２） Who （ ⑭ ） baseball in the park every Sunday?

1. play 2. plays 3. are playing 4. were playing

（３） Don't use your smartphone （ ⑮ ） driving a car.

1. but 2. though 3. that 4. while

（４） When I was little, my big sister usually looked （ ⑯ ） me.

1. after 2. down 3. in 4. beyond

（５） A lot of time （ ⑰ ） spent on the new project last week.

1. is 2. are 3. was 4. were

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②	2	2
③	4	2
④	2	2
⑤	3	2
⑥	2	2
⑦	1	2
⑧	2	2
⑨	3	2
⑩	1	2
⑪	2	3
⑫	3	3
⑬	1	3
⑭	4	3
⑮	1	3
⑯	4	3
⑰	2	3
⑱	4	3
⑲	1	3
⑳	3	3