

That genius is unusual goes without saying. (A) However another link, between savant syndrome and autism, is well established. (B) A link between artistic genius on the one hand and schizophrenia and manic-depression on the other is widely debated. (C) But is it so unusual that it requires the brains of those that possess it to be unusual in other ways, too? (D) It is, for example, the subject of films such as "Rain Man," in which the autistic brother shows an extraordinary talent of memorizing figures.

- 22 Which is the proper order of the sentences (A)-(D)? 3점
- ① (A) - (B) - (C) - (D)
 - ② (A) - (D) - (C) - (B)
 - ③ (C) - (B) - (D) - (A)
 - ④ (C) - (B) - (A) - (D)

Sugar contributes to premature ageing, just as cigarettes and UV rays do. When collagen and elastin - components that support the skin - break down from sun or other free-radical exposure, cells try to repair themselves. But this process slows down with age. And when sugar is present in the skin, it forms cross-links with amino acids that may have been damaged by free radicals. These cross-links jam the repair mechanism and, over time, leave you ㉠_____. Once cross-links form, they won't unhitch, so keep sugar intake ㉢_____. Avoid soft drinks and pastries, and swap sugar for cinnamon - it seems to slow down cross-linking, as do cloves, ginger and garlic.

*free radical: an atom or group of atoms having one or more unpaired electrons

- 23 Which best fits into the blank ㉠? 2.5점
- ① with artificially sweetened cells
 - ② with prematurely old-looking skin
 - ③ with radically repaired mechanism
 - ④ with a nutritionally balanced body
- 24 Which best fits into the blank ㉢? 2.5점
- ① as low as you can
 - ② as soon as possible
 - ③ as long as you can
 - ④ as much as possible

For the first time in history, across much of the world, to be foreign is a perfectly normal condition. It is no more ㉠_____ than being tall, fat, or left-handed. Nobody raises an eyebrow at a Frenchman in Berlin, a Zimbabwean in London, a Russian in Paris, a Korean in New York. The desire of so many people, given the chance, to live in countries other than their own makes nonsense of a long-established consensus in politics and philosophy that ㉢_____. The error of philosophy has been to assume that man, because he is a social animal, should belong to some particular society. No doubt many people do feel most at ease with a home and a homeland. But what about the others, who find home ㉡_____ and foreignness ㉣_____?

There is a choice that gets both easier and more difficult to exercise with every passing year. Easier, because the globalisation of industry and education tramples national

borders. More difficult, because there are ever fewer places left in this globalised world where you can go and feel utterly foreign when you get there.

- 25 Which best fits into the blank ㉡? 3점
- ① positive
 - ② ludicrous
 - ③ distinctive
 - ④ vulnerable
- 26 Which best fits into the blank ㉢? 3점
- ① the human animal is best off at home
 - ② nonsense can sometimes make consensus
 - ③ the human desire is always self-contradictory
 - ④ it is good to human nature to live in foreign countries
- 27 Which best fits into blanks ㉣ and ㉤? 3점
- ① comfortable - disconcerting
 - ② agreeable - disagreeable
 - ③ unsatisfactory - unpleasant
 - ④ oppressive - liberating

Like many other parts of the media industry, publishing is being ㉠radically reshaped by the growth of the internet. Online retailers are already among the biggest distributors of books. Now e-books threaten to ㉢boost sales of the old-fashioned kind. In response, publishers are trying to ㉡shore up their conventional business while preparing for a future in which e-books will represent a much bigger chunk of sales. Publishers fret that online shopping has conditioned consumers to expect lower prices for all kinds of books. And they worry that the downward spiral will further ㉣erode their already thin margins as well as bring further dismay to struggling ㉤brick-and-mortar booksellers. ㉠Unless things change, some in the industry predict that publishers will suffer a similar fate to that of music companies, whose fortunes faded when Apple turned the industry upside down by selling individual songs cheaply online.

- 28 Which is NOT properly used in the context of the passage? 2.5 점
- ① (A)
 - ② (B)
 - ③ (C)
 - ④ (D)
- 29 Which is closest in meaning to the underlined ㉡ shore up? 2.5점
- ① shovel
 - ② sustain
 - ③ eradicate
 - ④ liquidate
- 30 Which is closest in meaning the underlined ㉤ brick-and-mortar? 2.5점
- ① factory
 - ② wholesale
 - ③ off-line
 - ④ large-scaled

