

◇ 英 語

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Parents of teenagers will know that there is no greater mystery than what is going on in their children's minds.

Now, however, help could be at hand, with the release of a new parenting guide on how to raise teenagers – written by two 17-year-olds.

Megan Lovegrove and Louise Bedwell, who attend Nonsuch High School for Girls in Cheam, southwest London, have written the manual based on their own experiences as well as interviews with hundreds of their *peers.

The book contains more than 200 pages of advice for parents on how to best handle their teenagers, on topics from sex and drugs to tidying up their bedrooms.

For example with regard to tidying up bedrooms, the guide suggests giving children three hours to clean their rooms and not to check until the time is up.

The authors say the tactic is likely to pay off for parents because teenagers feel they are being trusted. To get reluctant teenagers out of their rooms, the book recommends straightforward *bribery.

Another practical piece of advice in the book – "Teenagers Explained: a manual for parents by teenagers" – is to reduce your teenagers' phone bills, by encouraging them to use smartphone "*apps" for free messaging, such as Viber or Whatsapp. However, this advice may require helping them to buy such a device first.

Louise, who lives in Cheam, with her father, an IT worker, and mother, a personal assistant at a software company, said: "We wanted the manual to be based on real life experiences told from a teenage perspective."

She also said, "We had to analyze our own behavior when writing the book, and that has certainly helped us to recognize how at times we may have annoyed our parents, and also how we may have unintentionally worried them, such as when going out without telling them where."

Megan, who lives in Banstead, with her 15-year-old brother, her father, a sales manager, and mother, a teaching assistant, said that the six months spent in writing the book had increased their understanding of their parents' feelings: "But we've also learned a lot more about how adults think, so we also know how to keep the upper hand," she added.

Her mother, Helen, who has read the book, said: "It was very interesting reading. There are a lot of issues that children have to deal with that were never really an issue when I was growing up. The advice in the book is essential reading for all parents of children approaching their teens."

*peers --- 仲間

*bribery --- (人をその気にさせるための) えさ

*apps --- スマートフォンやタブレット端末用のアプリケーションソフト

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解答番号

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本文の内容に即して、それぞれの文の空所に入れるべき最も適切な語句、表現を①～④から一つずつ選びなさい。

1. Parents of teenagers will know that there is no greater mystery than what is going on in their children's minds means ().

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- ① parents can easily understand what their children are thinking
- ② parents don't want to know about their children's problems
- ③ parents have great difficulty in understanding what their children are thinking
- ④ parents think that their teenage children like to read mysteries

2 This book is about ().

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- ① the home life of two teenage high school students in England
- ② the school life of two teenage high school students in England
- ③ suggestions to teenage children on how to deal with their parents
- ④ suggestions to parents on how to deal with common teenage problems

3 This book is special and unique because it was written ().

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- ① after consultation between parents and teenagers
- ② as a manual for high schools in England
- ③ for teenagers from a parent's point of view
- ④ for parents from a teenager's point of view

4 By looking at their own behavior, the authors learned how they
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- ① are really bad children and not kind to their parents
- ② might have found a great way to make a lot of money
- ③ might have made their parents happy and calm
- ④ might have upset their parents and made them anxious

5 From reading the book Megan's mother learned that ().

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- ① some of Megan's problems are different from those of her own teenage experience
- ② most of Megan's problems are very similar to those of her own teenage experience
- ③ Megan is truly talented and has a great future as a writer
- ④ Megan wrote the book so she could control her parents better

II 次の広告を読んで、設問に答えなさい。解答はすべて所定の解答欄にマークしなさい。

Quest Carlaw Park Serviced Apartments

Located in Central Auckland

More Information

Opened in February 2009, Quest Carlaw Park is serviced apartments with studio, one bedroom and two bedroom apartments. All room types have full kitchen (including oven and dishwasher) and laundry facilities in each apartment for your convenience.

Quest Carlaw Park is very conveniently located on Nicholls Lane and walking distance to various attractions such as Auckland Museum, Parnell, Auckland CBD, Auckland University, and Auckland Hospital.

Quest Carlaw Park offers an on-site cafe, Italian and Japanese restaurants, traditional Thai massage and under cover parking (\$10 per night). Also Wi-Fi & broadband is available throughout the building (extra charge). A free internet booth in the lobby is available.

Studio (\$175)	One Bedroom (\$190)	Two Bedroom Penthouse (\$335)
Rate is for 2 people Maximum of 2 people	Rate is for 2 people Maximum of 3 people Extra adult \$35 per night Extra children no charge per night	Rate is for 4 people Maximum of 5 people Extra adult \$35 per night Extra children no charge per night

解答番号

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- 1 You could stay in an apartment in Quest Carlaw Park in January 2009. 6

- 2 Quest Carlaw Park has three bedroom apartments. 7

- 3 Quest Carlaw Park is near Auckland University. 8

- 4 It is possible to cook your own meals in all apartment types. 9

- 5 Only the one and two bedroom apartments have laundry facilities. 10

- 6 Parking is free. 11

- 7 You must pay a fee to use Wi-Fi or broadband. 12

- 8 The room rate for a two bedroom penthouse for 5 people is \$335. 13

III 次の会話を読み、設問に答えなさい。解答はすべて所定の解答欄にマークしなさい。

Yukari: Hi Bob, have you heard my sister's news?

Bob: No. What did she do?

Yukari: Nothing yet. It's what she will do. She will move to Hawaii next month.

Bob: Wow! What for?

Yukari: Her husband has been transferred to his company's Honolulu office.
He will be the branch manager there.

Bob: Oh, good for him. I bet your sister is happy about that.

Yukari: Yes, but I think she is a bit worried about the kids.

Bob: Oh, that's right. They have a couple of kids, don't they?

Yukari: Yes, one daughter and one son. Aya is eight and Kenji is five.

Bob: Can they speak English?

Yukari: Aya has been learning it at school so she understands a little. Kenji does not know any but he is young so I think he will pick it up much faster than his mother.

Bob: So, your sister doesn't speak English?

Yukari: Not at all. She will have to rely on her husband. He is fluent.

Bob: Of course. I guess that's why he was able to get the job. How long has he been working for the company?

Yukari: He joined the Tokyo office straight after he graduated from university. After two years, he was transferred down here to Osaka, where he has been working for five years.

Bob: By the way, did you know I used to live in Honolulu?

Yukari: No, I didn't. I thought you were from New York.

Bob: I am. But I studied at the University of Hawaii. I got my Engineering degree there. That took six years. I was not a very good student. I probably spent too much time at the beach and not enough time in the library.

解答番号

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会話の内容に即して、それぞれの質問に対する最も適切な答えを①~④ から一つずつ
選びなさい。

1 Who has a new job in Honolulu?

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- ① Yukari's sister. ② Yukari's brother-in-law.
③ Bob's brother. ④ Bob's sister-in-law.

2 Which statement is true?

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- ① Aya and Kenji are a couple.
② Aya is younger than Kenji.
③ Aya is Kenji's elder sister.
④ Aya and Kenji are Yukari's children.

3 Who speaks English the best?

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- ① Aya. ② Kenji.
③ Aya and Kenji's mother. ④ Aya and Kenji's father.

4 Where are Bob and Yukari talking?

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- ① In Honolulu. ② In Tokyo.
③ In Osaka. ④ In New York.

5 How long did Bob live in New York?

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- ① Two years. ② Five years.
③ Six years. ④ We do not know.

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1 Gina shared the cake () herself, Sarah, Beth, and Kate.

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① among

② into

③ to

④ together

2 When Yuka arrived at school this morning, she realized that she
() her homework on her desk. So she had to go back home.

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① had left

② has left

③ is leaving

④ was leaving

3 When it () buying a house, you will have many things
to worry about.

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① comes to

② starts

③ takes care

④ thinks of

4 The boy is () shy to talk to the girls in the class.

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① so

② such

③ too

④ very

5 When I have a headache, I always () this medicine.
I feel better soon.

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② take

③ taste

④ make

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1 Mary has been too busy with her work, so she

() () () () () practicing the piano.

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| ① difficult | ② finds |
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2 The oil painting () () () () ()

after a closer examination.

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| ③ out | ④ to |
| ⑤ turned | |

3 She couldn't go out for lunch () () () ()

() for the meeting.

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| ① all the material | ② finished |
| ③ she | ④ printing |
| ⑤ until | |