

考查問題の抜粋

IV 次の会話は、「この島で観光促進を続けていくべきかどうか」というテーマで行われたディスカッションの一部である。空欄1～4に入る最も適当なものを、それぞれ下のア～エのうちから1つ選べ。(8)

Mr. Kakimi: Today, Let's talk about what Tom should do. If you were Tom, would you continue to promote tourism? What do you think? ...Yes, Eri?

Eri: I would stop promoting tourism. First, if I continue promoting tourism, malaria may spread. Because of malaria, people can't live on the island. I don't think people want to live in such a town. Second, the beauty of nature on the island will disappear, so the island's income source will be lost. This is a serious problem.

Mr. Kakimi: So, you think that (1)?

- (1) ア you worry about malaria because it is dangerous to tourists
- イ promoting tourism is dangerous and also we will lose money
- ウ everyone hates mosquitos and also it is sad to live in such a town
- エ we will lose our island's beautiful scenery and malaria

Eri: That's right.

Yusuke: I don't think so. If I were Tom, I would continue to promote tourism. First, sightseeing is not dangerous to us. We can check visitors, so they will not bring malaria and viruses. Second, I think now people on the island are very happy, so they can say "Stop tourism." Even if I stopped tourism, I think they would change their opinions.

Mr. Kakimi: I see. You are saying that (2), right?

- (2) ア we don't have to worry about malaria, and happy people can disagree with tourism
- イ we are happy to see the beautiful scenery of the island, and we should change our opinions
- ウ promoting tourism is safe because there are good drugs for malaria and viruses
- エ money is more important than the environment, and now we are happy because we have money

Yusuke: Yes.

Taro: I agree with Yusuke. First, thanks to tourism, people on the island can live happily. If it stops, they will lose their jobs and must find other ones again. Second, we can't make any progress without hurting the environment. But if there were some people who said like Eri, I would start a new project to protect nature, too.

Mr. Kakimi: OK, so if you were Tom, you would (3)?

- (3) ア stop promoting tourism because of lack of jobs and the environmental problem
- イ stop promoting tourism to protect people on the island and nature
- ウ continue to promote tourism not to make people lose their jobs, and you would begin a new business as well
- エ continue to promote tourism not to lose the job as a mayor, and you would accept Eri's opinion.

Taro: Exactly.

Chihiro: If I were Tom, I would stop promoting tourism. First, it is not easy to protect nature. Once it is broken, it will never go back just like before. Second, the visitors might throw away their trash on a road or in a river. It will result in polluting the island. That's why we should give up the tourism.

Mr. Kakimi: Thank you, Chihiro. You mean that (4)?

- (4) ア we should ask people not to break nature and to do a volunteer work to pick up the trash
- イ you want to know how to promote tourism and how to solve the problem
- ウ you want to go back to the past to pick up the trash
- エ to save the environment is difficult, and by promoting tourism, the trash problem will come up

Chihiro: That's right.

Miho: Then, even if we stop promoting tourism, we can't go back just like before, too. We have already known the convenient life. We cannot throw it away. What we can do now is only making progress. It is important for us to think how to make the island develop.

Mr. Kakimi: So you would (5)[ア continue to promote tourism / イ stop promoting tourism], and we need to find [6]?

Miho: Right.

Q1 空欄 1～4に入る最も適切なものを、それぞれの下にあるア～エのうちから1つ選べ。

Q2 本文の内容に合うように、(5)に入る適切な語句を[]内から選び、記号で答えなさい。

Q3 本文の内容に合うように、[6]に適切な語句を入れ、要約文を完成させなさい。