

**TOEIC® L&R テスト
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『TOEIC L&R テスト 文法問題 はじめの 400 問』に掲載されている 405 問をシャッフルして出題しています。正答は各ページの下部に記載してあります。解説を確認したい場合は、〈問題通し番号〉（ページ数）を元に本の該当問題を参照してください。

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- ☐ **001.** Cyborg Enterprises ----- needs to secure additional funding for its development projects.
 139 p. 135
 (A) urgency (B) urgently (C) urgencies (D) urgent
- ☐ **002.** A plaque will be awarded to the group ----- business plan receives the most votes from the judging panel.
 314 p. 337
 (A) who (B) that (C) which (D) whose
- ☐ **003.** The Harrison Community Bank now ----- electronic billing statements.
 230 p. 223
 (A) offer (B) offering (C) offers (D) offered
- ☐ **004.** The camera was too ----- to carry in my suitcase.
 053 p. 93
 (A) large (B) largest (C) largely (D) largeness
- ☐ **005.** Our knowledgeable customer service staff is available around the clock to address your concerns -----.
 175 p. 153
 (A) personality (B) personal (C) personalize (D) personally
- ☐ **006.** In recent days, ride-sharing ----- have gained significant attention among business owners.
 354 p. 368
 (A) initiate (B) initiatives (C) initially (D) initiation
- ☐ **007.** The fisherman tied his boat ----- to the dock.
 018 p. 73
 (A) secure (B) security (C) securely (D) securities
- ☐ **008.** The clock tower was ----- in 1970.
 216 p. 215
 (A) refurbish (B) refurbishing (C) refurbishes (D) refurbished
- ☐ **009.** The recent boom in new car sales is in large part due to the ----- economy.
 388 p. 387
 (A) strengthen (B) strength (C) strengths (D) strengthening

- ☐ **010.** A list of the 100 most educational children's books ----- by the Association for Youth Development.
 249 p. 233
 (A) compiled (B) are compiling
 (C) will be compiling (D) has been compiled
- ☐ **011.** The receptionist ----- welcomed the guests.
 034 p. 83
 (A) warmly (B) warmness (C) warmed (D) warm
- ☐ **012.** Montalvo City Council members ----- on where the new fire station should be built.
 157 p. 145
 (A) different (B) differ (C) difference (D) differently
- ☐ **013.** We have received a ----- number of complaints.
 032 p. 81
 (A) substantiate (B) substantially (C) substance (D) substantial
- ☐ **014.** Thank you for choosing the Persimmon Hotel in Sri Lanka, and we are ----- appreciative of your feedback.
 126 p. 129
 (A) greatly (B) greatest (C) great (D) greater
- ☐ **015.** All of the events will be held ----- at the Elegancia Hotel.
 036 p. 83
 (A) exclusively (B) exclusion (C) exclusive (D) exclusives
- ☐ **016.** The ----- results of the provincial elections were released early in the morning.
 347 p. 366
 (A) verified (B) verifies (C) verify (D) verifying
- ☐ **017.** We received several ----- about the noise.
 029 p. 81
 (A) complain (B) complained (C) complains (D) complaints
- ☐ **018.** If all goes according to plan, the product design ----- by the end of August.
 259 p. 239
 (A) finalized (B) was finalized
 (C) will be finalized (D) has been finalized

☐ **019.** Construction of the library will be delayed ----- the current shortage of skilled labor.

398
p. 389

(A) now that (B) since (C) as a result of (D) although

☐ **020.** House prices have risen ----- in Cape Town.

019
p. 75

(A) dramatically (B) drama (C) dramatic (D) dramatize

☐ **021.** Josephine Gray has been praised for ----- role in the classic film *Blackmoon Rising*.

295
p. 289

(A) she (B) herself (C) hers (D) her

☐ **022.** The keynote speaker at the symposium on environmental issues ----- for a Cobalt Prize.

248
p. 233

(A) has been nominated (B) nominated
(C) are nominating (D) have nominated

☐ **023.** The Oakville Library has a large enough ----- for holding workshops.

162
p. 147

(A) spaces (B) space (C) spaciously (D) spacious

☐ **024.** Olive Architects is determining whether it should ----- a bid for the construction of the shopping center.

236
p. 227

(A) submitted (B) to submit (C) submit (D) has submitted

☐ **025.** The ----- of the Chatham Subway Line has been approved by the city council.

317
p. 348

(A) extend (B) extension (C) extensive (D) extensively

☐ **026.** Green Grounds has been ----- in promoting sustainability.

066
p. 99

(A) activate (B) actively (C) activates (D) active

☐ **027.** The company is grateful ----- Donna Goodrich's contributions and leadership over the years.

394
p. 388

(A) above (B) for (C) with (D) throughout

☐ **028.** The software, ----- will be launched in August, will allow users to analyze video footage quickly and easily.

311
p. 335

(A) which (B) what (C) whose (D) who

☐ **029.** Sarah Johnson is a friend of -----.

286
p. 283

(A) I (B) my (C) myself (D) mine

☐ **030.** One of Japan's biggest regional banks has announced plans to ----- with a smaller rival.

233
p. 225

(A) merger (B) merging (C) merged (D) merge

☐ **031.** The Atrium Hotel in Mbeya provides comfortable accommodations at ----- rates.

141
p. 137

(A) reasoning (B) reasonable (C) reasonably (D) reason

☐ **032.** After Mr. Turner formulated the new employment contract, he sent it to the vice president for final -----.

196
p. 165

(A) approve (B) approves (C) approved (D) approval

☐ **033.** There are few outlets for recharging electronic devices ----- the airport, so bring a portable charger.

370
p. 372

(A) without (B) except (C) apart (D) inside

☐ **034.** The airline ----- complies with all government safety rules.

084
p. 107

(A) full (B) fully (C) fullest (D) fullness

☐ **035.** Mr. Balani has been nominated to fill the ----- created by the mandatory retirement of a board member.

109
p. 121

(A) vacancy (B) vacant (C) vacantly (D) vacate

☐ **036.** The app identifies ----- phrases in business correspondence.

074
p. 103

(A) repeats (B) repetitively (C) repetition (D) repetitive

- ☐ **037.** The company's innovative technologies are used to measure temperature more -----.
 165 p. 149
 (A) preciseness (B) precise (C) precision (D) precisely
- ☐ **038.** Parker Apartments provides ----- with luxurious spaces in a convenient location.
 098 p. 115
 (A) residents (B) residential (C) reside (D) resided
- ☐ **039.** ----- the free trial period, you will automatically be charged \$8.90.
 277 p. 269
 (A) Already (B) Though (C) Since (D) After
- ☐ **040.** Alberto Santos, general manager of Midtown Construction, ----- honesty is the most important quality of a leader.
 240 p. 229
 (A) believe (B) believes (C) having believed (D) to believe
- ☐ **041.** ----- fierce competition, we have been increasing sales.
 263 p. 259
 (A) Although (B) Instead (C) Unless (D) Despite
- ☐ **042.** Our new lineup of kitchen appliances will be launched next week, so it is critical that our online store be functioning -----.
 190 p. 161
 (A) reliable (B) reliably (C) reliability (D) rely
- ☐ **043.** If you need replacement parts or have questions ----- the product warranty, get in touch with us at 555-0187.
 308 p. 313
 (A) inside (B) next (C) about (D) beneath
- ☐ **044.** ----- you travel abroad, you should always take out travel insurance.
 261 p. 259
 (A) When (B) Therefore (C) Rather (D) During
- ☐ **045.** Ms. Anderson will update the training manual ----- our next staff meeting.
 364 p. 370
 (A) before (B) already (C) while (D) prior

037. (D) 038. (A) 039. (D) 040. (B) 041. (D) 042. (B) 043. (C) 044. (A) 045. (A)

- ☐ **046.** The housekeeping staff is quite ----- when cleaning the rooms and replenishing amenities.
 188 p. 161
 (A) thoroughly (B) more thoroughly
 (C) thoroughness (D) thorough
- ☐ **047.** All city buses undergo a rigorous monthly ----- by a professional mechanic to ensure their safety.
 193 p. 163
 (A) inspector (B) inspect (C) inspected (D) inspection
- ☐ **048.** The Branton Hotel, located in the city's financial district, ----- with 142 rooms on February 10.
 232 p. 225
 (A) reopening (B) reopen (C) have reopened (D) will reopen
- ☐ **049.** Ms. Kobayashi made a large ----- to the project.
 003 p. 63
 (A) contribution (B) contribute (C) contributing (D) contributions
- ☐ **050.** The Web Site is ----- inaccessible due to routine maintenance.
 113 p. 123
 (A) temporal (B) temporality (C) temporary (D) temporarily
- ☐ **051.** Before finalizing the report, Ms. Harper will ----- review all of the data.
 391 p. 387
 (A) thoroughly (B) through (C) thoroughness (D) more thorough
- ☐ **052.** The itinerary is subject to change without prior notice ----- unexpected weather conditions.
 275 p. 267
 (A) now that (B) because (C) due to (D) although
- ☐ **053.** TBR International is looking for a personnel manager who is knowledgeable, creative, and -----.
 167 p. 149
 (A) resourceful (B) resourcefully (C) resource (D) resources
- ☐ **054.** Vehicles are not permitted on Rexdale Lane, but a special ----- was made for the day of the parade.
 102 p. 117
 (A) exception (B) exceptional (C) except (D) exceptionally

046. (D) 047. (D) 048. (D) 049. (A) 050. (D) 051. (A) 052. (C) 053. (A) 054. (A)

- ☐ **055.** At the awards ceremony, the director ----- his gratitude to his staff.
209 (A) expressing (B) expression (C) expressed (D) express
 p. 211
- ☐ **056.** Real estate agents are expected to close deals quickly in a highly ----- housing market.
358 (A) compete (B) competition (C) competitively (D) competitive
 p. 369
- ☐ **057.** Mr. Santori normally ----- the procurement of office supplies from overseas vendors.
372 (A) handle (B) is handled (C) handles (D) to handle
 p. 372
- ☐ **058.** Robert Moore's new movie ----- early next year.
223 (A) released (B) will be released (C) had released (D) will release
 p. 219
- ☐ **059.** Few professional tennis ----- would claim that they play as skillfully as Rafael Rodriguez.
192 (A) players (B) player (C) playing (D) play
 p. 163
- ☐ **060.** The Veranda Restaurant on Murray Street will be closed on August 21 ----- a private event.
302 (A) onto (B) above (C) until (D) for
 p. 309
- ☐ **061.** The interior of the clock tower has remained the same since it was last ----- half a century ago.
246 (A) refurbished (B) refurbish (C) refurbishment (D) refurbishing
 p. 233
- ☐ **062.** Ms. Bryant was the event ----- for the fifth annual Antique Toy Convention in Vancouver.
179 (A) coordinated (B) coordinate (C) coordinator (D) coordination
 p. 155
- ☐ **063.** Construction of a multistory office building in downtown Sprucedale has been postponed -----.
138 (A) repeat (B) repetition (C) repeatedly (D) repeated
 p. 135

- ☐ **064.** The townhouses are ----- renovated, with charming brick exteriors and modern interiors.
112 (A) fresh (B) freshness (C) freshest (D) freshly
 p. 123
- ☐ **065.** The speaker ----- for a Cobalt Prize.
218 (A) are nominating (B) have nominated
 p. 217 (C) has been nominated (D) nominated
- ☐ **066.** All new staff will obtain a photo identification card ----- the first week of employment.
307 (A) behind (B) as (C) along (D) within
 p. 311
- ☐ **067.** Before the meeting, Allison went to the bakery and bought donuts for ----- entire staff.
298 (A) she (B) herself (C) hers (D) her
 p. 291
- ☐ **068.** The university ----- demolishing the old laboratory building.
207 (A) consider (B) to consider
 p. 211 (C) has considered (D) considering
- ☐ **069.** The Brooklyn Science Museum ----- visitors to experience science and technology in unique ways.
243 (A) is invited (B) invites (C) will be invited (D) inviting
 p. 231
- ☐ **070.** Mr. Preston is one of the most ----- film directors.
016 (A) create (B) creation (C) creatively (D) creative
 p. 73
- ☐ **071.** Ben Herbert's first play is ----- a success.
078 (A) clear (B) clearly (C) cleared (D) clearness
 p. 105
- ☐ **072.** ----- are taking longer than expected.
001 (A) Renovate (B) Renovations (C) Renovating (D) Renovated
 p. 63

☐ **073.** Professor Hassan's latest research findings are ----- to his original hypothesis.
338
 p. 353
 (A) contradict (B) contradiction (C) contradictory (D) contradicts

☐ **074.** The film director ----- introduced the movie.
290
 p. 285
 (A) he (B) his (C) him (D) himself

☐ **075.** Parker Apartments provides ----- with luxurious spaces in a convenient location.
198
 p. 165
 (A) resided (B) reside (C) residents (D) residential

☐ **076.** As part of his job, Mr. Bardem ----- inspects the plant to ensure compliance with safety standards.
335
 p. 352
 (A) regular (B) regularly (C) regularity (D) regularize

☐ **077.** During a fire drill, employees are supposed to proceed ----- to designated areas outside the building.
399
 p. 389
 (A) quiet (B) quietness (C) quietest (D) quietly

☐ **078.** Before hanging a picture on your wall, make sure the hanging wire is ----- attached to the frame.
145
 p. 139
 (A) firmly (B) firmed (C) firms (D) firm

☐ **079.** The ----- of Lance Sheffield as the next chairperson was announced after Thursday's council meeting.
405
 p. 391
 (A) confirming (B) confirmed (C) confirmation (D) confirm

☐ **080.** We will relocate our headquarters to a more accessible -----.
064
 p. 97
 (A) location (B) located (C) locate (D) locations

☐ **081.** The manufacturer ----- to hire 3,000 workers.
005
 p. 65
 (A) intention (B) intends (C) intentional (D) intending

☐ **082.** Some residents rated the ----- of streets in their neighborhood.
031
 p. 81
 (A) clean (B) cleanly (C) cleaned (D) cleanliness

☐ **083.** Ms. Lewis is a ----- photographer.
046
 p. 89
 (A) profession (B) professional
 (C) professionalism (D) professionally

☐ **084.** Blake and Janie Mori made a generous ----- to Southwestern Surabaya University.
103
 p. 117
 (A) contributing (B) contribution (C) contribute (D) contributions

☐ **085.** The tower is one of the most ----- landmarks in the city.
085
 p. 109
 (A) recognizable (B) recognition
 (C) recognizably (D) recognizing

☐ **086.** Catherine Walsh's latest novel is ----- a sequel to her first book.
094
 p. 113
 (A) essence (B) essential (C) essentially (D) essentiality

☐ **087.** Please return the ----- copy of the contract to me.
204
 p. 209
 (A) sign (B) signing (C) signs (D) signed

☐ **088.** The marketing team ----- advertisements in fashion magazines next month.
227
 p. 221
 (A) placing (B) has been placed
 (C) had placed (D) will be placing

☐ **089.** Even new directors have ----- to make important decisions on behalf of the company.
321
 p. 349
 (A) authorize (B) authority (C) authorized (D) authorizing

☐ **090.** Mr. Turner sent the new contract to the vice president for final -----.
096
 p. 113
 (A) approve (B) approves (C) approval (D) approved

- ☐ **091.** The Jazzet Band has ----- announced the release date of their upcoming fifth album.
 140 p. 137
 (A) finally (B) final (C) finals (D) finalized
- ☐ **092.** The Pikolo Café plans to offer a new selection of baked goods ----- the autumn.
 318 p. 348
 (A) in (B) at (C) on (D) of
- ☐ **093.** There are several important points for managers to consider ----- revising a budget.
 374 p. 373
 (A) recent (B) during (C) already (D) when
- ☐ **094.** Many experts pointed out that the results of Dr. Silva's study would ----- by other researchers.
 402 p. 390
 (A) be confirming (B) have to be confirmed
 (C) have confirmed (D) confirm
- ☐ **095.** You should explain the situation to -----.
 284 p. 283
 (A) he (B) his (C) him (D) himself
- ☐ **096.** The reporter asked some residents to rate the ----- of streets in their neighborhood on a scale of 1 to 10.
 131 p. 131
 (A) cleanliness (B) cleanly (C) cleaned (D) clean
- ☐ **097.** The organizers received several ----- about the noise from the performances at the festival.
 129 p. 131
 (A) complained (B) complain (C) complaints (D) complains
- ☐ **098.** This tour is well suited for those who prefer to explore the historical port area on ----- own.
 328 p. 351
 (A) they (B) themselves (C) them (D) their
- ☐ **099.** The library has a large ----- for holding workshops.
 062 p. 97
 (A) spacious (B) space (C) spaciously (D) spaces

091. (A) 092. (A) 093. (D) 094. (B) 095. (C) 096. (A) 097. (C) 098. (D) 099. (B)

- ☐ **100.** When an employee ----- a resignation, the employer should find out why the individual wants to leave the organization.
 342 p. 354
 (A) submit (B) submits (C) have submitted (D) to submit
- ☐ **101.** Please be careful ----- opening the overhead luggage bins.
 269 p. 263
 (A) during (B) because (C) when (D) almost
- ☐ **102.** Staff members can change their workday start times with their supervisors' -----.
 168 p. 151
 (A) approves (B) approved (C) approval (D) approve
- ☐ **103.** Television programs intended for children should be both entertaining and ----- to them.
 180 p. 157
 (A) beneficially (B) beneficiary (C) benefits (D) beneficial
- ☐ **104.** The paintings were ----- displayed.
 056 p. 93
 (A) simple (B) simply (C) simpler (D) simplify
- ☐ **105.** RillaComm's latest software update for its smartwatch will ----- the issue with the device's audio output.
 329 p. 351
 (A) resolving (B) resolved (C) resolve (D) resolves
- ☐ **106.** The Pebble Sea Resort has two restaurants, a fitness center, and 96 rooms ----- the beach.
 368 p. 371
 (A) face (B) faced (C) facing (D) faces
- ☐ **107.** The Global Travel Association is seeking ----- for its board of directors.
 160 p. 147
 (A) nominating (B) nominates (C) nominations (D) nominate
- ☐ **108.** Visiting the presentation room in advance and ----- the equipment can make presenters feel less anxious before their talk.
 361 p. 369
 (A) check (B) checking (C) checked (D) checks

100. (B) 101. (C) 102. (C) 103. (D) 104. (B) 105. (C) 106. (C) 107. (C) 108. (B)

- ☐ **109.** ----- it was founded 15 years ago, Tsukuda Tech has become one of the foremost suppliers of high-quality valves.
272 p. 265
(A) Since (B) Soon (C) From (D) Almost
- ☐ **110.** Albert Reyes was the head chef ----- the Tiki Eatery opened a decade ago.
271 p. 265
(A) then (B) but (C) when (D) already
- ☐ **111.** The new hard resin lenses made by Safire Eyewear are lightweight and relatively ----- to scratches.
400 p. 390
(A) resist (B) resistant (C) resistance (D) resisted
- ☐ **112.** The WiseWords app identifies ----- phrases in business correspondence so that users can eliminate them to communicate more effectively.
174 p. 153
(A) repetition (B) repeats (C) repetitive (D) repetitively
- ☐ **113.** ----- at Wakeford International Airport are taking longer than originally anticipated.
101 p. 117
(A) Renovate (B) Renovating (C) Renovations (D) Renovated
- ☐ **114.** The number of people who buy audiobooks has risen -----.
048 p. 89
(A) marginally (B) marginal (C) margin (D) margins
- ☐ **115.** One of our customer service representatives will respond to your inquiry ----- 24 hours.
336 p. 353
(A) since (B) about (C) until (D) within
- ☐ **116.** The Guzman Museum was ----- built as a private residence for the inventor Alfred P. Guzman.
366 p. 371
(A) origin (B) originate (C) original (D) originally
- ☐ **117.** The video game developer recently ----- by Capsoft Co. Ltd.
226 p. 221
(A) was acquired (B) will be acquiring
(C) acquires (D) is acquired

109. (A) 110. (C) 111. (B) 112. (C) 113. (C) 114. (A) 115. (D) 116. (D) 117. (A)

- ☐ **118.** The team worked ----- to complete the project.
015 p. 71
(A) industry (B) industrious (C) industriously (D) industries
- ☐ **119.** One lucky winner will receive a ----- copy of Diana Gorman's latest book, *Life Lessons in Marketing*.
234 p. 227
(A) signs (B) signed (C) signing (D) sign
- ☐ **120.** A security camera -----.
215 p. 215
(A) installed (B) have been installed
(C) is being installed (D) will install
- ☐ **121.** Lambert Computers ----- 35 years ago in California with just three employees.
251 p. 235
(A) are established (B) was established
(C) has established (D) will establish
- ☐ **122.** Pembleton University students responded very ----- to the new housing options around the campus.
170 p. 151
(A) enthusiasm (B) enthusiastically (C) enthusiasts (D) enthusiastic
- ☐ **123.** The new contract is worded -----.
071 p. 101
(A) differently (B) differ (C) different (D) difference
- ☐ **124.** In the event that the restaurant manager and assistant manager are both -----, Diane will be in charge.
107 p. 119
(A) absences (B) absent (C) absently (D) absence
- ☐ **125.** Read the instructions carefully ----- assembling the TV stand.
262 p. 259
(A) then (B) before (C) still (D) soon
- ☐ **126.** Despite the inclement weather, attendance was ----- high at the annual town fair.
120 p. 127
(A) surprisingly (B) surprising (C) surprises (D) surprise

118. (C) 119. (B) 120. (C) 121. (B) 122. (B) 123. (A) 124. (B) 125. (B) 126. (A)

- ☐ **127.** All city buses undergo a monthly -----.
- 093** (A) inspect (B) inspection (C) inspector (D) inspected
p. 113
- ☐ **128.** Japan is a very densely populated country with ----- land and resources available for development.
- 163** (A) limited (B) limits (C) limit (D) limiting
p. 147
- ☐ **129.** Mr. Santos ----- honesty is the most important quality of a leader.
- 210** (A) believes (B) to believe (C) having believed (D) believe
p. 211
- ☐ **130.** Mr. Owens hopes that the job fair will be helpful for ----- candidates from diverse backgrounds.
- 235** (A) to recruit (B) recruit (C) recruiting (D) recruits
p. 227
- ☐ **131.** The personnel director interviewed more than twelve ----- for the senior accountant position.
- 386** (A) applications (B) applies (C) applicants (D) applied
p. 386
- ☐ **132.** Zyglass Designs, a video game developer located in Melbourne, ----- recently by Capsoft Ltd.
- 256** (A) will be acquiring (B) was acquired
(C) is acquired (D) acquires
p. 237
- ☐ **133.** For information about the Halston Mall sale, including a map of ----- stores, please visit our Web site.
- 322** (A) participate (B) participation (C) participating (D) participants
p. 349
- ☐ **134.** Clark Bank has revolutionized its business by ----- digitizing the loan application process.
- 345** (A) complete (B) completion (C) completely (D) completed
p. 355
- ☐ **135.** An ----- was made for Mr. Kato.
- 002** (A) except (B) exceptional (C) exceptionally (D) exception
p. 63

127. (B) 128. (A) 129. (A) 130. (C) 131. (C) 132. (B) 133. (C) 134. (C) 135. (D)

- ☐ **136.** The product development team worked ----- to complete the drone prototype ahead of schedule.
- 115** (A) industry (B) industriously (C) industrious (D) industries
p. 123
- ☐ **137.** A number of scientists have argued that the study by Dr. Windsor is ----- flawed.
- 154** (A) methodologically (B) methodologic
(C) methodology (D) methods
p. 143
- ☐ **138.** Wexler Solar is capable of ----- roughly five thousand solar panels per day.
- 403** (A) manufacturing (B) manufactures
(C) manufactured (D) manufacture
p. 390
- ☐ **139.** Nominations for the Employee of Distinction Award ----- until 6:00 P.M. on July 31.
- 250** (A) have accepted (B) was accepted
(C) are being accepted (D) will be accepting
p. 235
- ☐ **140.** ----- your project has been approved, we will issue you a permit.
- 270** (A) Now that (B) As for (C) Due to (D) Except for
p. 263
- ☐ **141.** The roof repairs should be done -----.
- 049** (A) quicken (B) quickness (C) quickened (D) quickly
p. 91
- ☐ **142.** Every essay should be ----- eight pages in length.
- 081** (A) rough (B) roughs (C) roughness (D) roughly
p. 107
- ☐ **143.** The bank has announced plans to ----- with a rival.
- 203** (A) merged (B) merger (C) merge (D) merging
p. 207
- ☐ **144.** George Hailey, who was hired just last year, is ----- the three finalists for the Employee Excellence Award.
- 373** (A) among (B) throughout (C) for (D) during
p. 372

136. (B) 137. (A) 138. (A) 139. (C) 140. (A) 141. (D) 142. (D) 143. (C) 144. (A)

- ☐ **145.** Under Ms. Holden's leadership, the reputation and brand image of the firm have ----- improved.
135
 p. 133
 (A) notice (B) notices (C) noticeably (D) noticeable
- ☐ **146.** If all goes well, the product design ----- by the end of August.
229
 p. 223
 (A) will be finalized (B) has been finalized
 (C) finalized (D) was finalized
- ☐ **147.** The key to a profitable ----- is research.
086
 p. 109
 (A) investments (B) investing (C) invest (D) investment
- ☐ **148.** For security reasons, everyone must present photo identification ----- entering the Suffolk Building.
278
 p. 269
 (A) during (B) when (C) then (D) immediately
- ☐ **149.** Overall, the performance of the Ice-Cat 9X electric snowmobile is ----- to that of more expensive models.
343
 p. 354
 (A) comparable (B) comparison (C) compare (D) comparing
- ☐ **150.** Most of the construction will be performed ----- 8 A.M. and 5 P.M. on Monday and Tuesday.
306
 p. 311
 (A) into (B) between (C) after (D) from
- ☐ **151.** Construction of the building has been postponed -----.
038
 p. 85
 (A) repeatedly (B) repeat (C) repeated (D) repetition
- ☐ **152.** By using resources more -----, the Notterton Company was able to reduce waste at its production sites.
346
 p. 366
 (A) effectively (B) effect (C) effective (D) effects
- ☐ **153.** The director can wait to receive the report if ----- need to make any last-minute changes.
359
 p. 369
 (A) our (B) we (C) us (D) ourselves

145. (C) 146. (A) 147. (D) 148. (B) 149. (A) 150. (B) 151. (A) 152. (A) 153. (B)

- ☐ **154.** The Web site is ----- inaccessible.
013
 p. 71
 (A) temporary (B) temporarily (C) temporality (D) temporal
- ☐ **155.** Ms. Toshikawa bought donuts for ----- entire staff.
288
 p. 285
 (A) she (B) her (C) hers (D) herself
- ☐ **156.** The governor is ----- concerned about the impact of extremely hot weather on crops across the region.
325
 p. 350
 (A) justify (B) justifiably (C) justifiable (D) justification
- ☐ **157.** Mr. Sato has ----- experience as a tour guide, having led tours in eight countries over a period of 19 years.
114
 p. 123
 (A) extensive (B) extend (C) extensively (D) extension
- ☐ **158.** Despite the oil paintings being of varying sizes, they were ----- displayed side by side at the exhibition.
156
 p. 145
 (A) simplify (B) simple (C) simpler (D) simply
- ☐ **159.** Before working as a researcher in a museum, Mr. Sweeney studied ----- a lawyer.
231
 p. 225
 (A) to become (B) become (C) has become (D) became
- ☐ **160.** -----, our employees have been working overtime.
044
 p. 87
 (A) Late (B) Lateness (C) Later (D) Lately
- ☐ **161.** I will not go home ----- I have repaired the equipment.
266
 p. 261
 (A) during (B) then (C) prior (D) until
- ☐ **162.** For more than fifteen years, DyeTex has been a ----- supplier of fabric dyes.
143
 p. 137
 (A) rely (B) reliability (C) reliable (D) relying

154. (B) 155. (B) 156. (B) 157. (A) 158. (D) 159. (A) 160. (D) 161. (D) 162. (C)

- ☐ **163.** Alex Sullivan was a huge ----- as a result of the popularity of his debut novel, *Feel the Wind*.
 106 p. 119
 (A) successful (B) succeed (C) success (D) successfully
- ☐ **164.** Attendance was ----- high at the event.
 020 p. 75
 (A) surprise (B) surprises (C) surprising (D) surprisingly
- ☐ **165.** The event was a big -----.
 006 p. 65
 (A) succeed (B) succeeded (C) successfully (D) success
- ☐ **166.** In a recent poll, Compton Library patrons were asked which renovation plan ----- would prefer.
 292 p. 287
 (A) they (B) their (C) them (D) themselves
- ☐ **167.** Blackstone Railways is making ----- to Nilsen Station.
 004 p. 65
 (A) improve (B) improvements (C) improved (D) improving
- ☐ **168.** Assembling a Furniform Furniture product is easy if you follow the instructions ----- in the box.
 333 p. 352
 (A) included (B) include (C) includes (D) including
- ☐ **169.** The business will become ----- soon.
 008 p. 67
 (A) profit (B) profitably (C) profitable (D) profitability
- ☐ **170.** As a pleasant surprise, film director Hayato Miyazaki ----- introduced the movie at its premiere.
 300 p. 291
 (A) he (B) his (C) himself (D) him
- ☐ **171.** Village Bistro's popularity is evident by the long lines ----- form outside its entrance at lunchtime.
 387 p. 386
 (A) what (B) that (C) whose (D) who

- ☐ **172.** Mr. Herald was pleased to learn that Elsonia Bank now ----- electronic billing statements.
 260 p. 239
 (A) offering (B) offer (C) offered (D) offers
- ☐ **173.** Hannah Lewis is an award-winning ----- photographer who specializes in travel and nature photography.
 146 p. 139
 (A) profession (B) professionally
 (C) professionalism (D) professional
- ☐ **174.** Maria Gomez could not attend the meeting last Friday ----- she was at a conference in Budapest.
 279 p. 269
 (A) then (B) soon (C) since (D) during
- ☐ **175.** At the awards ceremony, the director ----- his gratitude to everyone who had worked on the film.
 239 p. 229
 (A) express (B) expressing (C) expression (D) expressed
- ☐ **176.** One goal of the Modern Art Museum is ----- its collections in order to attract more visitors to its exhibition spaces.
 320 p. 349
 (A) developed (B) to develop (C) being developed (D) develops
- ☐ **177.** Grouse Mountain is popular with hikers, especially when the sky is ----- and the temperature is pleasant.
 401 p. 390
 (A) clearance (B) clearly (C) clear (D) clears
- ☐ **178.** More than 100 individual donors have contributed to the fund-raising campaign since it ----- in March.
 258 p. 239
 (A) launched (B) launching (C) launches (D) launch
- ☐ **179.** The position requires ----- proficiency in programming as well as good communication and technical writing skills.
 173 p. 153
 (A) strengthen (B) strongly (C) strength (D) strong
- ☐ **180.** Paula Ciccone is an ----- senior executive with over 30 years of experience in the apparel industry.
 169 p. 151
 (A) accomplish (B) accomplishes
 (C) accomplishment (D) accomplished

163. (C) 164. (D) 165. (D) 166. (A) 167. (B) 168. (A) 169. (C) 170. (C) 171. (B)

172. (D) 173. (D) 174. (C) 175. (D) 176. (B) 177. (C) 178. (A) 179. (D) 180. (D)

- ☐ **181.** ----- she has been retired for twelve years, Barb Lancer still attends graduation ceremonies at the university.
 276 p. 267
 (A) Despite (B) Even (C) However (D) Although
- ☐ **182.** They believe that ----- assembly lines will result in job losses.
 100 p. 115
 (A) automate (B) automated (C) automates (D) automatically
- ☐ **183.** ----- to the R&D department is restricted.
 010 p. 69
 (A) Access (B) Accessible (C) Accessed (D) Accessibly
- ☐ **184.** The town houses are ----- renovated.
 012 p. 69
 (A) freshly (B) fresh (C) freshest (D) freshness
- ☐ **185.** The housekeeping staff is ----- when cleaning the rooms.
 088 p. 109
 (A) thoroughly (B) thorough (C) thoroughness (D) more thoroughly
- ☐ **186.** According to the publisher, the number of people who buy audiobooks has risen only ----- over the past decade.
 148 p. 141
 (A) margin (B) margins (C) marginal (D) marginally
- ☐ **187.** The financial advisor emphasized that the key to a sound and profitable ----- is research and vigilance.
 186 p. 159
 (A) invest (B) investing (C) investment (D) investments
- ☐ **188.** Robert Moore's highly anticipated documentary about the moon landing ----- early next year.
 253 p. 235
 (A) had released (B) has been released
 (C) released (D) will be released
- ☐ **189.** David Campbell will fill in for Sonia Kruger while ----- is away from the office.
 297 p. 289
 (A) hers (B) her (C) herself (D) she

181. (D) 182. (B) 183. (A) 184. (A) 185. (B) 186. (D) 187. (C) 188. (D) 189. (D)

- ☐ **190.** Some newspapers suffered from a downturn in advertising and struggled to make the ----- to the digital age.
 133 p. 133
 (A) transitional (B) transitionally (C) transitioned (D) transition
- ☐ **191.** Blackstone Railways is making ----- to Nilsen Station so that it can accommodate more passengers.
 104 p. 119
 (A) improvements (B) improved (C) improve (D) improving
- ☐ **192.** The railway, which is nearly 200 years old, ----- a big part in uniting the country.
 340 p. 354
 (A) having played (B) has played (C) to play (D) will have played
- ☐ **193.** Most teachers would agree that mobile phones cause ----- in the classroom.
 158 p. 145
 (A) distraction (B) distracted (C) distractively (D) distract
- ☐ **194.** ----- from more than 40 countries participated in the culinary contest in New Zealand.
 124 p. 129
 (A) Representing (B) Representatives
 (C) Represented (D) Represent
- ☐ **195.** All of the conference sessions and events will be held ----- at the Elegancia Hotel in Nagano.
 136 p. 135
 (A) exclusive (B) exclusively (C) exclusives (D) exclusion
- ☐ **196.** I was impressed with the microphone's ----- of sound.
 042 p. 87
 (A) clear (B) clearly (C) clarity (D) clearest
- ☐ **197.** Because the company is always developing new technologies, ----- to the R&D department is restricted.
 110 p. 121
 (A) accessed (B) accessible (C) accessibly (D) access
- ☐ **198.** The program will promote the good ----- of all employees.
 047 p. 89
 (A) healthful (B) healthfully (C) health (D) healthier

190. (D) 191. (A) 192. (B) 193. (A) 194. (B) 195. (B) 196. (C) 197. (D) 198. (C)

- ☐ **199.** Milo Ferris was a professor at Brinkley University ----- leaving to start a consulting business eight years ago.
 273 p. 265
 (A) before (B) then (C) previously (D) soon
- ☐ **200.** Mr. Kato usually works from ----- home.
 283 p. 281
 (A) he (B) his (C) him (D) himself
- ☐ **201.** Every year, the World Kids Foundation ----- 50 grants of \$20,000 each to nonprofits working to improve children's nutrition.
 367 p. 371
 (A) award (B) awards (C) is awarded (D) have awarded
- ☐ **202.** We are seeking ----- for our board of directors.
 060 p. 95
 (A) nominations (B) nominate (C) nominates (D) nominating
- ☐ **203.** The first branch of the popular fast-food chain Frida's Fried Chicken ----- in Madison, Alabama in 1960.
 252 p. 235
 (A) was opened (B) is opened
 (C) is being opened (D) has been opened
- ☐ **204.** The municipal authority makes sure that all construction projects ----- with applicable building codes and regulations.
 155 p. 143
 (A) compliant (B) complying (C) comply (D) compliance
- ☐ **205.** Some newspapers are struggling to make the ----- to the digital age.
 033 p. 83
 (A) transitional (B) transition (C) transitionally (D) transitioned
- ☐ **206.** Make sure the wire is ----- attached.
 045 p. 89
 (A) firmly (B) firm (C) firms (D) firmed
- ☐ **207.** Recent research shows that electric cars are becoming ----- popular among drivers around the world.
 123 p. 127
 (A) increase (B) increased (C) increasing (D) increasingly

- ☐ **208.** Ms. Sweeney is studying ----- a lawyer.
 201 p. 207
 (A) become (B) to become (C) became (D) has become
- ☐ **209.** ----- off the lights at the end of the day is the responsibility of the person who leaves the office last.
 238 p. 229
 (A) Turn (B) Turns (C) Turned (D) Turning
- ☐ **210.** The contractor emphasized that the roof repairs should be done ----- to prevent further damage to the property.
 149 p. 141
 (A) quickness (B) quicken (C) quickly (D) quickened
- ☐ **211.** Formerly a bank manager, James Waterman reinvented ----- as a photographer.
 390 p. 387
 (A) himself (B) his (C) him (D) he
- ☐ **212.** Mr. Nakamura and Ms. Garza ----- the Water Resources Symposium in Frankfurt last week.
 360 p. 369
 (A) attend (B) are attending (C) have attended (D) attended
- ☐ **213.** Mr. Frey invested a lot of money in a biotechnology company, ----- sales have been growing worldwide.
 357 p. 368
 (A) which (B) whose (C) who (D) what
- ☐ **214.** Since the bridge was closed for repairs, city officials have received a ----- number of complaints from locals.
 132 p. 133
 (A) substance (B) substantially (C) substantiate (D) substantial
- ☐ **215.** Although Catherine Walsh's latest novel takes place in Peru, it is ----- a sequel to her book set in China.
 194 p. 163
 (A) essentiality (B) essentially (C) essential (D) essence
- ☐ **216.** The backpack that Mr. Harper ordered from the online camping goods store is stylish yet -----.
 389 p. 387
 (A) function (B) functional (C) functionally (D) functions

199. (A) 200. (B) 201. (B) 202. (A) 203. (A) 204. (C) 205. (B) 206. (A) 207. (D)

208. (B) 209. (D) 210. (C) 211. (A) 212. (D) 213. (B) 214. (D) 215. (B) 216. (B)

- ☐ **217.** The ----- process of a magazine involves numerous steps that are often carried out simultaneously by several departments.
 197 p. 165
 (A) produce (B) produces (C) production (D) produced
- ☐ **218.** The marketing team ----- advertisements in fashion magazines next month to promote a new line of men's suits.
 257 p. 237
 (A) had placed (B) placing
 (C) has been placed (D) will be placing
- ☐ **219.** Electric cars are becoming ----- popular.
 023 p. 77
 (A) increase (B) increasingly (C) increasing (D) increased
- ☐ **220.** Agriculture ----- by tourism ten years ago.
 214 p. 215
 (A) surpassing (B) surpassed
 (C) has surpassed (D) was surpassed
- ☐ **221.** The position requires ----- proficiency in programming.
 073 p. 103
 (A) strong (B) strengthen (C) strength (D) strongly
- ☐ **222.** At the town art festival, artists will welcome your questions about their works and the materials ----- they use.
 312 p. 335
 (A) who (B) whose (C) that (D) what
- ☐ **223.** There is no doubt that the use of mobile devices has increased ----- at the company.
 362 p. 370
 (A) produce (B) productivity (C) productive (D) productively
- ☐ **224.** When Ms. Vargas arrived at the hotel with her client, the concierge ----- welcomed them.
 134 p. 133
 (A) warmth (B) warmed (C) warm (D) warmly
- ☐ **225.** ----- the order has been processed, you will receive an e-mail notification with a tracking number.
 369 p. 371
 (A) In spite of (B) Rather than (C) Due to (D) As soon as

217. (C) 218. (D) 219. (B) 220. (D) 221. (A) 222. (C) 223. (B) 224. (D) 225. (D)

- ☐ **226.** Dr. Hancock's article on the ----- of marine pollution was recently published in *Innovation Magazine*.
 356 p. 368
 (A) prevent (B) prevention (C) preventive (D) prevents
- ☐ **227.** ----- off the lights at the end of the day is your responsibility.
 208 p. 211
 (A) Turn (B) Turning (C) Turned (D) Turns
- ☐ **228.** According to the chief mechanic, the car parts ----- were ordered last week have already arrived.
 313 p. 335
 (A) who (B) that (C) what (D) whose
- ☐ **229.** After Maynard Foods acquired Safton Poultry, it began offering a ----- range of products to consumers.
 404 p. 391
 (A) widen (B) width (C) widest (D) wider
- ☐ **230.** The Cool Breeze marketing campaign generated considerable ----- and helped boost sales of the new soft drink.
 187 p. 159
 (A) publicizing (B) publicity (C) public (D) publicize
- ☐ **231.** In his article, Dave Feldman suggests that half of the global workforce ----- by robots in 30 years.
 371 p. 372
 (A) will have been replaced (B) replaced
 (C) will replace (D) has been replacing
- ☐ **232.** ----- last year's convention, this year's event will be for two days.
 280 p. 269
 (A) Unlike (B) Even if (C) In addition (D) Otherwise
- ☐ **233.** Our real estate agents ----- update the agency's Web site showing properties for sale and rent.
 121 p. 127
 (A) regularity (B) regular (C) regularly (D) regulate
- ☐ **234.** The customer service representative ----- called an hour ago said she would call again this evening.
 315 p. 337
 (A) whose (B) whoever (C) who (D) which

226. (B) 227. (B) 228. (B) 229. (D) 230. (B) 231. (A) 232. (A) 233. (C) 234. (C)

- ☐ **235.** Japan has ----- land and resources available for development.
063 (A) limit (B) limiting (C) limits (D) limited
 p. 97
- ☐ **236.** Ms. Paige recently celebrated ----- restaurant's 15th anniversary.
285 (A) she (B) herself (C) her (D) hers
 p. 283
- ☐ **237.** Kangaroo Airlines ----- complies with all government safety rules and regulations.
184 (A) full (B) fullness (C) fully (D) fullest
 p. 159
- ☐ **238.** Japan World Airways reported on Wednesday a ----- increase in revenue in the fourth quarter.
117 (A) sharpen (B) sharply (C) sharpness (D) sharp
 p. 125
- ☐ **239.** Dr. Windsor's study is ----- flawed.
054 (A) methods (B) methodology
 p. 93 (C) methodological (D) methodologically
- ☐ **240.** In his speech, Mr. Owens said that an ----- company provides many opportunities for employees to grow.
341 (A) idea (B) ideas (C) ideally (D) ideal
 p. 354
- ☐ **241.** The new employment contract is essentially the same as the old one but worded -----.
171 (A) differently (B) different (C) difference (D) differ
 p. 151
- ☐ **242.** As a former factory worker, the new plant director is very ----- to the needs of his employees.
177 (A) responsive (B) responsively (C) response (D) respond
 p. 155
- ☐ **243.** The Branton Hotel ----- on February 10.
202 (A) reopen (B) will reopen
 p. 207 (C) reopening (D) have reopened

235. (D) 236. (C) 237. (C) 238. (D) 239. (D) 240. (D) 241. (A) 242. (A) 243. (B)

- ☐ **244.** The researchers stated that further analysis would be conducted ----- validate their findings.
365 (A) prior to (B) due to (C) in order to (D) in addition to
 p. 370
- ☐ **245.** Over the past three weeks, interns at Travers Fabrics ----- in the world of fashion marketing.
344 (A) immersing (B) immersed
 p. 355 (C) will be immersing (D) have been immersed
- ☐ **246.** The road became ----- steeper.
095 (A) progress (B) progressive (C) progressively (D) progressed
 p. 113
- ☐ **247.** A list of children's books ----- by Mr. Kato.
219 (A) are compiling (B) has been compiled
 p. 217 (C) compiled (D) will be compiling
- ☐ **248.** -----, Tyco Sportswear employees have been working overtime to meet demand for the company's sneakers.
144 (A) Late (B) Lately (C) Later (D) Lateness
 p. 139
- ☐ **249.** People who have limited work ----- often include personal references on their résumés.
151 (A) experienced (B) experience (C) to experience (D) experiencing
 p. 141
- ☐ **250.** Zoticos Apparel is renowned for its ----- clothes.
061 (A) afford (B) affordably (C) affordability (D) affordable
 p. 97
- ☐ **251.** About 90 percent of the survey respondents indicated they always delete promotional e-mails ----- reading them.
310 (A) without (B) against (C) despite (D) around
 p. 313
- ☐ **252.** A number of organizations will take part in the community cleanup ----- the Flint River.
348 (A) along (B) onto (C) besides (D) under
 p. 366

244. (C) 245. (D) 246. (C) 247. (B) 248. (B) 249. (B) 250. (D) 251. (A) 252. (A)

- ☐ **253.** With an aluminum body, the latest smartphone from Apple Tech is
 332 ----- lighter than previous models.
 p. 352 (A) highly (B) very (C) more (D) much
- ☐ **254.** For the past month, we ----- with preparations for the event.
 225 (A) will be occupied (B) had occupied
 p. 221 (C) have been occupied (D) are occupying
- ☐ **255.** The technologies are used to measure temperature -----.
 065 (A) precise (B) precisely (C) precision (D) preciseness
 p. 99
- ☐ **256.** Mr. Krauss can think -----.
 028 (A) strategically (B) strategy (C) strategize (D) strategic
 p. 79
- ☐ **257.** We offer ----- benefits to our employees.
 022 (A) generate (B) generously (C) generosity (D) generous
 p. 77
- ☐ **258.** The house ----- by the same family for over 50 years.
 211 (A) has been owned (B) is owning (C) owned (D) had owned
 p. 213
- ☐ **259.** We ----- need to secure additional funding.
 039 (A) urgent (B) urgently (C) urgency (D) urgencies
 p. 85
- ☐ **260.** Over the past five years, Montego Bay's population ----- from roughly
 254 10,000 to nearly 20,000.
 p. 237 (A) grown (B) will grow (C) has grown (D) grows
- ☐ **261.** Patients should arrive 20 minutes ----- their appointment.
 265 (A) while (B) as soon as (C) prior to (D) formerly
 p. 261

- ☐ **262.** The wellness program at Durmont Optics is intended to promote the
 147 good ----- of all its employees.
 p. 139 (A) health (B) healthier (C) healthful (D) healthfully
- ☐ **263.** Our company recycles ----- goods.
 011 (A) use (B) uses (C) usability (D) usable
 p. 69
- ☐ **264.** Mr. Thompson made a ----- donation.
 027 (A) substantially (B) substance (C) substantial (D) substances
 p. 79
- ☐ **265.** Mr. Kato is knowledgeable, creative, and -----.
 067 (A) resource (B) resources (C) resourcefully (D) resourceful
 p. 99
- ☐ **266.** The founder delivered a highly ----- speech.
 052 (A) motivational (B) motivate (C) motivationally (D) motivation
 p. 91
- ☐ **267.** Your name will be entered into a drawing to win a variety of prizes,
 378 ----- a lawnmower and a wheelbarrow.
 p. 384 (A) include (B) included (C) includes (D) including
- ☐ **268.** The Hampstead Public Library keeps busy throughout the year with
 150 ----- scheduled programs as well as special events.
 p. 141 (A) regulates (B) regularly (C) regulate (D) regularity
- ☐ **269.** Ms. Bower's résumé shows that ----- has the necessary qualifications
 291 outlined in the job posting.
 p. 287 (A) her (B) hers (C) herself (D) she
- ☐ **270.** Jonny Li is a good fit for the fertilizer sales position ----- his
 330 background in the agricultural industry.
 p. 351 (A) given (B) since (C) so (D) provided

- ☐ **271.** After a panel of experts judges the photographs, the winners will be contacted ----- by phone in November.
 125 p. 129
 (A) individually (B) individualize (C) individuals (D) individual
- ☐ **272.** Suzuki Designs will relocate its headquarters to a more accessible ----- in the central business district.
 164 p. 149
 (A) locate (B) locations (C) location (D) located
- ☐ **273.** The museum ----- visitors to experience science in unique ways.
 213 p. 213
 (A) invites (B) inviting (C) is invited (D) will be invited
- ☐ **274.** ----- production delays, Nancy Glass canceled her summer concerts.
 264 p. 261
 (A) Due to (B) Because (C) As soon as (D) In case
- ☐ **275.** Everyone ----- to bring a tent and sleeping bag.
 212 p. 213
 (A) advise (B) is advised (C) is advising (D) advising
- ☐ **276.** Although the waiter personally recommended the apple pie, Ms. Chapman found it ----- sweet.
 191 p. 161
 (A) excessively (B) excessive (C) exceed (D) excess
- ☐ **277.** The ----- process of a magazine involves numerous steps.
 097 p. 115
 (A) produce (B) production (C) produced (D) produces
- ☐ **278.** When Mr. Gupta stays at the Sunscape Hotel, he always requests a room ----- a view of the ocean.
 301 p. 309
 (A) to (B) on (C) with (D) out
- ☐ **279.** The country's soybean imports dropped by approximately 5.5 percent in August after four consecutive monthly -----.
 375 p. 373
 (A) increasing (B) increasingly (C) increased (D) increases

- ☐ **280.** A security camera ----- directly above the reception desk.
 245 p. 231
 (A) will install (B) installed
 (C) is being installed (D) have been installed
- ☐ **281.** Over the years, the university ----- demolishing the old laboratory building and constructing a new one in its place.
 237 p. 227
 (A) consider (B) has considered (C) considering (D) to consider
- ☐ **282.** The new receptionist welcomes every customer in a ----- manner.
 099 p. 115
 (A) courteous (B) courtesy (C) courteously (D) courtesies
- ☐ **283.** Medical leave will not be granted without ----- by a licensed health care provider.
 351 p. 367
 (A) certify (B) certified (C) certification (D) certifies
- ☐ **284.** Dr. Crawford began developing the new algorithm ----- she was a graduate student in London.
 384 p. 386
 (A) during (B) then (C) besides (D) while
- ☐ **285.** The job fair will be helpful for ----- candidates.
 205 p. 209
 (A) recruit (B) to recruit (C) recruits (D) recruiting
- ☐ **286.** The hotel provides comfortable accommodations at ----- rates.
 041 p. 87
 (A) reason (B) reasonable (C) reasonably (D) reasoning
- ☐ **287.** The story captured the ----- of children all over the world.
 059 p. 95
 (A) imagine (B) imagined (C) imaginative (D) imagination
- ☐ **288.** I will work for Ms. Kruger while ----- is on vacation.
 287 p. 283
 (A) she (B) her (C) hers (D) herself

- ☐ **289.** We converted a ----- shopping center into a plant.
037 (A) vacant (B) vacancy (C) vacantly (D) vacate
 p. 85
- ☐ **290.** Medical records must be filed alphabetically in a ----- room when they are not being used.
380 (A) secure (B) secures (C) securest (D) securely
 p. 385
- ☐ **291.** During his presentation, Dr. Roberts placed significant ----- on the need for sustainable development.
323 (A) emphasize (B) emphasized (C) emphasizes (D) emphasis
 p. 349
- ☐ **292.** Spring is typically the ----- time of year at Andesite National Park.
337 (A) busies (B) busily (C) busiest (D) most busily
 p. 353
- ☐ **293.** The marketing campaign generated considerable -----.
087 (A) publicity (B) publicize (C) public (D) publicizing
 p. 109
- ☐ **294.** We are a ----- supplier of fabric dyes.
043 (A) rely (B) relying (C) reliable (D) reliability
 p. 87
- ☐ **295.** Mr. Newton built a fence ----- the garden to keep people from stepping on his flowers.
326 (A) to (B) up (C) over (D) around
 p. 350
- ☐ **296.** The Sanderson Company reported strong financial ----- for the first quarter.
385 (A) gained (B) gains (C) to gain (D) gainer
 p. 386
- ☐ **297.** Before the storm, the fisherman tied his boat ----- to the dock to keep it from drifting away.
118 (A) security (B) secure (C) securely (D) securities
 p. 125

- ☐ **298.** The students were asked which plan ----- would prefer.
282 (A) they (B) their (C) them (D) themselves
 p. 281
- ☐ **299.** Our customer service staff will address your concerns -----.
075 (A) personally (B) personalize (C) personal (D) personality
 p. 103
- ☐ **300.** We provide timely ----- to customer inquiries.
082 (A) respond (B) responded (C) responding (D) responses
 p. 107
- ☐ **301.** ----- for the photography contest must feature one or more pets owned by the entrant.
350 (A) Entered (B) Entries (C) Entering (D) Entrance
 p. 367
- ☐ **302.** The winners will be contacted ----- by phone.
025 (A) individual (B) individually (C) individualize (D) individuals
 p. 79
- ☐ **303.** Students at Provost University harvest fruits and vegetables on campus and sell ----- in the cafeteria.
352 (A) they (B) their (C) them (D) themselves
 p. 367
- ☐ **304.** Their growth surpassed even the most ----- forecasts.
089 (A) optimism (B) optimistically (C) optimistic (D) optimist
 p. 111
- ☐ **305.** You will receive a confirmation e-mail ----- your order has been shipped.
274 (A) soon (B) once (C) usually (D) within
 p. 267
- ☐ **306.** New air conditioners ----- on each floor next week to improve energy efficiency in the building.
381 (A) are installing (B) will be installed
 p. 385 (C) will install (D) have been installed

- ☐ **307.** Harrister Bank has been training its staff to field questions ----- customers about mortgage applications.
304 p. 311
 (A) across (B) toward (C) through (D) from
- ☐ **308.** Mr. Shimura has ----- experience as a tour guide.
014 p. 71
 (A) extend (B) extensive (C) extension (D) extensively
- ☐ **309.** The fertilizer industry grew by 26 percent last year, which surpassed even the most ----- forecasts.
189 p. 161
 (A) optimist (B) optimism (C) optimistic (D) optimistically
- ☐ **310.** The company ----- 54 years ago in California.
221 p. 219
 (A) will establish (B) has established
 (C) was established (D) is established
- ☐ **311.** The new receptionist at Clarwell Insurance is always friendly and welcomes every customer in a ----- manner.
199 p. 167
 (A) courtesy (B) courtesies (C) courteously (D) courteous
- ☐ **312.** Nominations for the award ----- until July 31.
220 p. 217
 (A) was accepted (B) have accepted
 (C) will be accepting (D) are being accepted
- ☐ **313.** House prices have risen ----- in Cape Town over the past few years.
119 p. 125
 (A) drama (B) dramatically (C) dramatize (D) dramatic
- ☐ **314.** Ms. Chapman found the cake ----- sweet.
091 p. 111
 (A) excess (B) excessive (C) excessively (D) exceed
- ☐ **315.** The brand image of our company has ----- improved.
035 p. 83
 (A) notice (B) noticeable (C) noticeably (D) notices

- ☐ **316.** The program is entertaining and ----- to children.
080 p. 105
 (A) benefits (B) beneficially (C) beneficial (D) beneficiary
- ☐ **317.** Mayor Brooks said that more planning was needed before a vote ----- construction of the stadium.
396 p. 389
 (A) from (B) on (C) up (D) away
- ☐ **318.** The band has ----- announced the release date of the new album.
040 p. 85
 (A) final (B) finals (C) finally (D) finalized
- ☐ **319.** The bid submitted ----- Varitech Corporation was rejected because it was not filed within the time limit.
376 p. 384
 (A) despite (B) as (C) of (D) by
- ☐ **320.** The ski jackets are famous for ----- innovative designs.
289 p. 285
 (A) they (B) their (C) them (D) themselves
- ☐ **321.** The committee ----- the operating budget to include \$12,000 in funding to replace the ventilation system.
247 p. 233
 (A) amending (B) amended (C) to amend (D) is amended
- ☐ **322.** Both the manager and assistant manager are -----.
007 p. 67
 (A) absence (B) absently (C) absences (D) absent
- ☐ **323.** Agriculture was the largest sector of the nation's economy until it ----- by tourism a decade ago.
244 p. 231
 (A) surpassed (B) surpassing
 (C) was surpassed (D) has surpassed
- ☐ **324.** Ms. Yang was very impressed with the microphone's user-friendliness and ----- of sound.
142 p. 137
 (A) clear (B) clearest (C) clearly (D) clarity

- ☐ **325.** Green Grounds has long been ----- in promoting sustainability in the field of construction.
 166 p. 149
 (A) active (B) activate (C) activating (D) actively
- ☐ **326.** Participants under the age of 16 must obtain parental consent ----- entering the skateboard competition.
 319 p. 348
 (A) prior to (B) therefore (C) so that (D) whereas
- ☐ **327.** I received the supervisors' ----- to change my shift.
 068 p. 99
 (A) approval (B) approve (C) approved (D) approves
- ☐ **328.** The automobile manufacturer ----- to hire 3,000 workers for its new plant in Dublin.
 105 p. 119
 (A) intending (B) intention (C) intentional (D) intends
- ☐ **329.** The road became ----- steeper as the truck ascended Mount Pamoway.
 195 p. 163
 (A) progressively (B) progressive (C) progressed (D) progress
- ☐ **330.** The house at 438 Carolyn Avenue ----- by the same family for over 50 years.
 241 p. 229
 (A) is owning (B) had owned (C) has been owned (D) owned
- ☐ **331.** The workshop fee does not cover travel expenses, so participants must make ----- arrangements.
 377 p. 384
 (A) they (B) them (C) their own (D) themselves
- ☐ **332.** The ----- for revamping the Falco brand includes an advertising campaign slated for early next year.
 395 p. 388
 (A) strategy (B) strategies (C) strategic (D) strategically
- ☐ **333.** In his TV interview, Mr. Vega remarked that his Blurgo ride-sharing business will become ----- in three years.
 108 p. 121
 (A) profitably (B) profitable (C) profitability (D) profit

- ☐ **334.** Bosen Corporation recently converted a ----- shopping center into a 6,000-square-meter manufacturing plant.
 137 p. 135
 (A) vacantly (B) vacancy (C) vacant (D) vacate
- ☐ **335.** A personalized session with one of our ----- career counselors will help you identify your professional goals.
 353 p. 367
 (A) experienced (B) experience (C) experiences (D) to experience
- ☐ **336.** Before the situation was explained to -----, Mr. Petrovich had already begun to work on the problem.
 294 p. 289
 (A) he (B) his (C) him (D) himself
- ☐ **337.** Sign up for a free ----- session with one of our personal trainers today.
 076 p. 103
 (A) inform (B) informs (C) informational (D) informationally
- ☐ **338.** Puplex Industries offers ----- benefits and a supportive working environment to its employees.
 122 p. 127
 (A) generously (B) generosity (C) generous (D) generate
- ☐ **339.** Our online store is functioning -----.
 090 p. 111
 (A) rely (B) reliable (C) reliability (D) reliably
- ☐ **340.** Every essay entered into the Silver Pen writing contest should be ----- eight pages in length.
 181 p. 157
 (A) rough (B) roughly (C) roughness (D) roughs
- ☐ **341.** With 50 years in the fashion design industry, Zoticos Apparel is renowned for its stylish and ----- clothes.
 161 p. 147
 (A) afford (B) affordability (C) affordably (D) affordable
- ☐ **342.** Any purchase can be returned ----- it is in its original condition.
 267 p. 261
 (A) even (B) because of (C) only if (D) already

325. (A) 326. (A) 327. (A) 328. (D) 329. (A) 330. (C) 331. (C) 332. (A) 333. (B)

334. (C) 335. (A) 336. (C) 337. (C) 338. (C) 339. (D) 340. (B) 341. (D) 342. (C)

- ☐ **343.** Masami Sato recently published a ----- version of *Plain English*, the bestselling guide to English usage.
 397 p. 389
 (A) revised (B) revises (C) revise (D) revising
- ☐ **344.** Please sign one copy of the property lease agreement and return it to us ----- August 31.
 303 p. 309
 (A) by (B) at (C) in (D) over
- ☐ **345.** Peter Simkin is an accomplished actor, but even ----- found working on the action film a challenge.
 293 p. 287
 (A) he (B) his (C) him (D) himself
- ☐ **346.** Judging by ticket sales, Ben Herbert's first play on Broadway is ----- a success.
 178 p. 155
 (A) clearness (B) clearly (C) cleared (D) clear
- ☐ **347.** Mr. Krauss is best suited for the logistics management position because of his ability to think -----.
 128 p. 131
 (A) strategy (B) strategic (C) strategically (D) strategize
- ☐ **348.** For the past month, staff at the convention center ----- with preparations for the upcoming trade fair.
 255 p. 237
 (A) have been occupied (B) will be occupying
 (C) are occupying (D) had occupied
- ☐ **349.** All laboratory personnel are ----- encouraged to attend next week's workplace safety seminar.
 130 p. 131
 (A) strengthen (B) strongly (C) strength (D) strong
- ☐ **350.** The *Social Media Guide* ----- how schools can use social media to better connect with parents.
 383 p. 385
 (A) outlines (B) outline (C) outlining (D) to outline
- ☐ **351.** Kentaro Nagayama's ----- guide to the birds of Japan is hailed by ornithologists.
 331 p. 351
 (A) illustrate (B) illustrating (C) illustrated (D) illustrates

343. (A) 344. (A) 345. (A) 346. (B) 347. (C) 348. (A) 349. (B) 350. (A) 351. (C)

- ☐ **352.** We should ----- a bid for the construction of the shopping center.
 206 p. 209
 (A) submit (B) submitted (C) has submitted (D) to submit
- ☐ **353.** The story of a young wizard has captured the ----- of children all over the world.
 159 p. 145
 (A) imagined (B) imagine (C) imagination (D) imaginative
- ☐ **354.** The Starlight Tower is one of the most ----- landmarks in Quinton City.
 185 p. 159
 (A) recognizable (B) recognizably (C) recognizing (D) recognition
- ☐ **355.** The article provides five tips on how to make your Web site more -----.
 349 p. 366
 (A) access (B) accessibly (C) accessible (D) accessibility
- ☐ **356.** We ----- update our Web site.
 021 p. 77
 (A) regular (B) regularly (C) regulate (D) regularity
- ☐ **357.** ----- has all the necessary qualifications for the job.
 281 p. 281
 (A) She (B) Her (C) Hers (D) Herself
- ☐ **358.** We are ----- appreciative of your feedback.
 026 p. 79
 (A) great (B) greater (C) greatest (D) greatly
- ☐ **359.** The steering committee agreed to wait ----- the next meeting to elect a new chairperson.
 392 p. 388
 (A) until (B) here (C) because (D) soon
- ☐ **360.** ----- from 43 countries participated in the contest.
 024 p. 77
 (A) Representatives (B) Represents
 (C) Represent (D) Represented

352. (A) 353. (C) 354. (A) 355. (C) 356. (B) 357. (A) 358. (D) 359. (A) 360. (A)

- ☐ **361.** Nina Cordova's camera was too ----- to carry in her suitcase, so she took pictures with her smartphone instead.
153 p. 143
 (A) largeness (B) largely (C) largest (D) large
- ☐ **362.** ----- the candidates who applied for the accounting job, Ms. Blake had the most practical experience.
309 p. 313
 (A) Among (B) Even (C) Beyond (D) During
- ☐ **363.** Paula Ciccone is an ----- senior executive.
069 p. 101
 (A) accomplish (B) accomplishes
 (C) accomplished (D) accomplishment
- ☐ **364.** They ----- on the location of the new fire station.
057 p. 95
 (A) differ (B) difference (C) different (D) differently
- ☐ **365.** ----- your order is not delivered within 14 days of shipping, we will provide a refund.
334 p. 352
 (A) For (B) Despite (C) If (D) Only
- ☐ **366.** Ms. Bryant is the ----- for the event.
079 p. 105
 (A) coordinate (B) coordination (C) coordinated (D) coordinator
- ☐ **367.** The orchestra performed ----- on Sunday.
083 p. 107
 (A) impressively (B) impressive (C) impressed (D) impression
- ☐ **368.** All personnel are ----- encouraged to attend the seminar.
030 p. 81
 (A) strong (B) strength (C) strongly (D) strengthen
- ☐ **369.** Mobile phones cause ----- in the classroom.
058 p. 95
 (A) distraction (B) distract (C) distracted (D) distractedly

- ☐ **370.** Mr. Kato is very ----- to the needs of his employees.
077 p. 105
 (A) responsive (B) respond (C) response (D) responsively
- ☐ **371.** Seating for the symposium will be limited, ----- make sure to reserve your spot as soon as possible.
339 p. 353
 (A) but (B) so (C) while (D) for
- ☐ **372.** Pembleton University students responded ----- to the proposal.
070 p. 101
 (A) enthusiastically (B) enthusiasm
 (C) enthusiastic (D) enthusiasts
- ☐ **373.** The new Freight-GO logistics software enables trucking companies to keep track of all ----- shipments and orders.
296 p. 289
 (A) they (B) their (C) them (D) themselves
- ☐ **374.** The transit agency announced today that it will add more trains on the Yellow Line to address -----.
382 p. 385
 (A) overcrowd (B) overcrowded (C) overcrowding (D) overcrowds
- ☐ **375.** Mr. Balani has been nominated to fill the -----.
009 p. 67
 (A) vacant (B) vacancy (C) vacate (D) vacantly
- ☐ **376.** Mr. Kato has limited work -----.
051 p. 91
 (A) experience (B) experienced (C) experiencing (D) to experience
- ☐ **377.** The library is busy with ----- scheduled programs.
050 p. 91
 (A) regularity (B) regulate (C) regularly (D) regulates
- ☐ **378.** The first branch of the popular fast-food chain ----- in 1960.
222 p. 219
 (A) was opened (B) has been opened
 (C) is opened (D) is being opened

- ☐ **379.** Our construction projects ----- with all regulations.
055 (A) compliance (B) compliant (C) complying (D) comply
 p. 93
- ☐ **380.** The founder of the charity organization delivered a highly ----- speech at last night's benefit dinner.
152 (A) motivational (B) motivationally (C) motivation (D) motivate
 p. 143
- ☐ **381.** The company's president called the client ----- to explain why her order had been delayed.
316 (A) himself (B) his (C) him (D) he
 p. 348
- ☐ **382.** The Greenwood Nature Preserve is located in the western ----- of Starks County.
379 (A) parted (B) partly (C) part (D) parting
 p. 384
- ☐ **383.** Steven Preston is regarded as one of the most ----- film directors of the modern film era.
116 (A) creative (B) creation (C) create (D) creatively
 p. 125
- ☐ **384.** Most factory workers believe that ----- assembly lines will result in job losses.
200 (A) automatically (B) automated (C) automate (D) automates
 p. 167
- ☐ **385.** I will not renew the lease ----- you lower the rent.
268 (A) despite (B) unless (C) however (D) rather
 p. 263
- ☐ **386.** ----- for the celebration of Karotox Corporation's 100th anniversary will get underway in the new year.
327 (A) Prepare (B) Prepares (C) Preparations (D) Preparer
 p. 350
- ☐ **387.** Over the past five years, the city's population ----- by fifty percent.
224 (A) has grown (B) will grow (C) grows (D) growing
 p. 221

379. (D) 380. (A) 381. (A) 382. (C) 383. (A) 384. (B) 385. (B) 386. (C) 387. (A)

- ☐ **388.** The committee ----- the operating budget.
217 (A) amended (B) is amended (C) amending (D) to amend
 p. 217
- ☐ **389.** The customer service supervisor is responsible for ensuring that staff provide timely ----- to customer inquiries.
182 (A) responding (B) responses (C) responded (D) respond
 p. 157
- ☐ **390.** Few professional tennis ----- can play as skillfully as Rafael Rodriguez.
092 (A) player (B) play (C) playing (D) players
 p. 111
- ☐ **391.** Nishida Motor's sales in the domestic market for the third quarter were the ----- ever for the company.
355 (A) high (B) highly (C) highest (D) higher
 p. 368
- ☐ **392.** The airline reported a ----- increase in profits.
017 (A) sharply (B) sharp (C) sharpen (D) sharpness
 p. 73
- ☐ **393.** Since laundry detergents contain chemicals that can be ----- if consumed, they should be stored out of reach of children.
172 (A) hazardously (B) hazardous (C) hazarding (D) hazard
 p. 153
- ☐ **394.** We recycle ----- goods donated from the community and offer them for sale at a fraction of their value.
111 (A) use (B) usefully (C) usable (D) using
 p. 121
- ☐ **395.** According to a recent survey, two-thirds of construction firms have had difficulty ----- skilled workers.
393 (A) find (B) found (C) finds (D) finding
 p. 388
- ☐ **396.** To sign up for a free ----- session with one of our personal trainers, please visit our Web site.
176 (A) informational (B) inform (C) informed (D) informationally
 p. 155

388. (A) 389. (B) 390. (D) 391. (C) 392. (B) 393. (B) 394. (C) 395. (D) 396. (A)

- ☐ **397.** Ms. Sutton called a real estate agency ----- after learning she would be transferred to the Wellington office.
 363
 p. 370 (A) immediate (B) immediacies (C) immediacy (D) immediately
- ☐ **398.** The Summerville Orchestra performed ----- at the Swansea Music Festival on Sunday.
 183
 p. 157 (A) impressed (B) impressive (C) impression (D) impressively
- ☐ **399.** Your company logo will be printed on T-shirts worn by the exhibitors ----- the entire event.
 305
 p. 311 (A) throughout (B) beside (C) since (D) except
- ☐ **400.** Ski jackets made by Harshware Fashions are renowned for ----- innovative designs and durable materials.
 299
 p. 291 (A) they (B) them (C) their (D) themselves
- ☐ **401.** We have contributed to the campaign since it ----- in March.
 228
 p. 223 (A) launch (B) launched (C) launches (D) launching
- ☐ **402.** To purchase Jennifer Jackson's handmade dresses, visit ----- her online store or her boutique in San Pedro.
 324
 p. 350 (A) either (B) but (C) both (D) neither
- ☐ **403.** The newspaper reported that Clive Thomson had made a ----- donation to the Community Arts Center.
 127
 p. 129 (A) substantially (B) substantial (C) substances (D) substance
- ☐ **404.** Anyone who plans to visit the campsite ----- to bring a tent and sleeping bag.
 242
 p. 231 (A) is advised (B) advising (C) is advising (D) advise
- ☐ **405.** Laundry detergents contain chemicals that can be -----.
 072
 p. 101 (A) hazard (B) hazarding (C) hazardous (D) hazardously