

**46 – 50. Choose the item among A, B, C or D that best answers the question about the passage:**

Most young couples have meals regularly in their parents' home with little or no pay, and give their children to the care of old couple free of charge.

Investigations have shown that parents of many young couples don't mind providing meals and caring for their children. However, this practice should not become an accepted social custom.

The old couples' expense on food has already increased while young couples spend more on clothing and furnishing and less on food. If this trend continues, many young couples might take these privileges for granted and become more dependent.

It is not the right for young people to make use of the old couples' love, not only because our nation is well-known for its special respect paid to the elderly, but also because the young must become independent. What young people should do is to become more considerate towards their old parents. After years of hard work, they are worthy of such consideration.

46. Most married young couples \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. live with their parents
- B. have meals regularly in their parents' home for they have little or no fees
- C. have not become independent completely
- D. pay no respect to the elderly

47. The writer thinks it is \_\_\_\_\_ for old couple to provide meals or care for their married children.

- A. wrong
- B. an accepted social custom
- C. right
- D. understandable

48. According to the passage, young couples should \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. spend less on clothing or furnishing and more on food
- B. look after their children themselves
- C. be less demanding and more caring towards their old parents
- D. pay for the meals they have in their parents' home

49. Which of the following is TRUE according to the passage?

- A. What troubles young people most is that no one will look after their children except their own parents.
- B. The reason why young couples depend on their parents to different degrees is that their income is smaller.
- C. Old couple should give money to their children instead of providing meals or caring for them.
- D. It would be natural that if young couples went on depending on their old parents they would have to provide meals and care for their children when they get married.

50. This article is particularly written for \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. old couples
- B. both young and old couples
- C. young couples
- D. young couples' children

## C. READING

### 36 – 45. Choose the word or phrase among A, B, C or D that best fits the blank space in the following passage:

Face-to-face conversation is a two-way process: you speak to me, I reply to you and so on. Two-way (36) \_\_\_\_\_ depends on having a coding system that is understood by both (37) \_\_\_\_\_ and receiver, and an agreed convention about (38) \_\_\_\_\_ the beginning and end of the (39) \_\_\_\_\_. In speech, the coding system is the language like English or Spanish; the convention that one person speaks at a time may seem too obvious to (40) \_\_\_\_\_. In fact, the (41) \_\_\_\_\_ that people use in conversations and meetings are often non-verbal. For example, lowering the pitch of voice may mean the end of a sentence; a sharp intake of breath may signal the desire to (42) \_\_\_\_\_, catching the chairman's (43) \_\_\_\_\_ may indicate the desire to speak in a formal setting like a (44) \_\_\_\_\_, a clenched fist may indicate anger. When these (45) \_\_\_\_\_ signals are not possible, more formal signals may be needed.

36. A. communication	B. exchange	C. interchange	D. correspondence
37. A. transmitter	B. messenger	C. sender	D. announcer
38. A. signaling	B. symbolizing	C. signing	D. showing
39. A. idea	B. theme	C. topic	D. message
40. A. notice	B. mention	C. recognize	D. judge
41. A. signs	B. signals	C. symptoms	D. symbols
42. A. interfere	B. interchange	C. interrupt	D. intercept
43. A. elbow	B. shoulder	C. hand	D. eye
44. A. debate	B. chat	C. lecture	D. broadcast
45. A. auditory	B. visual	C. verbal	D. sensory

### 46 – 50. Choose the item among A, B, C or D that best answers the question about the passage:

Ever since humans have lived on the earth, they have made use of various forms of communication. Generally, this expression of thoughts and feelings has been in the form of oral speech. When there is a language barrier, communication is completed through sign language in which motions stand for letters, words, and ideas. Tourists, and the local people unable to make themselves understood by each other through speaking or writing have had to use this form of expression. Many of these symbols of whole words are very lively and exact and can be used internationally, spelling, however, cannot compare with them.

Body language sends ideas or thoughts by certain actions, either intentionally or unintentionally. A wink can be a way of showing that the party is only joking. A nod means approval, while shaking the head indicates a negative reaction.

Other forms of nonlinguistic language can be found in Braille (a system of raised dots read with the fingertips), signal flags, Morse code, and smoke signals. Road maps and picture signs also guide, warn, and instruct people.

All in all, while words are the most common form of communication, other systems and techniques nonlinguistic also play role of expressing human thoughts and feelings.

46. Which of the following best summarizes this passage?
  - A. When language is a barrier, people will find other forms of communication.
  - B. Everyone uses only one form of communication.
  - C. Nonlinguistic language is invaluable to foreigners.
  - D. Although other forms of communication exist, verbalization is the fastest.
47. Which of the following statements is NOT true?
  - A. There are many forms of communication in existence today.
  - B. Verbalization is the most common form of communication.
  - C. The deaf, and the mute use an oral form of communication.
  - D. Ideas and thoughts can be transmitted by body language.
48. Which form other than oral speech would be the most commonly used among blind people?

A. Picture signs.	B. Braille.
C. Body language.	D. Signal flags.
49. How many different forms of communication are mentioned here?

A. 5	B. 7	C. 9	D. 11
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50. Sign language is said to be very picturesque and exact and can be used internationally except for \_\_\_\_\_.

A. spelling	B. ideas
C. whole words	D. expressions