

静岡県公立入試2018年 対話文

次の英文は、健太(Kenta)とニュージーランド(New Zealand)からの留学生のジャック(Jack)が、ラグビー(rugby)観戦に行ったときの会話である。この英文を読んで、(1)~(5)の問いに答えなさい。(12点)

(Around the stadium.)

Kenta: Rugby is very popular in your country, right?

Jack: It's our national sport and we like it the best. How about in Japan?

Kenta: We will host the Rugby World Cup in 2019. It's becoming popular because (a) that.

Jack: Great.

Kenta: Our city is one of the host cities and there are a lot of events today. Oh, look! They're giving *mochi* to people.

Jack:

Kenta: *Mochi*, rice cakes. They're welcome gifts.

Jack: I see. But why rice cakes?

Kenta: We believe that rice cakes (b) good luck to us. We eat them at very special events. For example, we celebrate New Year's Day with *mochi*. Today's game is very important, so they're giving us rice cakes.

Jack: Interesting. Oh, Kenta, what is that crowd of people watching?

Kenta: Some fishermen are cutting a whole tuna.

Jack: Wow! I've never seen such a big (c)!

Kenta: Now it's ready for *sashimi*.

Jack: I will... Wow! It's delicious. I want more.

Kenta: You can get many other kinds of food around the stadium.

Jack: Wonderful!

(In the stadium.)

Jack: I really enjoyed the food, and now I can enjoy my favorite sport. I'm very lucky.

Kenta: I'm glad to hear that. Now let's watch the game.

Jack: Will the players perform something like *haka* before the game?

Kenta: *Haka*?

Jack: It's a traditional dance. In New Zealand, the players perform *haka* before important games. It's for showing their power to the other team and [ア coming イ the game ウ to the people エ to watch オ their thanks].

Kenta: Oh, I don't think they will perform something like *haka* today. Is *haka* performed only at rugby games?

Jack: No. We also perform *haka* when we celebrate something. For example, at weddings.

Kenta: Oh, you perform *haka* when you have in your lives, right? I think *haka* is a little similar to rice cakes in that way.

Jack: You're right!

(注) national: 国民的な host: ~を開催する, 開催 crowd: 群衆 fishermen: 漁師
tuna: マグロ lucky: 幸運な perform: ~を行う wedding(s): 結婚式

(1) 会話の流れが自然になるように、本文中の ~ の中に補う英語として、それぞれア~ウの中から最も適切なものを1つ選び、記号で答えなさい。

<input type="text" value="A"/>	ア Yes, please.	イ I have no idea.	ウ Of course.
<input type="text" value="B"/>	ア Pardon?	イ You're welcome.	ウ How about you?
<input type="text" value="C"/>	ア Can you be quiet?	イ Let's try some.	ウ That's too bad.

(2) 本文中の (a) ~ (c) の中に補う英語として、それぞれア~エの中から最も適切なものを1つ選び、記号で答えなさい。

(a)	ア on	イ of	ウ for	エ from
(b)	ア get	イ come	ウ stay	エ bring
(c)	ア it	イ that	ウ one	エ them

(3) 本文中の で、ジャックは、何を食べるとよいかという内容を質問している。その内容となるように、 の中に、適切な英語を補いなさい。

(4) 本文中の [] の中のア~オを、意味が通るように並べかえ、記号で答えなさい。

(5) 会話の内容と合うように、本文中の の中に補う英語として、本文中から最も適切な部分を3語で抜き出しなさい。