

國立新竹高工 114 學年度第一學期第二次期中考

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一、請在空格內填上適當的單字(一格 4 分)

(一) Memes: Small Pictures, Big Fun

Why do some pictures with words become popular online 1 **out of the blue**? It's because they are memes.

The word "meme" first appeared in Richard Dawkins's book *The Selfish Gene* in 1976. He used it to 2 **mean** a small piece of 3 **cultural** information.

It can 4 **copy** and spread like a 5 **gene**. As the internet grew, memes became a way for people to share ideas online.

Memes usually show a picture with simple words. People can use their 6 **own** ideas to make new memes. They show people's 7 **feelings**, daily lives, or social issues. So, many people feel the same way when they see these memes.

參考字彙

copy	mean	feelings	out of the blue	cultural	own	gene
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(二) Can't Get a Song Out of Your Head? It's an Earworm!

Earworms happen to almost everyone. They are like 1 **mosquito** 2 **bites**. They 3 **itch**, so you want to 4 **scratch** them. Earworms make you "scratch" the **itch** by playing the song in your head. However, this keeps the earworm going!

5 **Hearing** a tune or word can make an earworm happen. For example, the word "birthday" might make you remember the birthday song. Strong emotions can also make you remember songs from your past.

Some 6 **businesses** make good use of earworms. They write catchy tunes to make people remember their items. TV 7 **advertisement** songs, pop songs, and children's songs are all common examples of earworms.

參考字彙

businesses	scratch	itch	Hearing	advertisement	mosquito	bites
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二、請在答案空格上，填適當的單字。(一題 4 分)

題	答案	句子
1	distracted	Amanda is very easily <input type="text"/> , she takes forever to do anything.
2	boyfriend's	My <input type="text"/> name is George, and we are a couple.
3	bugging	The loud noise outside is <input type="text"/> me, and I can't focus on my homework.
4	last	The party for Jane's birthday will <input type="text"/> three days, from July 1 to 3.
5	character	Elsa is my favorite <input type="text"/> in Frozen.
6	unhappy	Anita was <input type="text"/> because her mom read her private diary.
7	calm	Jack felt <input type="text"/> after he listened to soft music.
8	panicked	I <input type="text"/> when I saw smoke coming out of the engine.
9	worm	The bird dug into the ground and pulled out a long <input type="text"/> for breakfast.
10	whole	David was very hungry, so he ate the <input type="text"/> pizza on his own!
11	confused	I'm totally <input type="text"/> . Could you explain that again?

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worm	boyfriend's	whole	distracted	calm	

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