I. Vocabulary: (20 points) Choose the most appropriate word from the vocabulary list below to fill in the blanks in the following passage. On the answer sheet, write down the English letter corresponding to the word chosen.

A 2013 study showed that the adult targets of bullying can suffer deeply as a ___1___. They experience higher incidents of ___2__, anxiety, depression, chronic fatigue and insomnia. They struggle with concentration issues and poorer health and have lower ___3___. If so many people are victims of bullying, why do they come home and watch it on television? According to Dr. Coyne, watching others suffer in part ___4__ a feeling of vengeance." Therefore, if a ___5__ can't get revenge at work, at least they can watch someone else suffer. Watching someone ___6__ on TV also makes people feel safer and more comfortable because, in this case, at least it is not happening to them. Though people bemoan the loss of ___7__ in society, they revere this severe level of ___8__ in these programs. It is a real problem. Yet ___9__ TV remains popular and is likely to continue to ___10__ our airwaves because people keep watching.

II. Cloze passages: (20 points)

Passage A

As Fukushima Daiichi unraveled in global public view with fire, explosions and ___1___ emissions for weeks after the "Great East Japan Earthquake and Tsunami," people living nearby were exposed to radiation and trauma. The lifetime risk of ___2___ certain types of cancer rose slightly for a small group of people because they were ___3___ to radiation from the nuclear disaster. The notable exception was young emergency workers at the plant, who inhaled high doses of radioactive iodine, probably raising their risk of developing thyroid cancer. But since the thyroid is relatively ___4___ to cancer, the overall risk for these people remains low. Otherwise, any increase in human disease after the partial meltdown triggered by the March 2011 tsunami is likely to remain below ___5___ levels.

1. (A) airwaves (B) microwave (C) radioactive (D) interactive
2. (A) constructing (B) contracting (C) contacting (D) considering
3. (A) exposed (B) exposition (C) exposing (D) exposure
4. (A) insist (B) assistant (C) persistent (D) resistant
5. (A) to detect (B) detectable (C) detecting (D) detective
The Kakka Tung Blossom Festival, now its ninth edition, is not only a floral festival a ceremony in which the Hakka people pay honor to the heaven and earth as well as remember their roots and culture. The Tung flower was chosen as the symbol of the festival the Hakka’s strong attachment to the plant. Tung trees were once extensively cultivated in Taiwan’s Hakka areas and served as an important source of income for people extracted oil from the tree seeds and used the wood as raw material. the Tung tree is no longer as important economically to the Hakka, the people still cherish the plant and regard it as a symbol of their culture.

1. (A) in (B) out of (C) from (D) until
2. (A) both of (B) so long (C) but also (D) despite that
3. (A) because (B) due to (C) result from (D) since
4. (A) who (B) which (C) where (D) when
5. (A) Also (B) In spite of (C) Regardless of (D) Even though

III. Composition : (30 points)
Write a passage of about 200 words to talk about your opinion on the construction of the new nuclear plant in Taiwan.

IV. Translation : (30 points)
1. Translate the following passage into Chinese
Oil spills in the ocean have huge environmental consequences. Over the years, more and more options for cleaning up marine spills have been developed. Most of the techniques are aimed at breaking up the oil to make it less toxic. Other clean-up methods involve physically collecting the oil to prevent it from reaching shorelines.

2. Translate the following passage into English
許多心理學家認為，經過一段適當的時間，暴力電玩會使孩子們產生「群體認同」。在這種情況下，他們會模仿遊戲角色的行為。研究人員仍未回答的一個問題是，特定行為究竟什麼時候會強烈到影響力勝過孩子生命中其他重要人物的份量。