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Dictionary definitions are constantly revised to keep up with our changing uses and knowledge. In Roman times, “addicts” were people who were unable to pay their debts and gave themselves as slaves to their creditors. The word eventually came to be associated with drug dependency: one becomes a slave to one’s addiction. The word “husband” originally referred to being a homeowner; it had nothing to do with being married. ① But because owning your own property made it more likely you’d find a mate, the word eventually came to mean a male who has been wed. ② On November 5th, 1605, Guy Fawkes tried to blow up the British Parliament. ③ Guy Fawkes was born in York, a city in northern England. ④ He was captured and put to death. ⑤ Loyalists burned his effigy, which they nicknamed the “guy.” Centuries later, the word lost its negative connotation and a musical named Guys and Dolls ran on Broadway. In American slang, bad means good, cool means great, and wicked means excellent. If you could transport yourself one hundred years into the future, you’d find yourself confused by your great-grandchildren’s speech because language itself is an ever-changing reflection of human invention.

1. [무관한 문장] 윗글에서 전체 흐름과 관계 없는 문장은?

① ② ③ ④ ⑤

2. [요지] 윗글의 요지로 가장 적절한 것은?

① 단어의 뜻은 처음 정해진 대로 유지된다.
② 사전은 단어의 뜻을 고치지 않는다.
③ 속어는 언어의 변화와 무관하다.
④ 미래의 언어는 지금과 같을 것이다.
⑤ 언어는 인간의 변화하는 사용과 지식을 반영하며 끊임없이 변한다.

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Quite often the interaction between groups is socially ① equal, and this is reflected in the fact that in many cases borrowing of words or constructions goes mostly or entirely in one direction, from the more powerful or ② prestigious group to the less favored one. The languages of socially subordinated groups may from quite an early period of contact provide terminology for objects or practices with which speakers of the more powerful group were previously ③ unfamiliar, but the effects of contact in that direction may not progress any further than this. In some cases, as with the Dharug language of Sydney, Australia, the source of some of the earliest loans from Indigenous Australian languages into English, the fate of the language system is ④ extinction after the obliteration of many of its speakers. The remainder shifted to varieties of English, the language of the people who had ⑤ suppressed them.

1. 어휘 윗글의 밑줄 친 부분 중, 문맥상 낱말의 쓰임이 적절하지 않은 것은?

① ② ③ ④ ⑤

2. 요약문 완성 윗글의 내용을 한 문장으로 요약하고자 한다. 빈칸 (A), (B)에 들어갈 말로 가장 적절한 것은?

When groups are socially unequal, word borrowing mostly flows from the (A) _____ group to the less favored one, and the subordinated language may even face (B) _____.

	(A)		(B)
①	more powerful	……	expansion
②	more powerful	……	extinction
③	weaker	……	extinction
④	weaker	……	revival
⑤	smaller	……	growth

정답 및 해설

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1. ③ 글은 단어의 뜻이 시대에 따라 바뀐다는 내용이다. ③은 가이 포크스의 출생지 이야기로 흐름과 무관하다.

2. ⑤ addict, husband, guy의 예처럼 단어의 뜻은 계속 변하며, 언어는 인간 발명의 끊임없이 변하는 반영이라는 것이 요지다.

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1. ① 차용이 주로 한 방향으로만 일어난다는 것은 집단 간 상호 작용이 사회적으로 '불평등함'을 보여 준다. ① equal → unequal.

2. ② 불평등한 접촉에서 차용은 주로 '더 강한' 집단에서 약한 집단으로 가며, 다룩어처럼 종속된 언어는 '소멸'에 이르기도 한다.