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1. These findings are worrying poor-quality sleep has an adverse impact on adolescent health and cognitive development.

(A) because (B) because of (C) owing to (D) due to

2. All meals will use only ingredients in Taiwan, with their places of origin traceable.

(A) produce (B) produces (C) produced (D) will be produced

3. It’s nice to splash out on yourself occasionally, but we also have to the purse strings.

(A) take care of (B) take control of (C) take into account (D) take a hard line on

4. It was imperative that the release of all hostages .

(A) secure (B) will secure (C) be secured (D) secured

解析

1.【答案】(A)，本題測驗因果關係句型，because為從屬連接詞，表示「因為、由於」，後面引導副詞子句作修飾；(B) because 加上了of 之後變成了介係詞，後面必須要加上一個名詞或是動名詞；(C) owing to及(D) due to為介係詞片語，後面必須接名詞（片語）或動名詞，做為它的受詞，題意為「這些發現令人擔憂，因為睡眠品質差會對青少年的健康和認知發展產生不利影響。」

2.【答案】(C)，本題測驗關係代名詞的省略，省略關係代名詞 that，後面的 be 動詞必須一起省略，只留下過去分詞，可知空格處應填(C) produced，題意為「學校營養午餐全面使用國產可溯源食材。」

3.【答案】(B)，本題測驗慣用片語，空格處應填(B) take control of 指「控制；管制」；題意為「偶爾灑錢買東西是蠻爽的，可是我們應該也要看緊荷包才行。」；(A) take care of sb/sth 指「照顧，照料」；(C) take sth into account (also take account of sth) 指「考慮到；顧及」；(D) take a hard line on 指「對…非常苛刻」；the purse strings指「開支，花費」。

4.【答案】(C)，本題考【It is +意志形容詞 + that +主詞+（should）+be+過去分詞】的句型。題意為「當務之急是確保所有人質都獲釋。」