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Fall Entrance Examination 2017 for 5th Grade Applicants

外国語作文(英語) Foreign Language Essay (English)

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Attention

- 1 Keep your test booklet closed until you are instructed to open this booklet.
- 2 You may freely use blank space in the booklet. Any marks in this booklet will not be scored.
- 3 There is a separate answer sheet. All answers should be written within the space provided on the answer sheet <u>in English</u>.
- 4 You will be given 45 minutes to complete the Foreign Language Essay.
- 5 Remain silent during test time.
- 6 Write your name and registration number on the test booklet, and write your registration number on your answer sheet.
- 7 No questions concerning the test content will be answered.
- 8 Both your test booklet and your answer sheet will be collected after the test.

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Read the passage below and answer the following question.

Is it a bird? Is it a plane? No, it's dynamic remotely operated navigation equipment, more commonly known as a drone. These unmanned devices are everywhere and they can do everything - from saving lives to delivering pizza.

But as they have taken off in popularity, the number of problems associated with drones is also on the rise. Today drones are no longer only operated by the military, with smaller versions utilised by companies and individuals for a wide range of reasons. For example, recently, Amazon, said to be the world's largest online store, has showcased a drone aimed at getting packages to its customers within 30 minutes.

Modified from: *The Telegraph*. May 25, 2016.

QUESTION

Give at least one possible explanation on the positive and negative points of the use of drones by companies and/or individuals. After this, state your opinion with reasons based on your experiences and knowledge. 受検番号

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