問8 次の英文を読んで、あとの(ア)~(ウ)の問いに答えなさい。

One day in January, Naoki, Yumi, and their ALT Ms. Brown are talking in the classroom.

Naoki: Yumi, I'm going to play tennis in the park with my friends and Ms. Brown this

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A Part of Yumi's Pocketbook (January)

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Saturday afternoon. Can you play tennis with us?

Yumi: This Saturday afternoon? It's January 19...

Yumi opens her *pocketbook.

Yumi: Sorry, I'm going to go to a concert with my friends.

Naoki: I see. Oh, you have a nice pocketbook.

Yumi: Thanks. I like it very much. I buy a pocketbook every year and bought this one last month. I always have <u>this</u>

pocketbook with me.

Naoki: I think it's cool to use a pocketbook.

Ms. Brown: Yumi, what do you *write down on it?

Yumi: Well, *schedules like school events, *appointments with my friends, and my friends' birthdays. And I always write down my *goals and the things I want to do, too.

Ms. Brown: That's great. When did you start to use a pocketbook?

Yumi: I started to use one when I became a junior high school student. At that time, I was very busy, and sometimes forgot the things I had to do. So, I bought a pocketbook and started to write down my schedules on it.

Naoki: I see. *Actually, I have bought a pocketbook before. But I had only a few things to write down, so I stopped using it soon. Now, if I have a plan, I write down it on a *calendar in my room.

Then, Yumi and Naoki's *homeroom teacher Mr. Maeda, comes into the classroom and talks to them.

Mr. Maeda: Hello, Yumi, Naoki, Ms. Brown. Oh, you use a nice pocketbook, Yumi.

Yumi: Thank you very much. Do you use a pocketbook, Mr. Maeda?

Mr. Maeda: Of course. I write down my schedules on it.

Naoki: Teachers look busy every day.

Ms. Brown: We have a lot of things to do. I started to use a pocketbook after coming to Japan. I'm always surprised to see that bookstores in Japan sell many kinds of pocketbooks.

Mr. Maeda: Yes, especially *working adults. We can also find books about how to choose a pocketbook or how to use a pocketbook at a bookstore.

Ms. Brown: That's interesting. I think people in Japan like to *make plans *in advance.

Yumi: I think so, too. When I want to do something with my friends, I talk with them

and make plans in advance.

Naoki: Me. too. How about people in America, Ms. Brown?

Ms. Brown: I don't think they make plans in advance so often. When I was in America, I

usually talked with my friends and decided what to do *on the same day.

Naoki: I sometimes do that, but I usually make plans in advance. Now I understand

the *difference about how to make plans between people in America and people

in Japan.

Yumi: I think it's interesting.

* pocketbook: 手帳 write down ~:~を書きとめる schedules:スケジュール,予定

appointments:約束 goals:目標 Actually:じつは

calendar:カレンダー

homeroom teacher:担任の先生 working adults:社会人 make plans:計画を立てる in advance:前もって on the same day:当日に difference:違い

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- (イ) 本文中の の中に入れるのに最も適するものを、次の1~4の中から一つ選び、その番号を答えなさい。
 - 1. There are a lot of Japanese people who use pocketbooks, right?
 - 2. There are a lot of Japanese people who like reading books, right?
 - 3. There are a lot of bookstores which want to sell pocketbooks to foreign people, right?
 - 4. There are a lot of bookstores which don't want to sell books so much, right?
- (ウ) 次のa~fの中から、本文の内容に合うものを二つ選んだときの組み合わせとして最も適するものを、あとの1~8の中から一つ選び、その番号を答えなさい。
 - a. Yumi likes her pocketbook which she bought this year and always carries it.
 - b. When Yumi became a junior high school student, she was so busy that she couldn't remember some of the things she had to do.
 - c. Naoki asked Yumi what she wrote down on her pocketbook and when she started to have a pocketbook.
 - d. Naoki has had a pocketbook before, but he stopped using it because he had nothing to write down on it.
 - e. Mr. Maeda is always surprised to see a lot of kinds of pocketbooks at bookstores in Japan.
 - f. Ms. Brown usually decided the things she did with her friends on the same day when she was in America.

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