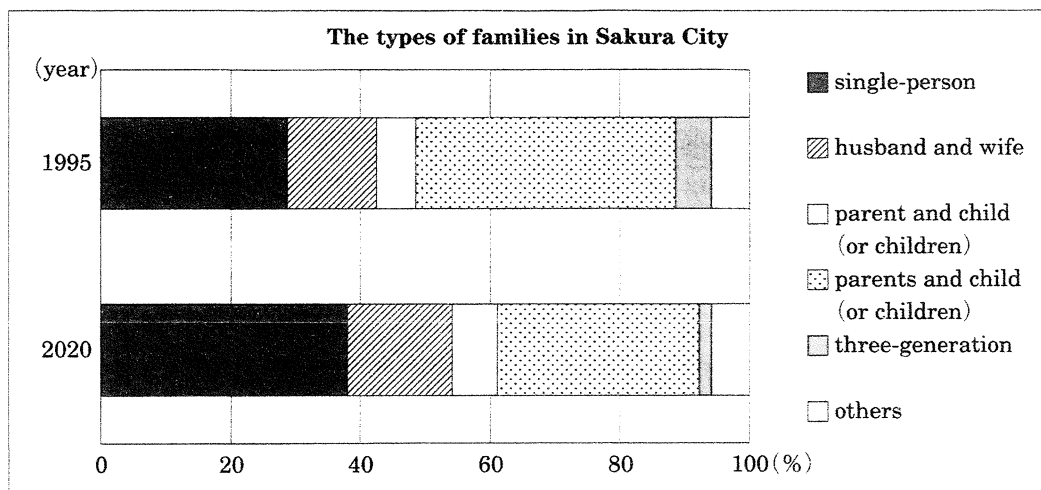


問6 次の英文は、高校生のモモコ(Momoko)が英語の授業でクラスの生徒に向けて行った発表の原稿です。英文を読んで、あとの(ア)～(ウ)の問いに答えなさい。

Hi, everyone. I'm Momoko. Today, I'd like to talk about *family. How many people do you have in your family? There are different *types of families. If a person lives *alone, this type of family *is called a *single-person family. If a person lives with his or her parents and *grandparents, this type of family is called a *three-generation family. Look at *Graph 1. It shows the *percentage of each type of family in this city.

Graph 1



We can find the percentage of three-generation families has *gotten smaller in this city.
(①)

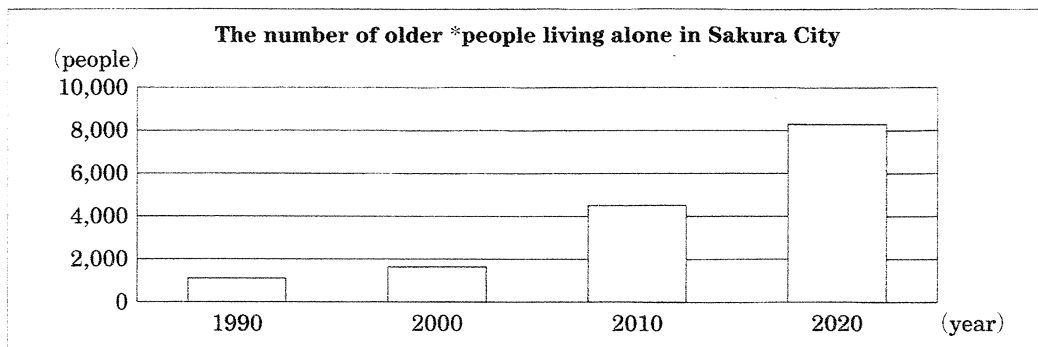
I live only with my parents and an older brother, too. My father's parents live in Ibaraki. My family sometimes visits them and stays at their house. They are very happy to see us and we talk a lot together. It's fun. My father's father is good at cutting hair, so he sometimes cuts my hair and my brother's. I like his way of cutting hair. I really like *spending time with my grandparents.

My mother's mother lives in Aomori. My mother's father *died three years ago, so my grandmother lives alone. My family visits her every summer, but we can't meet her so often because Aomori is *far from this city. *Instead, I sometimes write a long letter to her with my mother.

*family(families) : 家族、世帯 type(s) : タイプ、種類 alone : 一人で be called ~ : ~と呼ばれる
single-person : 単身の grandparents : 祖父母 three-generation : 三世代の Graph : グラフ
percentage : 割合 gotten : get の過去分詞 spend ~ : (時間)を過ごす die : 亡くなる
far : 遠い instead : その代わりに

Look at Graph 1 again. It also shows the percentage of single-person families has gotten larger. (②) Then, how many older people live alone ? Now look at Graph 2.

Graph 2



In this graph, 'older people' means *people aged 65 and older. I didn't know so many older people lived alone in this city. I found another fact on the Internet. About 60% of older people want to talk with young people. Older people have a lot of *knowledge and *skills, . Now I have an idea. We should *invite older people to our school and learn their knowledge and skills from them. It's like having special classes. For example, my friend Yuri lives with her grandfather, and he is very good at *woodworking. I think many students want to *take his woodworking class.

We can learn a lot of things from older people, and use them in our lives. Older people will also become more *active by spending time with us. (③)

What do you think about my idea ? Thank you for listening.

* **people living alone** : 一人で暮らしている人々 people aged 65 and older : 65歳以上の人々
knowledge : 知識 skills : 技術 invite ~ : ~を招待する woodworking : 木工
take ~ : ~ (授業など) を受ける active : 活動的な

(ア) 本文中の(①)～(③)の中に、次のA～Cを意味が通るように入れるとき、その組み合わせとして最も適するものを、あとの1～6の中から一つ選び、その番号を答えなさい。

- A. I know many young people live alone in this city.
- B. It's good for both older people and us.
- C. Many children here don't live with their grandparents.

- 1. ①—A ②—B ③—C 2. ①—A ②—C ③—B 3. ①—B ②—A ③—C
- 4. ①—B ②—C ③—A 5. ①—C ②—A ③—B 6. ①—C ②—B ③—A

(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. and we can learn them on the Internet
- 2. and they will help us a lot
- 3. but they are too old for me
- 4. but we don't need them at all

(ウ) 次のa～fの中から、モモコの発表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. Graph 1 shows that more than 40% of the families in Sakura City were single-person families in 2020.
- b. Momoko's grandfather in Ibaraki sometimes cuts Momoko's hair because he can cut hair well.
- c. Momoko hasn't seen her grandmother in Aomori for three years, but she sometimes writes letters to her grandmother.
- d. From Graph 2, we can learn more than 9,000 people aged 65 and older lived alone in Sakura City in 2020.
- e. On the Internet, Momoko learned that many young people enjoyed living alone by using their skills.
- f. Momoko thinks that many students will be interested in learning woodworking from Yuri's grandfather.

- 1. a と c 2. a と d 3. b と e 4. b と f
- 5. c と e 6. c と f 7. d と e 8. d と f