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People have always wanted to be around other people and to learn from them. Cities have long been dynamos of ① social possibility, foundries of art, music, and fashion. Slang, or, if you prefer, "lexical innovation," has always started in cities—an outgrowth of all those different people so ② frequently exposed to one another. It spreads ③ inward, in a manner not unlike trans-missible disease, which itself typically "takes off" in cities. If, as the noted linguist Leonard Bloomfield argued, the way a person talks is a "composite result of what he has heard before," then language innovation would happen where the most people heard and talked to the most other people. Cities drive taste change because they offer the ④ greatest exposure to other people, who not surprisingly are often the creative people cities seem to attract. Media, ever more global, ever more far-reaching, spread language ⑤ faster to more people.

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

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**2.** 제목 윗글의 제목으로 가장 적절한 것은?

① Slang: A Disease That Must Be Cured
② Cities: Where New Words Are Born and Spread
③ Why Rural Life Protects Tradition
④ Media Will Replace City Culture
⑤ How Linguists Measure Taste

# 2026학년도 수능 20번

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The study of literature has repeatedly failed to recognize the influence of modern musical lyricists and their contributions to the evolution of language. Unlike Shakespeare, who has been studied and celebrated for his development of the English language, particularly in vocabulary and grammatical structure, modern songwriters have experienced restraints on the acknowledgement of their contributions and _____. Over the past century, we have witnessed an explosion of incredible literary works by these artists, who, through their music, have used linguistic manipulation and storytelling to enrich our language and literature. Producing lyrics of distinct and complex imagery, songwriters have had an incredible literary impact on our language. Their remarkable works, including influences on modern language development, must be recognized in the field of modern literature.

**1.** 빈칸 추론 윗글의 빈칸에 들어갈 말로 가장 적절한 것은?

① been widely celebrated
② been studied as much as Shakespeare
③ been praised for their grammar
④ largely been ignored
⑤ been replaced by poets

**2.** 제목 윗글의 제목으로 가장 적절한 것은?

① Shakespeare: The Only Master of English
② Why Lyrics Are Not Literature
③ Music Without Words
④ How to Write a Hit Song
⑤ Songwriters Deserve a Place in Literature

# 정답 및 해설

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**1.** ③ 도시에서 생긴 속어는 전염병처럼 도시 밖으로 '퍼져 나간다'. ③ inward → outward.

**2.** ② 많은 사람이 서로 자주 접하는 도시가 언어 혁신과 취향 변화의 발원지라는 글이다.

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**1.** ④ Unlike Shakespeare로 시작해, 셰익스피어와 달리 현대 작사가들의 기여는 인정받지 못하고 대체로 무시되어 왔다는 대조다.

**2.** ⑤ 현대 작사가들이 언어와 문학에 끼친 영향을 문학 연구에서 인정해야 한다는 주장이다.