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Spring Entrance Examination 2014 for 1st and 2nd Grade Applicants

外国語作文（英語）

Foreign Language Essay (English)

平成 26 年（2014 年）2 月 3 日（月）実施

Monday, February 3, 2014

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 **in English**.
- 4 . You will be given 45 minutes to complete Foreign Language Essay.
- 5 . Remain silent during test time.
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- 7 . No questions concerning the test content will be answered.
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Read the passage and look at the pictures below. Then answer the following question.

Google Glass is a wearable computer device, not yet available to the public, that connects to a user's cellphone and has much of the same functionality, like text messaging and phone calls. It can also take photos or record video hands-free, while applications from news organizations, social networking sites, Google Maps, etc. send information and updates to a screen above the user's right eye.

Larry Page, Google's chief executive, said Glass is still in the early test phase. "We are thinking very carefully about how we design Glass," he said, "because new technology always raises new issues."

Modified from:

"Privacy Officials Worldwide Press Google About Glass", NYTimes.com, June 19, 2013

"Privacy authorities issue Google a 'please explain' on Glass", ZDNet, June 19, 2013



(Image: Google)



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QUESTION

What are some possible advantages and disadvantages of the new product described in the text? Discuss your ideas from different points of view.