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Japanese pop culture, including anime, manga, and video games, has gained global popularity in recent years. Many anime series, such as Naruto and Attack on Titan, have large international fan bases. Manga is also widely read outside Japan, with publishers translating popular titles into various languages. Japanese video games, such as those developed by Nintendo and Sony, have had a strong influence on the gaming industry worldwide.

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One reason for this global popularity is the availability of Japanese content on streaming platforms. Services like Netflix and Crunchyroll offer anime with subtitles and dubbing in multiple languages. This allows people from different countries to enjoy Japanese entertainment without language barriers. Social media has also played a significant role in spreading Japanese pop culture, as fans share their favorite shows, characters, and artwork online.

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Additionally, international events like Anime Expo in the U.S. and Japan Expo in France attract thousands of fans every year. These conventions provide opportunities for fans to connect with creators, purchase exclusive merchandise, and experience Japanese culture

firsthand. Many Japanese companies now actively market their content to overseas audiences, recognizing the high demand for their products.

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However, some challenges remain. Localization of anime and manga requires careful translation to maintain the original meaning and cultural nuances. Moreover, piracy remains a concern, as many people access Japanese content illegally rather than through official channels. Despite these challenges, Japanese pop culture continues to expand its influence around the world, creating a bridge between Japan and other countries.

(1) 上の英文の< ア >～< エ >のそれぞれの位置に入る小見出しとして適切なものを、次の①～④の中から選び、記号で答えなさい。

- ① Bridges between Creators and Fans
- ② The Role of Streaming Platforms
- ③ The Global Appeal of Japanese Pop Culture
- ④ Challenges and Future Prospects

(2) 上記の英文全体のタイトルとして、次の①～④の中から最も適切なものを選び、記号で答えなさい。

- ① The Future of Anime and Manga
- ② How Japanese Pop Culture Conquered the World
- ③ The Business of Japanese Entertainment
- ④ Why Japanese Pop Culture Is in Decline

(3) この英文全体を 120～160 語程度の日本語で要約しなさい。

(4) 日本のポップカルチャーの世界的な普及について、あなたはどのように考えていますか？具体的な事例を挙げて、あなたの見方や考えを 100～200 words 程度の英語で述べなさい。

以上で問題は終わりです。