

# 嘉兴市 2022~2023 学年第二学期期末检测考试

## 高二英语

注意事项:

1. 答卷前, 考生务必将自己的姓名、准考证号填写在答题卡上。
2. 回答选择题时, 选出每小题答案后, 用铅笔把答题卡上对应题目的答案标号涂黑。如需改动, 用橡皮擦干净后, 再选涂其他答案标号。回答非选择题时, 将答案写在答题卡上, 写在本试卷上无效。
3. 考试结束后, 将本试卷和答题卡一并交回。

第一部分 听力 (共两节, 满分 30 分)

做题时, 先将答案标在试卷上。录音内容结束后, 你将有两分钟的时间将试卷上的答案转涂到答题卡上。

第一节 (共 5 小题; 每小题 1.5 分, 满分 7.5 分)

听下面 5 段对话。每段对话后有一个小题, 从题中所给的 A、B、C 三个选项中选出最佳选项, 并标在试卷的相应位置。听完每段对话后, 你都有 10 秒钟的时间来回答有关小题和阅读下一小题。每段对话仅读一遍。

例: How much is the shirt?

A. £ 19.15.

B. £9.18.

C. £9.15.

答案是 C。

1. What is the man looking for?

A. Vegetables.

B. Orange juice.

C. An employee.

2. What are the speakers mainly talking about?

A. Fruit.

B. Weather.

C. Vacation.

3. What helps the man study?

A. Listening to music.

B. Having the TV on.

C. Staying in a quiet place.

4. Why does the woman dislike cars?

A. They've changed our lives.

B. They can cause air pollution.

C. They cause too many traffic accidents.

5. What will the woman probably do?

A. Catch the bus.

B. Drive the car.

C. Ride the bicycle.

第二节 (共 15 小题; 每小题 1.5 分, 满分 22.5 分)

听下面 5 段对话或独白。每段对话或独白后有几个小题, 从题中所给的 A、B、C 三个选项中选出最佳选项, 并标在试卷的相应位置。听每段对话或独白前, 你将有时间阅读各个小题, 每小题 5 秒钟; 听完后, 各小题将给出 5 秒钟的作答时间。每段对话或独白读两遍。

听第 6 段材料, 回答第 6、7 题。

6. When might the woman get off the bus?

A. 8:25 am.

B. 8:55 am.

C. 9:10am.

7. Why did the woman leave her purse on the bus?

- A. She was thinking of her work.
- B. She got off the bus in a hurry.
- C. She was busy helping passengers.

听第 7 段材料，回答第 8 至 10 题。

8. What does the man actually want to rent?

- A. A house.
- B. A room.
- C. An apartment.

9. What is the man?

- A. A college student.
- B. A worker.
- C. An artist.

10. Why does the man want to move downtown?

- A. To live near his friends.
- B. To get more of his works shown.
- C. To go shopping more frequently.

听第 8 段材料，回答第 11 至 13 题。

11. What does the woman think about famous brands?

- A. They are the best.
- B. They are too expensive.
- C. They are beautiful.

12. Why do some people prefer famous brands according to the man?

- A. To show off their wealth.
- B. To get people to follow them.
- C. To look special and fashionable.

13. What does the man think about first when he buys things?

- A. Quality and price.
- B. Style and fashion.
- C. Advertisement and brand.

听第 9 段材料，回答第 14 至 16 题。

14. How did the man feel by the end of the film?

- A. Scared.
- B. Sad.
- C. Content.

15. What does the woman want to do at home?

- A. Go to bed right away.
- B. Eat some popcorn.
- C. Watch television.

16. Where will the woman go first?

- A. To the bathroom.
- B. To the parking lot.
- C. To the front hall.

听第 10 段材料，回答第 17 至 20 题。

17. When does the speech probably take place?

- A. At the beginning of a term.
- B. In the middle of a term.
- C. At the end of a term.

18. How long is the office open during the weekday?

- A. 3 hours.
- B. 11 hours.
- C. 12 hours.

19. What can Jarrod Howard help with?

- A. Money matters.
- B. Study-related problems.
- C. Information about jobs.

20. Whom should students turn to if they have personal problems?

- A. Rodney Reid.
- B. Jim Smith.
- C. Laura Lea.

第二部分 阅读理解（共两节，满分 50 分）

第一节（共 15 小题；每小题 2.5 分，满分 37.5 分）

阅读下列短文，从每题所给的 A、B、C 和 D 四个选项中，选出最佳答案。

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Aging Wisely</b> <i>Life from Fifty to Seventy-five Years</i> Viola B.Mecke,Ph.D.,ABPP</p> <p>With retirement, life is expected to be easier. Four stages of retirement are described, showing how pleasures and contentment mix with complexities of bring fears, problems that mayloneliness,and sorrows.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><a href="http://www.xlibris.com">www.xlibris.com</a> Hardback  Paperback  E-book \$28.99 \$16.99 \$3.99</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Cosmic Quest</b> C.Argon</p> <p>Cosmic Visitors were high-energy carriers from the Perseus Arm of the Milky Way galaxy. They needed torrent abandoned earth bodies for their planets' DNAdiversity and Cosmic Quest.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><a href="http://www.authorhouse.com">www.authorhouse.com</a> Hardback   Paperback  E-book \$31.99 \$20.99 \$3.99</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>The Black Three</b> Gene Skip worth</p> <p>Grayville never had a black basketball player. Now it has three. A block doctor just moved to the town whose three sons took Weston to the Ohio State basketball championship.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><a href="http://www.authorhouse.com">www.authorhouse.com</a> Hardback  Paperback  E-book  Audiobook \$23.99 \$13.99  \$3.99 \$9.99</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Jazzy and Rhumbi</b> Dorl Seider</p> <p>This heartwarming and adventurous tale is told from the perspective of two smart kitties, Jazzy Girl Muffin and Rhumbi Boy, who secretly influence their humans Boy, who secretly influence their humans to love and rescue more animals.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><a href="http://www.xllbris.com">www.xllbris.com</a> Hardback  Paperback  E-book \$40.99 \$32.99 \$3.99</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Tackle Box Troubles</b> Fish Tale #1: Sammy Spinner Susan Duke</p> <p>Sammy Spinner is the newest fishing lure to join TackleBox Troubles. Can Sammy learn fishing tips to catch really big fish, or will he find himself in trouble?</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><a href="http://www.xlibris.com">www.xlibris.com</a> Hardback  Paperback E-book \$22.99 \$14.99 \$5.99</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>The Origin and Future of Mankind</b> Shaun Dowling</p> <p>Shaun Dowling describes in detail how the universe was formed, how our planet developed, when life appeared, and how it has evolved over time.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><a href="http://www.authorhouse.com">www.authorhouse.com</a> Paperback E-book \$21.55 \$4.99</p>

21. Which book concerns the connection between animals and humans?

A. Cosmic Quest.

B. Jazzy and Rhumbi.

C. Tackle Box Troubles.

D. The Origin and Future of Mankind.

22. What do these books have in common?

A. They are all intended for kids.

B. They each have a digital version.

C. They all have three different prices.

D. They can be downloaded from the same website.

23. What is the text?

A. A book review.

B. A library poster.

C. An academic column.

D. A book advertisement.

Vernon Jackson works at his barbershop (理发店) in Cincinnati even on his off days. But it's not because he wants to make as much money as possible-it's because that's the day he has set aside to give free haircuts to children with special needs.

He began his Gifted Program haircuts in 2021 after hearing many horror stories that parents were going through with, Barbers had no patience with those children. Studies have shown people typically feel more confident and in control in both social as well as professional settings with good, fresh haircuts. So Jackson resolved to open his shop on his day off only to children with special needs who were looking to get a proper cut.

“I can give them the full attention they need,” Jackson said in the CBS News. He found that at least some of his off-day clients who were sensitive to unfamiliar environments and sounds found the empty shop comforting. His goal is to get the children used to barbershops in general so they can eventually feel comfortable going in for haircuts when there are other customers around.

Instagram users flood Jackson's account on the platform with encouragement. “I have happy tears,” one user wrote in the comments of a video that Jackson posted showing him lining a Gifted Program boy up for a haircut. “You are truly doing amazing things.”

Friends and supporters sponsor the haircuts through donations to an online GoFundMe campaign, according to what Jackson told CBS. He hopes to eventually raise enough money for the program to be able to travel to other parts of the US to give haircuts to children with special needs there. “It’s really been a beautiful experience,” Jackson said of starting the Gifted Program. “This has allowed me to love it to my fullest capacity and to see what happens when I do.”

24. Why did Jackson decide to start the Gifted Program?

- A. To make as much money as possible.
- B. To show barbers' patience and sympathy.
- C. To help parents with horrible experiences.
- D. To reach out to children with special needs.

25. What does Jackson expect of the children through the Gifted Program?

- A. Love for fresh haircuts.
- B. Attention to other customers.
- C. Healthy adaptation to surroundings.
- D. Courage to have haircuts alone.

26. What is online users' attitude to the Gifted Program?

- A. Objective.
- B. Concerned.
- C. Favorable.
- D. Confused.

27. What can we learn about Jackson from the last paragraph?

- A. He donates to an online organization.
- B. He is highly ambitious for his program.
- C. He has made a big difference to American kids.
- D. He has regained faith in life by giving free haircuts.

C

Working from home has become common, during the course of the pandemic (疫情), leaving many with a newfound appreciation of the freedom and flexibility of working remotely. However, while the traditional idea of an office—a place away from home, typically owned or rented by the business—may have changed, the need for specific office space hasn't.

In fact, this period of working from home has highlighted just how important it is to have a place of work, which is separate from daily family life. Without that, many have noted concerns over a worsened work-life balance.

Perhaps the most distinctive characteristic of the office of the future will be its hybrid solution. It should marry the beneficial parts of a physical company-owned workspace with the benefits of working from home.

As teams have proven their ability to efficiently get their jobs done remotely, employers will be much more open to the flexible approach moving forward. The positive impacts of a physical office on things like company culture, communication, team spirit and shared knowledge should not be ignored, which is why tangible space is still very much a necessity.

The solution for the future will enable employees to come into the company's workplace in order not to miss out on these valuable office benefits, but also work from home when required for a better work-life balance. Both large and smaller companies

have already started to adopt this new approach, allowing teams to create schedules for when they will be working from home, or even use an online booking system to secure a desk space in the shared facility. This way, the company can manage the number of people in the office at one time, meaning spaces can be downsized to save costs, and social distancing and thorough cleaning procedures can be maintained.

28. What is the potential problem with working from home?

- A. Imbalance between work and life.
- B. Change of the idea of an office.
- C. Lack of working space at home.
- D. Too much freedom in remote work.

29. What does the underlined word “tangible” in paragraph 4 mean?

- A. Empty.
- B. Separate.
- C. Physical.
- D. Flexible.

30. What can be inferred about the new office style from paragraph 5?

- A. It is well received by companies.
- B. It limits the number of employees.
- C. It makes thorough cleaning unnecessary.
- D. It is helpful for workers to design schedules.

31. What is the best title for the text?

- A. Social Distance: A Pressing Need
- B. Working Remotely: A Growing Trend
- C. Traditional Office: To Leave or to Stay
- D. Hybrid Workplace: Office of the Future

D

You probably get your eyes tested to protect your sight, maybe have a yearly hearing test to check your ears-but, protecting your nose...eh? Recent research has discovered more than 600 genes in the human body associated with the sense of smell and that it's actually important to the human body.

Smell can help keep us alive by warning us of dangers such as food that might make us sick or the threat of fire, and it does this within only 100-150 milliseconds of breathing. “Smell also helps create the flavour of food and plays a role in controlling the variety of our diet and the nutrients we consume,” says Jeanne Hort, a professor at New Zealand's Massey University.

In fact, each of us has a unique sense of smell and the strength of our unique smell is related to the genes you inherit (遗传) from your parents which determine which smell receptors (感受器) are expressed in the nose. Other factors further determine how sensitive your sense of smell is. Women generally have a stronger sense of smell than men, while damage from air pollution means people who live in highly polluted cities have a less sensitive sense of smell than those in rural areas. “We also know the sense of smell declines with age,” says Professor Hort. “And if you've damaged your nose through head injury, illness or breathing in something that causes pain and discomfort, your sense of smell can also be negatively affected.”

Protecting your nose from such damage is therefore the first step in activating your sense of smell. Avoid breathing in strong scents like chemicals. Then, keep your nose busy. For example, sniff (嗅) vegetables and fruit as part of determining ripeness before you buy them and sniff more different smells exposed to your nose. “The sense of smell is a bit like a muscle, you can train it to become stronger by exercising it,” says sensory expert Eugeni Roura.

32. Why does the author mention eye and ear protection in paragraph 1?

- A. To compare different human senses.
- B. To call attention to the sense of smell.
- C. To clarify the concept of good health.
- D. To show the importance of medical exams.

33. What does paragraph 2 focus on?

- A. The advice on healthy eating.
- B. The basic functions of the nose.
- C. The important role of smell in life.
- D. The ways to avoid hidden dangers.

34. Which of the following would the author most probably agree with?

- A. There is sex difference in terms of smell.
- B. The sense of smell doesn't change with age.
- C. Smell receptors decide the strength of smell.
- D. Air pollution is very likely to cause loss of smell.

35. What does the quote from Eugeni Roura imply?

- A. It is essential to protect your nose from damage.
- B. Different parts of your body sometimes work the same.
- C. Sniffing different smells helps to build up your strength.
- D. The more you use the sense of smell, the more you sharpen it.

第二节（共 5 小题；每小题 2 分，满分 12.5 分）

根据短文内容，从短文后的选项中选出能填入空白处的最佳选项。选项中有两项为多余选项。

The US Surgeon General released a report on Tuesday calling attention to the public health crisis of loneliness and lack of connection in the United States. 36

It highlights that a lack of social connection can present significant health risks, as loneliness can increase risk of premature death by 26% and social isolation (孤立) by 29%. Insufficient social connection has been linked to an increased risk of heart disease, stroke, anxiety, and depression. Additionally, loneliness was reported among the primary motivations of self-harm.

37The report lays out a framework for a National Strategy to Advance Social Connection, which provides recommendations for individuals, governments, workplaces, health systems, and community organizations that aim to increase social connection and improve overall health. 38

The recommendations include changes of public facilities, such as developing parks and libraries. The framework also includes training for healthcare providers to allow for intervention if a patient is at risk for loneliness and its significant health consequences. 39 Particularly, attention should be paid to how online interactions can potentially hold back meaningful connections. Lastly, the recommendations call for the cultivation of a culture of connection, stating that the informal interactions of everyday life can significantly influence social connection.

There are some immediate steps you can take to reduce loneliness and increase social connection, such as reaching out to a friend or family member. 40 Actually it brings people together and strengthens the existing relationship.

- A. Social connection can greatly reduce the health risks.
- B. This type of strategy has never been carried out before in the US.
- C. It also notes that digital environments should be further evaluated.
- D. Given the consequences of loneliness, it's time to address the problem.
- E. The report shows that about half of U.S. adults experience loneliness daily.
- F. People often assume that sharing painful truths or emotions will be troublesome.
- G. By taking small steps to strengthen the relationship, we can make the world better.

第三部分 语言知识运用（共两节，满分 30 分）

第一节（共 15 小题；每小题 1 分，满分 15 分）

阅读下面短文，从短文后各题所给的 A、B、C 和 D 四个选项中，选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项。

One morning, I called our pregnant cat Socky to be fed, but she didn't come. I thought she'd probably found somewhere to 41 her kittens (小猫) and would turn up later. But when Socky didn't come at dinnertime, I really started to 42

Socky had a 43 of having her kittens in strange places, so I 44 all her hiding-places but no Socky. The next day was Saturday and I had the 45 day to search for her. I rechecked under the house, but no luck.

After lunch I took some 46 with me in case I found her, and then began searching the back shed (棚), which was filled with 47 boxes. After about an hour of moving boxes from one place to another and back again, I was extremely 48 I sat down to have a rest when I heard 49 mewling. I pressed my 50 against each of the boxes to catch the sounds.

51, I found Socky and her three newly-born kittens. As the boxes weren't in 52 condition, I imagined that when Socky jumped into one of the bottom boxes, it must have caused the higher ones to fall, 53 her in.

Socky was very 54 to see me and although she was weak, she managed to eat the food I brought her. I named the three kittens. They were all healthy and 55 to be great mouse catchers just like their mother.

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|-----------------|--------------|---------------|----------------|
| 41. A. hide     | B. nurse     | C. feed       | D. have        |
| 42. A. hesitate | B. worry     | C. regret     | D. sympathise  |
| 43. A. habit    | B. way       | C. chance     | D. sense       |
| 44. A. selected | B. checked   | C. discovered | D. confirmed   |
| 45. A. busy     | B. perfect   | C. whole      | D. big         |
| 46. A. water    | B. food      | C. blankets   | D. clothes     |
| 47. A. huge     | B. heavy     | C. empty      | D. colourful   |
| 48. A. tired    | B. surprised | C. annoyed    | D. embarrassed |
| 49. A. unique   | B. lovely    | C. loud       | D. faint       |
| 50. A. finger   | B. nose      | C. ear        | D. mouth       |
| 51. A. Finally  | B. Actually  | C. Exactly    | D. Instantly   |
| 52. A. poor     | B. strange   | C. neat       | D. excellent   |
| 53. A. allowing | B. taking    | C. involving  | D. shutting    |
| 54. A. pleased  | B. shocked   | C. curious    | D. nervous     |
| 55. A. happened | B. grew      | C. continued  | D. failed      |

第二节 (共 10 小题; 每小题 1.5 分, 满分 15 分)

阅读下面短文, 在空白处填入 1 个适当的单词或括号内单词的正确形式。

Xu Beihong's paintings best indicate his personality: patriotic, diligent and humanistic.

Born in rural Yixing, Jiangsu province, he learned the basics of classic Chinese ink painting 56 his father, Xu Dazhang, 57 private school teacher who was skilled in painting, calligraphy and writing. After his father died, Xu mostly taught 58 (he) the oil painting, while he taught at primary schools in hometown.

In 1915, he left the teaching job for Shanghai and made a living drawing 59 (illustrate) and commercial advertisements. His artistic talent was 60 (late) recognized by some well-known and 61 (respect) social figures, including Kang Youwei and Cai Yuanpei.

Xu won a scholarship to study at the famous National High School of Fine Arts in Paris in 1919. He 62 (study) and travelled in Europe for almost a decade. There he was 63 (great) nurtured (熏陶) by the classic traditions of European art and culture, absorbing these elements into his works of traditional Chinese ink painting.

The great painter lived most of his life during a chaotic time 64 his motherland experienced wars and his fellow Chinese suffered poverty, illness and social instability. In his paintings, he depicted (描绘) the pains of his nation and people while 65 (encourage) others to stand against these difficulties and never give up.

第四部分 写作（共两节，满分 40 分）

第一节（满分 15 分）

你校将定制一本《中国古代诗词集》作为与英国姐妹学校暑期交流的礼物，请你为这本诗集写一个英文前言（preface），内容包括：

1. 诗集的特色；
2. 诗集的内容；
3. 诗集的意义。

注意：

1. 写作词数应为 80 左右；
2. 请按如下格式在答题纸的相应位置作答。

PREFACE

第二节（满分 25 分）

阅读下面材料，根据其内容和所给段落开头语续写两段，使之构成一篇完整的短文。

When Sophie left the grocery, it suddenly started raining—a heavy downpour, in fact. She had neither her jacket nor her umbrella.

Sophie held her paper bag over her head and made a rush. The rain hit her face as she ran up the street. As she stood waiting for the lights to change, Sophie glanced down to see a child's toy lying on the sidewalk. She looked around, wondering who might have dropped it, but the street was deserted. What should she do? She couldn't just leave it there. Sophie bent and picked up the toy—a grey elephant with a dirty label, and very wet. As the light went green, she had to make a quick decision. She held the elephant tightly and hurried on her way to her office.

“Why did you bring it with you?” Gemma asked while Sophie poured a coffee. “When they realise they've lost it, they'll probably return to the place. You should've displayed it where you found it. Somewhere noticeable.”

That made sense. “It was getting completely wet,” Sophie protested, “It might have been destroyed.”

“It might as well be, if you can't reunite it with its owner,” Gemma replied. “Some toddler（学步儿童）is going to have trouble getting to sleep tonight without their elephant.”

Oh, dear! Sophie had tried to do a good thing, but acting on impulse（冲动）might not have been the best choice. She decided to go back at lunch—find somewhere to set it up high. For the rest of the morning she placed the elephant on the radiator（暖气片）by her desk. At least it would be a bit drier by the time she took it back. But at lunch time, another heavy shower arrived. She picked up the toy elephant and gave its large ears a rub.

注意：

1. 续写词数应为 150 左右；
2. 请按如下格式在答题卡的相应位置作答。

“What am I going to do with you?” she asked, staring at the toy. \_\_\_\_\_

The man on the phone, who said his name was Arthur, sounded excited. \_\_\_\_\_