

# 南京市、盐城市 2023 届高三年级第一次模拟考试

## 英语试题

### 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 will the speakers do next?

- A. Visit Simon.                      B. Plan a picnic.                      C. Make a call.

2. How was the weather during the woman's trip?

- A. Sunny.                      B. Rainy.                      C. Windy.

3. Why does the woman recommend Gramercy Tavern?

- A. Its price is low.                      B. Its food is tasty.                      C. Its service is excellent.

4. What will the woman most probably give to Kathy?

- A. A hand-made bag.                      B. A scarf.                      C. A box of chocolates.

5. What are the speakers mainly talking about?

- A. A book.                      B. A writer.                      C. A list.

#### 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. What is the probable relationship between the speakers?

- A. Workmates.                      B. Schoolmates.                      C. Neighbors.

7. What does the man plan to do next month?

- A. Fish by the river.                      B. Move his house.                      C. Go to the beach.

听第 7 段材料，回答第 8、9 题。

8. Where does the conversation take place?

- A. At a meeting room.                      B. At the Regents Company.                      C. At the front desk.



第一部分 阅读 (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、D 四个选项中选出最佳选项。

A

The Right Electric Bike For You

The bicycle fever is back, but this time it has gone electric. According to NPD Group which tracks the bicycle industry, electric bike sales have more than doubled since 2019. And their popularity is still on the rise. Confirm your need and pick the electric bike that's best for you.

MODEL	WHAT'S IT FOR?	WHO'S IT FOR?
 Swagtron EB5	◆ Such e-bikes are designed to make short trips, adding to the rider's comfort and ability to see. The electric assistance allows you to travel easily and comfortably.	◆ Those looking for alternatives to driving around the town. They're lighter than most motorcycles, making them perfect for carrying groceries and laptops.
 Specialized Turbo	◆ These e-bikes use the same light structure and narrow wheels as conventional touring bikes. The electric motor makes it possible to cover longer distances.	◆ Riders who are eager for more challenging cycling or want to extend the riding distance. The riding position may discourage those with back or neck pain.
 RadWagon 4	◆ With strong structure and fat wheels, they transport relatively heavy loads, which can be equipped with a seat or rack (支架).	◆ Anyone who would prefer to transport large loads of groceries or packages (or even small kids) with something other than a car.
 Ancheer EM	◆ With stronger structure, bigger wheels, and suspension systems that absorb the impact of rough rides, they can handle rough landscapes.	◆ Someone who wants to experience the excitement of riding down dirt tracks but also wants a bit help from an electric motor.

21. Which magazine is this text probably taken from?  
 A. *Technique News*. B. *Muscle & Fitness*.  
 C. *How It Works*. D. *Consumer Reports*.
22. Which is most suitable for someone who wants to challenge long-range tours?  
 A. Swagtron EB5. B. Specialized Turbo. C. RadWagon 4. D. Ancheer EM.
23. What can we learn about the electric bikes?  
 A. Designs of electric bikes are based on travel purposes.  
 B. Electric bikes are more popular than conventional bikes. ✗  
 C. Riders of these electric bikes put speed in the first place.  
 D. The trend of electric bikes replacing cars can't be prevented.

B

Christian Liden decided that he would not pick out a ring from a jeweler's like most other people. He hatched an ambitious plan to create a personalized ring for his future wife, Desirae Clovis. Therefore, he made up his mind to go into the wild to find his own materials: the diamond, the gold and the accompanying jewels.

So, in May 2022, Liden told Clovis that he and Josh Tucker, his best friend, were heading out on a camp to Yellowstone. Instead, he and Tucker made for Crater of Diamonds State Park, Arkansas, which is set on a volcanic crater (坑). The park is one of the few places in the world where the public is welcome to search for real diamonds and can keep them for free. Since its opening, only 1 in 10,000 park visitors is lucky enough to find a diamond that weighs a carat or more. Still, he was up for the challenge.

On their way, Liden and Tucker stopped in Helena, Montana, to mine for accompanying jewels to add to the diamond they hoped to score. In Arkansas, the pair paid \$10 each to get into the park and spent almost three days searching through the volcanic dirt.

On the third morning, Liden suddenly spotted something reflecting light in the sands. "I was so excited that I started shaking," he said, "It was oily and shiny, and we both just knew it was a diamond."

It was confirmed that Liden had found a 2.2-carat yellow diamond. Similarly-sized diamonds go for \$2,500 to \$20,000 per carat, depending on quality, color and cut. But the value wasn't what was important to Liden.

When he pulled out the diamond and got on his knee upon his return, Clovis was amazed. "I knew that he was going to propose someday," she said, "but I certainly didn't expect this."

24. What was Christian Liden's ambitious plan?

- A. He intended his ring to consist of various jewels.
- B. He would get a personalized ring from a jeweler's.
- C. He decided to make a ring together with his future wife.
- D. He planned to hunt for a natural diamond to create a ring.

25. Why did Liden and Tucker choose Crater of Diamond State Park?

- A. It was the only place that charged jewel hunters nothing.
- B. They were likely to find more than just natural diamonds.
- C. The majority of park visitors had got their ideal diamonds.
- D. The public was allowed to keep any diamond found there.

26. Why was Liden excited about his findings?

- A. He had got the largest diamond in the park's history.
- B. The value of the diamond was above his expectations.
- C. He was lucky to acquire the diamond for his dream ring.
- D. The quality and color of his diamond ranked among the best.

27. What can we learn from the story?

- A. True love stories never have endings.
- B. Love shows more in action than in words.
- C. Absence makes two hearts grow fonder.
- D. A life lived in love will never be boring.

C

This year saw the publication, in stages, of the sixth report by the UN's Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC)—a report which was depressing reading for many climate scientists, and in some ways offered a ray of hope.

Why depressing? Because the report confirmed what scientists have been saying for years: that human activity, particularly in the form of emissions (排放) of greenhouse gases, is responsible for the warming in the past few centuries, and that unless such emissions are greatly reduced, we will soon bring about our entire ecosystem's destruction.

The report concluded that 1.5°C of global warming over the next couple of hundred years is already "baked in". This makes the goals outlined in the 2015 Paris Agreement—that nations agreed to keep warming below 2°C, and hopefully below 1.5°C—much harder to meet. Worse still, the IPCC report was followed later in the year by the COP27 summit (峰会), described by Prof Dann Mitchell, as "a complete failure, other than some commitment to loss and damage."

And the ray of hope? The IPCC's sixth report was broader in approach than previous studies—looking in-depth for the first time at the role played in warming by short-term greenhouse gases such as methane (甲烷), for instance.

"Reducing carbon emissions is always the best approach: stop the problem at its source," said Mitchell. "But we also need other approaches to help with this. Methane is important, but it's so short-lived—that's why we haven't been so bothered when compared with CO<sub>2</sub>."

The IPCC working groups showed potential adaptation paths, and they are the other things we can do in terms of fighting climate change and relieving its worst effects, rather than simply reducing carbon emissions. This would include taking measures such as switching to a more plant-based diet (to reduce methane emissions), controlling population growth, reducing financial inequality, and developing means by which we might remove CO<sub>2</sub> that's already in our atmosphere, rather than simply preventing it being released.

28. Which of the following can best describe the sixth report by IPCC?

- A. ~~Seemingly~~ contradictory.                      B. Wholly promising.  
C. Particularly hopeless.                      D. Exceptionally new.

29. What does the underlined phrase "baked in" in paragraph 2 mean?

- A. out of date.                      B. to the full.  
C. under discussion.                      D. in progress.

30. According to the passage, what can we learn about methane?

- A. It has been long regarded as a major source of global warming.  
B. Its role in global warming had been overlooked before the report.  
C. Its boost to global warming is as much as other greenhouse gases.  
D. It is considered as a new approach to reducing global warming.

31. How many aspects do the adaptation paths involve in the last paragraph?

- A. 2.                      B. 3.                      C. 4.                      D. 5.

D

Does your life ever feel as if you're pushing a heavy car—one on which you've spent much money and that has now broken down? You've done everything right: you haven't invested heavily in a new business or quit your job to pursue your childhood dream of becoming a professional athlete. You have been a sensible adult living your sensible life. So why does it feel like such hard work?

This has been me for the past few months. Earlier this year, I took a long hard look at my sources of income and decided to focus on the ones that provided the most money. I'm lucky enough to have had a good financial year. But despite doing the right thing, it has used up my energy and I've worked out why.

Years ago, I realized that I disliked hard work. Don't get me wrong, I don't mind working hard, but hard work isn't for me. What's the difference? For a start, hard work feels as if it never really gets going. You can push hard work and it might move a little but there's no celebratory moment when it gets done. Most importantly, hard work lacks joy. Working hard on a project you feel excited and moved by can be tiring and difficult, but it's ultimately joyful and that is what I've been missing.

So I asked myself what would feel scary but joyful and this is the answer. I'm going to write a romance. Of course, being a middle-aged journalist who suddenly decides to write a book is nothing novel. However, for me, it hits the sweet spot between being joyful enough to make me want to do it and scary enough to make me feel it's worthwhile.

As with all good middle-aged changes, this one hasn't really been thought through. I know little about writing fiction and even less about what makes a good book. I have the thinnest of ideas for a plot but, for the first time in a while, I'm excited. I will be another Jane Austen with my fantasies which give me life. So now, I have to go and sharpen my pencil.

32. What can best describe the author's current feeling about life?
- A. A new business makes her feel fresh.  
B. She has got everything under her control.  
C. She is conflicted about living a sensible life.  
D. A childhood dream inspires her to more efforts.
33. What does the underlined word "it" in paragraph 2 refer to?
- A. Living a rather sensible life.  
B. Identifying income sources.  
C. Discovering new life goals.  
D. Sorting out the author's jobs.
34. What's the author's understanding of hard work and working hard?
- A. Journalism is a career worth working hard.  
B. Hard work is something either sweet or tiring.  
C. Writing a romance is difficult but rewarding.  
D. Working hard rarely brings about satisfaction.
35. What is probably the best title for the text?
- A. Works like a dream.  
B. Middle-aged job crisis.  
C. Celebratory moment.  
D. A future Jane Austen.

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第二节 (共 5 小题; 每小题 2.5 分, 满分 12.5 分)

阅读下面短文, 从短文后的选项中选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项。选项中有两项为多余选项。

Complaining is often looked at as a negative, but if you perfect it great things can happen. \_\_\_\_\_ 36 \_\_\_\_\_ Articles and experts insist that too much complaining will “lower your empathy (共情)” and stop you achieving your dream and living the life you want. They suggest that you cut out negativity from your life, especially people who complain. But humans love to complain.

I know this because I get paid to sit with people while they complain and process every week. \_\_\_\_\_ 37 \_\_\_\_\_ Once we discover how to effectively integrate it, great things can happen. Dr Robin Kowalski found those who complain with the hopes of achieving a certain result tend to be happier.

Complaining also influences how people see us, creates social bonds, encourages empathy and helps create real changes. It plays a very important role in our lives and is a skill that can be extremely effective. \_\_\_\_\_ 38 \_\_\_\_\_

So here are some ways to deal with the art of complaining in a skilful way.

1. Clarify and organize your complaints. It will get your complaints across to others more easily.

2. Work out who can give you a hand. \_\_\_\_\_ 39 \_\_\_\_\_ Pick those who can empathize with you or help with your goal.

3. Make connections with others. It would be possible for people to know what you needed.

Conclude from specific things above, and our complaining is much more likely to feel useful and effective:

- Use facts and logic.
- Identify who has the ability to make it happen.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 40 \_\_\_\_\_

Whatever your complaining, it'll make for your improvement when used correctly and effectively.

- A. Get rid of your bitter complaints.
- ~~B. Don't complain to the same people.~~
- ~~C. Actually, complaining has a bad reputation.~~
- D. Socialize with others to make complaints accessible.
- E. Complaining does serve as a real purpose in our lives.
- ~~F. However, the influences of complaining are not necessarily beneficial to us all.~~
- ~~G. Our goal is not to remove complaining, but make it more useful and effective.~~

第三部分 语言运用 (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, 从每题所给的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项。

Milo is a rescue dog, adopted by 20-year-old Makayla Swift. One morning in November 2021, Swift opened her front door and Milo \_\_\_\_\_ 41 \_\_\_\_\_ running. “I couldn't catch him,” she said.

Milo ran to a house across the street. He seemed 41 with this house, so he ran to the one next door, Swift on his 43.

When it started scratching (抓挠) on the front door, Swift was 44. Not everyone wants a 45 dog on their property. But as she tried to 46 Milo away, she could hear a sound coming through an open upstairs window. It was a voice crying "Help!"

Hours earlier, Sherry Starr, 85, had just 47 around 4 am. "All of a sudden, standing there between the toilet and the bathtub, I 48," she said, "I went down hard on the floor."

"I could not move at all," said Starr, who was 49 between the toilet and the bathtub. Starr was feeling 50 all over, but more than anything, she was scared. "I'm thinking: I'm just going to die here."

Her best 51, she decided, was to listen for the letter carrier in the afternoon. For the next few hours, Starr 52 crying: "Help! Help! Help!"

"Her voice was very 53," said Swift. "You had to be right on the spot to hear Mrs. Starr cry for 54 unless you were Milo, who had 55 heard Starr the instant I had opened the own front door." Swift called 911 and soon medical staff helped her out.

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|--------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------|
| 41. A. broke off   | B. cleared off | C. came around | D. wandered around |
| 42. A. concerned   | B. annoyed     | C. impressed   | D. delighted       |
| 43. A. tail        | B. right       | C. back        | D. front           |
| 44. A. depressed   | B. inspired    | C. amused      | D. embarrassed     |
| 45. A. cute        | B. faithful    | C. strange     | D. gentle          |
| 46. A. send        | B. turn        | C. drag        | D. throw           |
| 47. A. calmed down | B. lain down   | C. sat up      | D. risen up        |
| 48. A. dived       | B. delayed     | C. skipped     | D. slipped         |
| 49. A. found       | B. stuck       | C. hidden      | D. placed          |
| 50. A. pain        | B. ease        | C. strength    | D. anger           |
| 51. A. bet         | B. result      | C. role        | D. guess           |
| 52. A. imagined    | B. regretted   | C. practiced   | D. stopped         |
| 53. A. familiar    | B. clear       | C. soft        | D. different       |
| 54. A. freedom     | B. mercy       | C. peace       | D. help            |
| 55. A. eventually  | B. apparently  | C. randomly    | D. frequently      |

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。

Aiming to inspire the people of various countries to learn Chinese, the video series *The Imagination of Art* was released on Oct. 24.

The project, 56 (joint) produced by the Center for Language Education and Cooperation and Central Academy of Fine Arts, selects multiple art pieces created by four artists: Wu Jian'an, Kang Lei, Lu Zhengyuan and Zhang Fan.

Under the theme of "Chinese language plus arts", the series 57 (comprise) of two parts, the first part of which contains four episodes, each 58 (feature) one artist. The





The items in her cart (购物车) included the cheapest cuts of meat and some things like rice and potatoes. There were also lots of noodles. Day-old bread, inexpensive soap, and tissues on sale—well, almost. In a far corner sat a little toy and a pretty dress that was 50 percent off.

She continued to look at the magazines as we waited, and more people lined up behind us. She finally took one out and turned it over several times, trying to find a price before finally turning to me.

“I’m sorry to bother you,” she began in a shy and nervous tone. “But can you tell me how much this is? I forgot my glasses at home.”

“Of course,” I said with a smile.

When I finally found the small print and told her, she shook her head and put it back.

“They’ve become so expensive, haven’t they?” I said sympathetically.

“Next!” The cashier called in a gentle voice before she could answer, and she moved forward to begin her transaction (交易).

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。

When told the cost, the woman’s face paled.

I approached the cashier and whispered “Include her removed items in my bill, please.”

第一部分 听力 (共两节, 满分 30 分)

1. C    2. A    3. B    4. B    5. B    6. B    7. C    8. C    9. A    10. A  
11. C    12. C    13. A    14. B    15. B    16. C    17. B    18. B    19. C    20. A

第二部分 阅读 (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)

21. D    22. B    23. A    24. D    25. D    26. C    27. B    28. A    29. D    30. B  
31. C    32. C    33. A    34. C    35. A

第二节 (共 5 小题; 每小题 2.5 分, 满分 12.5 分)

36. C    37. E    38. G    39. B    40. D

第三部分 语言运用 (共两节, 满分 30 分)

第一节 (共 15 小题; 每小题 1 分, 满分 15 分)

41. A    42. B    43. A    44. D    45. C    46. C    47. D    48. D    49. B    50. A  
51. A    52. C    53. C    54. D    55. B

第二节 (共 10 小题; 每小题 1.5 分, 满分 15 分)

56. jointly            57. is comprised            58. featuring            59. works            60. shares  
61. a                    62. whose                    63. on                    64. to record            65. powerful

第四部分 写作 (共两节, 满分 40 分)

第一节 (满分 15 分)

Dear editor,

I'd like to recommend the famous saying "A journey of a thousand of miles begins with a single step." to your column.

It was wisely put by Lao-Tzu. Whatever we do, we must take the first step, which paves the way for our ambition. Moreover, we still need to make continuous efforts to go further regardless of countless hardships. As a senior, we should keep motivated and move on.

I'll appreciate it if the saying is included in the column. (80 words)

Yours,

Li Hua



第二节 (满分 25 分)

**When told the cost, the woman's face paled.** She opened a worn-out change purse, counting small bills and change. With a deep breath, she scanned her groceries to see what she could do without. One by one, she removed things, but she still came up short. She continued to get rid of much-needed goods while the cashier patiently took away things with a pleasant smile, setting them aside. The woman finally cut back on her groceries, paid, and moved down to pack them. (75 words)

**I approached the cashier and whispered "Include her removed items in my bill, please."** She nodded knowingly, winking at me and finishing the transaction. I moved next, wondering how to slide the extra things into her old cart. The cashier solved the problem by "accidentally" dropping several oranges which flew past the lady. "I'll get those," the woman offered kindly to pick up the runaway fruit. I quickly finished our plan. Then, my thoughts wandered to the lady who was enjoying a hearty delicious dish with her little girl. (75 words)



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