

济宁市 2023 年高考模拟考试

英语试题

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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

A Day Out at the City Farm

Come and join us for a day of fun! Get in touch with nature and learn about the importance of growing our own food. Bring back your own mini garden to start your urban farming journey!

Date: 28 May 2023(Sunday) **Time:** 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. **Venue:** City Farm

GUIDED TOUR 9 a.m. or 3 p.m.

Free registration(registration ends 5 minutes before tour starts)

Our friendly guide will share interesting facts about some common local plants and their uses. You will have an opportunity to touch, smell and taste some of the vegetables and fruits. Our guide will also highlight some farming methods that are environmentally friendly.

WORKSHOPS

My Miniature Garden 10 a. m. and 1 p. m.

Tickets (payment at site); Children \$ 15 per person

Adult \$ 25 per person

Learn to make an easy herb or vegetable garden in a recycled box. Bring it home and be excited as you watch your plants come up. Cook a meal after harvesting them.



How To Make A Seed Ball 11 a. m. and 2 p. m.

Free entry (first come, first served)

Each seed ball is made by wrapping seeds with compost (堆肥) and clay, which provide nutrients for seeds to grow and act as a carrier to spread the seeds. They also prevent the seeds from being eaten by birds and animals. Our seed balls are wrapped in craft paper and make great gifts for your family and friends.

1. What can a visitor enjoy during the guided tour?

- A. Trying out new farming methods.
- B. Tasting some vegetables and fruits.
- C. Visiting the farm without registration.
- D. Sharing knowledge of plants with the locals.

2. How much need a couple with one child pay for My Miniature Garden?

- A. \$40.
- B. \$55.
- C. \$65.
- D. \$80.

3. What is the main purpose of the event?

- A. To instruct visitors to prepare gifts.
- B. To advocate the protection of the farm plants.
- C. To publicize the sale of organic produce.
- D. To encourage people to grow their own food.

B

Keeping a language alive can strengthen people's sense of identity and most importantly lead to the preservation of a whole culture. This is probably why a group of Cherokee music artists decided to create a music album(唱片) exclusively in the Cherokee language, a highly endangered Native American language. Currently, there are fewer than 2,000 fluent speakers of the language remaining in the world, and the number is declining every year.

The album, titled DOAP av and pronounced 'Ah'Nuh'Duh'Nah'Lees'Gi', means "Performers" in English. It is comprised of a range of contemporary styles, including Pop, Reggae, Country, Heavy Metal, Hip Hop, and Folk. With a planned release date of Labor Day weekend, the record company is using the platform of the National Cherokee Holiday to give this album as much exposure as possible.

Jeremy Charles, a key figure in getting this album off the ground, has said that the "music will shine a spotlight on Cherokee artists and speakers, and increase exposure to our culture and language worldwide". He aims for the album to be an inspiration to the next generation of Cherokee language learners. Featuring 12 Cherokee artists ranging from ages 14 to 50, you can see how this album is going to do a lot for the promotion of Cherokee music and can inspire people of any age to make music that connects with their heritage(遗产).

The youngest contributor on the album, Lillian Charles, is only in 8th grade but had a major contribution to the Goth-pop song "Circus"—a song she wrote at the age of 12. It originally written in English, she worked with translators Bobbie Smith and Kathy Sierrato be able to fully express herself in Cherokee.

Projects like the DOOAP oaV album bring a modern approach to revitalizing language and culture and encourage a younger audience, to get involved and start learning the Cherokee language. On average, a native language is lost forever every two weeks, and these people want to make sure that the Cherokee language isn't one of them.

4. What can we learn about the album from paragraph 2?

- A. It has various musical styles.
- B. It is titled Performers in English.
- C. It sings high praise of Labor Day.
- D. It was exposed to the public by chance.

5. What's Jeremy Charles's expectation of the album?

- A. It will make a huge profit for the record company.

- B.It can help the 12 artists rise to fame overnight.
 C.It will satisfy the fans' demand for pop music.
 D.It can fuel the youth's interest in Cherokee language.
- 6.Which can best replace the underlined word "revitalizing" in the last paragraph?
 A.Translating. B. Reviewing. C. Restoring. D.Creating.
- 7.What's the best title of the text?
 A.Alarming! The Cherokee Language is Dying
 B.Amazing! An 8th Grader is Releasing an Album
 C. Bringing Music to Life with Modern Technology
 D.Preserving a Language Through the Power of Music

C

What is the 15-minute city? It's the urban planning concept that everything city residents need should be a short walk or bike ride away—about 15 minutes from home to work, shopping, entertainment, restaurants, schools, parks and health care. Supporters argue that 15-minute cities are healthier for residents and the environment, creating united mini-communities, boosting local businesses, and encouraging people to get outside, walk, and cycle.

Many cities across Europe offer similar ideas, but Paris has become its poster child. Mayor Anne Hidalgo has sought to fight climate change by decreasing choking traffic in the streets and fuel emissions. In 2015, Paris was 17th on the list of bike-friendly cities; by 2019, it was 8th. Car ownership, meanwhile, dropped from 60 percent of house holds in 2001 to 35 percent in 2019. The 15-minute city figured largely in Hidalgo's successful 2020 re-election campaign. The idea has also gained support in the U.S.

It clearly won't work everywhere: Not every city is as centralized and walk able as Paris. Some car-dominated cities like Los Angeles and Phoenix would be hard-pressed to provide everything people need within walking distance. In addition, some urban planners argue that the 15-minute city could increase the separation of neighborhoods by income. Neighborhoods equipped with all the conveniences required by the 15-minute city also tend to have high housing costs and wealthier residents.

Despite some resistance, the basic principles behind the 15-minute city are influencing planning in cities around the world, including Melbourne, Barcelona, Buenos Aires, Singapore, and Shanghai. Urban designer and thinker Jay Pitter says cities where basic needs are within walking distance create more individual freedom than needing to drive every where. "In a city where services are always close by," he says, "mobility is a choice: You go where you want because you want to, not because you have to. My fight is not against the car. My fight is how we could improve the quality of life."

- 8.Which best describes the 15-minute city?
 A.Modern. B.Convenient
 C.Entertaining. D. Smart
- 9.What's the original intention for Paris to advocate the 15-minute city?
 A. To address climate issues. B.To beautify the city.
 C. To promote the bike industry. D.To help Hidalgo get re-elected
- 10.What's some urban planners' worry about the 15-minute city?
 A.It slows the city's expansion

- B. It represents a setback for society
- C. It may widen the gap between neighborhoods,
- D. It can cause the specialization of neighborhoods

11. What's Jay Pitter's attitude to the concept of 15-minute city?

- A. Doubtful.
 - B. Favorable
 - C. Critical.
 - D. Uninterested
- D

Thousands of years have passed since humans discovered silk, but scientists are still finding new uses for this remarkable material. Now researchers say it could help tackle a growing environmental and health concern: Micro-plastics

Micro-plastics that are now found worldwide are increasingly recognized as a serious pollution threat, and have been found in the bloodstream of animals and people. Some of these micro plastics are intentionally added to a variety of products to generally protect some specific active components from being degraded by exposure to air. For example, vitamins are often delivered in the form of micro capsules packed into a pill or capsule, and herbicides(除草剂) are similarly enveloped. But the materials used today for such micro-encapsulation are plastics that stay in the environment for a long time. To date, there has been no practical, economical alternative available that would biodegrade naturally.

Researchers at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and chemical company BASF developed a silk-based biodegradable alternative to these capsules

Silk is recognized as safe for food or medical use, as it degrades naturally in the body. The silk protein used in the new alternative material is widely available and inexpensive and the silk fibers can simply be dissolved(溶解), lead researcher Benedetto Marelli says. Besides, the processing is so simple and tun-able that the resulting material can be adapted to work on existing manufacturing equipment.

Replacing non-biodegradable micro-capsules with silk might not work in every case, but given the current and future challenges related to food insecurity, agricultural production, and a changing climate, the silk-based material is of great importance. Products using silk-based micro-capsules are expected to be commercially available in a few years. And the researchers will next try encapsulating active components that could require a different manufacturing approach, such as those that must remain in liquid or gas forms.

12. What can be inferred from paragraph 2?

- A. Removing plastic pollution is a piece of cake.
- B. Micro-plastics can degrade quickly and naturally.
- C. Micro-plastics have become a severe pollution threat.
- D. Developing an alternative for micro-plastics is urgent;

13. What's the major concern of researchers choosing silk as an alternative?

- A. It is economical.
- B. It is biodegradable.
- C. It is widely available.
- D. It is skin-friendly.

14. What's the last paragraph mainly about concerning the silk-based material?

- A. Its promising future.
- B. Its marketing method.
- C. Its existing limitations.
- D. Its making approach.

15. In which part of a magazine can the passage probably be found?

- A. Climate.
- B. Agriculture.

C. Technology Advances.

D. Health Guidelines.

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。

Growing plants is often seen as a very "green" thing to do, but like many products, they take a huge amount of energy to produce. 16 For example, they use geothermal(地热的)energy to heat greenhouses and solar power to supply electricity and lighting. While domestic growing doesn't involve the same carbon footprint as commercial growing, it's important to consider what we can all do to minimize our own impact while still enjoying growing plants.

Over-consumption of plants is a big issue. It's so easy to get overexcited when you see all these incredible plants, and you can end up carrying home huge numbers of them. 17 The more plants you have, the more limited your time and resources become, and plants can suffer. This leads to another issue-many people may end up throwing away their plants which don't look perfect or stop flowering, in a similar way to the world of fast fashion. 18

If you are ready and able to increase your collection, propagate(繁殖)from your own plants rather than buying more, and share plants with others. 19 Meanwhile, we can build a community of like-minded, passionate plant people.

Recycling takes a huge amount of input, which can end up more damaging to the environment, so instead of buying something of lower quality that needs replacing every year, buy fewer things of a higher quality. 20 And they can be passed down the generations.

A. But large collections call for an enormous amount of work.

B. Many commercial growers continue to market their produce.

C. This removes the need to buy plants and encourages a sharing culture.

D. These will last many years and be more cost-effective in the long term.

E. So it's important to assess, your collection and buy plants you have time to look after.

F. Throwing them away will greatly reduce your gardening footprint on the environment.

G. Many large-scale growers have used technology to minimize their impact on the environment.

第二部分 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。

I recently attended a wedding in Canada, in the countryside. When the Taxi driver sent us back at midnight, I was 21 worried all the way home about tipping him since I was not rich. I 22 nervously in my purse and realized that all I had was a \$100 note, which I was keeping for a(n) 23, nothing else but two chocolates from the wedding. I couldn't tip him, so I was 24 between a rock and a hard place. I handed in the note at last, controlling the urge to ask for 25.

Tipping has long been a source of 26 interactions throughout the world. Tipping customs 27 wildly from country to country, which generates no small amount of 28. Norwegians, who come from a culture where wages are high and tips are low, could 29 people in Las Vegas with their tiny offerings. 30, high-tipping Americans might anger people in Tokyo because good service in Japan is a 31 of honour.

Such an embarrassed mess often occurs because there's no 32 logic to any of this. None! Similarly, a 2016 study from Cornell University, 33, that people are twice as likely to tip a supermarket delivery person than a supermarket store worker. Why is that? And nobody can work out the reasons for this 34.

Perhaps, tipping one and not the other only 35 in terms of what has become customary.

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| 21. A. helplessly | B. curiously | C. secretly | D. strangely. |
| 22. A. selected | B. fished | C. weighed | D. calculated |
| 23. A. emergency | B. tip | C. award | D. deal |
| 24. A. buried | B. lost | C. stuck | D. locked |
| 25. A. gratitude | B. permission | C. help | D. change |
| 26. A. common | B. awkward | C. necessary | D. active |
| 27. A. vary | B. spread | C. grow | D. work |
| 28. A. panic | B. harm | C. bond | D. confusion |
| 29. A. amuse | B. astonish | C. annoy | D. satisfy |
| 30. A. Therefore | B. Likewise | C. Otherwise | D. Furthermore |
| 31. A. matter | B. choice | C. way | D. trick |
| 32. A. official | B. convenient | C. practical | D. consistent |
| 33. A. found | B. ensured | C. confirmed | D. witnessed |
| 34. A. assumption | B. concept | C. difference | D. accident |
| 35. A. pays off | B. takes place | C. takes effect | D. makes sense |

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。

Bringing National Treasures to Life

A cross-border cooperation mini concert held by six national treasures has gone viral overnight, 36 (touch) the hearts of audiences around the world.

In the catchy music "Dala Bongba", the six "big brothers" from the field of cultural relics sing proudly and skillfully, creating an 37 (except) scene. Among them, the most shining Changxin Palace lantern sings, holding the torch and sending 38 (blessing) to the aerospace rocket; the Sanxingdui bronze mask uses 39 (extreme) rich facial expressions to praise the beautiful life after poverty-relief efforts.... The national treasures are no longer cold and distant objects 40 (house) in museums but lively and humorous entertainers who can sing and talk.

China has many museums in 41 the collections of cultural relics are beyond count. It would be a pity if so many cultural relics and cultural heritages were only displayed in museum cabinets, lifeless and cold. Aimed 42 "bringing life to the national treasures", scientific and technological innovations 43 (integrate) with cultural conservation in the past few years.

The technology that makes these cultural relics "talk" is not complicated; the difficulty lies in the inspiration of creativity. The creativity of this mini concert is 44 great success; "to some extent, it offers a Chinese way 45 (preserve) the world-wide cultural relics.

第三部分 写作(共两节, 满分 40 分)

第二节(满分 15 分)

假定你是李华。你校英文报 Campus Life 将为“Never Fading Memories”主题征文大赛举行颁奖活动。请你给外教 Caroline 写封邮件, 邀请她做颁奖嘉宾, 内容包括:

1. 发出邀请;
2. 时间地点;
3. 嘉宾活动安排。

注意:

1. 写作词数应为 80 左右;
2. 参考词汇: 颁奖嘉宾 award presenter;
3. 请按如下格式在答题卡的相应位置作答。

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| Dear Caroline, |
| Yours sincerely, Li Hua |

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。

"A nursing home would be safer, Dad," Arlyn told her father, Jim.

"No way," Jim interrupted. His wife passed away just a year before. At 91, he still wanted to remain in the cottage he and his wife had built.

Jim started experiencing an early sign of Alzheimer's disease. Arlyn found his decline was indeed all-consuming. However, she herself was in her late sixties; her house was a 40-minute drive from the cottage. One day, when she read about a new eldercare service called Care. coach, it fueled her interest. For about \$200 a month, a computerized avatar(头像)(controlled remotely by a human caregiver) would watch over a home-bound person 24 hours a day. She signed up immediately.

A week later, a tablet arrived. Following the instructions, Arlyn uploaded dozens of family pictures. Then an animated dog appeared on the screen. She presented the tablet to Jim, pointing to the screen pet, and said excitedly, "Here Dad. You have a new companion." Jim, doubtful about the dog's service, knew he had to learn how to get along with the dog before Alzheimer's took hold.

Within a week, Jim and his dog, whom he named Pony, settled into a routine. Every 15 minutes or so, Pony would look for Jim calling his name if he was out of view. Sometimes Jim would "pet" to awake the sleeping Pony on screen. Pony reminded Jim which caretaker would be visiting to do the tasks: preparing meals, driving him to a senior center, etc. Pony would read poetry aloud or discuss the news. When Pony praised Jim's sweater, Jim repaid by petting Pony's screen with his finger sending hearts floating up from the dog's head. One evening when Arlyn came to visit her father as usual, she was amazed to find that Pony was holding up a photo of her late mum to her dad between its paws.

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Jim stared at the photo fondly, with tears welling up in his eyes

Seeing the close bond between Pony and her dad, Arlyn felt a relief