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2023年7月高二下学期期末考试

英语试卷

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考生注意：

1. 本试卷由四个部分组成。满分 150 分，考试时间 120 分钟。
2. 考生作答时，请将答案答在答题卡上。选择题每小题选出答案后，用 2B 铅笔把答题卡上对应题目的答案标号涂黑；非选择题请用直径 0.5 毫米黑色墨水签字笔在答题卡上各题的答题区域内作答，超出答题区域书写的答案无效，在试题卷、草稿纸上作答无效。
3. 本卷命题范围：高考范围。

第一部分 听力(共两节, 满分 30 分)

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。

1. What's the man's suggestion?
A. Making the reservation.
B. Continuing waiting here.
C. Going to another restaurant.
2. What will Peter do first?
A. Go home.
B. Do his homework.
C. Buy some candy.
3. What does the woman ask Mike to do?
A. Brush his teeth.
B. Save water.
C. Drink some water.
4. Why does the man seem in low spirits?
A. He has been sick this week.
B. He missed his favorite movies.
C. He got little sleep these days.
5. What is the woman worried about?
A. The man's health.
B. The man's cooking skill.
C. The man's safety in Mexico.

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 man's problem?
A. He has a backache.
B. He took too many pills.
C. He lost contact with his doctor.
7. Why does Doctor Green break the rule for the man?
A. He is very polite.
B. He is seriously ill.
C. He can't afford a full checkup.

听第 7 段材料,回答第 8 至 10 题。

8. Who is the woman?
A. The man's classmate. B. Annie's sister. C. Annie's roommate.
9. What does the man want to tell Annie?
A. His new address. B. His visit. C. Hotel information.
10. How can Annie get in touch with the man?
A. Send him an urgent message.
B. Dial the phone number 4934975.
C. Go to Room 668, the Terminal Hotel.

听第 8 段材料,回答第 11 至 13 题。

11. What does the woman invite the man to do today?
A. Attend a party. B. Study together. C. See a film.
12. When will the speakers meet?
A. At 4:15. B. At 4:30. C. At 4:45.
13. Where will the speakers meet?
A. At the bookstore. B. At an ice-cream shop. C. At the school gate.

听第 9 段材料,回答第 14 至 17 题。

14. What does the man do?
A. A policeman. B. A firefighter. C. A journalist.
15. How many kids died from the fire?
A. 2. B. 5. C. 28.
16. Where did the boy throw the cigarette end?
A. On the carpet. B. On the sofa. C. On the table.
17. Why was the boy able to touch the cigarette end?
A. His father asked him to throw it.
B. His father was drunk and sleeping.
C. His father left him alone at home.

听第 10 段材料,回答第 18 至 20 题。

18. How can frozen food be kept cold at ordinary temperatures?
A. By using bags. B. By using water. C. By using paper.
19. What is advised to do when camping?
A. Use special dry foods.
B. Never cook meat or eggs.
C. Keep milk in a cooler box.
20. What is the passage mainly about?
A. How to pick up fresh food.
B. How to eat healthily in different weather.
C. How to keep food from going bad in summer.

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)

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

Educational App Store

Busuu

Busuu helps you learn English language and the lesson's quality is guaranteed as it is based on CEFR language framework. Lessons range from beginners to advanced learners. Busuu is actually a great English app if you want to improve your spoken English by talking with native speakers.

Duolingo

Duolingo is one of the best English language apps today and highly recommended for English beginners. The system of the app helps you learn English quickly by spending twenty minutes a day. Duolingo structures your lessons that teach you about seven new words based on a topic and skill points being awarded for completing the lessons.

Memrise

Memrise uses some creative and easy ways to remember English words. The focus of this app is to help the users expand their vocabulary by learning English words in an effective way. Memrise also offers an offline mode to continue learning without Internet connection.

Rosetta Stone

Rosetta Stone is designed differently from average language apps on the marketplace today. It's trying to teach us English the way we'd learn it if we were children starting to learn the language. It has exercises designed to help you learn basic words. A variety of lessons are offered that Rosetta Stone has been using for years.

21. Which of the following is the most helpful for speaking?
A. Duolingo. B. Busuu. C. Memrise. D. Rosetta Stone.
22. What is unique about Memrise?
A. It serves English beginners.
B. It helps develop vocabulary.
C. It promises quick progress.
D. It works online or offline.
23. What's the aim of writing the text?
A. To show the high technology.
B. To promote the latest products.
C. To give ways of learning.
D. To inspire language learners.

B

As a boy I was always small for my age. I was also five years younger than one of my brothers and seven years younger than the other. As a result I often felt left out when their friends came over to play. I was either too small or too young for whatever they were doing and they didn't want me to listen to their conversations, either. More often than not I found myself outside playing alone and feeling forgotten.

I remember one spring afternoon feeling especially lonely as I sat in the yard behind our house. We lived miles from town and I rarely saw my own friends outside of school. I heard my brothers laughing from inside the house and felt tears coming down my cheek. At that moment I saw a large brown dog walking over to me. He looked happy and his tail was wagging as well. Even though he didn't know me, he greeted me like a long-lost friend, licking my feet and sitting beside me on the spring grass.

It must have been for at least an hour that I petted and talked to this four-legged angel. He let me pour out all my troubles and share my deepest thoughts before he kissed my cheek goodbye. I went back inside feeling happy, knowing that no matter what life may hold, I was loved. Now over 40 years later I still remember that angel with a smile. I believe that God sent him in that moment of sadness to remind me just how much he loved me.

In truth, nothing brings us greater joy than knowing we are loved. Knowing we are loved gives us the strength to love others as well. Knowing we are loved aids us in making Earth more like Heaven. Embrace that love, take joy in it, and then go out and share your own love with the world.

24. When the author's brother's friends came to their house, the author _____.
 A. couldn't play with them
 B. was permitted to listen to their talk
 C. was unwilling to communicate with them
 D. was happy to take part in their activities
25. What can we conclude from the second paragraph?
 A. The large brown dog frightened the author.
 B. The author preferred to be in a quiet place.
 C. The dog greeted him like a long-lost friend.
 D. The author often invited many friends to his house.
26. When the author returned to his home, _____.
 A. he felt much happier than before
 B. he led this four-legged angel home
 C. he shared his thoughts with his brothers
 D. he was unwilling to play with his brothers
27. What does the text mainly want to express?
 A. We should take care of dogs.
 B. We must know we are loved.
 C. We need to give our love to others.
 D. We can play with our brothers happily.

Cold weather during winter months may keep many people from leaving home and running in the open air. However, a new study shows that the drop in temperature is a good reason to run. In fact, researchers say, running in cold weather helps improve one's performance.

Many people say running in the winter can be difficult because of low temperatures and bitter winds. Yet many runners might find it easier than running in hot weather. That could be because lower temperatures reduce stress on the body. When you run in cold weather, your heart rate and the body's dehydration(脱水) levels are lower than in warmer conditions. The body needs less water on a cold day than in warm weather.

This information comes from sports scientists at St. Mary's University in San Antonio, Texas. John Brewer is a professor of applied sport science at St. Mary's. For this study, he and other researchers put a group of people into a room they called an "environmental chamber". The researchers then recreated summer and winter weather conditions in the room, under which the test subjects(接受试验者) were asked to run 10 kilometers. Brewer says he and his team recorded biological measurements of the runners.

"We've got a group of subjects into the environmental chamber, we've changed the conditions to replicate the summer or winter and we've got them to run 10 kilometers under both of those conditions and taken various measurements on each runner while they've been completing their 10 kilometers."

Brewer says every movement runners make produces heat. He explains that one way in which we lose heat is by sweating. The body loses heat through droplets of sweat. He says the body also loses heat by transporting blood to the surface of the skin.

28. What may be the result of running in winter?
- A. It increases pressure of the body. B. It improves the function of the body.
C. It makes your heart rate higher. D. It needs more water than in summer.
29. What can we know about the research in the text?
- A. Researchers interviewed the subjects.
B. Subjects built the "environmental chamber".
C. Subjects were asked to run in winter and summer.
D. Biological measurements of the runners were recorded.
30. Which of the following can replace the underlined word "replicate" in paragraph 4?
- A. Copy. B. Remember. C. Separate. D. Decorate.
31. What's the text mainly about?
- A. The environmental chamber.
B. The way of losing weight.
C. Better performance of running in cold weather.
D. Biological measurements of runners in two seasons.

Dive into the classical world via the remains of an ancient merchant ship that dates all the way back to 5 BC as Greece is constructing its first underwater museum.

Some of Greece's vast heritage of ancient shipwrecks are accessible to the public (divers and non-divers) for the first time ever in a series of underwater museums. The first opened on August 3, allowing visitors to explore the "Peristera shipwreck", which has been at the bottom of the Aegean Sea for more than two thousand years after it sank in the 5th century BC near the northern Greek island of Alonissos. Since a fisherman discovered the ship in 1985, it has remained off-limits to the public but now visitors can explore it by sea or by virtual reality.

Researchers believe it's the most important shipwreck from the classical era. It had been believed that a trading ship of that type didn't exist until the Roman era some 400 years later. So when it was discovered years ago, it completely changed our understanding of shipbuilding in the ancient world.

Experts have yet to determine how or why it sank although there are some indications that a fire may have broken out. It's believed that it was carrying 4,000 vases of wine when it sank, most of which are still lying on the seabed, along with fishes and some little creatures who now call it home.

Greece had banned diving until 2004 or so, due to worries that undersea ancient heritage would be taken away but now the country is wholeheartedly hugging its rich underwater heritage. Access to the Peristera shipwreck is available through a new project that will create underwater museums across the Greek islands over the next two years. Divers will be able to tour the shipwreck with licensed guides and non-divers can feel like they're underwater with virtual reality information centres on land.

32. What is the best title for the text?
- A. An Underwater Museum Is Under Construction
B. An Ancient Merchant Ship Is Discovered
C. Greece Is Trying to Protect Its Heritage
D. Divers Are Interested in Greece

33. How long has the ship remained off-limits to the public?
 A. For about 2,000 years. B. For about 400 years.
 C. For about 40 years. D. For about 20 years.
34. Why do researchers regard it as the most important shipwreck?
 A. It carried 4,000 vases of valuable wine.
 B. It becomes the first underwater museum.
 C. It corrected some of our misunderstanding.
 D. It is the oldest merchant ship in the world.
35. What can be inferred from the text?
 A. Some virtual reality equipment is on the ship.
 B. All the visitors need to stay underwater to visit.
 C. A fire must have broken out on the ancient ship.
 D. There is more than one way to visit the museum.

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。

Being a Successful High School Student

Being a successful high school student requires both patience and motivation(动力). Unfortunately, there are often many things that can make your success difficult. Here are some tips which can help you become a successful high school student.

Remember that school is important.

It's important to have fun and have lots of extra after-school activities, but school study should always be your top priority(优先事项). 36

Get involved at your school.

37 All you need to do is stay on top of things. These may include recent events, such as the basketball game held on Friday or school events like dances and variety shows.

Take up a sport to get fit.

It's easy to forget to stay in shape when the workload gets heavy. 38 So join a sports team at your school to make you less worried about your schedule and have a healthy body.

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Not being an athlete is not an excuse for not having something to do after school. If you're interested in art, join the art club. Music? Join a band. If you're not into any of your school's clubs, advise your principal to start a new one. Most likely he or she will say yes.

Focus on yourself.

Don't compare yourself with others. 40 Every day you should only try to make yourself better, instead of worrying about how the girl sitting in front of you has nicer clothes or is getting better grades, etc.

- A. Join all kinds of clubs.
 B. Find a club to develop your interests.
 C. High school is only a competition with yourself.
 D. So never take homework, tests and quizzes lightly!
 E. You don't have to be a superstar or a cheerleader to do this.
 F. Changing your study timetable can contribute to your success.
 G. Doing some sports can help you relax your body and improve your study.

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。

One day I took a bus with my girlfriend. It was so 41 that we stood for several stops until a vacant seat was 42 for her.

Then a pretty girl rushed towards me, saying, "Hi, where are you going?" I was so struck by the stranger that I had a hard time trying to 43 her. Clearly she had taken me for somebody else. I returned her greeting with politeness, 44 to give explanation to my girlfriend later.

Noticing my dialogue with somebody else, my girlfriend 45 her eyes and found she was pretty. She asked jealously, "Who's she?" The pretty girl, quite 46 of the situation, spoke out first, "Hi, let me 47 myself. I'm Nancy, used to be 48. Very glad to meet you." She behaved very 49.

But I was 50 to search in my memory for someone called Nancy among my neighbors. I was worrying how to explain this to my girlfriend when the pretty girl again turned to me, "Will you give me your cell phone number so that we can keep contacts later?" I had to submit to her 51. Then the girl got off the bus at the next stop.

A minute later I got a short 52 on my phone from a stranger. My girlfriend 53 my phone and read the note. It was from the girl, who said, "Just now, two thieves tried to pick your pocket. I had to act as an acquaintance (熟人) to draw your attention. I should have left at the previous stop but gave up as I noticed these two thieves also 54 to leave at the same stop. Because of the 55 I delayed my departure. Now you'll understand all I have done to you. Wish you luck."

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| 41. A. tiring | B. slow | C. crowded | D. messy |
| 42. A. ready | B. available | C. special | D. suitable |
| 43. A. recognize | B. realize | C. remind | D. judge |
| 44. A. planning | B. preferring | C. managing | D. promising |
| 45. A. fixed | B. opened | C. raised | D. focused |
| 46. A. proud | B. careful | C. afraid | D. aware |
| 47. A. explain | B. enjoy | C. introduce | D. help |
| 48. A. partners | B. neighbors | C. friends | D. workmates |
| 49. A. naturally | B. generously | C. cautiously | D. normally |
| 50. A. in a hurry | B. at a loss | C. at ease | D. in time |
| 51. A. request | B. question | C. command | D. opinion |
| 52. A. suggestion | B. warning | C. notice | D. message |
| 53. A. removed | B. grasped | C. found | D. left |
| 54. A. pretending | B. announcing | C. demanding | D. intending |
| 55. A. result | B. error | C. incident | D. dialogue |

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。

China on October 12 56 (official) announced the first group of national parks. Home to nearly 30 percent of the key wildlife species found in China, they cover 57 protected land area of 230,000 square kilometers.

The 58 (establish) of the first group of national parks is a practical move by China 59 (show) its effort to promote natural ecological protection.

The Three-River-Source National Park 60 (locate) on the Qinghai-Tibet Plateau—known as the world's "third pole". The Giant Panda National Park protects the major habitats of 70 percent of the country's wild giant pandas. The Hainan Rainforest National Park is home to China's largest rainforest and the Hainan gibbon. The Wuyi Mountain National Park

experimental area is the only park in China 61 is listed as a UNESCO cultural and 62 (nature) heritage site. It emphasizes sustainable development between 63 (human) and nature, 64 (reflect) China's environmental protection principle.

Commercial activities are banned in the national parks and are all put 65 the control of the national rules for ecological protection.

第四部分 写作(共两节, 满分 40 分)

第一节 (满分 15 分)

假定你是李华, 上周, 你从一家网络旗舰店购买了一部手机, 收到手机后发现了一些问题。请你给该旗舰店的客服中心写一份投诉信, 内容包括:

1. 描述手机的相关问题;
2. 你期待的处理方法。

注意:

1. 词数 80 左右;
2. 可以适当增加细节, 以使行文连贯。

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。

Once there was a little girl named Emily. Although her singing was very pleasant to hear, lacking of courage, she never dared to sing in front of strangers.

One summer, the neighborhood where she lived would hold a singing competition. Her best friend, Lucy, came to invite her to participate in the competition, but Emily said, "I'm afraid to take part in it." Her mother said, "It's okay, just do it bravely." Emily followed her mom's advice and decided to give herself a try. The day came. Emily and Lucy went to the competition site. But she was too timid(胆小的) to walk onto the stage. She had been waiting until others finished singing. She shakily forced herself to stand on the stage. She started to sing, but her voice was so low. What's worse, she was so nervous that she forgot the lyrics(歌词) after singing a few words. Being laughed at by others, embarrassed and shy, she ran away from the stage.

Some naughty boys ran after her and said, "Emily, coward(胆小鬼)! Emily, coward!" Emily didn't argue with them. What she wanted was to go back home as quickly as she could. Finally, she rushed into the house, hugged her mom and cried sadly.

"Well, my poor girl. Don't cry. Tell me what happened to you," asked her mom. Emily looked up at her mother and told her what she had experienced.

Listening to her, her mom cupped her face and said, "It doesn't matter, girl. As long as you practice singing more in front of strangers, you will become braver little by little. So, my girl, don't be beaten by a failure. You can go out to practice singing every day. No matter who is listening to you, go on singing and never stop. I believe there will be a harvest for you."

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。
- Emily listened to her mother carefully and followed her mom's suggestion.

Going on singing, she walked into the park, where many people were singing and dancing.