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昆明市 2023 届"三诊一模"高考模拟考试

英 语

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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

Music fans, this one is for you! We are teaming up with music master and producer Martin Garrix to give one lucky artist the chance to win a place at our music academy located in Amsterdam this coming August.

Hosted by JBL and STMPD RCRDS in cooperation with Martin Garrix, the Academy will gather 40 talented musicians, songwriters and producers from across the globe to learn from the best of the best music industry experts, promoting their careers to the next level and one could be you!

The Academy will be hosted in the famous STMPD Studios in Amsterdam, which has also been host to well-known artists including Martin Garrix himself, Pharrell Williams, Lady Gaga and Snoop Dogg.

The Academy is open to all kinds of musicians regardless of experience. Emerging artists, producers, singers and songwriters can apply by submitting a motivational video and a maximum of three songs, which they feel represent them.

Registrations are now open and will run until June 27, 2023, with successful applicants announced in July, 2023. The Academy will take place from August 28 to August 31, 2023, in Amsterdam with Remix following the lucky winner's journey from start to finish.

If you're a budding music artist with dreams of making it big on the world stage and meet the requirements listed below, then click here to enter:

Age: 18+.

Any kind of music artist.

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Any kind of music genre.

Level: You are at the beginning of your journey in the music industry — you have a demo to share with us, but you are not signed to a major label.

You are able to travel to Amsterdam in August 2023.

You are fluent in English to participate in the Academy.

- 1. Who works as a partner with JBL?
 - A. Snoop Dogg.

B. Lady Gaga.

C. Pharrell Williams.

- D. Martin Garrix.
- 2. When can you submit your application at the latest?
 - A. By May 18, 2023.

B. By June 27, 2023.

C. By July 28, 2023.

- D. By August 31, 2023.
- 3. What is a must to be an applicant?
 - A. A clear understanding of music.
- B. Submitting three songs altogether.
- C. A good knowledge of English.
- D. Being a member of major label.

В

Age is just a number, and for Alan Camsell that couldn't be more true. At 89, the Penrhyn Bay Strollers' goalkeeper, and his teammates, believe he's the oldest shot-stopper in the football league.

And now he's been nominated (提名) in Sky Bet's search for Real Football No.1s. The UK's No.1 betting app is on the hunt for those at grassroots level who have made a special contribution to the beautiful game.

Alan says, "My wife told me when we had our first grandchild in our forties, 'It's alright being old, but don't look old and don't behave old.' I've taken that to heart. Problems are there to overcome. I've had hip and knee replacements, cataract operations, and had a pacemaker put in just a few months ago. I've also got a hernia, but I just play on."

The golden-age goalkeeper's <u>exploits</u> on the football field have attracted TV coverage worldwide, and his record of the oldest shot-stopper remains unmatched. But incredibly, Alan didn't have the chance to be a goalkeeper until he was 39.

"I've always followed the game, but the family business meant working weekends. So when evening five-a-side came around, I jumped at the chance to play," he says.

While most players wear shin pads (护腿) and the occasional knee support, Alan has to go the extra mile to ensure he can play pain free during the football matches for his Welsh-based club.

Despite his health problems, Alan insists he's got no intention of hanging up his boots any time soon. He adds, "I'll play on forever and I've got no other plans. As long as the team's prepared to put up with me, I'll keep going."

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4. What do we know about Alan?

A. He took over the family business at a very young age.

- B. He stepped over physical barriers to be a footballer.
- C. He gave up his career owing to his various diseases.
- D. He became a skilled goalkeeper when he was a teenager.
- 5. What does the underlined word "exploits" in paragraph 4 mean?
- A. Achievements.
- B. Arrangements.
- C. Strengths.

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D. Strategies.

6. Which words can best describe Alan?

- A. Warm-hearted but mean.
- B. Talented but careless.
- C. Determined and devoted.
- D. Flexible and caring.
- 7. What does the author want to convey in the text?
 - A. Nothing is impossible to a willing heart.
 - B. A candle lights others and consumes itself.
 - C. Genius is nothing but labor and diligence.
 - D. The longest journey begins with the first step.

 \mathbf{C}

Robots can improve mental well-being in the workplace, but only if they look right, research suggests. A study by the University of Cambridge found that people who interacted with robots that were more toy-like, felt a greater connection compared to human-like robots.

Over five weeks, 26 employees took part in the weekly robot-led well-being sessions. While the robots had identical voices, facial expressions and scripts for the sessions, their physical appearance affected how people interacted with them and how effective they thought of them to be.

The first, the QT, is a childlike humanoid robot and roughly 90 centimeters tall, while the second, Misty, is a 36 centimeters tall toy-like robot. According to the researchers, toy-like robots look simpler, meaning people may have had lower expectations and ended up finding the robot easier to talk to and connect with. Those who worked with the humanoid robot found their expectations did not match reality, since the robot was not capable of behaving or interacting like an actual human.

These perceptions of robots are typically guided by popular culture. Researchers added that in films, TV shows and books, robots can do anything that an individual's imagination can think of. But when faced with a robot in the real world, people find that it often does not live up to expectations.

Co-author of the study, Minja Axelsson, said, "These perceptions of how robots should look or behave might be holding back the uptake of robotics in areas where they can be useful." Professor Hatice Gunes, from Cambridge's Department of Computer Science and Technology, said it is "incredibly difficult" to create robots that are capable of natural conversation.

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8. How long did the sessions last?

A. For about one week.

B. For over one month.

C. For about 26 days.

D. For over 90 days.

9. What do toy-like robots mean to the employees?

A. More disappointment.

B. Richer imagination.

C. Less communication.

D. Closer relationship.

10. What can we infer from Minja Axelsson's words?

A. It's necessary to improve robots' appearance.

B. It's difficult for robots to interact with people.

C. Robots can be made to meet individual needs.

D. Personal preferences may affect the use of robots.

11. Which is the suitable title for the text?

A. Robots' Appearance May Improve Mental Well-being

B. Popular Culture Decides Human's Demand for Robots

C. Attitudes towards Robots Vary from Person to Person

D. Human-like Robots Improve Efficiency in Workplaces

D

Raccoon dogs (貉), an animal native to Shanghai, have been spotted in nearly half of surveyed residential complexes in a suburban district of Shanghai, an investigation involving mass participation of city residents found.

Among the 50 surveyed residential complexes in Songjiang District, 22 have tracks of raccoon dog activity, with the number ranging between 1 and 50, and an average of 10.82 per residential community, compared to 6.02 per residential community ten years ago. The average population density (密度) of the animal is 1.08 per hectare (公顷). Seven residential complexes have recorded more than 10 raccoon dogs.

"We found that cat food and rubbish would significantly change the population density of the animal, leading to an abnormal increase," said Wang Fang, a researcher at Fudan University's School of Life Sciences. "Improper management of waste and cat food leads to one extra raccoon dog per hectare, doubling the normal figure. Meanwhile, the space of residential complexes and building layouts have no direct connection with the population density of the animal."

Since 2019, a program was launched by the Shanghai Forestry Station, a conservation biology research team at Fudan University and the Shan Shui Conservation Center. It focuses on the research and protection of raccoon dogs, and the improvement of biological diversity. Various methods such as on-site visits, monitoring of infrared cameras (红外摄像机), the analysis of food habits, and GPS tracking are taken.

For the first time, a program involving the public, with participants nicknamed "citizen scientists," started in June to study the movement of the animal and population, as well as people's attitude toward them. Meanwhile, it drew more than 300 applications. In the future, the study will be expanded with more "citizen scientists" invited, the Shanghai Greenery and Public Sanitation Bureau said.

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What do the statistics in paragraph 2 indicat	12.	What	do	the statistics	in	paragraph	2	indicate	e?
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- A. More hectares of land are damaged by raccoon dogs.
- B. Local people like raccoon dogs better than ever before.
- C. The number of the raccoon dogs is increasing in the city.
- D. The reproduction of raccoon dogs has reached a peak.
- 13. What causes a change in the animal population according to Wang Fang?
 - A. Severe climate changes.
- B. Enough food sources for the animal.
- C. The destruction of the habitat.
- D. The protection of human beings'.
- 14. What is paragraph 4 mainly about?
 - A. An introduction to the Shanghai Forestry Station.
 - B. A breakthrough made by Fudan University.
 - C. A program of protecting raccoon dogs.
 - D. An analysis of biological diversity.
- 15. How is the future of the program?
 - A. Worrying.
- B. Accessible.
- C. Disappointing.
- D. Bright.

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。

Five years ago, I was the heaviest I've weighed in my life. ___16__ It took a lot of work, but I eventually lost 30 pounds and have maintained a consistent workout schedule for the past five years. Having discipline helps us grow, makes us reliable, and strengthens our moral framework.

______But if we are ever going to change, we have to accept the truth. When the physical therapist made those comments about my physical health, it was painful, even embarrassing. But it was the truth. It was hard to hear, but I needed to accept the truth before committing to live differently.

We all want big change quickly. It doesn't happen that way. Self-discipline starts by performing small and ordinary activities consistently. ____19___ Every small act adds up to big results and makes your self-discipline stronger.

It's pointless to have goals if you aren't measuring whether or not you are moving toward them. Like I said, I need to update my spreadsheet every day. When I don't track my progress, I stop doing things I need to do and become lazy. It's easy to lack discipline when you lose focus on where you're going. ____20___

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- A. Keeping track helps you stay on point.
- B. From that point on, I knew I had to change.
- C. I am much more disciplined and productive.
- D. It's easy for us to make excuses to avoid reality.
- E. Set clear and measurable goals to be disciplined.
- F. Maintaining focus leads to obvious improvement.
- G. It may take time to see those returns, but stick with it.

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。 Kristin Schell is the founder of the Turquoise Table. It is a movement of ordinary people who want to create a __21__ right in their own front yards.

Ten years ago, the Schells moved to a new home. One day, Kristin <u>22</u> some furniture for a party in the backyard, so she bought a few picnic tables from a market. The delivery driver set one table down in her front yard <u>23</u>, and Kristin couldn't get the <u>24</u> out of her head. "After the party, I painted the <u>25</u> turquoise — my favorite color — and left it in the front yard, just a few feet from the sidewalk," she says.

That turquoise table became the place Kristin and her kids $\underline{26}$. They used to do activities at the kitchen table, but they now did them out front at the picnic table. They played games, did crafts and ate snacks. New neighbors began to stop by to $\underline{27}$ themselves and sit down for a $\underline{28}$. Kristin invited people to join her at the table for coffee or iced tea. "It was a simple way to slow down and $\underline{29}$ with others," she says. The turquoise table was $\underline{30}$ and had a shared feel.

She likes how the table enables her to take a small step to 31 the loneliness, meanwhile building 32 relationships in her community. "People's 33 need is to know that they are 34 and a sense of belonging," she adds.

Nowadays, thousands of turquoise tables <u>35</u> in all 50 states and in 13 countries around the world.

C. stage D. community B. post 21. A. fence C. painted D. decorated 22. A. needed B. repaired B. by mistake C. in anger D. in excitement 23. A. by design C. image D. address B. name 24. A. person C. table D. chair B. wall 25. A. door C. looked for D. cared for B. worried about 26. A. complained about C. reward B. introduce D. remind 27. A. inspire C. conference D. match B. chat 28. A. meal C. consult D. compete B. compare 29. A. connect C. frightening D. inviting B. smooth 30. A. rough C. ease D. research B. describe 31. A. suffer C. ordinary B. brief D. harmonious 32. A. tense B. physical C. educational D. medical 33. A. emotional B. loved C. praised D. mentioned 34. A. evaluated 35. A. sink B. involve C. exist D. differ

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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。

Watching the latest movies is a good way for Australian audiences to know more about both the history of, <u>36</u> daily life in, China. The 2023 Chinese Film Festival <u>37</u> (hold) in Darwin, Australia, last weekend.

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Hilary Winchester, vice-president at Charles Darwin University, said at the film festival's opening ceremony on March 30, "Up to now, I <u>40</u> (watch) some Chinese movies with English subtitles (字幕), and <u>41</u> I want to emphasize is that movies are a great way to bring people from all walks of life and cultures together."

James Ashbridge, president of Australia China Business Council's Northern Territory branch, said that he lived in Beijing and Shanghai for about 10 years and loved watching Chinese movies, ____42___ (add) that he feels their quality has improved a lot in recent years. "I can also practice my Chinese listening and speaking ability ____43__ means of watching such movies," he said in Chinese.

Ashbridge noted that the Northern Territory, the closest part of Australia to China, has great potential ___44__ (cooperate) with Chinese partners in trade, tourism and ___45__ (educate).

第三部分 写作(共两节,满分40分)

第一节 (满分 15 分)

假如你是学校学生会主席李华,你校将举办"争做好人好事"的活动,请在你校墙报英语栏目写一封倡议书,内容包括:

- 1. 活动目的;
- 2. 活动内容;
- 3. 提出倡议。

注意:

- 1. 词数 80 左右;
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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。

It was a long weekend in May 2018 and my friend, Gabe Rosescu, and I were taking a road trip from my home in the city of Weyburn to visit friends in Nelson, British Columbia. We are both adventurous, and we couldn't wait to go hiking and exploring. It was our first trip together since we knew each other.

At around 10:30 am on Thursday, May 17, we were driving about 11 miles west of Creston, on a steep mountain road known as the Crowsnest Highway. I was texting updates to my family and enjoying the view. We weren't aware there'd recently been flooding in the area.

When I looked up from my phone, I saw a wave of mud and an enormous tree rolling down the mountain, right in front of Gabe's car. He tried to stop the car, but it was too late.

I looked at Gabe and we both were in great panic. The mudslide sent our car falling nearly 300 meters down a rocky cliff. It landed on its side among some trees.

I don't know how long we were unconscious (失去知觉的), but I woke up to Gabe's voice with pain. He was slumped (瘫倒) over the steering wheel, and there was blood everywhere. Outside my passenger window there was a steep drop.

Every time I moved, I was hit with violent chest pain. I had broken my sternum, and my right ankle was broken and practically turned backward. Gabe had broken his orbital bone, and nasal and cheek bones. His head was badly hurt and his vision was damaged. But the body is an amazing thing, and somehow we were both able to crawl out of that car.

I was so focused on our survival that I didn't notice how seriously the car was damaged or where we were. We had no phone signal, so all we could think to do was yell for help. But my chest hurt too much to even breathe. So Gabe started shouting as loud as he could.

- 1. 续写词数应为 150 左右;
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We were shocked when we heard someone call back after just a few minutes.

Fortunately, we were slowly recovering under the care of the medical staff.

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