

英语

考生注意:

1. 答题前,考生务必将自己的姓名、考生号填写在试卷和答题卡上,并将考生号条形码粘贴在答题卡上的指定位置。
2. 回答选择题时,选出每小题答案后,用铅笔把答题卡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2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。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 weather be like?
A. Windy. B. Snowy. C. Cloudy.
2. Where did the man speaker get the book?
A. From his brother. B. From the library. C. From a bookstore.
3. What is the probable relationship between the speakers?
A. Passenger and driver. B. Husband and wife. C. Tourist and guide.
4. What is Nick doing?
A. Buying a hat. B. Drawing a cat. C. Taking a picture.
5. Who attended a meeting this morning?
A. John. B. Mary. C. William.

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。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 are the speakers mainly talking about?
A. A trip. B. Hair styles. C. Photos.

7. What is Ada's hair like now?
A. Long. B. Short. C. Golden.
听第7段材料,回答第8至10题。

8. What is the woman doing?
A. Shopping online. B. Going to work. C. Arguing with the man.
9. What does the woman advise the man to do?
A. Work harder. B. Be more helpful. C. Do as she does.
10. Where does the conversation probably take place?
A. In an office. B. In a market. C. In a restaurant.

听第8段材料,回答第11至13题。

11. When will the train leave for New York?
A. At 4 o'clock. B. At 5 o'clock. C. At 6 o'clock.
12. Why did Mr. Johnson fail to take the plane?
A. He lost his passport. B. The weather was bad. C. He had a fever.
13. What will the speakers do?
A. Spend a holiday. B. Meet Mr. Johnson. C. Write Mr. Johnson a letter.

听第9段材料,回答第14至17题。

14. What is the good news for the woman?
A. She has won a big reward. B. She has been praised by her boss. C. She has got a higher position.
15. What will the woman have?
A. A secretary. B. A new boss. C. More projects.
16. What is the woman good at?
A. Producing ads. B. Making friends. C. Selling goods.
17. When might the woman get a rise?
A. Right now. B. Next month. C. A year later.

听第10段材料,回答第18至20题。

18. Where does the boat's power come from?
A. Gas. B. The Sun. C. Water.
19. What's the problem with building roads?
A. It destroys nature. B. It costs too much. C. The work is heavy.
20. How much does it cost for a person to fly in a small airplane?
A. \$1. B. \$15. C. \$200.

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和D四个选项中,选出最佳选项,并在答题卡上将该项涂黑。

A

The science of the Antarctic: An exploration by air and sea

2023, 7 days

Join *New Scientist* for an interesting trip exploring the world's largest ocean preserve(保护区) and most original sea ecosystem(生态系统).

Day 1: Arrive into Punta Arenas (Chile)

Arrive into Punta Arenas, where you will be met and transported to the group hotel. Punta Arenas lies at the foot of the Andes with noticeable views across the Straits of Magellan to Tierra Del

Fuego. It is Patagonia's liveliest and most interesting city. Everything in the town is within walking distance.

Days 2-3: Observe Elephant Island

While sailing around the White Continent, huge icebergs announce your arrival in Antarctic waters. Observe Elephant Island, where the shipwrecked (遭遇海难的) worker of Shackleton found shelter while he and five finest men carried on towards South Georgia in a tiny lifeboat. The guides will explain the story. Stormy conditions hardly allow for a shore landing, but you will still see the historic island from the ship.

Days 4-6: Explore South Georgia

Tour the protected waters of South Georgia. The wildlife on South Georgia is rich, especially the birdlife. Visits to a rookery containing 150,000 king penguins or the nesting home of thousands of black-browed albatrosses are remarkable wildlife experiences. If the weather is favourable, visits to Fortuna Bay, Salisbury Plains, Prion Island, and Elsehul Bay are also planned.

Day 7: Depart Santiago

After breakfast, the tour has finished and you can fly home or spend a few days in the fascinating capital city of Santiago. Talk to our specialists about extending your holiday—we are experts in creating tailor-made holidays in this area.

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21. What can be learned about Punta Arenas?
- A. It lies outside Patagonia. B. It is a small town.
C. It is far from the Andes. D. It has a long history.
22. What will visitors do on Days 2-3 of the trip?
- A. Land on Elephant Island. B. Search for a historic shelter.
C. Explore the remains of a famous ship. D. Listen to the story of Antarctic adventure.
23. When can visitors watch birds?
- A. On Day 1. B. On Days 2-3. C. On Days 4-6. D. On Day 7.

B

My daughter has a new app on her phone that can clear up and improve old photos. She used it to make copies of pictures from my old photo albums, brighten them up, and email them back to me. There were pictures of Mom, Dad, Grandma, my brothers, me and my first dog Duke. Looking at them brought back so many loving, happy memories. I even put one on my laptop computer as my new screen saver.

It is a picture of me sitting in my favorite chair, across from the wood stove, next to a bookcase full of old books. I am wearing my special Snoopy sweatshirt. There is a big smile on my face and a joyful shine in my eyes. It was how I spent a lot of my winter afternoons as a boy, reading an old book.

It is strange too that 50 years later that boy still lives inside of me. I still love comfortable chairs, warm stoves, old books, Snoopy, hugging dogs, and reading books on cold winter days. Yet, when I look in the mirror now all I see is thinning, graying hair, age spots, and lots of wrinkles.

Once in a while I look into my eyes in the mirror. They are hiding behind glasses now. They are set a little deeper in my eyes. The innocence (天真) in them has been replaced with wisdom. But they still have that same joyful shine.

Looking at the little boy smiling at me from the computer screen and that 56-year-old man

looking back at me in the mirror can be a bit confusing at times. They seem so different. Still, they are both me.

24. What did the author's daughter do for him?
- A. She updated his computer. B. She improved his old photos.
C. She downloaded a new app for him. D. She helped him forget bad memories.
25. What can we see from the author's computer screen now?
- A. A sunny boy. B. A lovely dog. C. His reading room. D. His family members.
26. What remains the same over the years?
- A. The author's competitive spirit. B. The author's innocent eyes.
C. The author's old bookcase. D. The author's living habits.
27. What's the author's attitude towards his present age?
- A. Doubtful. B. Unclear. C. Appreciative. D. Uncaring.
- C

A newly restored (修复的) house in the ancient Roman city of Pompeii, House of the Vettii, opened to the public on Tuesday.

The house likely belonged to two former slaves (奴隶) who became rich through the wine trade. The house offers visitors a look at everyday life in Pompeii. The city was buried by volcanic ash (灰) from Mount Vesuvius in 79 AD. The restoration of the house is yet another sign of the rebirth of Pompeii.

"House of the Vettii is like the history of Pompeii and actually of Roman society within one house," said Pompeii's director, Gabriel Zuchtriegel. He said it shows the last period of Pompeian-made wall paintings.

The restoration of the wall paintings contained a new, better method using wax (蜡). Zuchtriegel thinks the wall paintings show the dreams, imagination and worries of the owners because they lived between these images.

And who were these owners? The Vettii were two men—Aulus Vettius Conviva and Aulus Vettius Restitutus. Pompeii experts say they were once slaves who were later freed. It is believed that they became wealthy through the wine trade. Some think the two were brothers.

Perhaps the Vettii men saw their own life story in the image of Hercules who overcame great difficulties. This possibility interests Zuchtriegel.

Architect Arianna Spinosa is director of the restoration. She said it represents the perfect Pompeii home, because of both the wall paintings and the architecture.

The house was discovered in the late 19th century. It was closed in 2002 for urgent restoration work. After a partial reopening in 2016, it was closed again in 2020 for the final part of the work, which included the restoration of the wall paintings, floor and structural elements.

28. Which of the following might be the owners of the house?
- A. Officers. B. Painters. C. Businessmen. D. Slave owners.
29. What can be known from the paintings according to Zuchtriegel?
- A. The method of making wine. B. Slaves' working scenes.
C. The building process of a house. D. Feelings of the house owners.
30. What happened to the house during the last 20 years?
- A. It was greatly damaged. B. It was repaired and improved.
C. It was crowded with visitors. D. It was hidden away from people.

31. What can be the best title for the text?
- A. House in Pompeii Shows Ancient Roman Life
 B. Volcanic Eruption Caused Disaster in Pompeii
 C. Pompeii Came to Life Due to Ancient Houses
 D. Two Slaves Created Wonder of Paintings

D

A fishing community in southern Brazil has an unusual helper: wild dolphins. Stories of people and dolphins working together to catch fish go back thousands of years. But storytellers have told the human side of the story. Until recently, it was impossible to know how dolphins have benefited from the relationship. Now, underwater listening devices can follow them underwater and suggest an answer.

In the coastal city of Laguna, scientists have used drones (无人机), underwater sound recordings and other tools to track dolphins. The scientists can see how local people and dolphins cooperate and benefit from each other's work. The most successful humans and dolphins are skilled at reading each other's body language.

This study clearly shows that both dolphins and humans are paying attention to each other's behavior, and that dolphins provide a clue to when the nets should be thrown. By working with the dolphins, the people catch more fish, and the dolphins are more successful in hunting, too.

In Laguna, the water is cloudy, so people are unable to see the fish. But the dolphins can send out sound waves and receive the sound waves reflected to them. Thus, they can find the fish. As the dolphins make the fish move toward the coast, the people run into the water holding fish nets. They wait for dolphins to sign exactly where fish are—the most common sign is what locals call “a jump”, or a sudden deep dive.

The researchers used underwater listening devices, or microphones, to track the positions of the dolphins and fish. Drones recorded the action from above. The more closely the people timed throwing their net to the dolphins' signals, the more likely they were to catch a large number of fish.

When the nets fall in the water, it startles the fish. They then break into smaller schools that are easier for dolphins to hunt. The dolphins sometimes also take one or two fish from the net.

Still, the researchers in Brazil think that the Laguna alliance may be in danger. Pollution threatens the dolphins and there are fewer local fisheries. Scientists hope that more attention to the unusual cooperation can help drive support to protect it.

32. Which can best describe the relationship between the local people and dolphins?
- A. It is a win-win situation. B. People are a threat to dolphins.
 C. Dolphins need help from people. D. People use dolphins wisely.
33. How do the dolphins find the fish?
- A. By seeing through the cloudy water. B. By diving into the water suddenly.
 C. By following the fish smell closely. D. By sending out and receiving sound waves.
34. What does the underlined word “startles” in paragraph 6 mean?
- A. Frightens. B. Catches. C. Attracts. D. Gathers.
35. What do Brazilian researchers think of the traditional fishing?
- A. It will be more popular. B. It will be more valued.
 C. It is close to ending. D. It is out of date.

第二节(共5小题;每小题2.5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,并在答题卡上将该项涂黑。选项中有两项为多余选项。

Ways to Improve Your Health for Free

Improving your health doesn't have to be fancy, costly or difficult. There are plenty of free and simple ways to get your health on track. And you can feel good doing it. Here are five ways that you can improve your health for free.

Take regular walks.

Physical activity is an important part of good health. 36 Consider a walk around your neighborhood, head to one of the region's beautiful parks or find other ideas for adding movements to your day.

Try to stick to a sleep schedule.

Studies suggest that a regular sleep schedule can help with your daily life. 37 It also gives your body and mind a chance to relax and can improve your emotions.

Practice yoga or floor exercises.

38 You can find free instructional videos online to help you try yoga or floor exercises—whether you're a beginner or more advanced.

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Many studies have shown that looking at a screen for long periods of time can affect your health. It could be anything from tired eyes and stiff(僵硬的) joints from sitting to anxiety from feeling disconnected with other people. Experts ask parents to limit screen time for children to two hours per day. Adults benefit from the same guideline. Consider how your household can balance screen time with other activities.

Create new habits.

This could be as simple as making a to-do list each day or doing a 15-minute exercise before bed. No matter what you choose, getting into a regular action can benefit both your mental and physical health. 40 If you're ready for more, consider reaching out to your PeaceHealth provider for ideas and support.

- A. Join a club.
 B. Take a break from screens.
 C. Walking is one easy way to do it.
 D. Get tips on setting good sleep habits.
 E. It can give you energy when you need it.
 F. Now, give one of these free habits or activities a try.
 G. Many places offer classes, but you can also do this on your own.

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,并在答题卡上将该项涂黑。

On a long trip to Brisbane from out West, we stopped into a service station in Kilcoy for a bathroom break and some gas. I went into a shop to the bathroom first and then joined the line to 41.

My son might be a little eccentric(古怪的) in others' eyes but he loved life, as he 42 did, dancing while walking, rocking his body and 43 along to his own moves.

Totally used to his moves now, I didn't 44 them at all until the young gentleman working

in the shop gave his opinions on my son's dance and song.

He told my son he loved his 45 and it made his day to see him come into his shop. My boy felt so pleased and happy with himself and he 46 to dance around gently as I paid and thanked the gentleman for his kind 47.

As we went to leave, the gentleman 48 a special treat (a piece of chewing gum) to my boy for his wonderful behavior.

We were completely 49 by his act. In our daily life, not many people take the 50 to talk to children, especially one with 51 behavior. He was more than willing and happy to have a(n) 52 with my boy.

My son felt 53 and grown up and obviously loved his treat. As for me, I also really 54 the gentleman's gesture. To a parent on a long drive with a small kid, it was this kind of acts that would make our day—acts that may seem 55 in the eyes of others, but to us it wasn't.

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| 41. A. check | B. pay | C. explore | D. apply |
| 42. A. carefully | B. suddenly | C. usually | D. confidently |
| 43. A. singing | B. shouting | C. jumping | D. joking |
| 44. A. watch over | B. prepare for | C. worry about | D. focus on |
| 45. A. dance | B. looks | C. words | D. advice |
| 46. A. failed | B. refused | C. happened | D. continued |
| 47. A. gifts | B. comments | C. decisions | D. suggestions |
| 48. A. sold | B. lent | C. offered | D. returned |
| 49. A. moved | B. disappointed | C. stressed | D. puzzled |
| 50. A. lead | B. responsibility | C. risk | D. trouble |
| 51. A. strange | B. boring | C. similar | D. familiar |
| 52. A. trip | B. chat | C. deal | D. interview |
| 53. A. anxious | B. challenged | C. encouraged | D. curious |
| 54. A. appreciated | B. doubted | C. ignored | D. recommended |
| 55. A. odd | B. important | C. funny | D. small |

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,并将答案填写在答题卡上。

It took less than an hour for Bai Haoran, a junior student at Tongji University in Shanghai, and his classmate Zhang Wanlin 56 (send) a mobile power box to a collection point in the city's Pudong New Area on Monday.

It marked the last step of a five-day process, during 57 he and his classmates made the power box to aid relief work in earthquake-hit areas of Türkiye.

On Feb. 9, Bai, 58 (study) at the Sino-German College of Applied Sciences of Tongji University, got to know that the earthquake-hit area 59 (bad) needed mobile power.

The 20-year-old had a brief discussion 60 his classmate Zhang, and a seven-strong research and development team 61 (set) up. Since the new semester had not started, most of the students had not returned to school. The team was divided into online and offline groups.

Though moveable power boxes are available on the market, Bai said their design is specially-made as they have taken into 62 (consider) local sunshine and disaster relief needs.

The team decided that 63 best use of the power box, which weighs around 15 kilograms

64 is equipped with a 10-watt LED light, was that it could be able to provide 30 to 40 straight hours of light if fully recharged.

On Monday morning, after running the power box through 65 (it) last test, Bai and Zhang had it packed and delivered to Türkiye by air.

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,你校英文报决定开辟“英语歌曲”专栏刊登歌词,请给你的英国朋友 John 写封邮件,请他推荐英语歌曲。内容包括:

1. 活动介绍;
2. 歌曲要求。

注意:1. 写作词数应为80左右;

2. 请按如下格式在答题卡的相应位置作答。

参考词汇:专栏 column; 歌词 lyric

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。

Dad is a retired police officer. He has many stories to tell. Here's one. In his district lived an infamous(声名狼藉的) family. The family consisted of a struggling single mother and her four sons.

The three older sons were all breaking laws as a career, like selling drugs, stealing items, etc. The youngest who was about 10 years old was sure to follow the same path. Many of the police officers knew the mom and in turn she knew them. She even called some policemen by their first names, just like my father.

She was always very helpful when questioned about where her sons had gone. On one visit, my dad had a conversation with her. During their talk she expressed her concerns about the future of her youngest boy. She felt powerless in guiding him to the straight and narrow. The environment would not allow it. She begged my father to give her an idea.

My dad agreed. He offered the only solution he could think of on the spot. He asked the concerned mother if she would allow her “baby” to leave the inner city and spend the summer in the suburbs(郊区) at our house.

My dad had three sons and a daughter (me). They discussed the plan and decided that it would be beneficial for the boy to see another side of family life which he had never experienced. So it was done.

We had a new member to our family for the summer. Although we must have seemed very unfamiliar to him, he had no trouble fitting in. We found he was an honest and friendly boy and got along well with the whole family. He enjoyed the pool in the backyard and he quickly get used to our way of life.

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。

And then we took him out to take part in all kinds of activities. _____

After the summer, he went to school to live a different life from his brothers. _____