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高 2023 届一诊模拟考试

英 语

(全卷满分 150 分,考试时间 120 分钟)

注意事项:

1. 答卷前,考生务必将自己的姓名、准考证号等填写在本试卷和答题卡相应位置上。
2. 作答选择题时,选出每小题答案后,用 2B 铅笔把答题卡上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。答案不能答在试卷上。
3. 非选择题必须用黑色字迹的钢笔或签字笔作答。答案必须写在答题卡各题目指定区域内相应位置上;如需改动,先划掉原来的答案,然后再写上新答案;不准使用铅笔和涂改液。不按以上要求作答无效。
4. 考生必须保证答题卡的整洁。考试结束后,将试卷和答题卡一并交回。

第 I 卷

第一部分 听力(共两节,满分 30 分)

注意,听力部分答题时请先将答案标在试卷上,听力部分结束前你将有两分钟的时间将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。

1. What airline is the man taking?
A. China Airline.
B. China Northern Airline.
C. China Southern Airline.
2. What do we learn from the conversation?
A. The woman found the essay very difficult.
B. The essay was difficult to complete in half an hour.
C. The woman found the essay easy.
3. When did the man get to class yesterday?
A. At 2:30. B. At 2:00. C. At 1:30.
4. What does the man think of the campus?
A. It's beautiful.

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B. It's a Greek campus.

C. It's a small campus.

5. What does the woman mean?

A. She wants to catch the cockroach(蟑螂).

B. She asks the waiter to catch the insect.

C. She wants to confirm something.

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,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。

听下面一段对话,回答第 6 至第 8 三个小题。

6. How are the speakers traveling?

A. By air.

B. By train.

C. By car.

7. What is the destination of the speakers?

A. New York.

B. Washington D. C.

C. San Jose.

8. Why are the speakers going to the gas station?

A. To get some gas.

B. To buy some food.

C. To ask directions.

听下面一段对话,回答第 9 至第 11 三个小题。

9. Where was the man brought up?

A. In Munich.

B. In Wisconsin.

C. In Los Angeles.

10. What did the man do in Europe?

A. He went to college.

B. He went there to look for a job.

C. He traveled and lived in Europe for a while.

11. When did the man leave Munich?

A. In 1984.

B. In 1995.

C. In 1997.

听下面一段对话,回答第 12 至第 14 三个小题。

12. Where is the man?

A. In the shop.

B. On the street.

C. In the office.

13. How many kinds of colors does the man mention?

A. Two.

B. Three.

C. Four.

14. What kind of suit does the man buy?

A. The black pure wool suit.

B. The navy blue wool suit.

C. The gray wool suit.

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听下面一段对话,回答第 15 至第 17 三个小题。

15. What does the woman recommend at first?
A. Roast beef. B. Castle steak. C. Roast chicken.
16. What kind of soup does the man order?
A. The cream of mushroom soup.
B. The tomato and egg soup.
C. The chicken soup.
17. What dessert does the man order?
A. Ice cream. B. Rice pudding. C. Peach pie.

听下面一段独白,回答第 18 至第 20 三个小题。

18. How many people died in a landslide in 2003?
A. About two hundred.
B. Over one thousand.
C. About two thousand.
19. What has the Philippines banned for several years?
A. Growing grass.
B. Cutting down trees.
C. Growing population.
20. What does the speaker advise to protect our environment?
A. Growing more forests.
B. Chopping down the old forests.
C. Getting busy in protecting our country.

第二部分 阅读理解 (共两节,满分 40 分)

第一节 (共 15 小题;每小题 2 分,满分 30 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

London, with countless famous sites and all manner of food, drink, shopping, history, and culture, is definitely a wonderful city to visit.

Time Zone

Greenwich Mean Time during the winter, British Summer Time during the rest of the year (starting at Daylight Saving Time).

Best Time to Go

The best time to visit London overall is in spring, when the temperatures have warmed up, the sun has started to shine and London's gardens and parks are looking their best. However, the reality is that the best time to travel to London depends a lot on what you're looking for. If you're all about taking a look inside

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Queen Liz's palace, you'd better make it in summer, while winter is beautiful and festive for those looking to get their fill of Christmas markets and traditional cheer.

Things to Know

Londoners, and English people in general, have a much different manner of interacting with one another than Americans do—while an American might think nothing of smiling at a stranger they pass on the sidewalk or asking about work in the first few minutes of a conversation, Londoners might consider it impolite or strange. Don't mistake this for unfriendliness; it's just a cultural difference. Instead, talk about things like movies, TV shows, books, your travels, and the like, instead of work or family.

How to Get Around

Getting around London is unbelievably easy thanks to the well-maintained and extensive Underground. The Underground, unlike American transportation systems which often pay per ride or pay per length of trip, is paid in zones. Fare also varies based on time of day and the method you use to pay. It's worth getting an Oyster card to make your life that much simpler.

21. When is the best time to visit London for people who enjoy a lively atmosphere?
A. Spring. B. Summer. C. Autumn. D. Winter.
22. Where is this text most probably taken from?
A. A survey. B. A guidebook.
C. A research paper. D. A travel journal.
23. Which of the following is the most suitable topic for starting a conversation with Londoners?
A. Daily entertainments. B. Future career plans.
C. Personal relationships. D. Annual incomes.

B

While Disney animations are successful in moving their audiences, their subsidiary(子公司) Pixar is expert at creating tear-jerking movies as well.

At first sight, it is remarkable that these movies make us cry—the main characters are cartoon characters, in most cases not even human beings, who do things that could evidently never happen in the real world; toys come to life, monsters are to scare sleeping children, and helium-balloon-powered houses travel the world. How can a story so unrealistic make us care so much about their animated main characters?

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The Pixar creators explained that their stories often reflect their own personal lives. Whereas the animated characters are far from real, their lives are relatable. The magical ingredient is the realistic portrayal of the complex emotional lives of the characters.

As Pixar director Pete Doctor explains: "What you're trying to do, when you tell a story, is to write about an event in your life that made you feel a particular way. And what you're trying to do, when you tell a story, is to get the audience to have that same feeling. While this is true for storytelling in general, it is especially important in Pixar movies, given that the basic plots of their movies cannot happen in real life."

What makes Pixar's highly unrealistic stories believable is the fact that they address problems that are central to our own lives. Pixar addresses real human matters such as family, friendship, death, loss, and the highly realistic emotions that such events evoke in our life.

The effect of the story thus depends on the human capacity to empathize with others; to recognize which emotions others experience, and to understand why others feel how they feel. The fact that empathy is learned and developed through life may well be the reason why these movies are entertaining for kids but rather devastating and heart-crushing for adults.

Every Pixar movie has the moment when we cry. We learn and feel with the characters through the realistic portrayal of their emotional lives. The stories appeal to our deepest emotions and, thus, make us cry. Because, essentially, Pixar stories are about us.

24. Which real issue may not be dealt with in Pixar's movies?

- A. Family conflicts. B. Romantic love.
C. A political issue. D. The betrayal of a friend.

25. What can be inferred from the passage?

- A. The Pixar's movies are not only entertaining for kids but also heart-breaking for adults.
B. Pixar can create touching movies because of the support from Disney.
C. Both the realistic emotions and real human matters are shown vividly in Pixar's tear-jerking movies.
D. People can find empathy more easily in animation movies than in any other movies.

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26. The key reason for the success of Pixar's movies lies in ▲ .
- A. empathy of the audience
B. the delicate film design
C. the adorable cartoon characters
D. good taste of the audience
27. What's the best title of the passage?
- A. How to Make Unrealistic Stories Believable?
B. How Do Disney Pixar Movies Make Us Cry?
C. Why Are Human Easily Attracted by Movies?
D. What Makes Disney Pixar Movies Successful?

C

It's time to reevaluate how women handle conflict at work. Being overworked or over-committed at home and on the job will not get you where you want to be in life. It will only slow you down and hinder your career goals.

Did you know women are more likely than men to feel exhausted? Nearly twice as many women than men aged 18–44 reported feeling “very tired” or “exhausted”, according to a recent study.

This may not be surprising given that this is the age range when women have children. It's also the age range when many women are trying to balance careers and home. One reason women may feel exhausted is that they have a hard time saying “no”. Women want to be able to do it all—volunteer for school parties or cook delicious meals—and so their answer to any request is often “Yes, I can.”

Women struggle to say “no” in the workplace for similar reasons, including the desire to be liked by their colleagues. Unfortunately, this inability to say “no” may be hurting women's health as well as their career.

At the workplace, men use conflict as a way to position themselves, while women often avoid conflict or strive to be the peacemaker, because they don't want to be viewed as aggressive or disruptive at work. For example, there's a problem that needs to be addressed immediately, resulting in a dispute over who should be the one to fix it. Men are more likely to face that dispute from the perspective of what benefits them most, whereas women may approach the same dispute from the perspective of what's the easiest and quickest way to resolve the

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problem—even if that means doing the boring work themselves.

This difference in handling conflict could be the deciding factor on who gets promoted to a leadership position and who does not. Leaders have to be able to assign and manage resources wisely—including staff expertise. Shouldering more of the workload may not earn you that promotion. Instead, it may highlight your inability to assign effectively.

28. What does the underlined word “hinder” in Paragraph 1 mean?
A. set B. block C. stimulate D. achieve
29. Why do working women of child-bearing age tend to feel worn out?
A. They are too devoted to work and unable to relax as a result.
B. They are obliged to take up too many responsibilities.
C. They do their best to cooperate with their workmates.
D. They struggle to satisfy the demands of both work and home.
30. Men and women differ in their approach to resolving workplace conflicts in that ▲ .
A. women tend to be easily content
B. men are generally more persuasive
C. men tend to put their personal interests first
D. women are much more ready to compromise
31. According to the last paragraph, which ability is essential for a good leader?
A. The ability to allocate work.
B. The courage to admit failure.
C. A dominant personality.
D. A strong sense of responsibility.

D

Living in a city is a well-known risk factor for developing a mental disorder, while living close to nature is largely beneficial for mental health and the brain. A central brain region, the amygdala(大脑杏仁核) involved in stress processing, has been shown to be less activated during stress in people living in rural areas, compared to those who live in cities, suggesting the potential benefits of nature. “But so far the hen-and-egg problem could not be solved, namely whether nature actually caused the effects in the brain or whether the particular individuals chose to

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live in rural or urban regions,” says Sonja Sudimac.

To achieve causal evidence, the researchers from the group examined brain activity in regions involved in stress processing in 63 healthy volunteers before and after a one-hour walk in Grunewald forest or a shopping street with traffic in Berlin. The results revealed that activity in the amygdala decreased after the walk in nature, suggesting that nature leads to beneficial effects on brain regions related to stress.

“The results support the previously assumed positive relationship between nature and brain health, but this is the first study to prove the causal link. Interestingly, the brain activity after the urban walk in these regions remained stable and showed no increases, which argues against a commonly held view that urban exposure causes additional stress,” explains Simone Kühn, head of the group.

The authors show that nature has a positive impact on brain regions involved in stress processing and that it can already be observed after a one-hour walk. This contributes to the understanding of how our physical living environment affects brain and mental health. Even a short exposure to nature decreases amygdala activity, suggesting that a walk in nature could serve as a preventive measure against developing mental health problems and reducing the potentially disadvantageous impact of the city on the brain.

In order to investigate beneficial effects of nature in different populations and age groups, the researchers are currently working on a study examining how a one-hour walk in natural versus urban environments impacts stress in mothers and their babies.

32. What does the hen-and-egg problem mean by Sonja Sudimac?

- A. Living in rural areas actually affects brain activity.
- B. People in cities tend to have a higher risk of mental problems.
- C. It's unnecessary to work out the complex issue of stress and health.
- D. It's hard to clarify the impact of living environment on mental health.

33. How did researchers collect evidence for the study?

- A. By comparing volunteers' amygdala activities.
- B. By interviewing healthy volunteers.

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- C. By researching on a previous theory.
D. By quoting authoritative experts.
34. What contribution did Simone Kühn and his team mainly make?
A. Supporting a commonly held view of urban exposure.
B. Confirming the assumption of nature's benefits to brain health.
C. Revealing the link between age and mental health.
D. Identifying the causes of mental health problems.
35. What does the last paragraph mainly talk about?
A. Benefits of a regular walk in nature.
B. The focus of the follow-up research.
C. An appeal for living in urban regions.
D. Nature's positive effects on women and children.

第二节 (共 5 小题;每小题 2 分,满分 10 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。选项中有两项为多余选项。

It now seems like years ago that Silicon Valley's hoodie (连帽衫) culture made male executives' wardrobes more casual across most industries. From financial companies to insurance companies, from insurers to automakers, traditional dress codes transformed into "dress appropriately".

Now executive men in more traditional offices are figuring out how to dress down but still look professional, and those at tech firms are growing up and wondering how to dress up but still look cool. " 36 People shouldn't be able to point out exactly why you look as good as you do," said Nick Hart, founder of Spencer Hart. 37

The sneakers

Sneakers have gone totally exclusive, with eye-opening price tags to match. 38 So it's commonly seen that Netflix CEO Reed Hastings and Snap CEO Evan Spiegel have shown a preference for wearing Salomon sneakers.

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Of course, great jeans with a blazer and smart loafers, if not sneakers, is a modern classic look. Some handsome main brands include the JBrand Kane fit jeans, the AG Graduate fit, and the Frame L'Homme, said Jacci Jaye of Wall Street Stylist.

The glasses

40 Microsoft CEO Satya Nadella is often seen in a

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striking pair. For colorful frames that are not overly priced, you might try Eyebobs. The company has noted that top executives like Revlon chairman Ron Perelman have been spotted in them.

- A. The loafers
- B. The jeans
- C. It should look effortless.
- D. Many people like the expensive ones.
- E. If you have to wear glasses, there's no reason why they can't add a touch of style.
- F. Here are some items high powered men are wearing when dressing for work and weekends.
- G. Some executives even will throw down more than \$1,000 for a pair.

第三部分 语言知识运用(共两节,满分 45 分)

第一节 完形填空(共 20 小题;每小题 1.5 分,满分 30 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。

Pharez, a former student of mine, is now a teacher at my high school. She walked by me in the 41 this afternoon and said with a smile, "Ms. Harris, I know you love our word of the week—integrity(诚实正直). I heard it on the announcements this morning and I 42 thought of you." I replied, "Thank you Pharez, that 43 my day." She went on to say, "I always 44 you talking to us about integrity and 45 and how important they were." I 46 her again and she 47 down the hallway.

As I reflect on this 48, it brings a smile to my face. Of the many 49 that she could associate with me, the fact that she associated the word "integrity" is important 50 of my influence as an educator. I believe that she 51 the idea of honesty and moral character with me because of the example I have 52 with my life.

It 53 to mind a popular quote—"Let us not grow tired in doing 54, for at the right time we will gain a harvest, if we do not give up." I am 55 for the reminder today—when it seems that no one is 56 it, the important values are being caught and 57 if I just keep "doing the right thing". As a teacher, I know in 58 you cannot see the 59 of a day's work. It is 60 and remains so, maybe for twenty years.

- 41. A. gallery B. office C. hall D. classroom
- 42. A. immediately B. casually C. rarely D. potentially
- 43. A. excites B. makes C. puzzles D. builds

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44. A. catch B. forget C. keep D. remember
45. A. participation B. fortune C. character D. prejudice
46. A. comforted B. thanked C. believed D. encountered
47. A. continued B. took C. looked D. brought
48. A. interaction B. negotiation C. decision D. cooperation
49. A. colors B. interests C. words D. tastes
50. A. confusion B. wisdom C. exercise D. proof
51. A. mentioned B. connected C. shared D. made
52. A. followed B. set C. made D. taken
53. A. calls B. comes C. keeps D. flashes
54. A. little B. nothing C. wrong D. good
55. A. helpful B. faithful C. grateful D. delightful
56. A. getting B. questioning C. facing D. stealing
57. A. thrown away B. called off
 C. figured out D. passed on
58. A. communicating B. training
 C. teaching D. supporting
59. A. vegetable B. fruit C. end D. pay
60. A. unbelievable B. unpredictable
 C. respectable D. invisible

第 II 卷

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。

On November 15th, 2022, the world's population reached 8 billion people, a milestone in human development. While it took the global population 12 years to grow from 7 to 8 billion, it 61 (take) approximately 15 years—until 2037—to reach 9 billion. 62 sign that the overall growth rate of the global population is slowing down.

63 (current), China and India are the most populated countries in the world. 64 1.4 billion people in each country. However, 65 (base) on UN projections, India will surpass China for the first time in 2023. More than half of the predicted increase in the global population up to 2050 will be concentrated in eight countries. On November 15th, *China Daily* published United Nations Secretary General Antonio Guterres's article. 66 title was "Eight billion people, one humanity". 67 he puts it, with our human family growing larger, our world is growing more divided, challenged by food insecurity, deepening inequalities, the climate crisis and an unequal COVID 19 68

(recover). He stresses that global gatherings in November—COP 27 and the G20—are chances 69 (bridge) divides, restore trust, and ensure that our 8 billion strong world could yield enormous 70 (opportunity) for some of the poorest countries.

第四部分 写作(共两节,满分 35 分)

第一节 短文改错(共 10 小题;每小题 1 分,满分 10 分)

假定英语课上老师要求同桌之间交换修改作文,请你修改你同桌写的以下作文。文中共有 10 处语言错误,每句中最多有两处。每处错误仅涉及一个单词的增加、删除或修改。

增加:在缺词处加一个漏字符号(Λ),并在其下面写出该加的词。

删除:把多余的词用斜线(\)划掉。

修改:在错的词下画一横线,并在该词下面写出修改后的词。

注意:1. 每处错误及其修改均仅限一词;

2. 只允许修改 10 处,多者(从第 11 处起)不计分。

I'm Li Hua, a Senior Three student from Chengdu. I am writing to apply to the position as a volunteer at the 31st FISU Summer World University Games. Considered my personal conditions, I confidently think I am qualifying for the position. I had achieved a relative high level of oral proficiency in English, that enables me to communicate and coordinate efficiently. Furthermore, as a local, I am such familiar with many places of interests in the city that I can show the athletes around to explore and let them catch a glimpse of authentic Chengdu culture after the Games. I would appreciate if you could take my application into a full consideration.

第二节 书面表达(满分 25 分)

网络和数码产品的运用对老年人的生活产生了很多影响。请你以“*How Should We Help the Aged Fit in with Society*”为题写一篇短文参加你校举办的“关爱老人”英语征文比赛。内容包括:

1. 新技术对老人的影响;
2. 如何帮助老人;
3. 帮助老人的意义。

注意:

1. 词数 100 左右;
2. 可适当加入细节,以使行文连贯。

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