

甘肃省 2024 届新高考备考模拟考试

英语试卷

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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。 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. When does the rainy season start?

A. In January.

B. In February.

C. In November.

2. How does the woman's food taste?

A. Salty.

B. Hot.

C. Sweet.

3. What is the relationship between the speakers?

A. Teacher and student.

B. Father and daughter.

C. School friends.

4. Which room has the man finished decorating?

A. The bathroom.

B. The kitchen.

C. The living room.

5. What does the woman probably do?

A. She's an athlete.

B. She's a coach.

C. She's a doctor.

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. Where does Rita suggest going first?

A. A cinema.

B. A restaurant.

C. A café.

7. What does Rita think of the plan?

A. Exciting.

B. Disappointing.

C. Time-wasting.

听第7段材料,回答第8、9题。

8. What does Annie want Clark to do?

A. Feed her dog.

B. Clean her house.

C. Water her plants.

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9. When will Annie return home?

A. On Friday. B. On Thursday. C. On Monday.

听第8段材料,回答第10至12题。

10. What did the man do last night?

A. He did some exercise. B. He called the woman. C. He went to the races.

11. What will the woman probably do this weekend?

A. Ride a horse. B. Work on a farm. C. Attend a wedding.

12. What are the speakers mainly taking about?

A. A TV program. B. A sports meet. C. A trip abroad.

听第9段材料,回答第13至16题。

13. What were the kids doing in the pool?

A. Having a diving class. B. Performing first aid. C. Practising a board game.

14. Why did the woman jump in the pool?

A. To show her skill. B. To save a girl. C. To go for a swim.

15. Who called for an ambulance?

A. The instructor. B. The woman. C. A student.

16. What do we know about the girl?

A. She lost her memory forever.

B. She quarreled with her parents.

C. She forgot what had happened.

听第10段材料,回答第17至20题。

17. Why will the store be closed on Friday and Saturday?

A. To offer its staff time off. B. To prepare for a big sale. C. To upgrade the decoration.

18. How much can be saved on a piece of children's clothing?

A. \$10. B. \$15. C. \$50.

19. What does the speaker say about the sale?

A. It ends today. B. It lasts one week. C. It will start next week.

20. Who are the listeners?

A. Employees. B. Customers. C. Suppliers.

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

Exploring Wildlife Conservation in Kenya

Day 1: Nairobi, Kenya

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Arrive at the airport in Nairobi, where our staff will be on hand to drive you to the hotel. Enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.

Accommodation: Tamarind Tree Hotel

Day 2: Lewa Wildlife Conservancy

A charter flight(包机) brings us to Lewa Wildlife Conservancy, a 62,000-acre grassland on the north of Mount Kenya. Considered a model in the conservation field, this healthy wildlife habitat is home to a number of rare species, including the giraffe, the Grevy's zebra, and African wild dogs. Lewa and the neighboring Borana Conservancy also harbor roughly 15 percent of Kenya's entire rhino population.

Accommodation: Elewana Lewa Safari Camp

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Day 3: Amboseli National Park

Fly by private charter to Amboseli National Park, where vast grasslands are irrigated by underground runoff streams from Mount Kilimanjaro. These landscapes provide a habitat for hundreds of elephants, making the park one of the best places in Africa to spot these large creatures. The travel begins on the drive to Tortilis Camp, set within view of Mount Kilimanjaro.

Accommodation: Tortilis Camp

Day 4: Masai Mara National Reserve

At first light, head out to track the animals that crossed the area during the night. This area has one of the highest concentrations of large predators(捕食性动物) in all of Africa. Then watch large groups of hippos in the Mara River and crocodiles sunbathing on the shore.

Accommodation: Kichwa Tembo Camp

21. On which day will you visit Lewa Wildlife Conservancy?

A. Day 1.

B. Day 2.

C. Day 3.

D. Day 4.

22. Which is the best place to watch African elephants?

A. Tamarind Tree Hotel.

B. Kichwa Tembo Camp.

C. Amboseli National Park.

D. Borana Conservancy.

23. What is special about Masai Mara National Reserve?

A. It provides the best sunbath.

B. It features the Grevy's zebra.

C. It is located near an airport.

D. It is home to large predators.

B

I have always loved the Arthurian legend(传奇), as there is something quite special about King Arthur, and of course Merlin, my favourite character from the stories.

Death of an Empire is the second volume in MK Hume's "Merlin" series which details Merlin's life from birth. Merlin travels across the Roman Empire in search of his father, a voyage of discovery to understand just who he was. Eventually Merlin gets involved in the fight against the Hun's invasion(人侵) of Europe at the Battle of the Catalaunian Plain.

Serving under the General Flavius Aetius, Merlin builds a reputation by saving the lives of thousands of soldiers. When he finally reaches Rome, he saves many more. But a far deadlier conflict between Emperor Valentinian and Senator Petronius Maximus is around the corner and Merlin must use all his strength to carry out his work.

If I had to choose just one word to describe this novel, there would be no other choice than "immersive(身临其境的)". There has clearly been a serious amount of research carried out by the author. Combined with the descriptive prose and imaginative story, the book really does attract you from almost the very start. The story really does feel like you are a part of it as Merlin travels across the Roman Empire.

The author does a great job of mixing the rich history with established Arthurian legend. The battle scene is handled very effectively. The author employs a very effective form to show the main fight and this not only adds a degree of tension and a good level of excitement but almost makes you feel like you are right there hearing about what happened.

Death of an Empire is a very fine novel, a wonderfully rich tale and a rewarding story. 24. Why does Merlin travel across the Roman Empire?

A. To visit King Arthur.

B. To enjoy a nice view.

C. To get a well-paid job.

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D. To find out his origin.

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25. What can we learn about the novel?

A. It is a mixture of history and legend. B. It features difficult language.

C. It speaks highly of an emperor.

D. It is a masterpiece of Merlin.

26. What does the underlined word "this" in paragraph 5 refer to?

A. An effective description.

B. A long-running battle.

C. A wonderful feeling.

D. A well-known legend.

27. What is the text?

A. A news report. B. A history story. C. A book review. D. A science fiction.

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As we all know, insects can be remarkably agile(灵活的) in flight. This is really hard to build into flying robots, but MIT Assistant Professor Kevin Yufeng Chen has developed an insect-sized drone(无人机) that approaches insects' agility.

Typically, drones require wide open spaces. "If we look at most drones today, they're usually quite big," says Chen. "Most of their applications involve flying outdoors. The question is: Can you create an insect-sized drone that can move around in very crowded and complex spaces?"

According to Chen, he overcame many problems when building the drone. The insect-sized drone requires a fundamentally different construction from a larger one. The large drone is usually powered by a motor, but the motor loses efficiency as you shrink it. So, Chen says, "For an insect-sized drone, you need to look for alternatives." The principal alternative until now has been employing a small, rigid actuator (执行器) built from new materials. Chen designed a more agile tiny drone using soft actuators instead of hard ones.

Each actuator can beat nearly 500 times per second and weighs just 0.6 gram, approximately the mass of a large bee. It gives the drone insect-like agility. "You can hit it when it's flying, and it can recover," says Chen. "It can also turn over in the air." The drone looks a bit like a tiny cassette tape with wings, though Chen is also working on a new one shaped like a dragonfly.

Chen says his drone can be useful in industry and agriculture. It can perform machinery inspections to ensure safety and function. Its potential applications include completing search-and-rescue missions following a disaster. "All those things can be very difficult for existing large-scale drones," Chen explains.

28. What can we know about the actuator designed by Chen?

A. It weighs about six grams.

B. It drives the insect-sized drone.

C. It loses efficiency too much.

D. It employs conventional materials.

29. Which word can best describe Chen's work?

A. Easy. B. 6

B. Costly. C. Fruitless.

D. Challenging.

30. What does the last paragraph mainly tell us about the new drone?

A. Its safety standards.

B. Its flying range.

C. Its possible applications.

D. Its design principle.

31. Which is the most suitable title for the text?

A. An Insect-like Small Drone

B. The Future of Insect-sized Drones

C. How Drones Will Change the Agriculture

D. What Challenge Drone Development Faces

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A new study finds that less than seven percent of the adult population in the US have what health experts consider good cardiometabolic(心脏代谢) health.

Using information on roughly 55,000 people over the age of 20, the results show just 6.8 percent of American adults reached optimal(最佳的) levels of health in 2018. Moreover, the study found American health has been in sharp decline over the last 20 years. In 1999, one in three adults had a healthy weight. By 2018, that number fell to just one in four Americans. At the same time, three in five people were free of diabetes in 1999. By 2018, however, more than six in ten adults had the condition!

"These numbers are striking. It's deeply problematic that in the United States, fewer than 1 in 15 adults have optimal cardiometabolic health," says Meghan O'Hearn, one of the researchers from Tufts University. "We need a complete overhaul(革新) of our healthcare system, food system, and living conditions, because this is a crisis for everyone."

Instead of just looking for signs of disease, the team focused their study on the signs of good, moderate, and poor cardiometabolic health. "Disease is not the only problem," O'Hearn explains. "We don't just want to be free of disease. We want to achieve optimal health and well-being."

Researchers also found large health gaps between US adults of different genders, ages, and education levels. Specifically, the study found Americans with less education were half as likely to be in peak cardiometabolic health.

O'Hearn adds, "Identifying these individuals and addressing their health conditions and lifestyle early is critical to reducing growing healthcare burdens. Its impacts on national healthcare spending and the financial health of the entire economy are enormous. And these conditions are largely preventable. We have the public health and clinical interventions and policies to be able to address these problems."

32. What percentage of American adults had optimal cardiometabolic health in 2018?

A. Over 7 percent.

B. Just 6. 8 percent.

C. Around 33 percent.

D. About 60 percent.

33. What does O'Hearn think of the results of the study?

A. They're unreal.

B. They're acceptable.

C. They're expected.

D. They're shocking.

34. What is the purpose of the team's research?

A. To find the big age gap.

B. To help people keep fit.

C. To develop new drugs.

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D. To earn lots of profits.

35. What can we infer from O'Hearn's words in the last paragraph?

- A. Joint effort is needed to improve public health.
- B. Economic growth affects personal health condition.
- C. America saw a slow decrease in healthcare costs.
- D. Rich people tend to suffer from health problems.
- 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。

It is so easy to just go home and shut your door without getting to know your neighbors. But being an active neighbor will turn your living place into a kinder and more caring neighborhood.

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<u>36</u>. You don't have to show up with a fresh apple pie or anything like that. It's truly as simple as saying hello, introducing yourself and asking a few open-ended questions. But they are the first step to becoming a kind neighbor.

Then get out of your comfort zone and make efforts to know more about your neighbors.

37 . And if you feel comfortable, let them know that you're there to help, if they ever need another hand.

Another way to show your neighbors that you care is by making your small acts of kindness a regular practice. This can be cleaning up the litter or even cleaning up after the pets have made a mess on your block. 38, you can ask your partner or kids to pick a bunch of flowers from the garden to give your new neighbor. 39.

Remind yourself that being connected feels good and boosts your mood in the long run. If you take the first step, your small acts of kindness can encourage others to pay that kindness forward. 40. Challenging as they are, reaching out to your neighbors is worth the efforts.

- A. Or if you have an amazing garden
- B. Remember, every small gesture counts
- C. If you want to be respected and cared by your neighbors
- D. For example, ask for their names and learn what they do for work
- E. Your attitudes towards your friends also set an example for your kids
- F. It doesn't take a lot of money or a generous gesture to be an active neighbor
- G. In the end, more and more people in the neighborhood will feel much better

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。

In battling leukemia(白血病), 9-year-old Harper Harrell has devoted her days in the hospital to raising money for the V Foundation for cancer research. "I know it's <u>41</u>, but it deserves my effort," said Harrell.

After Harrell was diagnosed(诊断) with leukemia in October 2021, she started learning about the foundation which <u>42</u> cancer research. The foundation has already <u>43</u> nearly \$290 million for cancer research nationwide. The foundation's administrative costs are paid <u>by itself</u>, which means 100% of donations go to cancer research.

Believing one small thing could change a lot, Harrell started to __45_ some drawings in her notebook shortly after beginning treatment. One of them was a ribbon(丝带) with a "Peace out, cancer" message written below it. Harrell thought the __46_ would be a great T-shirt for children facing a(n) __47_ battle.

While Harrell was <u>48</u>, her mother, Heather Hindin, found a way to bring her <u>49</u> to life. She <u>50</u> a T-shirt campaign online. The plan was to donate half of the income to the foundation while using the rest for her daughter's medical expenses. They have <u>51</u> over \$24,000 this year, which will specifically go to the foundation, after launching two T-shirt campaigns.

"There are all of these messages of <u>52</u> that people post when they order," Hindin said. "They help so much with her <u>53</u> and keeping her positive." Harrell, who says she has always had a <u>54</u> for helping others, offered a simple piece of advice: "Try to help and assist where you can, and you will achieve something <u>55</u>."

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41. A. risky	B. lucky	C. new	D. hard
42. A. avoids	B. attracts	C. supports	D. restricts
43. A. awarded	B. wasted	C. demanded	D. missed
44. A. partly	B. completely	C. accidentally	D. suddenly
45. A. make	B. cover	C. tear	D. enjoy
46. A. word	B. title	C. design	D. wish
47. A. original	B. similar	C. exact	D. famous
48. A. under control	B. at school	C. in hospital	D. on duty
49. A. dream	B. body	C. illness	D. doctor
50. A. turned down	B. put off	C. handed over	D. set up
51. A. collected	B. refused	C. invested	D. borrowed
52. A. prediction	B. encouragement	C. hesitation	D. embarrassment
53. A. notes	B. roles	C. scores	D. spirits
54. A. sign	B. passion	C. view	D. finish
55. A. harmless	B. gentle	C. familiar	D. great
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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。

Astronomers have published a major finding __56_ (recent): A black hole has been releasing energy from a small star __57_ was shredded(吞噬) in 2018, after two years in which it didn't emit(发射) any such material.

"Super unusual," said Yvette Cendes, an astronomer at Harvard. "We've never really seen this before to this degree."

Researchers made the __58__(discover) when they used a __59__(power) radio telescope facility to check some two dozen black holes where stars had been shredded after __60__(come) too close to them. Such happenings __61__(call) tidal disruption(潮汐破坏) events, or TDEs.

What they found was that one of the TDEs was emitting energy at an unusual speed at a very surprising time; more than two years after the event.

This behavior is different from what has been observed in black holes before, in two ways. First, the timing: it's more common 63 (see) radio emissions from black holes within the first few months after swallowing a star. And second, the energy emitted in this case doesn't quite fit in 64 what astronomers have seen before.

In most cases of black holes swallowing stars, perhaps 99%, the outflow is lower in energy. And in 1% of cases, that outflow, at about half the speed of light, rarely <u>65</u> (occur).

第四部分 写作(共两节,满分40分)

第一节 (满分15分)

上周末你参观了校学生会举办的"乡土中国(Rural China)"摄影展。请你为校英文报写一篇报道,内容包括:

- 1.活动介绍;
- 2. 个人感受。

注意:1.写作词数应为80左右;

2. 可以适当增加细节,以使行文连贯。

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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。
I came to know this unique individual in a very simple way. One afternoon, in the little
town where I then lived, I was walking my dog when he began to behave strangely, rollin
wildly on the ground. While I was wondering what was the restter with him. I become aware that gorseen a week.
While I was wondering what was the matter with him, I became aware that someone wa walking by my side a man of about 30, poorly dressed, collarless and hatless. A beggar,
thought, and was about to put my hand in my pocket. But the stranger smiled peacefully a
me as though we were old friends. "He's got a tick(扁虱), poor guy," he said, pointing t
my dog. "Come along. We'll have it out." There was such warm friendliness in his eyes that
I took no offense at his familiarity. I followed him to a park bench and sat down beside him.
Strange to say, my Kaspar, who was usually wary(警惕的) of strangers, responded a
once, and put his head on the man's knee. Searching the dog's coat with long and sensitive
fingers, the stranger finally said "Aha!" and released Kaspar. "Here it is," he laughed
holding something in the air. As the dog ran hurriedly, the stranger rose with a nod an
walked on. His departure was so sudden that it did not occur to me until later that I shoul
have thanked him.
At home, still considering the man's strange behaviour, I reported the adventure to ou
old cook. "Oh, that was Anton," she remarked. "He's got an eye for everything." I aske
what he did for a living. "Nothing," she said, as if astonished by my question.
"Well," I said. "Everyone has to have something to live on."
"Not Anton," she said. "Everyone is glad to give him whatever he wants. He doesn'
care about money. He doesn't need it, either." Well, this was strange.
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。
I resolved to learn more about him.
In later years I have often thought of Anton.

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