

2023 届高中毕业班 2 月大联考

英 语

(满分 150 分)

考试时间 120 分钟)

本试卷分第 I 卷(选择题)和第 II 卷(非选择题)两部分,
注意事项: 1、答题前,考生在答题卡上务必用黑色签字笔将自己的姓名、准考证
号填写在答题卡规定的位置上。
2、答题卡 I 卷部分均要求用 2B 铅笔填涂。如需改动,请用橡皮擦干净,再加深
涂黑你认为正确的答案,在试卷上做答无效。
3、做答第 II 卷时,必须用黑色签字笔将答案写在答题卡指定的位置。

第 I 卷

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。

例: How much is the shirt?

A. £ 19.15.

B. £ 9.18.

C. £ 9.15.

1. What are the two speakers talking about?

A. The beauty shop.

B. Time and money.

C. The woman's hair.

2. Why does the man advise trying something new?

A. Because chicken noodles are not popular.

B. Because chicken noodles are sold out.

C. Because they don't sell chicken noodles at all.

3. Where are the two speakers?

A. In a hotel.

B. In the market.

C. In the office.

4. What will the man do?

A. Keep the woman's bag for her.

B. Accompany the woman to the fitting room.

C. Help the woman carry new clothes.

5. Where will they eat?

A. In a non-smoking area.

B. By the wall.

C. By the window.

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
10 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。

第 6 段材料, 回答第 6 至 7 题。

Why did the appointment have to be put off?

A. Because Mr Green was too busy.

B. Because Mr Stephen must leave for Hong Kong.

C. Because the secretary wanted to put off the appointment.

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7. When will the appointment be held?
A. On Friday morning. B. On Friday evening. C. On Friday afternoon.
- 听第 7 段材料, 回答第 8 至 10 题。
8. Where did Chuck grow up?
A. Texas. B. Ohio. C. Los Angeles.
9. What was Chuck's first job after college?
A. An actor. B. A singer. C. A Hairdresser.
10. Why did Chuck become a hairdresser?
A. Because he was not good at acting.
B. Because he disliked acting.
C. Because he was lacking in money and good at it.
- 听第 8 段材料, 回答第 11 至 13 题。
11. What's the relationship between the two speakers?
A. Husband and wife. B. Boss and employee. C. Teacher and student.
12. What was the man's response when he heard the task at first?
A. He was happy to accept it.
B. He was willing to accept it.
C. He hesitated to accept it.
13. When did the woman ask the man to finish the work?
A. Before Monday afternoon. B. On Tuesday. C. On Monday evening.
- 听第 9 段材料, 回答第 14 至 17 题。
14. What is the job advertised in the poster?
A. A language assistant. B. A student. C. A shop assistant.
15. Where will the man work?
A. In a shop. B. In a library. C. In a language lab.
16. How many hours per day will the man spend on this work from Monday to Friday?
A. 2 hours. B. 4 hours. C. 6 hours.
17. What will the man do after the conversation?
A. He will leave the place. B. He will fill in a form. C. He will go to the university.
- 听第 10 段材料, 回答第 18 至 20 题。
18. Why should reporters look at documents, observe the scene and interview people?
A. To enrich their knowledge. B. To get information. C. To relax themselves.
19. What kind of reporters often report "live" from the scene?
A. Radio and Television reporters.
B. Morning newspaper reporters.
C. Magazine reporters.
20. At what time do reporters working for morning newspapers still work?
A. At 7:00 am. B. At 2:00 am. C. At 9:00 pm.

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 和 D 四个选项中, 选出最佳选项。

A

In L.A., while you enjoy downtown's parks, museums and such, you can stay for something for yourself: these days. Here are three popular downtown Los Angeles restaurants that you might want to try.

1. Broken Spanish

It's pretty easy to find Mexican food in L.A.. But what do you do when you want something more than just Mexican food?

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out-of-the-ordinary Mexican? Fellow chefs like to go to Broken Spanish.

Broken Spanish says it adds a 3% extra charge to its bills so it can provide health insurance for its full-time employees, but diners can have the charge removed if they wish.

Broken Spanish: 1050 S. Flower St. Los Angeles, CA, 90015. Call: 213-749-1460.

2. Băco Mercat

If you're in the mood for food inspired by Southern Europe and the Mediterranean, this is the spot. The original sandwich with pork, beef and a tomato-based sauce is a favorite with chefs.

Other dishes getting attention: The Fava Fritter Băco and the House Granola with Lebni and Honey. Veggie lovers will find a menu full of offerings. Băco Mercat also has a wide selection of wine, cocktails and beer.

Băco Mercat: 408 S. Main St. Los Angeles, CA, 90013. Call: 213-687-8808.

3. Bestia

When you want Italian that improves pasta and pizza selections and offers a range of menu items well beyond traditional fare, head to Bestia.

If you've ever hesitated to order fish for fear that it will arrive dry, lacking flavor, Bestia will change your mind.

You'll also find a nice variety of desserts on the menu such as Maple Ricotta Fritters and Warm Pear Ricotta Tart.

Bestia: 2121 E. 7th Place, Los Angeles, CA 90021. Call: 213-514-5724.

21. If you want to have original sandwiches, you may call _____ for booking.

A. 213-514-5724.

B. 213-687-8808.

C. 213-749-1460.

D. 213-626-6320

22. Which of the following is right?

A. Restaurants serving special Mexican food are everywhere.

B. Diners have to add a 3% extra charge to the bill in Broken Spanish.

C. Food in Băco Mercat has Southern Europe and the Mediterranean characteristics.

D. People fear to order fish in Bestia.

23. Where can you probably find the passage?

A. In a history book.

B. In a tourist brochure.

C. In a fashion magazine.

D. In an official document.

B

In late December, I went for a hike with my two daughters. And by hike I mean we walked, climbed and slid for five hours through a thick, wet mountainous area of Costa Rican jungle to get to what promised to be a splendid waterfall.

My daughters are active and strong. And I thought I was too. But it became pretty obvious as we went on that while we were all falling and covered with mud, laughing at how absurd it was, they got up more quickly and kept our guide more easily. I was always the slowest and the sweatiest.

They'd wait for me if I got too far back, watching as I picked my way toward them. It reminded me of the first glimpse I had of my mom as someone weaker than I, like when she started to get out of breath walking across parking lots. It's a slow change that happens gradually over decades, until one day you're your mother's mother making sure she eats dinner.

When the girls and I finally got to that waterfall, it was indeed wonderful: a 40-foot wall of water crashing down with such energy that we had to shout above the noise. We took off a few wet clothes and jumped into the deep pool at the base. It was shocking, not because of coolness of the water, but because of the force of the current.

After a long-time of trying hard to get closer to the base of the waterfall, we were tired and gathered up our stuff, arguing over who would return with the heaviest pack. I did not get a pass due to age. Hadn't

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they seen me struggling back there? Instead I was accused of being “able-bodied”. As we set off, back in formation, the girls climbed just ahead of me, talking excitedly about something I couldn’t quite make out above the noise in nature.

Of course, that’s what every generation hopes for the next—that they’ll be able to take care of each other without you, that when you slow down, they’ll have each other.

24. How was the journey according to the first paragraph?
A. Tough and tiring. B. Boring and meaningless.
C. Happy and relaxing. D. Satisfying and comfortable.
25. Which of the following could best replace the underlined word in paragraph 3?
A. Possession. B. Expression. C. Awareness. D. Appearance.
26. Why was the waterfall shocking to them?
A. Because it was noisy.
B. Because the water was too cold.
C. Because the waterfall flew powerfully.
D. Because they haven’t seen a waterfall before.
27. What’s the author’s purpose in writing the text?
A. To stress the importance of family.
B. To remember her mother.
C. To express her admiration for the waterfall.
D. To show her hope for the next generation.

C

Wildlife researchers in Georgia and Florida are concerned about the population of endangered whales. The winter birthing season just ended, but no newborn sightings have been reported.

At present, there are only about 450 North Atlantic right whales according to calculation.

Last year, the number of right whale deaths was greater than the number of births. In the U.S. and Canada, there were 17 right whale deaths recorded, while only five right whale births were reported.

Research on the whales has found that most female right whales are only living to half their expected years. Research on the whales that gave birth last year showed that they were having babies for the first time in seven or eight years. That is more than double the usual time between pregnancies.

Philip Hamilton is a scientist at the New England Aquarium in Boston. Hamilton has studied right whales for 30 years. He said, “Following a year of such great number of deaths, it’s clear that the increase of the population can’t be guaranteed.”

This is why researchers are saying more needs to be done to protect the species.

Examinations of the 17 bodies showed that a ship had hit at least four of the right whales. Another two of the deaths were caused by fishing equipment.

Philip Hamilton called for more restrictions on the fishing industry. Placing speed restrictions on ships in certain areas will help protect the whales further.

However, there is still hope for the right whale population.

Charles Mayo is a right whale researcher in Provincetown, Massachusetts at the Center for Coastal Studies. Mayo remains hopeful about the possibility that right whale babies were born this season a little further north, as far up as Virginia’s coast.

In Cape Cod Bay last year, two calves (幼崽) were seen that had not been seen earlier in the south.

It is also possible that after a light birthing season this year, a baby boom could happen next year. This has happened before. In 2000, only one newborn birth occurred while in the following year there were 31 births.

Mayo said, “I do think we can turn this around. But what’s our willpower to do so? This is a time for

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- all to work together.”
28. What is the text mainly about?
- The reasons for the right whale's low birth rate.
 - The need to be done to protect the right whale.
 - The hope for the right whale population.
 - Wildlife experts' worry about lack of newborn right whales.
29. What mainly leads to the death of the right whale according to the text?
- An unexpectedly shorter lifetime.
 - The high speed of the fishing ships.
 - A longer cycle of the pregnancies.
 - The decrease of the number of births.
30. What is likely to happen next year?
- More baby whales can be seen in Virginia's coast.
 - The birth rate may grow sharply.
 - 31 calves will be born.
 - The birthing season will be earlier.
31. What is Mayo's attitude towards the situation?
- Positive.
 - Uncertain.
 - Worried.
 - Indifferent.

D

Machines equipped with artificial intelligence (AI) have performed better than human beings in a high-level test of reading comprehension.

Two natural language processing tools received higher test scores than humans in recent exams. One of the tools is a product of the American software maker Microsoft. The other was created by the Chinese online seller Alibaba Group.

Alibaba reported its success earlier this month. The company said that a deep-learning model developed by its Institute of Data Science of Technologies was the first to beat a human score in the reading comprehension test.

The test is called the Stanford Question Answering Dataset. It was developed by researchers at Stanford University in California. The test has over 100,000 questions and answers. They are based on information found in over 500 stories from the Wikipedia website. The answers to all the questions come from the reading material.

The AI-powered machines were tested on whether they could provide exact answers to the questions after processing large amounts of information.

Alibaba said its deep neural network model received an “Exact Match” score of 82.44 on the Stanford test. Microsoft reported that a team at Microsoft Research Asia had a score of 82.65. It said the human score on the same questions and answers was 82.304. Microsoft and Alibaba were tied for first place on a list of the top performers on the Stanford test. Many research organizations also appeared on the list—all with scores below 82.

Alibaba said it has already used its reading comprehension model in different parts of its business. For example, the company is using machines to answer many incoming telephone calls from customers. The company says in the future, the technology could enable machines to guide visitors through museums or provide advice to medical patients.

Microsoft said its success in the reading test marks an important development for artificial intelligence and its reading abilities. Microsoft said it has already used its AI methods in its Bing search engine and the Cortana digital assistant. The company said in a blog post that it believes the technology will lead to easier, more natural communication between people and machines in the future.



32. How did the AI-powered machines find the answers?
A. By analyzing plenty of information.
B. By working with other tools.
C. By downloading reading materials.
D. By searching the Internet.
33. What can we infer from the text?
A. Alibaba and Microsoft didn't compete in the test at the same time.
B. Only two research organizations joined the test.
C. Alibaba is using the technology to provide suggestions on medicine.
D. Before Microsoft no AI-power machine could beat a human scores.
34. Which one is equipped with the AI methods?
A. Stanford Question Answering Dataset.
B. Microsoft Research Asia.
C. The Cortana digital assistant.
D. Alibaba search engine.
35. What is the best title for the text?
A. An Overall Victory of AI.
B. Alibaba VS Microsoft.
C. The Achievement of Alibaba and Microsoft.
D. AI Beats Humans in Major Reading Test.

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

For some people, summer is the time to head indoors to exercise. But others welcome the heat as way to sweat more and get a better workout.

Indeed, I've long regarded the sweatiness of my exercise sessions as a sign of how hard I was pushing myself. _____ 36 _____ How much you sweat isn't necessarily related to how intense (强烈的) your workout is or how many calories you burn.

How much we sweat during exercise is due to a number of factors, including gender (men tend to sweat more than women) and age (younger people sweat more than older people) as well as genetics, temperature and humidity.

_____ 37 _____ Larger people tend to sweat more, because their bodies produce more heat.

Another contributor is fitness level. _____ 38 _____ Research suggests that as your fitness level improves, your body's heat-regulating system becomes more efficient, cooling you down faster and allowing you to work harder.

Don't be misled by the loss of a few pounds after a high-sweat workout. _____ 39 _____ It doesn't necessarily mean you've burned lots of calories.

On the other side, don't think that a low-sweat workout means you aren't working hard enough or burning enough calories. It could be that your sweat evaporates (蒸发) quickly because you're exercising in air-conditioning, near a fan or outdoors on a windy day. _____ 40 _____

- A. Surprisingly, fit people tend to sweat sooner during exercise than those who are less fit.
B. This is simply water weight that you will gain back after you drink water again.
C. Everyone does exercise in order to be fit.
D. But it turns out I've been wrong.
E. The harder I work, the more I sweat.
F. Or, unlike me, you simply may not sweat much.
G. Weight plays a role as well.

第三部分 英语知识运用 (共两节, 满分 45 分)

第一节 完形填空 (共 20 小题; 每题 1.5 分, 满分 30 分)

阅读下面短文, 从短文后各题所给 A, B, C 和 D 四个选项中, 选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项。

We had moved from Cairo to Mt. Vernon, Illinois, away from my grandmother when I was eight years old. I _____ 41 _____ her terribly. I was told I was her favorite _____; she was my favorite

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"Granny."

Granny had never had very much in the way of money or material things. But it was the little things she gave me that had always 43, things like letting me dip my 44 in the sugar bowl, on top of her kitchen table as I partook of those privileges.

She didn't live in a 46 house or have expensive things, but I never noticed; I just knew she loved me and I love her 47. I used to spend a lot of time with Granny when we lived in Cairo. 48 she didn't have much, and neither did we, she did something for my brother, Tommie and me. I will always remember she saved her 49 in a glass jar. I am sure Granny could have 50 sister, I was in charge of 51 the pennies equally between my brother and me. "One for you, one for me." I would repeat until the jar was 53.

I don't remember how much we 54 on our visits; nor was the amount 55. It was the idea that she 56 us, and cared about us, when we were 57 from her. Those memories of the childhood, still give me 58 fuzzy feelings on days when I need them. A granny's love 59 wonder, after all those years, when I am lucky enough to find a penny lying on the ground somewhere, if it could be 60 tossing me pennies from heaven.

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| 41. A. hated | B. missed | C. valued | D. honored |
| 42. A. daughter | B. son | C. grandchild | D. niece |
| 43. A. mattered | B. measured | C. valued | D. excited |
| 44. A. hands | B. arms | C. legs | D. fingers |
| 45. A. forced | B. forbade | C. allowed | D. stopped |
| 46. A. poor | B. fancy | C. strange | D. special |
| 47. A. back | B. only | C. even | D. once |
| 48. A. Since | B. Because | C. Before | D. Though |
| 49. A. notes | B. checks | C. pennies | D. bills |
| 50. A. bought | B. used | C. sold | D. changed |
| 51. A. visit | B. realize | C. understand | D. play |
| 52. A. breaking | B. separating | C. wasting | D. dividing |
| 53. A. blank | B. vacant | C. empty | D. clean |
| 54. A. earned | B. collected | C. made | D. raised |
| 55. A. important | B. necessary | C. natural | D. amusing |
| 56. A. noticed | B. watched | C. observed | D. remembered |
| 57. A. tired | B. away | C. absent | D. different |
| 58. A. scary | B. terrible | C. warm | D. cold |
| 59. A. keeps | B. parts | C. accompanies | D. stays |
| 60. A. Granny | B. Mommy | C. Daddy | D. Grandpa |

第II卷

第二节 语篇型语法填空 (共10题; 每小题1.5分, 满分15分)

阅读下面材料, 在空白处填入适当的内容 (1个单词) 或括号内单词的正确形式。

Song in a cup

It's common to see a barista create coffee art, 61 it's a whole different ballgame doing same thing with tea. Han Zheming has managed to perfect the skill, creating tea art in cups, or dian cha in Chinese, which used to be a ritual (仪式) during the Song Dynasty (960-1279).

Dian cha is a tea art from the Song Dynasty. 62 art begins with pouring water over fine



powdered tea, creating a paste and then adding more hot water, 63 (constant) whisking (搅拌) it by hand with a bamboo whisk. "It's like 64 (add) bells and whistles to tea and creating a special atmosphere for tea drinking," said 40-year-old Han Zheming, a designer 65 has been fascinated by dian cha since childhood. Over the past six years, he 66 (use) tea and spoons to create nearly 200 patterns based on ancient paintings.

Creating patterns on the tea foam (泡沫) is cautious but quick work. Usually, the whole process has to be completed within 10 67 (minute). The ideal state is when the tea's temperature is around 40°C and ready for drinking. It was through trial and error 68 Han understood the art of dian cha. 69 (spread) dian cha culture, Han put the process of tea-whisking and drawing on social media platforms. Speaking about his understanding of this tea art, Han said the art is "to increase the beauty" rather than change the nature of tea. "As well as poems, calligraphy and paintings that 70 (create) back then, I want more people to understand the tools used by people to drink tea, and the reasons behind the ways they prepared tea," he explained.

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 处错误，每句中最多有两处。错误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：在错的词下划一横线，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。

A few weeks ago, I participated a camping trip at Pitt Lake. It was a new experience for me, so I was both nervous and excited at the first. Because there were many participant, we had a bigger canoe (独木舟) and a smaller one. I chose to be in the smaller canoe with my friend Mitra, but we soon found that this was not a wiser choice. In order to keep up of the bigger canoe, all of them had to paddle (划桨) hard. My arms quick became sore. To take our minds off the pain, Mitra and I played "20 questions" while paddle. In this game, one person thinks of an object and the other person asks 20 questions to figure out whether the object is. We had a good laugh before we finally arrive at the campsite.

第二节 书面表达 (25 分)

假定你是李华，你的英国笔友 Peter 在上次来信中提到，他的学校开设了三门选修课帮助英国学生更了解中国，分别是中国美食，中国传统节日和中国古诗词。他不知道应该选哪一门课程比较好，请给他写一封建议信，内容包括：

1. 你的建议(选一门课程)

2. 理由(列出 3 点)

注意：1. 词数 100 左右；

2. 可适当增加细节，以使行文连贯。

Dear Peter,

Yours,
Li Hua

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