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英语试卷

本试卷共150分,考试时间100分钟。

第一部分 阅读理解 (共两节,满分60分)

第一节(共15小题;每小题3分,满分45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

Walking certainly seems to be growing in popularity. Since the dawn of smart phones, technology has made it easier to count the steps. If you feel like hitting your stride, then the following are some popular apps to help you put your best foot forward.

Joyrun

This app focuses on helping people become better runners. Users can create and join running groups and make new friends. Setting targets is a popular function. Users can choose from a variety of activities to set goals and those who achieve them may win prizes. It also offers handy tips on how to avoid injury, with input from coaches sharing their knowledge.

Codoon

This app can track your performance whether running, walking, riding or hiking. It has an active social platform where people can share photos and videos, and it offers running programs. Users can also launch their own activities, inviting people in the same city to join them. For users who wish to engage in a variety of activities, the app provides other workout programs focused on building strength and leg muscles.

WeChat

Users can choose at most 10 friends to follow and see their daily activities, though the friends they follow will not be informed. WeChat has charity programs to help vulnerable groups, such as left-behind children. Users can "donate steps" which enterprises convert to actual amounts of money that gets donated to charity programs.

Alipay

The popular mobile payment app has a charity-oriented activity called Ant Forest, where users' steps are converted into virtual energy, which can help tree planting. The app claims that after receiving an application from a user who has saved enough energy, a real tree will be planted in arid(干旱的)areas. They also have charity programs in Alipay encouraging users to "donate steps" as well.

Ping An Good Doctor

This app, providing online health services, such as medical consultation, can also count steps, and these can be converted into virtual coins the next day. With enough virtual coins, users can buy health-related

products from its online store at discounted prices. In some cases, users only need to pay a small courier fee to get items such as chocolate candies, Band-Aids and tissues.

1. If you want to get some suggestions on how to prevent yourself from wounds or damage, you can download

A. Joyrun. B. Codoon. C. WeChat.

2. Which two apps are related to charity programs?

A. Codoon and Joyrun.

B. Joyrun and WeChat.

C. WeChat and Alipay.

D. Alipay and Ping An Good Doctor.

3. Which of the following is true according to the passage?

- A. Codoon provides programs centred on arm muscles.
- B. You can consult Ping An Good Doctor to get online health services.
- C. Users can buy health-related products from Ping An Good Doctor for free.
- D. When someone saves enough energy by Alipay, a virtual tree will be planted.

В

ON SATURDAY, the director named Savoca at a natural history museum in Davao City, the Philippines, got a call from the local marine agency: A weak-looking whale in the Davao Gulf was spitting blood, leaning badly as it swam, and was very likely going to die shortly. They should come to pick up its body.

When Savoca and his assistant brought the whale back to the lab to open it up, they found something shocking: more than 88 pounds of plastic waste jammed into its belly. "Plastic was just bursting out of its stomach," he said. "We pulled out the first bag, then the second. we hit 16 rice bags, on top of the plastic bags, and the snack bags, and big nylon (尼龙) ropes."

The whale, a young male about 15 feet long and weighing 1,100 pounds, likely died of starvation and dehydration (脱水) brought on by the plastic filling its belly. Whales absorb water from the food they eat, and there was no sign when the food made it into its intestines (肠道) for many days. Its body was destroying itself from the inside: Its stomach acid, unable to break down the plastic waste, had worn holes through its stomach lining instead. Some of the plastic had been in the stomach so long that it had started to calcify (钙化).

As the plastic pollution crisis grows, more and more turtles, seals, birds, and fish are found dead with their stomachs full of plastic. In 2015, scientists estimated that around 90 percent of all seabirds have taken in some amount of plastic; UNESCO estimates that 100,000 marine mammals die because of plastic pollution each year.

"It's just tragic that this is becoming normal, to expect that these whales will die because of plastic rather than from natural causes," Savoca says. "We're losing them faster than they can evolve to learn not to eat the plastic."

- 4. What do we know about the young whale?
 - A. The whale died of overeating.

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- B. Its stomach acid can make the plastic disappear.
- C. The whale had no feeling when the plastic was into its belly.
- D. The plastic inside the whale takes up about 1% of its body weight.
- 5. Which of the following is true according to the passage?
 - A. The young whale belongs to the national museum.
 - B. The number of the animals dying of plastic is increasing.
 - C. Savoca is the director working in the local marine agency.
 - D. Altogether there are 16 plastic bags inside the young whale's belly.
- 6. What's the author's attitude to the plastic in the ocean?

A. Positive.

B. Indifferent.

C. Ambiguous.

D. Opposing.

7. Where is the passage most probably taken from?

A. A Magazine.

B. An official report.

C. A textbook.

D. An advertisement.

 \mathbf{C}

Birdwatchers seem like birds' friends. They help promote bird conservation, and as citizen scientists, they often collect bird population data. But birdwatchers also frequently play recordings of bird calls in the wild to get their sweet musical responses. On some birdwatching tours, guides repeat these playbacks(录音 重放)for more than an hour. Do the constant playbacks end up harming the birds?

Researchers argue in PLOS ONE that this question hasn't been adequately answered. It's possible that responding to the recorded calls could use up the birds' energy or disturb their life, says lead author J. Berton C. Harris, a researcher at Princeton University in New Jersey.

Harris explored the question in Ecuador. First, he found the locations of plain-tailed wrens(平尾鹪) and rufous antpittas(红褐色的蚁鸫)—— both are found in Colombia, Ecuador and Peru. Then Harris played bird calls for five minutes to 36 groups of wrens or antpittas and recorded their responses. He also monitored how either of them responded to recordings of background noise such as the sounds of insects.

After the playbacks, both the wrens and the antpittas sang more songs than they did after hearing background noise. "Playbacks could negatively affect species if they become stressed, expend energy, or take time away from other activities," the team writes.

But another experiment suggested that the Birds might become used to the extra noise. Harris played call recordings to five groups of wrens for five minutes per day over about three weeks. He monitored behavior such as how close the birds came to the speaker and how long it took them to respond to the playback. By the twelfth day, wrens showed <u>indifferently</u>. So if playbacks are frequent, birds might eventually stop paying attention.

- 8. Why do the birdwatchers frequently play recordings of bird calls in the wild?
 - A. To make the birds call in response to the recordings.
 - B. To find out whether the recordings can harm the birds.
 - C. To attract more visitors to join in the bird watching tours.

- D. To collect bird population data and promote bird conservation.
- 9. How did the wrens and antpittas respond to the recordings of bird calls in the first experiment?
 - A. They paid no attention to it.
 - B. They were fed up with the calls.
 - C. They showed little or no response.
 - D. They responded in an active way.
- 10. What is the main factor that influences the results of two experiments?

A. the subject.

B. the experiment time.

C. the recorder.

D. the background.

11. Which of the following best explains "indifferently" underlined in the last paragraph?

A. Unconcernedly.

B. Delightedly.

C. Angrily.

D. Excitedly.

D

The May Day holiday boosted tourism figures this year as tens of millions of younger travelers in particular raced to visit popular destinations; official data showed. The one-day national holiday that falls on May 1 was extended to four days from May 1 to May 4 this year. People worked on April 28 and May 5 to make up for the holidays on May 2 and 3.

The Palace Museum in Beijing, Chengdu Du Fu Thatched Cottage Museum in Sichuan province, the Shenyang Palace Museum in Liaoning province and the Shanxi History Museum in the provincial capital Xi'an were among the most visited places during the holiday, Lvmama.com said. The longer vacation also fueled more outbound visits.

Online travel service Ctrip said Bangkok, Singapore, Tokyo and Osaka were the four most popular destinations for air ticket buyers. Ctrip said more than half of its May Day holiday clients belonged to the 1980s and 1990s, an era that followed the country's sweeping reform and opening-up and the economic takeoff beginning in the late 1970s. The data of Ctrip and Lvmama are alike. Lvmama.com said clients aged between 20 and 39 made up more than twice as many as aged between 40 and 59 during the holiday. In contrast, clients born in the 1960s and 1970s accounted for only 27 percent.

The May Day holiday has been a major source of economic growth over the last two decades after the central government made it one of the country's three weeklong national holidays, alongside Spring Festival at the beginning of the year and National Day in October.

Though some said the four-day holiday came at the expense of working two Sundays, on April 28 and May 5, Zhao Danting, 23, hailed the decision as it offered a longer break for her and other white-collar workers in first-tier (一级的) cities who were often under much work stress. Zhao, who works for a telecom firm in Shenzhen, Guangdong province, asked for a four-day paid leave ahead of the holiday and planned a weeklong getaway to South Korea. Although she has paid vacations, she would usually save them for emergencies rather than leisure.

12. According to the Lymama.com, which of the following is the most visited place?



A. Bangkok.		B. Tokyo.		C. The temperature	e will rise quickly during	g this period		
C. Osaka.		D. Shenyang Pal	ace Museum.	D. Parents will hang the boiled eggs on their child's chest				
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A. 27%.	B. 43%.	C. 65%.	D. 75%.		this practice would brin			
14. What does the und	lerlined word "hailed" mean	in the last paragraph?						
A. Praise.	B. Complain.	C. Make.	D. Cancel.		运用(共两节,满分5			
	•				每小题2分,满分4			
15. What may be the b					人短文后各题所给的 A	、B、C和D的四个选	[项中,选出可以填入空白处]	的最佳
A. Travel home ar	nd abroad.	B. Save Holiday	-	选项。				
C. Extended holid	lay improves tourism.	D. What online t	ravel service Ctrip said.	At a young age, I	Darrius Simmons fell in	love with the piano.	As he watched others play, l	he wa
第一节(共5小题, 每	每小题 3 分,满分 15 分)			21 by the joy t	he piano gave them. He	wanted to experience to	hat, too, but knew for him it wo	ould be
		直入空白外的最佳选项。	选项中有两项为多余选项。	a/an22				
			rms. Start of Summer (Chinese:	"I decided at age 10 that I wanted to learn how to play the piano,23 it was going to take a little bit24 work for me to learn," Simmons says. "I knew most people had 10 fingers while I had four				
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			nild, not tropical. Here are four	yet I was pretty25_	I could make it work	.,,		
things to learn about the		Cilila weather remains in	ma, not tropical. Here are four	The Warren, Ohio t	eenager was born with a	a genetic26 ca	lled ectrodactyly. He has three	finger
	c start of summer.			on his right hand and27 finger on his left. But it didn't28 Simmons from following hi				
17 The term Start of Summer was originated at the end of the Warring States Period (239BC). Since it is a				29 With no formal training, Simmons taught himself by ear how to play the piano. He practiced and				
		_	ifferent dynasties attached great	practiced, finding a w	ay to30 the k	eys with four fingers	while mastering the pedals w	vith hi
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_			ere arranged in the color red in	Simmons knew he	would have to31	his own style of play	ing. "I couldn't base it32_	th
order to show respect to the god of summer and pray for a good harvest.			technique of somebody who has 10 fingers. It just wouldn't33" He says. "That's34 it wa					
Checking one's weight		- f. C	41 - Th Vi d D 1	hard for me to take pia	no lessons. It's very	_35 for somebody	who has learned how to play v	with 10
		_	om the Three Kingdoms Period	fingers to adjust and tea	ach me with only four."			
(220-180) and prevails in South China today. After lunch on the day of Start of Summer, people would hang				The now 18-year-old not only learned how to play and read music but also began composing. His mother, Tamara Simmons, isn't surprised by Darrius'36 She knows how focused an				
a basket from a beam (梁). The young and old took turns to get weighed while the person calculating the weight would offer good wishes and auspicious words18								
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		111	e and eating eggs on the day of				of a whole crowd and I see one	
_		_	ed water together with eggs, and	smile, that's a job well	done."			
	vas created19 Tod	lay tea egg has become a	traditional snack in China.	21. A. frightened	B. amazed	C. interested	D. disturbed	
Take care of the heart				22. A. challenge	B. opportunity	C. fortune	D. trouble	
•		•	me to cool the heart. When the	23. A. while	B. but	C. and	D. therefore	
_	-		. Vegetables, such as cucumber,	24. A. more	B. much	C. fewer	D. less	
	nd celery and fruits that	include watermelon,	pear and strawberry are top	25. A. surprised	B. worried	C. sure	D. glad	
recommendations.				26. A. condition	B. environment	C. situation	D. tendency	
A. Say farewell to summer				25. 11. condition	z. un monnione	C. 51.0001011		

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B. Greeting start of summer

27. A. one

B. two

C. three

D. five



28.	Α.	encourage	В.	prevent	C.	remove	D.	change
29.	A.	actions	В.	roads	C.	instructions	D.	passions
30.	A.	reach	B.	repair	C.	remove	D.	clean
31.	A.	adopt	В.	abandon	C.	develop	D.	change
32.	A.	by	В.	in	C.	through	D.	on
33.	A.	support	В.	run	C.	operate	D.	work
34.	A.	why	В.	because	C.	when	D.	whether
35.	A.	easy	В.	tough	C.	funny	D.	stupid
36.	A.	ideas	В.	creations	C.	difficulties	D.	achievements
37.	A.	kind	B.	determined	C.	talented	D.	generous
38.	A.	spiritual	В.	mental	C.	physical	D.	emotional
39.	A.	please	B.	persuade	C.	inspire	D.	cheer
40.	A.	partner	В.	symbol	C.	aim	D.	motivation

第二节(共10小题;每小题1.5分,满分15分)

阅读下面材料,在空白处填入1个适当的单词或括号内单词的正确形式。

Around 4 years ago, I studied social work in Berlin and my plan was to work in the field of immigration after ___41___ (graduate). I always wanted to study abroad.

When I was looking for possible universities, I42 (come) across Hawaii. It didn't take long
43 (make) the final decision to apply. However, I had to organize a lot on my own, because m
university had no partner colleges in Hawaii. I was almost44 (entire) on my own, but it was all wort
45 in the end.

Studying there changed my way to think about minimalism, culture, active lifestyle, and my career. While I was there, I learned scuba diving and explored ____46____ underwater world around Oahu. There were no lazy days, ___47____ I would watch one movie after another. Instead, I got my ____48___ (relax) outside.

Hawaii revealed that ____49___ (adventure) experiences are my passion and my boyfriend showed me that I can work online, which ended up being my new career path. After ___50___ (go) back to Germany, I started a travel blog, which I am very passionate about, and worked on my online business. So in the end, the study abroad semester lighted a new passion and changed my life completely.

第三部分 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(人),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。

We are all turtle. We know life is not a race, is not even the marathon. Life is a triathlon (三项全能运 动). We know we might be not as super talented to the lucky ones, but we didn't look down upon ourselves. They might be constantly discouraged by setbacks, we know we choose to do things not because they are easy, but because they are hard. We might not be the first ones to cross the finished line, but we are sure the ones who know where we are going and why. This is the turtle spirit, that could be interpreted out by these 3 amazing letters that I will never forget: UMD, that is U Must be Determined.

第二节 书面表达 (满分 25 分)

假如你是李华,你的美国朋友 Peter 对中国很感兴趣,他写信询问给你生活带来便利的新事物, 请你写一封回信。内容如下:

- 1. 感谢来信;
- 2. 举例说明新事物(2~3个);
- 3. 询问对方国家的新事物。

注意: 1. 词数 100 左右;

2. 可适当增加细节,以使行文连贯。

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