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## 2021年4月阶段性检测

### 英语试题

#### 注意事项:

- 1.答题前,考生务必将自己的姓名、座号、考号填写在答题卡和试卷指定位置上。
- 2.回答选择题时,选出每小题答案后,用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 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

##### Where to stay during an art holiday in St Ives, Cornwall

St Ives, one of the most impressive locations in the world, has long been attracting artists. Since 1938 we have been running art classes in Cornwall in Porthmeor studios overlooking the ocean.

There is a plentiful selection of places to stay, with the majority within walking distance to St Ives School of Painting.

**NO RISK POLICY: Please reserve your place for a course and if you don't find suitable accommodation within 48 hours we will refund you in full.**

**Cohort Hostel (旅社):** Cool, contemporary hostel accommodation in the centre of St Ives. Beds from £20/night. WiFi, Courtyard, Bar, Lounge, TV Room, Fully equipped kitchen, Safe dorms and Private rooms.

**Tel: 01736 791664**

**Beachside Guest House:** 50 yards from the School and Porthmeor Beach. 4 Rooms, all ensuite rooms (浴室套房). Prices from £75/night for a double en-suite room.

**Tel: 07810 127812**

**West by Five:** Impressive Edwardian townhouse built above Porthmeor Beach to take full advantage of the ocean views. Five minutes' walk from the school. Offering four beautifully appointed en-suite rooms. Visit England 5-star guest accommodation award. Prices from £70 per night.

**Tel: 01736 794584**

**Tregony:** A 4-star townhouse with spectacular panoramic (全景的) sea-views, overlooking Porthmeor Beach and The Island. Offering 5 stylish rooms (4 en-suite), only 5 minutes' walk from the School. Prices for single occupancy start from 60 per night.

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Tel: 01736 791851

The Sail Lofts: Self catering apartments, a few steps to the beach and just around the corner from the School.

Tel: 01736 799175

Granny's: Self catering fisherman's holiday cottage, 2 beds, situated in the heart of St Ives.

Tel: 01736 797139

Wallis Cottage: Stay in the home of the famous artist Alfred Wallis (1855 ~ 1942).

Comfortable self-catering cottage, perfect for two and very close to the School.

Tel: 01252 703272

1. Where would you most probably stay when traveling to St Ives on a tight budget?  
A. In Tregony. B. In West by Five.  
C. In Cohort Hostel. D. In Beachside Guest House.
2. What do West by Five, Tregony and The Sail Lofts have in common?  
A. They all have comfortable en-suites.  
B. They are all 4 or 5-star accommodation places.  
C. They are all close to St Ives School of Painting.  
D. They all provide spectacular panoramic sea-views.
3. Which number will you call if you want to stay at a late artist's home?  
A. 07810 127812. B. 01736 794584. C. 01736 799175. D. 01252 703272.

### B

The pandemic (流行病) has left a lot of families in financial difficulty. Not only have many found it difficult to pay bills, they've also had to deal with huge unpaid debts. Thankfully, one very kind-hearted doctor, Omar Atiq, from Arkansas decided to forgive the \$650,000 debt that his patients still had to pay.

Dr. Omar Atiq closed his clinic in Pine Bluff after 30 years of offering patients radiation therapy (治疗), and CAT scans. While putting his affairs in order, with the help of a debt collection agency, Dr. Atiq realized that his patients were really struggling to pay off their debts. "So my wife and I, as a family, thought about it and looked at forgiving all the debts. We saw that we could do it and then just went ahead and did it."

The reasoning behind the decision comes from his understanding toward those he's seen suffer throughout his years as a doctor: "Since I started practicing, I've always been rather uncomfortable with sick patients not only having to worry about their own health, quality of life, their longevity, their families and their jobs but also money. That's always concerned me." Atiq's wife, Mehreen, shares his caring nature and supported her husband in his decision.

So Omar sent the following letter at Christmas to around 200 of his patients: "...Although various health insurances pay most of the bills for the majority of patients, the deductibles (自负额) and co-pays can be burdensome. Unfortunately, that is the way our health care system currently works. My clinic has decided to forgive all the debts owed to the clinic by its patients..."

Omar, the father of four children who are also doctors or becoming doctors, seems to have always put the patients first. "I have never refused to see a patient, not for lack of health insurance or funds nor for any other reason. I've always considered it a high honor and privilege to be someone's physician — more important than anything else," Omar shared with the local media.

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4. When did Atiq realize his patients' inability to pay off their debts?  
A. As the debt collection agency helped him.  
B. When he was collecting the debt in person.  
C. After he clearly knew the details of the debt.  
D. After he found out the pandemic was serious.
5. What mainly results in Dr. Atiq's generous decision?  
A. His responsibility.  
B. His wife's support.  
C. His sympathy.  
D. His medical practice.
6. What can we learn about Dr. Atiq?  
A. He values his patients and his job.  
B. He works together with his children.  
C. He will start another clinic in the future.  
D. He thinks that being a doctor is profitable.
7. What is the main idea of the text?  
A. Dr. Atiq has made a very important decision.  
B. Dr. Atiq removes his patients' financial burden.  
C. Dr. Atiq has contributed a lot to the medical field.  
D. Dr. Atiq has set a good example for all the doctors.

C

The Indian government declared an "emergency situation" in New Delhi on Sunday as air pollution hit dangerous new highs and people had the selfies (自拍) to prove it.

Officials announced a series of measures to fight against smog in the capital city, including halting construction projects, closing a coal-fired power factory for 10 days and washing the dusty roads. The citizens, meanwhile, took "smog selfies" as they walked through dirty air which could taste and smell. Some selfie photographers joined hundreds of protesters in downtown New Delhi to demand that the government deal with the deadly smog.

New Delhi, already one of the world's dirtiest cities, is experiencing its worst smog in nearly two decades. The city saw levels of PM2.5 of more than 900 micrograms per cubic meter on Saturday. That's more than 90 times the level that the World Health Organization considers safe and is 15 times higher than the Indian government's standards.

Particulate(微粒的)matter comes from vehicles, coal factories, burning trash piles, dust and other sources. New Delhi's severe pollution was initially blamed on the widespread bursting of firecrackers during the festival Diwali. But images published by NASA last week suggested that crop burning in the neighboring states of Punjab and Haryana could be the reason for the increasing levels of PM2.5. New Delhi's chief minister, Arvind Kejriwal, said that farmers in those states begin burning straw at the start of every winter to clear their plants for planting wheat.

The pollution can lead to lung cancer, heart disease and related illnesses, particularly in growing children. Kejriwal said people should avoid going outdoors until the pollution levels drop and should work at home as much as possible. Of course, they should put down the selfie sticks, too.

8. What does the underlined word "halting" in Paragraph 2 mean?  
A. Stopping.                      B. Encouraging.                      C. Protecting.                      D. Changing.

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9. What can we know from the text?
- A. The poor condition in New Delhi has led to a strike.
  - B. New Delhi is one of the most polluted cities in the world.
  - C. A lot of people especially children died of smog in New Delhi.
  - D. Kejriwal suggested that people stop working to deal with smog.
10. What is the fourth paragraph mainly about ?
- A. Images of people living in New Delhi.
  - B. Levels of PM2.5 in most cities of India.
  - C. Sources of particulate matter in New Delhi.
  - D. Measures taken by the New Delhi government.
11. What's Kejriwal's attitude towards smog selfies?
- A. Doubtful.      B. Supportive.      C. Uncaring.      D. Opposed.

**D**

After Scott Kelly spent a year in space, his genetic expression changed, according to a NASA study that compared the bodily changes between the astronaut and his identical twin, who stayed on Earth while Kelly was aboard the International Space Station. About 7 percent of Kelly's gene activity has yet to "return to normal" — almost two years after his yearlong spaceflight mission came to an end. Kelly has since retired from NASA.

The Twins Study, as it's been called, looked at what happened to Kelly — both physiologically and psychologically — before, during and after his trip in space, and then compared that data to Kelly's twin brother, Mark Kelly, also a retired NASA astronaut.

Unlike his brother who spent months at a time in space, Mark's missions were on the shorter side. His last — and longest — mission, which took place in 2011, lasted 15 days.

"By measuring large numbers of the brother's metabolites, cytokines (代谢物、细胞活素) and proteins, researchers learned that spaceflight is associated with oxygen deprivation (匮乏) stress, increased inflammation (炎症), and nutrient changes that affect gene expression," NASA said.

Although most of the biological changes Kelly experienced in space disappeared in the hours and days (and in some cases, weeks) after his return to Earth, NASA said some changes appear to have continued. While 93 percent of his genetic expression has returned to normal, several hundred "space genes" still have changed activity levels, the data suggests, which, NASA said, could indicate "longer-term changes" in genetic expression caused by the stresses of spaceflight.

NASA said the research could provide important knowledge of the effects of long-term spaceflight on the human body, and that it will influence its planning for a mission to Mars, which would see astronauts spending some three years in space.

Reacting to the news of the study results, Kelly expressed amazement at his body's changes, and also used the opportunity to make fun of his brother. "This could be good news," he joked on Twitter. "I no longer have to call Mark my identical twin brother anymore."

12. What can be learnt about Mark Kelly?
- A. He's still working for NASA.
  - B. He has only been to space once.
  - C. He hasn't gone on a spaceflight mission yet.
  - D. He never stayed in space for a whole month.

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13. What does NASA's research show about genetic expression changes?  
A. They're dangerous to astronauts.  
B. Most of them won't last very long.  
C. They're mainly caused by psychological stress.  
D. Some can occur during short term spaceflight.
14. What can we know about the Twins Study?  
A. It involved many twin participants.  
B. It ended soon after Scott Kelly's last spaceflight.  
C. It only studied Scott Kelly's physical changes.  
D. It will be valuable to NASA's Mars mission.
15. What can be inferred from the last paragraph?  
A. Mark Kelly will lose his twin brother soon.  
B. Scott Kelly always looks on the bright side.  
C. Scott Kelly doesn't like his twin brother.  
D. Scott Kelly seems to have a sense of humor.

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。选项中有两项为多余选项。

It's polite of you to say thank you when you are given something, and this is particularly important when you receive an award at a ceremony. 16, 'thank you' is just the start of the most important acceptance speech of your life.

Speeches are used as a platform to make a political statement or just to raise someone's profile(形象). 17. And these words have to be delivered in a short amount of time. For example, at this year's Oscars, nominees have only 90 seconds from finding out they've won to finishing their speech.

When the clock is ticking, it's hard to say everything you want. 18. It's also important to be elegant, heartfelt and to speak like you're talking to a friend.

You may expect an actor to be a good speaker and able to perform on stage in front of an audience. 19, it can be more awkward. When Japan's Naomi Osaka won this year's Australian Open final, she said, "Sorry, public speaking isn't my strong point so I hope I can get through this... I read notes before this but I still forgot what I meant to say."

20. It's important to make notes that remind you to thank people, say some words of wisdom, and win over the audience. But if you've got nothing to say, accept your award thankfully and then get off stage before the music starts playing again—just remember to say 'thank you'!

- A. Preparation is key  
B. Words can't express everything  
C. But for others, such as sports people  
D. But if you are one of the lucky winners  
E. So it's important to get the words right  
F. Finishing a speech quickly makes you a popular person  
G. Thus it's important to convey your messages effectively

英语试题 第5页 (共8页)

二、阅读 (两节, 满分 30 分)

第一节 (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。

When Amanda Moore noticed that the new student from Mexico always sat alone at lunch, she decided to befriend Rafael Anaya. She also noticed that he 21 to understand English. Then she used the Google Translate app to hand-write a letter in Spanish asking him to 22 her for lunch. Her action 23 her the "Student of the Month" award for October at school.

Actually, Rafael always 24 because he felt so lonely. "He always ate lunch alone and I felt 25 about that," Amanda said. She knew he spoke Spanish and he seemed lonely. She spent the whole afternoon 26 writing the letter, using the app to help her.

The next day Amanda handed the letter to Rafael and waited for his 27. It wasn't until their math class that he said "yes". The two had been 28 together for lunch ever since. The letter helped Rafael feel more comfortable and encouraged him to 29 his English harder. "I think for Rafael it made a huge 30," said their teacher. "He really wants to learn English to talk to Amanda. The two used hand gestures and Google Translate for 31 now but they hoped it would become 32 when Rafael's English improved. And, Amanda was learning some 33."

Amanda's mother felt 34 moved by her daughter's action. "It is just so sweet," she said. "I think this 35 is special."

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|--------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| 21. A. appeared    | B. happened   | C. struggled    | D. managed         |
| 22. A. prepare     | B. join       | C. leave        | D. pay             |
| 23. A. saved       | B. cost       | C. earned       | D. proved          |
| 24. A. wept        | B. listened   | C. chatted      | D. laughed         |
| 25. A. bad         | B. curious    | C. glad         | D. doubtful        |
| 26. A. painfully   | B. hurriedly  | C. carefully    | D. correctly       |
| 27. A. arrival     | B. comment    | C. appreciation | D. reply           |
| 28. A. sitting     | B. waiting    | C. working      | D. singing         |
| 29. A. put up with | B. work on    | C. show off     | D. look forward to |
| 30. A. popularity  | B. difference | C. choice       | D. plan            |
| 31. A. competition | B. typing     | C. travel       | D. communication   |
| 32. A. easier      | B. quicker    | C. simpler      | D. harder          |
| 33. A. English     | B. psychology | C. math         | D. Spanish         |
| 34. A. widely      | B. deeply     | C. gently       | D. wisely          |
| 35. A. discussion  | B. suffering  | C. friendship   | D. donation        |

英语试题 第 6 页 (共 8 页)

42 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。

Today after work, as I was driving home, I realized my brake wasn't working. I started to panic and managed to pull over. 36 (luck) without crashing into anything or anyone. As I was struggling to figure out what to do, 37 middle-aged black man knocked on my car window and asked me 38 I needed help. I rolled down the window and explained to him what had happened. After 39 (check) my car, he said it could be that I ran out of the brake liquid because that had happened 40 his daughter's car. I thanked him for his help. This man later came back with a bottle of brake liquid. Not only did he go and buy it with his own money, he also 41 (help) me open up the hood (引擎盖) and put the liquid in. Then he knelt down on the wet ground to inspect the brake seal in the rain. I offered to pay for the brake liquid, but he refused 42 (take) my money. I reached out to shake his hands, which 43 (cover) with grease (润滑油) from my car. I was so 44 (thank) to him and I would never forget his 45 (kind).

### 第三部分 写作 (共两节, 满分 40 分)

第一节 (满分 15 分)

假定你是李华, 你校英语俱乐部就如何开展英语周活动向大家咨询建议, 请你用英语写一封建议信, 内容包括:

1. 非常喜欢英语周活动;
2. 你对英语周的建议。

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。

Dear Director of the School English Club,

Yours,  
Li Hua

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。

It was about 10 o'clock on Friday morning and the skies were clear. It was a rare holiday for Matt Wilkinson who was a professional surfer and his best friend John, a professional swimmer. They were paddling (用浆划) on their boards near Sharpes Beach in Australia.

"It's a nice and beautiful holiday. Wilkinson, let's have a surfing competition. Although

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I am a swimmer, I am also a potential surfer,” John said to Wilkinson when they had a break on the shore. “Come on! I’m full of confidence.” John held his surfboard and then walked towards the ocean. Wilkinson had to agree with his friend and carried his surfboard walking slowly after John. When these two friends were preparing in the ocean, Wilkinson looked around and said to John, “John, I heard a splash (潜水声) and a strange noise.” Wilkinson looked around again but couldn’t see anything. “Come on, let’s begin,” John said.

What these two friends didn’t know was that a shark quickly surfaced and began stalking (偷偷靠近) the surfing world champion, at one point only inches away. But one person saw the shark. That was Beau Monks. Drone (无人机) operator Beau Monks was using a drone to observe the waters when he saw the animal, which appeared to be more than 6 feet long. Beau Monks followed it and caught the scene in the video. The shark sort of came out of nowhere and then it went right up to Wilkinson. It moved pretty fast. Within 10 seconds it was at the surfer and it was going to hurt Wilkinson’s leg. But five seconds later, it was gone. Beau Monks immediately informed the lifeguards and everyone on the beach.

“Attention, attention, please! There is a shark. Please get off the ocean as soon as possible,” Beau Monks used the speaker on the drone to get everyone out of the water.

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。

Wilkinson and John were very surprised when they heard the warning.

Wilkinson considered himself lucky, though.



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## 英语参考答案及评分标准

## 第一部分 阅读理解

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## 第二部分 语言运用

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## 第二节

36. luckily 37.a 38.if/whether 39.checking 40.to 41.helped 42.to take 43.were covered 44.thankful 45.kindness

## 第三部分 写作

## 第一节

Dear Director of the School English Club.

I am a senior 3 student. And I am writing to make some suggestions on how to carry out English Week activities.

I like the English Week activities held once a year in our school because they offer a really good opportunity to students to practice English and make friends. As far as I am concerned, you should hold more activities in which students can experience British culture by themselves. For example, you can put on some English school plays. By preparing for the play or acting in it, not only can the students experience British culture closely but also they can use English flexibly. As a result, they are sure to have a good command of the language.

I hope my advice can be of great help to you.

Yours,Li Hua

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1. 本题总分为 15 分，按五个档次进行评分。
2. 评分时，应主要从内容组织、词汇语法和篇章结构三个方面考虑，具体为：
  - (1) 对内容要点的覆盖情况以及表述的清楚程度和合理性；
  - (2) 使用词汇和语法结构的准确性、恰当性和多样性；
  - (3) 上下文的衔接和全文的连贯性。
3. 评分时，先根据作答的整体情况初步确定其所属档次，然后以该档次的要求来综合衡量，确定或调整档次，最后给分。
4. 评分时还应注意：
  - (1) 词数少于 60 或多于 100 的，从总分中减去 2 分；
  - (2) 单词拼写和标点符号是写作规范的重要方面，评分时应视其对交际的影响程度予以考虑。英、美拼写及词汇用法均可接受；
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