

中学生标准学术能力诊断性测试 2022 年 1 月测试英语试
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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

You won't need a passport for this trip around the globe, but you will need your favorite bookstore or library card. Reading stories from or set in other parts of the world is fun and helps kids appreciate other cultures. Go on a virtual vacation with these global reads. If you don't know where to start, I've made a list of some of my favorites.

Sand Swimmers

by Narelle Oliver

Young wildlife enthusiasts know that Australia is full of fascinating creatures, especially in the strange and harsh desert region called the Dead Heart. In *Sand Swimmers*, Narelle Oliver combines science, natural history, and firsthand observations to uncover the unbelievably hardy species that live and thrive in this mysterious piece of Australian wilderness.

The Secret Kingdom

by Barb Rosenstock

The Secret Kingdom is a visually impressive biography of Nek Chand Saini, a village farmer who relocated to the city of Chandigarh after the 1947 partition of India. There, he gathered castoffs (废弃物) and small treasures to create a secret rock garden in the jungle — now a 40-acre sculpture garden open to the public. Rich watercolor illustrations capture the region's natural beauty.

When Life Gives You Mangos

by Kereen Getten

A moving new middle grade novel, *When Life Gives You Mangos* centers the perspective of a young girl named Clara who lives on an island in Jamaica, a favorite place for tourists who throw around words like “exotic” about Clara's home. Since last summer's hurricane, though, the tourists are thinning out, and the biggest talk is about a new girl who's moving to the island, whom Clara can't wait to meet. A moving story about family, friendship, and resilience, it will also spark important conversations about traveling to others' homes.

The Island of Horses

by Eilis Dillon

This classic adventure story, reissued in 2018, takes place off the western coast of Ireland on an island called Inishrone. Life on the remote island is anything but easy, but it's all that friends Pat Conroy and Danny MacDonagh have ever known. Lured by the call of ghost stories, Pat and Danny set sail for the Island of Horses, a decision that launches them into a dangerous mystery. Come for the suspense, stay for the atmosphere: you'll be able to taste the saltwater whipping through the air.

1. Which book has the related pictures inside?

A. *Sand Swimmers*

B. *The Secret Kingdom*

C. *When Life Gives You Mangos*

D. *The Island of Horses*

2.What effect does the hurricane bring about according to *When Life Gives You Mangos*?

- A. Clara's home was destroyed.
- B. A new girl will move to the island.
- C. The number of visitors is shrinking.
- D. Conversations about traveling will be sparked.

3.Which of the following is True about *The Island ofHorses*?

- A.The book was first published in 2018.
- B.The story is set on the coast of Ireland.
- C. Life is hard on the remote island.
- D. Pat and Danny went to the Island of Horses to look for treasures.

B

At a medical laboratory clinic in Waterloo, Ontario, an elderly woman sat on the edge of a waiting room chair loudly singing out the Celine Dion's tune *My Heart Will Go On*. I was there with my father, who was getting a routine blood test when the woman arrived. She settled into the seat directly across from my dad. The position made it seem as though she was sitting forward to engage in conversation with him. She smiled at him, and he smiled back.

I was concerned about how my dad would react to the possible interact on his space. He was 77 at the time and had been living with Alzheimer's for several years. He was a brilliant introverted man. When he was healthy, he considered it wholly bad manners to bring undue attention to oneself. I couldn't help but think that this melodic little woman was playing with fire.

Her singing began gently, like a quiet hum. I glanced over at dad. His smile was gone, and he was staring right at her. She was staring back. I couldn't read his expression, but it seemed to be something like confusion.



This wasn't an unusual state for him, and I wondered whether he was actually seeing her at all or if he was lost somewhere deep in his mind, not really aware of her presence at that point. Or maybe he was trying to establish whether this was someone he should know. Her singing slowly got louder. By the time she got to the chorus — "Near, far, wherever you are...", dad looked a little shocked. Still, I watched for any sign of an annoyed outburst. Instead, his face softened, and the tension eased in his brow. He no longer looked confused. People say that Alzheimer's is a thief, which it steals your loved ones slowly, day by day. There is so much heartbreaking truth in that statement. But certain experiences with my dad have allowed me to see a side of him that I never knew existed. In an unexpected way, that's what happened to me that day in the clinic. When her song ended and the waiting room became silent, the woman opened her eyes. My dad was still looking directly at her. "That was beautiful," he said. And she smiled and said, "Thank you."

4. Why did the author's father appear in the clinic?

- A. To get a physical examination.
- B. To ask for advice from the doctors.
- C. To search for a cure for his disease.
- D. To enjoy the song sung by an elderly woman.

5. Why did the author think the elderly woman was playing with fire?

- A. She considered the old woman's song as beautiful.
- B. She believed the old woman would become famous.
- C. She thought the old woman's voice would attract others.
- D. She assumed her father would get angry with the old woman.

6. What was the reaction of the author's father when the song ended?

- A. He was annoyed at it.
- B. He was stuck to confusion.
- C. He was excited to hear it.
- D. He thought highly of it.

7. Which of the following can be the best title for the text?

- A. Alzheimer's is a thief.
- B. A beautiful singing from an old lady.
- C. An unexpected reaction from my father.
- D. Some heartbreaking truths about Alzheimer's.



C

Back in the 1980s, Motorola introduced the first cell phones to public. They were very large compared to most phones of today. Given the heavy weight of the early phones, which was about 2 pounds (0.91kg), their considerable size, and rectangular shape, they earned the amusing name “brick phone.”

The brick phone was a major status symbol corresponding to the tendency toward prominent consumption that marked the decade. Unfortunately, it was nowhere near as convenient as present cell phone models. For the money people paid, they got 30 minutes of talking time before recharging the phone was necessary, and carrying around a heavy phone that was 8 inches (20.32 cm) long and about 2 inches wide (5.08 cm) was no picnic for some early users.

While some view the old-fashioned cell phone as a clunky nouveau riche (暴发户) and unfortunate parent of the modern cell phone, others regard it with affection. A nice, big phone that is easy to find, unlike the very small modern cell that is often easy to lose, may be regarded as a useful alternative. This sentiment has led some companies to reinvent the brick phone. One advantage with a modern brick cell is it may hold a much longer charge than the standard cell since it accommodates a larger and more powerful battery. As mentioned, some are particularly interested in this style because they want a good-sized home phone after they’ve abandoned a landline, which is becoming common practice. A longer charge might make a phone more attractive for home use.

The chances are that brick phones will remain mostly a novelty purchase because most people prefer the convenience of much smaller phones. Nevertheless, the sight of a brick in use today, even if a copy, is still likely to cause comment or memories. Whether these memories are mostly fond or rather snide, it can certainly be said that this phone was a symbol and part of the reason why so many people carry cell phones today.

8.What feature does the name “brick phone” reflect?

price.

9.What does Paragraph 2 mainly talk about? A. The brick phone has some drawbacks.

B.The brick phone stands for high status.

C.People pursued a high-level consumption in the past.

D.The battery of the brick phone can only last 30 minutes.

10.Why do many people favor the modern brick phone?

A.It has a good size.

B.It has some new features.

C.It is cheaper than other phones.

D.It can be used for a longer time.

11.What does the underlined word in Paragraph 4 mean?

vid.

D

Many of us think of sharks as powerful, mysterious, and lonely as they move through the deep. And no

wonder the fish have long been portrayed in popular media as lone predators, appearing out of nowhere to attack. But that image has come under inspection in recent years, as shark researchers around the world have discovered the fish gathering in large numbers and interacting with others of their own species in ways that are obviously friendly.

Yannis Papastamatiou, a marine scientist at Florida International University, and his team used acoustic transmitters (声学发射器) to record the interactions over four years of about 40 reef sharks around Hawaii. Their study found that reef sharks return to the same communities year after year, forming clear preferences for sharks with some friendships that endured throughout the study. In his 2016 study, he found that individual sharks tagged with recording devices had thousands of interactions with their peers, with some pairs spending up to four straight days together. The study also found certain sharks were unmistakably companions. “These weren’t random associations,” he says.

Finding out why sharks socialize — and how much of their behavior is cooperative — is a challenge, but there are some clues, such as food availability and warmer waters. Great white sharks, are showing up in record numbers along southern California beaches as the population has doubled since 1994. While great white sharks typically maintain distances of about 30 feet from each other and don’t seem too close, they are clearly drawn together by a preference for the area. In some cases, there may not be an obvious purpose for shark’s friendship. At the Bimini Shark Lab, Smukall and his colleagues found that young lemon sharks sought out companionship of other sharks for no clear reason. There’s growing evidence that lemon sharks have their own personalities, which may influence whether they spend time with other sharks, he adds.

More would be known about the intimate lives of sharks if the field weren’t so new, due in part to a lack of funding and sharks’ negative reputation. “We’ve only had about 20 years to really start studying sharks,” says Smukall.

12. Why do the reef sharks return to the same groups every year?

- A. To move to other places together.
- B. To find a better place to lay eggs.
- C. To change the food chain of the sea.
- D. To search for the company of other fish.

13. Which of the following is Not the reason why sharks socialize?

- A. Global Warming.
- B. Preference for an area.
- C. Sharks’ personalities.
- D. Food availability.

14. What can be found according to Yannis’s 2016 study? A. Sharks usually spend four days with their peers.

- B. The relationship between some sharks is steady.
- C. All the sharks were attached to recording devices.
- D. Sharks have thousands of interactions every day.

15. What can be inferred from the last paragraph?

- A. Sharks always have a bad reputation.
- B. Scientist will begin studying sharks in 20 years.
- C. There will be a long way to go before knowing sharks completely.
- D. It is unnecessary to put money into the research of the sharks.

第二节 (共 5 小题; 每小题 3 分, 满分 15 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。

Life has a way of shaping us. Life can make you doubt or question your purpose. 16. I have seen this in my own life.

Poetry prepared me for my purpose. I did not see this initially, so I tried taking a different direction. 17. I finally left behind my failures and fully launched into my destiny.

In my journey towards purpose, poetry became my safety net. Poetry was my outlet (发泄的方式) from bullying by peers, which gave me low self-esteem. 18. For every important moment in my life, I wrote poetry. During tough times, I wrote poetry. I connect with poetry on a deep level.

However, writing poetry lacks financial stability. 19. In America, I was an assistant teacher for kindergarten. When living in China, my job was an English teacher. The work I did was similar. I inspired children, giving them my love, my time and my heart. Still, poetry brought me joy. 20.

Where you are is preparing you for your purpose. Your purpose is waiting for you!

- A. I pursued teaching instead
- B. I started writing poems at age 5
- C. My original plan never worked out
- D. The only person standing in your way is you
- E. It showed me how to make sense of the world
- F. Poetry is my voice to be seen, heard and known
- G. However, when you live out your purpose, you are unstoppable

第二部分 语言知识运用 (共两节, 满分 55 分)

第一节 完形填空 (共 20 小题; 每小题 2 分, 满分 40 分)

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Today, I'm sending Sally away for a week of summer camp. She never actually asked to go. This was all my 21. She's nearly 12, and I noticed that I'm with my child nearly 24 hours a day.



Living on a farm without any neighbors, I've chosen a life that is quieter than a__22__family's. But rather than longing for__23__away from me, Sally has become increasingly dependent on my__24___. What__25__me most is that she has become a "mini-me". She__26__my hobbies, my dreams, and my opinions. And that's__27__I pulled her to the summer camp: a nearby wilderness camp called Hawk Circle.

After we eat, I drive Sally to Hawk Circle. Once there, we get a tour of the grounds and are introduced to Sally's fellow__28___. Sally stands by the group of children, holding my hand, tears in her eyes, trying to work up the__29__to join a game of soccer. "I need you for a few more minutes," she tells me, holding my hand__30___. I walk up to one of the camp's workers. "Excuse me," I say loudly, "I'd like to__31__my daughter. Maybe you could help her __32__a few of these kids." He comes over to talk to Sally, and I kiss on her cheek and then I__33__before she realizes I'm gone.

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| 21. A. task | B. idea | C. matter | D. work |
| 22. A. typical | B. popular | C. healthy | D. serious |
| 23. A. help | B. safety | C. space | D. support |
| 24. A. effort | B. wisdom | C. presence | D. expectation |
| 25. A. amazes | B. delights | C. promotes | D. frightens |
| 26. A. reveals | B. abandons | C. pursues | D. assesses |
| 27. A. how | B. why | C. where | D. when |
| 28. A. participants | B. colleagues | C. sponsors | D. competitors |
| 29. A. service | B. reward | C. demand | D. courage |
| 30. A. hardly | B. gently | C. tightly | D. immediately |
| 31. A. convince | B. refuse | C. choose | D. introduce |
| 32. A. teach | B. warn | C. save | D. meet |
| 33. A. disappear | B. return | C. look | D. jump |
| 34. A. shake | B. laugh | C. escape | D. change |
| 35. A. patience | B. strength | C. enthusiasm | D. concentration |
| 36. A. evidence | B. path | C. course | D. manner |

It's not until that drive home that I finally feel it. I begin to__34___. The tears stream down my face. It takes every bit of my__35__to keep driving forward. When I arrive home, I calm down and remind myself why I chose this__36___. I want Sally to have a chance to find herself, out of my__37___. I don't want to see only myself in my child. I want to learn who she is. If I don't set her__38___, I fear I'll never really meet her real__39___. After 12 years of__40__being together, I want to finally meet my daughter for the first time.

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| 38. A. free | B. fresh | C. normal | D. homeless |
| 39. A. motivation | B. behavior | C. improvement | D. personality |
| 40. A. spiritually | B. personally | C. constantly | D. carefully |

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。

Many of us like to think our dogs are smart, as we point to their ability_41 (read) our facial expressions and understand__42__we say. But some dogs are __43__ (except). Chaser,__44 American border collie could recognize and remember 1,022 nouns — one for each of her_45 (toy).

The scientists recruited dog owners and asked them to play fetch with their dogs_46 (day) in their homes while__47__(repeat) the name of the toy, a process__48__lasted three months. Dogs that succeeded_49 (give) a new toy and new name to learn. Despite the intensive training, only one dog, Oliva, learned to match a single word to a toy. In fact, she learned 21 names in two months. It's_50 (interest) that except Oliva, none of the breeds learned a thing. It was such a surprise.

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（∧），并在其下面写出该加的词。 删除：把多余的词用（\）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。

Nowadays, many students are worshipping stars so blind that they don't care about how the stars do. It is really a pity that some fans lose them in the process.

Here are some suggestions giving to the fans. Firstly, please worship stars sensibly. Never try to do some stupid and even crazy things for our stars. Next, be aware of a most important task of a student. Everyone is supposed to studying hard at present. Last but not least, why not to worship the stars around us? There are some super stars we can communicate in reality, such as our parent and the medical workers.

第二节 书面表达（满分 25 分）

目前，每年空气中都会增加很多二氧化碳，碳排放已经严重污染了全球环境，请你想出一些可以减少碳排放的方法，并加以说明。

1. 词数 100 左右；
2. 可以适当增加细节，以使行文连贯。



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英语参考答案

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| 1-5 BCCAD | 6-10 DCBAD | 11-15 BDABC | 16-20 GCFAE | |
| 21-25 BACCD | 26-30 CBADC | 31-35 DDAAB | 36-40 BBADC | |
| 41 . to read | 42 . what | 43 . exceptional | 44 . an | 45 . toys |
| 46 . daily | 47 . repeating | 48 . that/which | 49 . were given | 50 . interesting |

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范文:

How to reduce carbon emission

Every year billion tons of carbon dioxide is added into the air, which in part results in global warming and climate changes. Life on this planet will be gravely affected unless we take measures to reduce carbon emission. To achieve this aim, I think the entire society should form the concept of energy-saving and do what we can in our daily life.

In the first place, we can replace the traditional electric bulbs with the energy-saving ones. By saving energy this way, we can reduce a lot of carbon emission. Second, choose public transportation instead of driving your own car. We can imagine that the fewer cars on the road, the less carbon dioxide will be emitted into the air. Third, when you are shopping, select the goods with simple package and don't forget to use recyclable bags instead of plastic ones.

In a nutshell, reducing carbon emission in our daily life is not difficult. As long as we all make some efforts, we can make a big difference.

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