

河北省衡水中学 2023 届上学期高三年级三调考试

英 语

本试卷 8 页。总分 150 分。考试时间 120 分钟。

第一部分 听力（共两节，满分 30 分）

做题时，先将答案标在试卷上。录音内容结束后，你将有两分钟的时间将试卷上的答案转涂到答题卡上。

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. What does the woman prefer to do?

- A. Help someone type papers.
- B. Have the papers checked.
- C. Go over the papers herself.

2. What are the speakers talking about?

- A. A position.
- B. A weekend plan.
- C. The man's company.

3. Where will the woman go this afternoon?

- A. An office party.
- B. An opera house.
- C. A shopping mall.

4. Where did the man get the tickets?

- A. From the cinema.
- B. From the Internet.
- C. From the woman.

5. What does the woman like most about the city?

- A. The parks.
- B. The old buildings.
- C. The French restaurant.

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. How does the man feel about his major?

- A. Uninterested.
- B. Inspired.
- C. Confused.

7. What does the man want to do after graduation?

- A. Become a lawyer.
- B. Study further in Mexico.
- C. Start his own business.

听第 7 段材料，回答第 8、9 题。

8. Where can the woman visit some relatives?

- A. In California.
- B. In Puerto Rico.
- C. In San Francisco.

9. What is the relationship between the speakers?
- A. Mother and son B. Husband and wife. C. Brother and sister.

听第 8 段材料，回答第 10 至 12 题。

10. Why does the woman express thanks to the man?
- A. He'll drive her home.
B. He'll shop with her.
C. He'll entertain her friends.
11. What's the advantage of a convenience store for the man?
- A. Long business hours. B. The low price. C. Much selection.
12. What will the woman do next?
- A. Eat hamburgers.
B. Stay at the cash counter.
C. Compare different brands.

听第 9 段材料，回答第 13 至 16 题。

13. How old is Katie now?
- A. 10 years old. B. 13 years old. C. 23 years old.
14. What does Katie think of literature?
- A. Boring. B. Useless. C. Interesting.
15. What does Katie probably do?
- A. A student. B. A model. C. A magazine editor.
16. According to research, what can Katie do to help her read more literature?
- A. Read on longer flights.
B. Read at least ten pages.
C. Read before going to bed.

听第 10 段材料，回答第 17 至 20 题。

17. When will the race be held this year?
- A. On Friday. B. On Saturday. C. On Sunday.
18. Where does the race start?
- A. At the football ground.
B. On the north side of the park.
C. At the main entrance of the park.
19. What can every runner get this year?
- A. A T-shirt.
B. A water bottle.
C. A pair of running shoes.
20. Who can run in the race free of charge?
- A. Children under 8 years old.

- B. Adults registering in advance.
- C. Children between 8 and 15 years old.

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

As parents, most of us are keen to encourage a love of reading in our children but sometimes it can be hard to know how to do this. All four of these books contain loads of useful tips about how to get your kids into reading and stand out as my favorite books. The books should be widely available in libraries and bookshops. You can also buy them online with free postage anywhere in the world through the Book Depository.

Rocket Your Child into Reading

Best known as an Australian children's author, Jackie French also struggled at school with reading and writing and knows first-hand all about the impact these struggles have on a child's self-esteem and attitude to school and learning. In this book, Jackie looks at the different ways children learn. She has some wonderful ideas about how parents can help struggling readers.

Reading Magic

The book is beautifully written with lots of information about the importance of reading aloud to children. As well as being an author of the most beautiful picture books for young children, Mem Fox is also a teacher and literacy advocate so her advice is backed up with lots of research. Reading Magic is quite a short book, full of humor and very easy to read.

The Reading Bug

Before Paul Jennings started writing fulltime, he was a special-education teacher and then a speech pathologist(病理学家). Like Mem Fox, Paul believes parents are the best reading teachers in the world and that parental involvement is key to a child learning to read and use language. This is another easy-to-read book which presents simple strategies to show how parents can use books to enrich their children's lives.

The Read-Aloud Handbook

This book was originally published in 1979 and is still in print. It contains many ideas to encourage reading in children. Originally a journalist, Jim Trelease has some interesting things to say about the US education system, with its emphasis on testing almost to the exclusion of all else. Like Mem Fox, Jim is a passionate advocate for children's literacy and the importance of reading to children.

21. Which book can better help children with reading difficulty?

- A. *Reading Magic*.
- B. *The Reading Bug*.
- C. *The Read-Aloud Handbook*.
- D. *Rocket Your Child into Reading*.

22. Who is both a teacher and an author while creating works?

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| A. Paul Jennings. | B. Jim Trelease. |
| C. Mem Fox. | D. Jackie French. |

23. What do the four books have in common?

- A. They are all newly-printed books.
- B. They are beautiful picture books.
- C. They are offered to children for free.
- D. They are books about raising readers.

B

With more than 46,000 of them in the UK, convenience stores used to be a feature on almost every residential corner-but the number of corner shops is in decline. The growth of corner shops was prevented by the cruel march of the big four supermarkets' formats when Tesco bought the T & S group of convenience stores. Even more significantly, corner shops are starting to change hands as their original owners retire. So can the tradition be saved?

Sure, there's always a way out. Far from a struggling corner shop, Wigston Fields News & Deli is becoming a lighthouse for food lovers across the region. Pratik, the shopkeeper of Wigston Fields News & Deli, was named as Local Food Hero by the regional Great Taste Club in their annual awards in 2020 and his customers value what Wigston Fields News & Deli offers.

"I feel proud to continue my parents' legacy," says Pratik. "I barely set foot in the shop until my mother passed away in 2012, but then it became important for me to continue the work she loved. I am proud to take the flag from her and continue to serve my community."

At present, he is well on his way to achieving a commercial as well as community success. On the shop's popular social media page, customers share orders for special menus of locally produced food and enjoy the wonder about Pratik's samosa (萨莫萨三角饺) consumption. These samosas are held to be the best in the city, so the tiny shop sells nearly 900 samosas a week, up from just 50 a week 3 years ago.

"I hope our success will inspire others and show that shop-keeping is a rewarding choice, not a dead-end job," Pratik says. "We work hard, and our customers have become like family to us, so I can't imagine enjoying any other job quite as much."

This is one of independent corner shops whose fortunes are on the rise. Surely, we'll see more in the future.

24. What does paragraph 1 mainly tell us about corner shops?

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| A. Their major formats. | B. Challenges they face. |
| C. Their complex features. | D. Competitors they meet. |

25. What made Pratik begin to follow in his mother's footsteps?

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| A. His mother's death. | B. His parents' retirement. |
| C. His desire to serve the community. | D. His intention to continue family legacy. |

26. Why was Pratik's samosa consumption mentioned in paragraph 4?

- A. To show the consumers' support.
- B. To prove Pratik's commercial success.
- C. To promote Pratik's successful pattern.
- D. To introduce special dishes in the shop.

27. What is the author's attitude towards corner shops?

- A. Doubtful.
- B. Concerned.
- C. Conservative.
- D. Optimistic.

C

Recovering strength and movement after an injury often involves physical therapy(治疗). Physical therapists help patients with brain or bone injuries regain control of their muscles. Exercising muscles plays an important part in the restoration process. Therapists use balls and boards to improve balance, stretchy bands to increase strength and other exercises.

But a Polish technology company Egzotech has developed a robot called Luna, to make those exercises interactive. Luna can help therapists choose the best exercises for their patients. The robot also provides therapists with information about their patients' progress.

Luna uses electromyography, or EMG, to identify electrical currents as patients bend their arms or legs. Michal Mikulski is the chief executive officer of Egzotech. He says detecting muscle tension not immediately visible to the human eye can help therapists design better exercises.

"We reach a certain stage of disease development when the muscle tension is not even visible. But these signals can still be seen on our machines. Luna is still able to detect them. And based on that, when the brain sends a signal to the muscle to flex(紧绷), even though we don't see it, Luna is still able to detect it. It detects these signals and causes the movement of the limb(肢), as if it were performed naturally."

Luna can also make therapy fun for children who often get bored with repeated movements. Luna permits them to play games without knowing that they are exercising their muscles.

"Sometimes it is a spacecraft, sometimes shooting balls, sometimes flying a dragon. In any case, a child wants to win a game, wants to compete, but in fact they are exercising."

Luna is just an original model. But Egzotech expects to have other robots ready for sale later this year.

28. What's the function of paragraph 1?

- A. To introduce the topic of the text.
- B. To explain how exercising muscles works.
- C. To introduce a new kind of physical therapy.
- D. To show patients how to recover from injuries.

29. What can Luna do?

- A. Aid the patients to interact with their therapy.
- B. Help to produce advanced medical devices.
- C. Provide new methods of treating diseases.

- D. Inform therapists of patients' improvement.
30. What is the text mainly about?
- A. A new era of robot.
B. Luna-a new robot.
C. New control of muscles.
D. Best exercises for patients.
31. In which section of a newspaper may this text appear?
- A. Education. B. Lifestyle. C. Technology. D. Sports.

D

Ice-coated vines (葡萄藤) stretched across hillsides around Chablis, France, as the region woke Monday to the temperature of -5°C . Fruit growers are worried that the frost will kill off large numbers of early buds(花蕾) and disturb the whole growing season.

The frost is particularly disturbing after a similar phenomenon hit French vineyards last year, leading to some 2 billion euros in losses. Scientists later found that the damaging 2021 frost was made more likely by climate change.

Some growers tried to warm the vines with electrical lines, or set up special watering systems, or sprayed(喷洒) the buds with water to protect them from frost. The water creates a thin layer of ice that ensures the buds' temperature remains around freezing point but does not drop much lower.

Daniel Defaix, whose vineyard has been producing wine for 400 years and lived through many climate disasters, calls what's happening now "a very, very serious frost." He placed candles on the soil to protect about five hectares of his most valuable grapes, but had to leave the remaining 25 hectares to face the forces of nature. At a cost of 10 euros per candle, and 600 candles per hectare, it was too costly to save the rest of the grapes.

The 2021 April frost led to what French government officials described as "probably the greatest agricultural disaster of the beginning of the 21st century." The pattern was similar: an intense April 6 to 8 frost after a lengthy warm period in March. The researchers concluded that the warming caused by humans had coaxed the plants so that they exposed their young leaves earlier than usual, before a burst of Arctic cold reached Europe in April.

32. What did Daniel Defaix do to protect his vines?
- A. Heat the vines with electrical lines. B. Spray the buds with water.
C. Set up special watering systems. D. Warm the vines with candles.
33. What can we infer from the text?
- A. Growers can save most of their crops.
B. The 2022 frost is the worst in history.
C. Humans are to blame for the damage.
D. The weather last March was normal.

34. What does the underlined word "coaxed" in the last paragraph mean?
- A. Protected. B. Dried. C. Tricked. D. Delayed.
35. What is the best title of the text?
- A. Causes of Early Budding
- B. Late Frost Threatens Vine Crops
- C. Creative Ways to Save Vines
- D. Global Warming Brings Extreme Weather

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。

A crash helmet is a protective helmet which is designed to prevent head injuries in a crash. Numerous scientific studies have demonstrated that wearing a crash helmet in a crash greatly reduces the risk of injuries. 36 In areas where such helmets are not required, they are often in common use among cyclists, motorcyclists, and other individuals who are vulnerable to injuries in crashes.

Helmets have not always looked like the modern, encased units we are used to in today's world. They were actually fairly simple. 37 Today, nearly every professional sport requires players to wear helmets with the express purpose of making concussions（脑震荡）and brain injuries less serious.

Typically, a crash helmet has a hard outer shell which is designed to resist penetration（穿透），and a thick foam inner lining. As a general rule, once a crash helmet has been involved in an accident, even if it appears to be in good shape, the integrity of the helmet may have been damaged. 38

A crash helmet can have a number of different styles. 39 It is important to fit a crash helmet properly, so that it does not wiggle or move on the head, as an ill-fitting helmet will not provide adequate protection in a collision.

40 In addition to bicyclists and motorcyclists, test pilots, stunt drivers, horseback riders, race car drivers, and people who engage in various motocross sports should all wear crash helmets for protection. The use of helmets is also strongly recommended for many sports such as American football and hockey.

- A. Therefore, it must be thrown away.
- B. Many people can benefit from wearing a crash helmet.
- C. The most common motorcycle helmet is the full face helmet.
- D. So crash helmets are required by law in many regions of the world.
- E. All of them are designed to cover the head and at least part of the face.
- F. Football helmets are some of the most recognizable pieces of sports equipment.
- G. However, the reason they were worn has remained the same throughout history.

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。

My sister Blythe is one of the highest achievers I've ever known. Growing up, she was 41 in absolutely everything. She remains the most gifted 42 I've ever met. She's received many prizes in sports competitions.

2007 was 43 for our family. We lost our brother in July to cancer. After over a year, I had no choice but to put one 44 in front of the other. It happened only because the sun continued to rise day after day. At the same time, Blythe 45 and committed herself to efforts that demanded her 46 best, including a fourth place finish in her final Olympics. We watched nervously. Fourth can be a 47 place to get in a highly competitive competition like this. We released a collective sigh of 48 and cheered when we saw her huge smile.

She has since 49 gracefully from the sport. Needless to say, she continues to 50 herself, winning cooking competitions and doing well in flag football. Meanwhile, I'm always at home in her 51 whenever necessary.

I have watched Blythe with 52 and in wonder since my earliest memories—I 53 do now.

I have worried about every risk, wishing I could protect her from every hurt, and smiled happily with 54 at every reward. Knowing that the very person I have watched grow up from the beginning is the one who has lived the best life helps me believe that I 55.

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| 41. A. brilliant | B. active | C. engaged | D. absorbed |
| 42. A. expert | B. student | C. athlete | D. performer |
| 43. A. meaningful | B. cruel | C. significant | D. frightening |
| 44. A. view | B. point | C. hand | D. foot |
| 45. A. started off | B. pulled together | C. held on | D. rose up |
| 46. A. constant | B. absolute | C. extra | D. initial |
| 47. A. tiredness | B. relief | C. admiration | D. sympathy |
| 49. A. retired | B. benefited | C. separated | D. suffered |
| 50. A. change | B. fight | C. win | D. challenge |
| 51. A. memory | B. company | C. place | D. opinion |
| 52. A. amazement | B. curiosity | C. anxiety | D. disbelief |
| 53. A. still | B. barely | C. already | D. simply |
| 54. A. envy | B. pride | C. dignity | D. ambition |
| 55. A. succeed | B. shine | C. mature | D. matter |

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 excellent warship crews have been trained on aircraft carrier the Liaoning of the People's Liberation Army Navy. As the only female deck operation officer on it, Remila Dabul of Kazak ethnicity (哈萨克族), 56 story was reported by the media in January, has attracted much public attention.

Before 57 (work) on the deck, Remila was a radar and telephone operator. But when she first saw a J-15 fighter taking off, the idea of working alongside it crossed her mind. So eager was she 58 (be) a crew member that she overcame many difficulties and ultimately became 59 (qualify).

During her work, Remila wears a blue helmet, goggles, and blue suits. After a J-15 lands, 60 she needs to do is to carry the heavy wire after getting signals and run to the fighter to take a series of 61 (action) for a quick installation. "The 62 (high) risk our work is, the firmer belief we should have," said Remila. She has put her belief 63 practice in her daily security and guarantee work.

This year, Remila 64 (spend) her fifth Spring Festival aboard the carrier. Remila said, "I miss my parents in Xinjiang. I love my career and am willing to shoulder the 65 (responsible) to safeguard the happiness and peaceful life of millions of families in the motherland."

第四部分 写作（共两节，满分 40 分）

第一节 （满分 15 分）

假定你是李华，是学校英语戏剧社的社长。正值社团成立五周年，学校将举办一系列的活动，打算邀请外教老师 Mary 参加。请你给外教老师写一封邮件，内容包括：

1. 写信目的；
2. 活动时间、地点和内容；
3. 你的期待。

参考词汇：周年纪念日 anniversary

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 Mary,

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。

I love to play the piano and I greatly enjoy performing my songs, so when the annual winter recital(独奏会)was canceled, I was disappointed. I had looked forward to it for a longtime and had already prepared two of my best songs.

My mom had a wonderful idea, however, to turn this disappointing letdown into something worthwhile. "You can perform your songs at Carriage House Senior Living," my mom suggested brightly. "I'm sure the seniors there who do not have families visit them that often, would really appreciate the music and you could play more than just two songs."

I immediately thought this was a great idea. One of the things I did not like about the recitals was that I was limited to playing just a couple of songs. Playing the piano at Carriage House Senior Living seemed like a win-win situation because not only would I get to play more songs, but I would also have the chance to cheer up the residents there with some lively tunes. My mom called Carriage House Senior Living and made arrangements for me to perform. In the coming days, I worked especially hard to polish up fifteen pieces that I thought the crowd would enjoy, including many old classics.

When the much-anticipated day finally arrived, my family and I drove to Carriage House Senior Living. Walking through the enormous double doors, we stepped into an entryway that overlooked the spacious grand dining room. Right at the entrance to the dining room stood the piano as if it were just waiting to make some music to liven the place up a bit. At nearly every table several gray-haired women or men were seated enjoying their dinner and the company that the crowded room provided. Despite the conversations going on at various tables though, isolation hung like a dark cloud in the room.

Almost immediately, we were greeted by an old woman with a walker who introduced herself as Phyllis in charge of Carriage House Senior Living. She welcomed me and led me to the stage.

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。

As I sat down on the bench, I pressed a key on the piano and was surprised to hear no sound.

Nervousness melted away and I started to enjoy the performance with the old.