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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。

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1. Who is probably the author?
A. A subscriber. B. A servant. C. A designer. D. An editor.
2. What may cause your payment to cross with the invoice?
A. Absence of your current mailing label.
B. Your failure to give six weeks advance notice.
C. The trouble to put a perfume strip in the magazine.
D. Invoice printed one week earlier and the delivery time.
3. How can you get further information about the privacy policy?
A. By mail.
B. By telephone.
C. By checking out its website.
D. By visiting the magazine office.

B

My husband tells me that I am not a patient woman. And he is right. There is one area, however, where I have been the defender of patience and perseverance: motherhood.

For more than 25 years I have raised two kids, wiping bottoms, chasing and cajoling (哄); combed and washed; with bedtime stories, and never questioned the timeline. Those little milk suckers have taken more than their daily amount of my existing patience and willpower. Don't be fooled — babies suck out more than breast milk. Even before they emerge, they steal from your very bones, which my osteopath (骨科医师) can confirm. I have painstakingly brought them up, and the last has just flown the nest proudly this month — off to university in the big smoke, just like his sister.

It seems amazing that human beings are the only animal to take 18 years or more to fledge (长羽毛). Think of the caterpillar that hatches and grows into a butterfly all on its own. Or the baby horse that comes out and starts walking straight away. But the human baby sucks the life out of you for nearly two decades. "Creating and raising another human being", as my father would say, "could mean the difference between freeing a killer or a lifesaver into the world".

But mothers and fathers, make sure your existence does not rise and fall with their every breath. When they excitedly walk out the door, you will need something to fill the blank.

There is no school run or bedtimes. The only problem is that now you want to go to bed at the same time that your kids used to. My husband and I look at each other at 8 p. m. and our dry eyes say sleepy — time admittedly to go up to bed and watch an hour of TV or more. If I had had learned anything in all my years of motherhood, it would be more efficient with my spare time; now I am to be even more efficient with the time I have left.

4. Which word can best describe the author's tone in paragraph 2?
A. Humorous. B. Grateful. C. Regretful. D. Anxious.
5. What do the words by the author's father stress?
A. Children are born kind.
B. Children should grow freely.
C. Parenting is socially meaningful.
D. A killer is different from a lifesaver.
6. Why do the couple go to bed at 8 p. m. as before?
A. Their kids tell them to.
B. They are tired and sleepy.
C. They miss their kids so much.
D. They lack hobby to pass time.

育—上—强—力 共—建—美—好—家—园

7. What is the text mainly about?
- A. Joys and sorrows from raising kids.
 - B. Marriage and constant understanding.
 - C. Loss and hesitation after kids flying the nest.
 - D. Motherhood challenges and the following wound.

C

“The Manuscript Writing Cafe only allows in people who have a writing deadline to face!” owner TakuyaKawai tweeted. “It’s in order to maintain a level of focus and tense atmosphere at the cafe! Thank you for your understanding.”

The cafe charges customers by time used (it operates at a rate of 150 yen or \$1.32 per 30 minutes), and is equipped with USB ports, computer stands, and free Wi-Fi. Struggling writers can also bring their own food and drinks, or have it delivered there since coffee and water are the only things available, but it’s pretty strict when it comes to the actual writing.

Although the Manuscript Writing Cafe actually accepts a wide range of writers, from translators and copywriters to novelists and proofreaders, the rules are the same for everyone. When entering the cafe, customers must write down at the reception desk how many words they plan to write and by what time they plan to finish. Every hour, a member of the staff will come by to check on their progress and apply a predetermined pressure level to help move things along. For example, choosing the “S” course will have the cafe staff more militantly pushing you to get the work done, while the “M” course involves a milder approach.

However, the craziest rule of the Manuscript Writing Cafe is that writers are not allowed to end their session until reaching their declared goal or until the place closes down for the day, whichever comes first. It’s not clear how the cafe carries out this rule, but it is meant to keep customers from declaring ambitious targets that they won’t be able to meet.

While some found it interesting, others said that it was too much pressure. “If it were me, I would no longer be able to leave the store and would end up having to live there,” one person commented.

8. What’s the purpose of opening the Manuscript Writing Cafe?
- A. To push people to finish writing on time.
 - B. To provide a shelter for struggling writers.
 - C. To keep writers from writing themselves out.
 - D. To make people understand a business concept.
9. What can we learn about the rules of the cafe?
- A. The cafe serves food and coffee.
 - B. The customers are totally left alone.
 - C. The cafe is paid by time spent there.
 - D. No plan is required of those with light task.
10. What does the underlined word “militantly” mean in paragraph 3?
- A. Elegantly.
 - B. Patiently.
 - C. Secretly.
 - D. Forcefully.
11. How does the cafe prevent customers making impractical plan?
- A. They will be spotted and driven out.
 - B. They can’t leave until reaching their goal.
 - C. They are locked in the cafe with no supply.
 - D. They will be double fined for failing the goal.

D

Researchers at the University of California, Santa Barbara have designed a one-foot device that can jump more than 30 meters in the air, three times the current record for a jumping robot.

"The motivation came from a scientific question," the lead author Elliot W. Hawkes, a mechanical engineer at UC Santa Barbara, says in a statement. "We wanted to understand what the limits were on engineered jumpers."

"Many mechanical jumping systems are based on biological jumpers — or those in the animal kingdom, but animals have limits to their jumping ability based on how much energy they can produce in a stroke (收缩) of their muscle," Charles Xiao, a researcher in Hawkes' lab, says in the statement.

Researchers in this study took a different approach, using a motor to take multiple strokes and increase the amount of stored energy in the spring. The small motor winds up a line that presses the spring, which is made of carbon-fiber compression bows (压缩弓) and rubber bands. When a release mechanism is unlocked, the device launches into the air.

Because the stored energy is greater, this device's spring-to-motor ratio (比率) is also larger than what's seen in the animal kingdom by about 100 times. The device is lightweight and aerodynamic, which allows it to jump the height of a 10-story building and increase its speed from zero to 60 mph in nine meters per second.

While this kind of device could be used to navigate difficult lands on the Earth, researchers say it could reach heights even greater on the moon, where gravity is weaker.

"On the Earth, jumping robots could overcome obstacles previously only navigated by flying robots while collecting vision-based data of the ground below," write the authors. "On the moon, the jumps of the presented jumper would be even higher: 125 meters high while covering half a kilometer in a single bound.

12. What inspired the design of the device?

- A. A scientific question. B. A mistaken recognition.
C. The limit to engineer ability. D. The record of robotic flexibility.

13. How is the innovation of the device presented?

- A. By making comments. B. By giving examples.
C. By making comparisons. D. By giving definitions.

14. What does paragraph 4 mainly talk about?

- A. How the device works. B. Who is in favor of the idea.
C. When the mechanism is unlocked. D. What causes the device to jump high.

15. What can the device be used to do?

- A. Push through crowded streets. B. Store greater energy for long.
C. Collect research data in time. D. Help do surveys on the moon.

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。

If you are thinking about going on a camping trip, wait a minute. Pack your bags before you start.

Bring plenty of food and cooking tools. This is to save money and time. Money spent on each meal will add up. 16 Pack perishable (易腐的) foods in a cooler with ice. Bring nonperishable snacks to snack on. If you plan to cook, purchase a portable gas stove that runs on batteries.

17 Find a tent that will accommodate your group, or buy a one-person tent if you want to

sleep alone. Visit an online retailer like Amazon, or visit a sporting store to pick out your tent in person.

Bring a sleeping bag and sleeping pad (垫子). Purchase a sleeping bag that features warming your body for cold weather, and one that keeps you cool for summer. 18 Pillows may seem like a luxury item but they make camping much more comfortable.

Consider bringing a canopy (罩篷). It can provide you with some shade and shelter. It also serves as a place for friends to gather during breaks, and as a place to eat meals. Double check to be sure your camping site is big enough to fit a canopy, and to make sure they are allowed. For maximum comfort, 19

Pack for the drive home, too. When you return to your car after the camping trip, 20 Pack a bag of warm, clean clothes, water, snacks, a towel, and some relaxing music to leave in the car. Bring anything else that will keep you comfortable for the journey home.

- A. Purchase a tent to sleep in.
- B. Don't forget to bring a pillow.
- C. Be sure to have your cell on hand.
- D. you're likely to be worn-out and hungry.
- E. you may desire some coffee for the morning!
- F. And the lines to buy food will often be very long.
- G. you can buy a foldable table and chairs to put in the canopy.

第二部分 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。

Do what you do with affection and a modest (谦虚的) heart. If you don't 21 what you do, you're probably doing the wrong job; if you are 22 about what you have achieved, then you will make greater effort to 23 further. I learned this from two beautiful ladies, the Anthem singers, whom I met in my job.

The first lady 24 with the most beautiful opera voice. I asked her what she saw as her future in our country. Immediately and 25, she replied that she wanted to 26 her wings and go overseas to sing in all the opera houses, and become famous. But she has never been 27 since.

When it was the other lady's turn, however, I sensed a bit of 28. She told me that she was not an opera singer, only a 29 lady. Our conversation went well. I decided to 30 her singing and send her the clip (片段). In return she 31 it on social media. One night, I received a message from her, 32 me for the video, which brought her plenty of helpful comments and 33 for professional courses.

A year later I saw her graduating as a(n) 34 student, still humble. I recalled a quote, saying "Mere talent does not give glory to life, but a humble heart does". I knew a bright tomorrow was 35 before the "normal" girl and so it was, as it turned out.

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| 21. A. love | B. plan | C. figure | D. stress |
| 22. A. particular | B. anxious | C. humble | D. certain |
| 23. A. change | B. compete | C. progress | D. communicate |
| 24. A. sang | B. shouted | C. praised | D. explained |
| 25. A. painfully | B. contentedly | C. awkwardly | D. respectfully |
| 26. A. relax | B. spread | C. shake | D. protect |
| 27. A. relied on | B. sent away | C. heard of | D. laughed at |
| 28. A. pride | B. cruelty | C. coldness | D. nervousness |

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| 29. A. normal | B. poor | C. healthy | D. grateful |
| 30. A. watch | B. record | C. remind | D. persuade |
| 31. A. answered | B. described | C. posted | D. celebrated |
| 32. A. dismissing | B. criticizing | C. forgiving | D. thanking |
| 33. A. headaches | B. theories | C. advertisements | D. recommendations |
| 34. A. music | B. engineer | C. foreign | D. native |
| 35. A. trapping | B. stretching | C. pulling | D. sweeping |

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。

Wearing a beautiful cloud gauze (纱) costume designed by herself, Kathrin von Rechenberg chatted with neighbors in a “hutong”, or traditional alley, in the Qianmen area of central Beijing.

Born in Munich, Germany, Rechenberg was so attracted by this delicate, classic Chinese silk at first sight and touch 36 in 1999 she came to China in search of it. Finding this fabric 37 (be), however, more difficult than she had expected.

About a year later, she met her husband Zhang Xiangyun. The couple 38 (find) some fragrant cloud organza weaved (织) in the 1960s and dyed in the 1980s at a time-honored store in the Qianmen neighborhood, 39 she later set up a clothing studio.

After 40 (initial) studying tailoring in Germany, Rechenberg went on to pursue costume design in France. She worked with famous 41 (brand) such as Chanel and Christian Dior after graduation.

“The fragrant cloud organza, also 42 (know) as gambiered gauze, is a handwoven, plant-dyed fabric 43 a long history in south China’s Guangdong Province. As its 44 (produce) involves significant time and unique techniques, the organza is rare and precious,” Rechenberg said.

Zhang noted that with more than 30 times of dyeing (染) and natural drying, the last step is 45 (cover) the fabrics with mud so that the latter’s rich iron elements can react with the silk fiber to change the colors.

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, 你的加拿大网友 Maria 对中国传统节日重阳节很感兴趣, 希望你给她写一封信介绍重阳节。

注意:

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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 Sunday. I had one last patient to see.

I approached her room in a hurry and stood at the doorway. She was an older woman, sitting on the edge of the bed, struggling to put socks on her swollen feet.

I crossed the threshold (门口), spoke quickly to the nurse, and scanned her chart, noting she was in stable condition. I was almost in the clear.

I leaned on the bedrail looking down at her. She asked if I could help put on her socks. I thought I had other priorities on the list. It's my responsibility to arrange the issue. So instead, I launched into a monologue (独白) that went something like this: "How are you feeling? Your sugars and blood pressure were high but they're better today. The nurse mentioned you're anxious to see your son who's visiting you today. It's nice to have family visit from far away. I bet you really look forward to seeing him."

She stopped me in a serious, authoritative voice. "Sit down, doctor. This is my story, not your story."

I was surprised and embarrassed. I sat down. I helped her with the socks. She began to tell me that her only son lived around the corner from her, but she had not seen him in five years. She believed that the stress of this contributed greatly to her health problems. After hearing her story and putting on her socks, I asked if there was anything else I could do for her. She shook her head no and smiled. All she wanted me to do was to listen.

And, not long after, in an unexpected twist, I became the patient, with a diagnosis of multiple sclerosis at age 31. Now, 20 years later, I sit all the time — in a wheelchair. For as long as I could, I continued to see patients from my chair.

注意:

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When my condition affected my hands, I resigned and began to teach medical students.

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