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英语试卷

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本试卷共10页,67题。满分150分。考试用时120分钟。

考试时间:2023年11月15日上午8:00—10:00

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注意事项:

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2. 选择题的作答:每小题选出答案后,用 2B 铅笔把答题卡上对应题目的答案标号涂黑。写在试卷、草稿纸和答题卡上的非答题区域均无效。

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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。

例:How much is the shirt?

A. £ 19. 15.

B. £ 9. 18.

C. £ 9. 15.

答案是 C.

1. What will the speakers do?

A. Buy some gas.

B. Eat out.

C. Cook dinner.

2. What does the woman advise the man to do?

A. Cancel the credit card.

B. Make a copy of his credit card.

C. Ask the bank to cover the damage.

3. When will Alan's birthday party be held?

A. On Saturday.

B. On Friday.

C. On Thursday.

4. Why does the woman make the call?

A. To make an appointment.

B. To reschedule an appointment.

C. To confirm an appointment.

5. What are the speakers talking about?

A. Doing a project.

B. Joining a team.

C. Playing a sport.

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

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作答时间。每段对话或独白读两遍。

听第6段材料，回答第6至7题。

6. Why is the man talking to the woman?
- A. She is paying for parking.
B. She is parking in the wrong place.
C. She is blocking the man's view.
7. What does the woman suggest the man do?
- A. Cut down the tree. B. Stay behind the tree. C. Keep the sign in plain sight.

听第7段材料，回答第8至9题。

8. What can we learn about Harry?
- A. He won the championship.
B. He found the game very easy.
C. He was better at snowboarding.
9. How does Harry feel now?
- A. Refreshed. B. Exhausted. C. Grateful.

听第8段材料，回答第10至13题。

10. What is the probable relationship between the speakers?
- A. Interviewer and interviewee.
B. Professor and student.
C. Director and producer.
11. What is the woman interested in about the man in the first place?
- A. His family. B. His health. C. His background.
12. Why did the man go to a night school?
- A. To achieve his dream.
B. To attempt something new.
C. To get a college certificate.
13. What did the man do last year?
- A. He began to work in the office.
B. He applied for a promotion at work.
C. He finished the computer programming course.

听第9段材料，回答第14至17题。

14. What does the man do?
- A. He's a designer. B. He's a jeweler. C. He's a host.
15. Where does the conversation take place?
- A. In Tokyo. B. In Nova Scotia. C. In Montreal.
16. What major did Shirley switch to in her second year of university?
- A. Jewelry Design. B. English. C. Art.
17. What does Shirley talk about at the end of the conversation?
- A. Her future plans.
B. Her sources of inspiration.
C. Her relevant work experience.

听第 10 段材料, 回答第 18 至 20 题。

18. What might capture a child's attention to a breakfast food?
A. The taste of the food. B. The size of the box. C. The picture on the package.
19. Why do people prefer to buy the product in a reusable container?
A. They think the product inside is cleaner.
B. They think the container is free of charge.
C. They think the container is more beautiful.
20. What does the speaker think of the package?
A. It's a waste of resources.
B. It's a bonus to customers.
C. It's a means of sales promotion.

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, 从每题所给的四个选项(A、B、C 和 D)中, 选出最佳选项, 并在答题卡上将该项涂黑。

A

There are always the same number of restaurants on *The Top 100*, but every year offers more—more quality, more variety, more surprises. What never changes is how a restaurant gets on the list—wonderful food well served in an inviting setting, among which are some Chinese restaurants.

Long Island Peking

Long Island Peking reminds us of the first Chinese foods many of us fell in love with: the roast duck and pork, the lo mein and fried rice, the steamed dumplings and pot stickers. There are more than a dozen dumplings and buns to start the meal, three types of noodles and then meats roasted in the “hung oven”, including Peking duck.

New Fu Run

New Fu Run has been serving the cuisine of Dongbei in Great Neck since 2017. Dongbei cooking tends to be earthier than Cantonese and not as spicy as Sichuan. Treat your taste buds(味蕾) to a cold starter of country-style beef with cucumber and the signature dish—Cumin Lamb Chop. Longing for something more familiar? Call three days in advance and New Fu Run will prepare a three-course meal based on Peking Duck.

Splendid Noodle

It's always a splendid occasion when there's a chef twisting, pounding and swinging ropes of wheat noodles in the air. The most sought-after Chinese noodle houses have an open kitchen where the acrobatics(杂技) are on display. The Stony Brook shop offers this wavy noodle as well as a couple cold noodle dishes in light sesame sauce.

21. What qualifies a restaurant to get on the list of *The Top 100*?
A. Unique dishes. B. A splendid occasion.
C. Great food and environment. D. More quality, variety and surprises.
22. What do Long Island Peking and New Fu Run have in common?
A. They serve spicy food. B. They offer Peking Duck.
C. They have a cooking display. D. They require advance reservations.
23. Where is this text most probably taken from?
A. A cuisine book. B. A restaurant guide.
C. A restaurant marketing plan. D. An online food delivery platform.

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B

My kids sit in Gee's living room and carefully lift antique Christmas ornaments(装饰品) out of a delicate cardboard box. They gasp when they discover a tiny stuffed cat. Gee stands beside them, quietly explaining each treasure. "Ella, the story is that Tom and I built our ornament collection piece by piece during each year's after-Christmas sale," she tells me. She smiles as we leave with the box. Her precious treasures, gathered over a lifetime, have found a new home.

We first met Tom and Gee in the early days of our marriage. Someone had been returning our garbage cans to the garage each garbage day, and Jim and I had wondered who. Then one day we spotted him, an elderly man who lived across the street.

I baked cookies and left them on a stool outside the garage with a thank-you note. When we got home from work that day, a typed letter had replaced the gift. The letter was from Tom and explained how he had come to walk the neighborhood on garbage day, returning cans for people he barely knew. A few years after we'd moved in, Tom died. We photocopied that letter and attached it to one of our own for Gee. We told her how special Tom had been to us. She wrote back and told us she still talked to Tom every day. When Gee invited us over to look through Christmas ornaments, I realized how hard it must be to part with that box, a piece of Tom.

These days, we're piling up boxes of our own. We're planning a move. The house that seemed so huge six years ago is filled to capacity with furniture and books and toys and of course people. We know it's time to go, and yet we can't seem to stick the *For Sale* sign up on the lawn. Gaining a third bedroom and maybe an office sometimes seems like an awful trade for all we stand to lose.

The moving boxes are still neatly packed in our basement, but Jim and I agree to wait until January. This Christmas, we'll decorate our tree with Gee's ornaments, out of the box that is labeled in Tom's handwriting. Maybe I'll talk to him just as Gee still does.

24. In which way did Gee and Tom build their ornament collection?
- A. They developed it through donations.
B. They accumulated it from antique shops.
C. They gathered it from their Christmas gifts.
D. They acquired it through years of purchase.
25. What do we know about Tom?
- A. He left his good deed a mystery. B. He meant significantly to Jim and Ella.
C. He worked for the cleaning department, D. He volunteered to guard the neighborhood.
26. What can we learn from the text?
- A. It is very tough for Gee to give away the box.
B. Ella and Jim are eager to move to the new house.
C. Ella thinks it is a good deal to gain an extra room.
D. Ella's Christmas tree is labeled in Tom's handwriting.
27. Which word best describes the author's attitude to Gee and Tom?
- A. Faithful. B. Sympathetic. C. Affectionate. D. Tolerant.

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C

Farming is destroying the planet, but there could be a much more environmentally friendly way to feed ourselves, using renewable energy to turn carbon dioxide into food. “This is becoming a reality,” says Pasi Vainikka at Solar Foods, a company that is building the first commercial-scale factory that will be able to make food directly from CO₂.

There can be no doubt that immediate attention to find greener ways to grow food is required. Conventional agriculture, including organic farming, causes damage to the environment in many ways. It requires a lot of land, leading to habitat loss and deforestation. It is also the source of a third of all greenhouse gas emissions and releases other pollutants. It isn't very efficient, either. Crops typically transform less than 1 percent of light energy into usable biomass(生物量).

Instead, Solar Foods plans to avoid photosynthesis(光合作用) altogether, and grow bacteria that use hydrogen as their source of energy. At the factory, renewable electricity will be used to split water to produce hydrogen and oxygen. The hydrogen will be added to large containers, where the bacteria grow, along with CO₂ and ammonia(氨气). The end result will be a yellow powder called Solein.

Solein is made of bacterial cells and is up to 70 percent protein. It can be used as an ingredient in all kinds of foods. “We are aiming at replacing animal-sourced proteins, which we think have the highest environmental impact,” says Vainikka.

Compared with plant crops, Solein will use 100 times less water per kilogram of protein produced, 20 times less land and emit a fifth as much CO₂, according to Solar Foods. There are other benefits, too: factories could be situated anywhere in the world and production won't be affected by weather conditions.

“With Solar Foods and other companies scaling up their systems, this is truly beginning a new era of agriculture,” says Dorian Leger at Connectomix Bio in Germany. “I think these trends are exciting and will help bend the carbon curve as well as lead to improved global food supply security.”

28. What is the author's purpose in mentioning conventional agriculture in paragraph 2?
- To demonstrate its influence on crops.
 - To compare different farming methods.
 - To provide an example of agricultural types.
 - To highlight the urgent need for alternatives.
29. What is mainly presented in paragraph 3 concerning Solein?
- Its storage condition.
 - Its production process.
 - Its ingredient materials.
 - Its investment potential.
30. All of the following are the features of Solein except _____.
- it is protein-rich
 - it is resource-efficient
 - its production is weather-sensitive
 - its production is location-independent
31. Which statement would Dorian Leger probably agree with?
- The prospect of Solein remains to be seen.
 - Solein can help achieve global food safety.
 - Solein will dominate the agricultural development.
 - The use of Solein may help reduce carbon emissions.

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D

People in long-term pain are often offered antidepressants, but a review has found little evidence to support using most such drugs in this way.

It is estimated that about 1 in 5 people have ongoing pain, with a variety of causes and in various locations. However, treatment options are limited. While opioid-based medicines(阿片类药物) are effective for new-onset pain, they can be addictive when used long term. Anti-inflammatory drugs(抗炎药物) can treat pain, but can damage organs with extended use.

This may be why some doctors offer antidepressants as treatment for long-term pain, even though the drugs generally aren't licensed for such use. Some people with chronic(慢性的) pain are also depressed or anxious, so doctors could see the medicines as primarily helping with these conditions, but antidepressants are also thought to have a separate painkilling effect. The mechanism is unknown, but one idea is that it stems from antidepressants dampening inflammation, at least in animal tests.

Ferreira and his colleagues conducted a review with a detailed breakdown of the existing evidence, making a thorough analysis of the outcomes of 156 randomized trials involving more than 25,000 participants. They looked at the effectiveness of eight types of antidepressant at treating 22 pain conditions. The team discovered there was no good evidence for the effectiveness of most of the drugs. Only one class showed evidence of effectiveness, but even this class reduced pain only modestly, by less than 10 points on a scale of 0 to 100.

The analysis comes to different conclusions than a 2021 review by the National Institute for Health and Care Excellence (NICE), which said antidepressants were the only class of medicines that doctors should consider for chronic pain, although this should only be after discussing the potential benefits and harms. The difference in conclusions may be because the latest analysis considered each pain condition separately, says Ferreira.

Cathy Stannard, who advised on the NICE guidelines, says the new review doesn't mean antidepressants should be ruled out. "Some people will get a useful benefit and there's no way of predicting who." But there is unlikely to be any "magic bullet" for chronic pain, says Stannard.

32. What contributes to the use of antidepressants to treat long-term pain?
- A. They have a dramatic painkilling effect.
 - B. They have gained approval for treating it.
 - C. They are believed to possess no side effects.
 - D. They are thought to be multifunctional drugs.
33. What does the underlined word "dampening" in paragraph 3 mean?
- A. Worsening.
 - B. Stimulating.
 - C. Relieving.
 - D. Causing.
34. How did Ferreira and his team carry out the review?
- A. By analyzing the results of previous studies.
 - B. By observing patients' reactions to antidepressants.
 - C. By conducting interviews with over 25,000 participants.
 - D. By repeating the trials of antidepressants on participants.
35. What can be a suitable title for the text?
- A. Antidepressants rarely ease pain
 - B. The painkilling effect of antidepressants
 - C. How to tackle long-term painful conditions
 - D. Antidepressants: "magic bullets" for chronic pain

第二节 七选五(共5小题;每小题2.5分,满分12.5分)

根据短文内容,从短文后的选项选出能填入空白处的最佳选项。选项中有两项为多余选项。

How to stop procrastinating(拖延) and make a start

Procrastinating is as much about fear as it is about motivation. Perhaps you have avoided paying bills, outlining a proposal or asking someone out. 36. Fortunately, here are four tips to get you moving again.

Little steps for big tasks.

Most procrastinators tell themselves, "I'll wait until I'm in the mood." Let's face it: you're never going to feel like balancing your cheque-book or cleaning up the mess on your desk. These are boring, unpleasant tasks. 37. One way to do this is to break your job into steps that can be accomplished bit by bit.

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Those who procrastinate often assume that successful people achieve their goals without frustration, self-doubt and failure. This is unrealistic. Highly productive people know that life is frustrating. They assume they'll encounter obstacles; when they do, they persevere until they overcome them.

Tune out negative thoughts.

When you're avoiding a task, it may be because you're feeding yourself unrealistic, negative messages. 39. Once you change your negative thoughts, energy returns.

Give yourself credit.

40. But if you never allow yourself to feel satisfied with your efforts, you'll soon find it pointless to try. So, no matter how small the achievement is, give yourself credit. Then you can tackle your toughest task.

However, if you are sure that there are good reasons why you avoid doing something, you may need to re-evaluate your goals.

- A. Never give up.
- B. Expect difficulties.
- C. Sometimes you simply have to get yourself going.
- D. We usually think of rewards as coming from the outside.
- E. By writing them down, you have a chance of ridding them.
- F. Be here now, and don't worry about things you have to do in the future.
- G. Whatever the thing, putting it off often becomes a bigger problem than actually doing it.

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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,从短文后所给各题的四个选项(A、B、C 和 D)中,选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项,并在答题卡上将该项涂黑。

There was a time in my life when I lost everything. Infected by a rare bacterium, I lost the ability to walk and 41 in a wheelchair. For a whole year, I was bedbound. After that, I lost everything else.

I lost friends, who lost 42 with me and grew tired of waiting for an unlikely recovery. I lost my 43, which I had worked for decades to build—my source of independent income. There went my sense of 44, too. And I lost my marriage. I lost my house after the 45. I had nowhere to live and had to move back in with my parents.

Facing all these losses, most people would fall into 46. And I did experience depression. But, most of all, I experienced 47. I believe that my life could start over. I could 48 not only physically but in all ways.

My health 49 slowly but surely. I 50 made my health a top priority. I ate healthier foods, exercised more regularly, and constantly 51 new ways to reduce stress like meditation and yoga. Then new friends 52 my life. A new job presented itself. A new 53 partnership presented itself as well. I was grateful that these events 54 people's true colors and true integrity.

When bad things happen, it doesn't mean that better things aren't down the line. We just need to 55 hope. It was more important than anything else.

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| 41. A. rose up | B. rolled up | C. ended up | D. turned up |
| 42. A. temper | B. patience | C. cooperation | D. touch |
| 43. A. status | B. wealth | C. fame | D. career |
| 44. A. purpose | B. trust | C. loss | D. shame |
| 45. A. conflict | B. crisis | C. divorce | D. departure |
| 46. A. poverty | B. despair | C. confusion | D. trouble |
| 47. A. hope | B. relief | C. courage | D. strength |
| 48. A. fight | B. respond | C. twist | D. heal |
| 49. A. declined | B. performed | C. returned | D. changed |
| 50. A. accidentally | B. cautiously | C. quickly | D. deliberately |
| 51. A. compared | B. discussed | C. integrated | D. simplified |
| 52. A. entered | B. influenced | C. benefited | D. shaped |
| 53. A. friendly | B. flexible | C. strategic | D. romantic |
| 54. A. revealed | B. marked | C. preserved | D. recorded |
| 55. A. get close to | B. hold on to | C. let go of | D. take notice of |

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第二节(共10题;每小题1.5分,满分15分)

阅读下面材料,在空白处填入适当的内容(1个单词)或括号内单词的正确形式。

The opening ceremony of the Hangzhou Asiad took place on Saturday evening at the Hangzhou Olympic Sports Center Stadium. Over 100 million people 56 (join) on digital platforms watched lighting up the cauldron (圣火盆). "The collective participation of people in the lighting of the cauldron symbolizes the vision of a human community with a 57 (share) future," Sha Xiaolan, chief director and producer for the Hangzhou Asian Games opening ceremony, said at 58 press conference. "I want to thank my team 59 their outstanding efforts," Sha said, adding "Tonight we 'took one step further'."

AR technologies were 60 (main) featured at the opening ceremony, including the AR-generated dome (穹顶) that displayed flying sports 61 (equip) and the AR-generated waterfall that served as a backdrop.

"It was the first time that 3D dual aerial performance technology 62 (use) in a major stadium, and it was very challenging. It was great team efforts 63 contributed to the presentation of the energetic and surging momentum," Meng, the executive director, commented.

The production team also extended their gratitude to the performers, of 64 the majority are university students. Executive director Gao Yan said, "They volunteered their time and efforts 65 (make) the Hangzhou Asian Games a success."

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,你校于上周五举行了趣味运动会,你的新西兰朋友 Terry 很想了解该活动,请你给他写一封邮件,内容包括:

1. 趣味运动会情况;
2. 你的感受和收获。

注意:

1. 写作词数应为80个左右;
2. 请按如下格式在答题卡的相应位置作答。

参考词汇:趣味运动会 Fun Sports Day

Dear Terry,

Yours sincerely,

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,使之成为一篇完整的短文。

"Please, mother, do sit down and let me try my hand," said Fred Liscom, a bright, active boy seventeen years old. Mrs. Liscom, looking pale and worn, smiled and said, "You, Fred, you wash dishes?" "Yes, indeed, mother," replied Fred, "I should be a poor scholar if I couldn't, when I've seen you do it so many times. Just try me."

A look of relief came over his mother's face as she seated herself in her low rocking chair. Fred washed the dishes, and put them in the closet. He then swept the kitchen, brought up the potatoes from the cellar(地下室) for the dinner and washed them, and then set out for school.

Fred did so because the doctor said one day, "Well, madam, it's my opinion that you would have been very sick if you had kept busy." Fred had given up a great deal of what boys like, for the purpose of helping his mother.

The school boys' curiosity was excited when he would give no other reason for not coming to school earlier, or staying after school. "I'll tell you," said Tom Barton, "I'll find him out and boys see if I don't!"

So he called for Fred to go to school, and when he looked into the kitchen window, he saw Fred standing at the table with a dishcloth in his hand.

Of course he reported this at school, and various were the greetings poor Fred received. "Well, you're a brave one to stay at home washing dishes." After school, Fred was crying secretly at night after her mother fell asleep when someone shouted "Fire! fire!" It was Mr. Barton's house. Mr. and Mrs. Barton were not at home, leaving Tom Barton and his sister Katy alone. Without the slightest hesitation, Fred rushed out towards Tom's house.

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。

Paragraph 1:

Fred found Tom trembling with terror outside their house, without Katy.

Paragraph 2:

They had narrowly escaped from the house before it collapsed.

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