

法库县 2020-2021 学年度第一学期八年级期中考试 英语试题

(考试时间: 100 分钟 试卷满分: 100 分)

※ 考生注意: 请把试题答案写在答题卡对应答题处 考试结束后, 马上交答题卡。

一、单项填空 (共 10 小题, 每小题 0.5 分; 满分 5 分)

从 A、B、C、D 中选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项。

- What's your hobby, Tom?
— My hobby is playing _____ chess.
A. a B. an C. the D. /
- Can you tell me _____ about dinosaurs?
— Of course. _____ has learned a lot about them in my class.
A. something; Someone B. anything; Everyone
C. everything; Nobody D. anything; Nobody
- There are _____ floors in the building and Lucy lives on the _____ floor.
A. ten; ninth B. ten; nine C. tenth; ninth D. tenth; nine
- The ancient people often put the tokens (代币) on pieces of string _____ they can carry them around easily.
A. but B. because C. when D. so that
- Why don't you see the film Wolf Warriors II with me tonight?
— I'm sorry, but I can't. I _____ it three times.
A. saw B. see C. will see D. have seen
- Which kind of computers are _____, desktops or laptops?
— Laptops, I think.
A. good B. well C. better D. the best
- Which do young people prefer, music or sports?
— _____ Music is _____ sports.
A. as popular as B. not as popular as
C. more popular than D. less popular than
- Visitors can also climb up the big Merino's head and _____ the view through its eyes.
A. look for B. look up C. look at D. look after
- I hope this exchange visit will be a meaningful _____ for everyone.
A. company B. distance C. experience D. introduction
- Can I ask you some questions?
— _____ You can ask five Yes/No questions.
A. Of course not B. Sure
C. That's right D. You're welcome

二、完形填空 (共 15 小题, 每小题 1 分; 满分 15 分)

阅读短文, 然后根据内容从 A、B、C、D 中选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项。

We are now living in the 21st century. Life now is much more 11. _____ than before. Many 12. _____ have happened. Are you aware of them?

Tony is a student in Grade 8 at an American middle school. He was surprised at his modern 13. _____ on his first day of school.

In Tony's classroom, there are many electronics, like iPads. This term they will 14. _____ the electronics to take notes, watch videos and do some homework. "It's 15. _____," said Tony. "I like using an iPad to work on Maths or other projects 16. _____ my classmates better."

New technology (科技) is used to help students see, hear, touch and experience 17. _____ tasks at times. "Technology is very common in most of our classrooms now," the headmaster said. "We're trying to use technology to open up the world to kids. It can 18. _____ the outside world in."

Mr Miller, a Science teacher, agrees. "It is a 19. _____ way for students to know the outside world," he said.

Mr Miller now considers himself as a guide (向导) of learning 20. _____ as a teacher. "If they have a question to ask me, I will try to teach them 21. _____ to find the answers," he said.

Dale, 22. _____ student, loves technology. He was not 23. _____ interested in classes before, 24. _____ now he likes the classes very much. "It helps me use what I know about technology at school," Dale said. "Most importantly, I 25. _____ the classroom. This, of course, will help my studies."

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| 11. A. easy | B. difficult | C. different | D. dangerous |
| 12. A. activities | B. changes | C. accidents | D. inventions |
| 13. A. bedroom | B. playground | C. library | D. classroom |
| 14. A. allow | B. use | C. want | D. help |
| 15. A. surprising | B. boring | C. relaxing | D. tiring |
| 16. A. on | B. by | C. at | D. with |
| 17. A. our | B. your | C. their | D. his |
| 18. A. bring | B. take | C. go | D. come |
| 19. A. wrong | B. slow | C. quick | D. bad |
| 20. A. because of | B. instead of | C. in addition | D. grand total |
| 21. A. why | B. what | C. when | D. how |
| 22. A. other | B. others | C. another | D. the other |
| 23. A. just | B. really | C. still | D. only |
| 24. A. but | B. and | C. or | D. so |
| 25. A. clean | B. operate | C. enjoy | D. develop |

阅读理解 (共 12 小题, 每小题 1.5 分; 满分 18 分)
 阅读短文, 然后根据其内容从 A、B、C、D 中选出最佳选项。

A

Fashion Dress Shop
New arrivals from Beijing, Shanghai, Shenzhen!
Want to be more beautiful?
Your dream can come true here!
WELCOME!



Patterns				
From	Material	Colour	Size	Price(¥)
Beijing	Silk	White/Blue	M/S	288
	Cotton	Red/Yellow	M/S	128
Shanghai	Wool	Checked(花格子)	M	248
Shenzhen	Cotton	Black/Purple	XL/L	168

Tel:0371-65652345
Address: 288 Dongfanghong Road
Website: <http://www.zzhndzcb.com.cn>

26. The most expensive dress is made of _____.
 A. silk B. cotton C. wool D. nylon
27. How much will you pay if you buy a red dress and a checked one?
 A. ¥ 416 B. ¥ 376 C. ¥ 296 D. ¥ 436
28. Mrs Green is very tall and very fat. She may buy a _____ dress.
 A. red B. yellow C. purple D. checked
29. What is the text above?
 A. A notice. B. A poster. C. A postcard. D. An advertisement.

B

Do you know László Bíró? Maybe you do not, but you probably use his invention every day, and you may even have it in your hand right now!

Bíró (1899-1985) was the inventor of the ballpoint pen. He was born in Budapest, Hungary. In the 1930s, when he worked as a newspaper editor, he used a fountain pen almost every day. However, he had to refill it all the time. The ink also did not dry easily, and it sometimes made a mess on the paper. Bíró wanted a better pen. His brother, George, helped him develop a special ink. The ink dried easily. Then

they developed a new type of pen.

There was a tiny ball at the tip of the pen. The ball rolled ink onto paper as it moved. They called it the ballpoint pen. The ballpoint pen was a great success. Everyone loved it. Now millions of people use it all over the world every day.

People will always remember Bíró for his invention. Today in many English-speaking countries, people still use the word “biro” to refer to any kind of ballpoint pen.

30. Bíró decided to invent the ballpoint pen because _____.
 A. he liked inventing things
 B. he wanted a better pen instead of a fountain pen
 C. he wanted to make more money
 D. his boss asked him to do it
31. Who helped Bíró invent the ballpoint pen?
 A. His boss. B. His friend. C. His father. D. His brother.
32. From the text, we can know that _____.
 A. Bíró was born in Budapest, Hungary in last century
 B. Bíró was a newspaper editor in 1951
 C. there is Bíró's name on any kind of ballpoint pen now
 D. many people use Bíró's invention in the world every day
33. What's the best title of the text?
 A. Ballpoint pens B. A pen giant
 C. Good brothers D. Special ink

C

The movie Ne Zha came back to the big screen in 2019. And lots of people watched it.

For many years, the character Ne Zha has been familiar to many children of China. Most Chinese children came to know Ne Zha from the TV series *Journey to the West* (《西游记》). Of course, Ne Zha in that TV series is not as great as Sun Wukong. But still, Ne Zha is popular in Chinese children's hearts.

Now, the relationships among the characters in the 3D movie Ne Zha are given modern meanings. New Ne Zha in the 3D movie is more than a child. He is happy when he feels the warmth of the family, and he does not hide(隐藏) his anger when he



meets bad men.

It was hard to believe(相信) that a panda-eyed, buck-toothed (龅牙的) child could be a hero(英雄) in hearts of millions of people. But it made it and the movie was a big success. The film's director (导演) and screenwriter is Yang Yu. It took him three years to write this play and two more years to make the cartoon. It is one of the most successful cartoons made in China. You can enjoy the beauty created by high technology when watching it.

34. The underlined word "familiar" in the text means _____.
A. 奇怪的 B. 友好的 C. 熟悉的 D. 陌生的
35. How will Ne Zha feel if he meets some bad men in the 3D movie?
A. Happy. B. Angry. C. Excited. D. Worried.
36. How long did it take Yang Yu to finish the movie Ne Zha?
A. One year. B. Two years. C. Three years. D. Five years.
37. From the text, we can know that _____.
A. Chinese children don't like the movie
B. you can enjoy the high technology in the movie
C. Ne Zha isn't a hero in many people's hearts
D. Ne Zha in the 3D movie is the same as the one in the TV series *Journey to the West* completely

四、回答问题 (共 5 小题, 每小题 2 分; 满分 10 分)

阅读短文, 然后根据内容回答所提问题。

Dear John,

I'm happy that you stayed with us here in China last month. I really enjoyed showing you how to make dumplings and taking you to school with me. My family were all very sad when you went home.

I'm really excited about going to visit your home and your school in California next month, but I'm not sure what to take with me. Is it cold in California? Do I need to take lots of warm clothes? I'd like to take a gift to thank your family for letting me stay with them during the educational exchange. What do you think they would like? I hope you can give me some advice.

I've read a book about American customs to help me get ready for the trip. I'd love to try some real American food and go sightseeing with you.

I've never visited any other country before and I've never been on a plane, but I

think it'll be great fun. I cannot wait to go.

I hope to hear from you soon.

Best wishes,

Li Ming

38. What did Li Ming do when John stayed at his home?
39. When will Li Ming go to California?
40. Why does Li Ming want to take a gift with him?
41. Has Li Ming visited other countries before?
42. What does Li Ming want to do in the US?

五、阅读填空 (共 7 小题, 每小题 1 分; 满分 7 分)

阅读短文, 然后用短文括号中所给词的适当形式填空。

Our school is always asking students to take part in school activities. Every week there is a Film Night of popular Chinese and English films. After the films, there are group discussions, where the audience (观众) can share 43. _____(they) ideas and ask questions about the films. Every two weeks, on Wednesdays, there 44. _____(be) a Cooking Night. Students come and cook delicious Chinese dishes. The 45. _____(one) Thursday night of each month is a Fun Night. Students come to play computer games or to sing karaoke songs. There are karaoke competitions, so young people can 46. _____(come) and show off their voices.

There are also a few short 47. _____(class) on such subjects as Chinese handwriting and the history of China. They are open to the whole city. Every year we 48. _____(have) a special activity with the name "China Night". It is our 49. _____(exciting) and biggest activity of the year. There is traditional and modern Chinese singing, dancing and acting. What a great night it is!

六、综合阅读 (共 10 小题, 每小题 2 分; 满分 20 分)

阅读短文, 然后按要求完成第 50-59 小题。

A

Computer game problems

Good afternoon, parents and teachers. Thank you for attending this meeting.

Last weekend, one of our students went to hospital. The student played computer games on the Internet all day Saturday (A) _____ stopping to drink, eat, or sleep. (B) At last, he became very ill.

(C)Some students play computer games for too long. This is a serious problem. In the past, students used to play outside more often, (D)_____ now they spend more time in front of computers. (E)这对他们的健康有害。

Tomorrow we'll have a few experts here to talk to the students about the bad effects of playing computer games. They'll also give some advice on how to use computers for studying.

I hope we can all work together to (F) stop students from spending too much time playing computer games. Thank you for your time.

50. 在文中(A)和(D)的空白处分别填入适当的单词: _____;

51. 写出文中划线部分(B)和(F)的同义词或近义词: _____;

52. 将文中划线部分(C)改写为:

Some students _____ too long time _____ computer games.

53. 将文中划线部分(E)译成英语: _____

54. 从文中找出能说明本文主旨大意的短语: _____

B

Now, more and more foreigners are living in China. They are studying or working here. They love China and are used to their everyday life. But sometimes they have problems. For example, some of them don't know (A)_____ to give gifts. Here are some suggestions for them.

Bring a gift

In China, it's a traditional custom (风俗) to bring a gift when you are invited to someone's home. Usually fresh flowers and fruit are your best choices. ① So eight apples or eight oranges are a good idea.

Wrap(包起来) your gift

(B)当你买礼物的时候, the seller usually helps you wrap the gift. Don't be surprised if your gift is wrapped. Wrapping paper will make your gift look (C)_____ beautiful. In China, people don't open gifts at once. They usually do it in the evening or after you leave. ②

Give something that can be shared(分享)

③If you have some co-workers, don't give gifts to only one person. You'd better treat them equally(平等的). (D)It's better to give something that can be shared, like food.

55. 在文中(A)和(C)的空白处分别填入适当的单词: _____;

56. 将文中划线部分(B)译成英语: _____

57. 将文中划线部分(D)改写为: It's better to give something that can be shared, _____ food.

58. 在文中①②③选出能够填入 "The number of eight is a lucky number." 的位置: _____

59. 从文中找出两个描述关于送礼物的建议的动词短语: _____

七、阅读与表达 (共2节, A节5分, B节20分; 满分25分)

A) 阅读短文, 然后根据其内容从方框中选出可以填入空白处的短语。

at the fifth; for almost three hours; get out;
read his book; the twenty-fifth floor

One day last week, Sammy worked on the computer for nearly three hours at school.

At about five, he got home and waited for the lift. A girl was waiting too. When the door of the lift opened, they both got in. The girl pushed "10" and Sammy quickly pushed "2" and "5". Then he began to 1. _____ as the lift went up. It stopped at the second floor and then 2. _____, but Sammy did not move. The girl looked at Sammy, and then said, "Excuse me, did you forget to 3. _____?"

"No. I'm going to 4. _____," Sammy answered.

"But you pushed '2' and '5'!" the girl said.

"Did I?" said Sammy. And then he remembered. "Oh, no! I must have pushed both buttons because I worked on the computer 5. _____ this afternoon!"

B) 假如你是李华, 你校将举办一次以 "The importance(重要性) of numbers" 为主题的有奖征文活动, 请你写一篇英语短文参加本次活动。

内容包括:

1. 数字有哪些重要性, 至少写出2点;
2. 对我们生活的影响。

要求:

1. 词数 80-100 词;
2. 可以适当增加细节, 以使行文连贯。