

2020-2021 学年度第一学期期中检测

八年级英语试题

友情提示：请在答题纸上作答；考试时间：100 分钟 总分：140 分

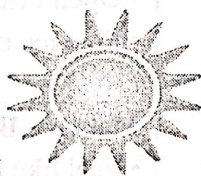
一、听力(每小题 1 分，共 20 分)

第一节：听下面十段对话，每段对话后有一个小题，从题中所给的 A、B、C 三个选项中选出正确的答案。每段对话读两遍。

1. How is the weather tomorrow?



A.



B.



C.

2. What are they going to do today?



A.

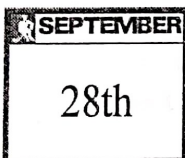


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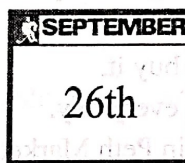


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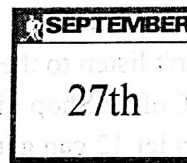
3. What was the date yesterday?



A.



B.

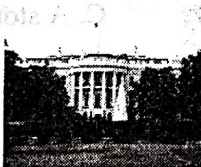


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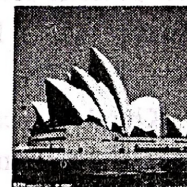
4. Which country does the woman want to visit?



A.



B.



C.

5. How often does the man play ball games?

A. Sometimes.

B. Never.

C. Every day.

6. Where did Tony go last Saturday?

A. To the lake

B. To the zoo.

C. To the beach.

7. What is Mike good at?

A. Singing

B. drawing.

C. dancing

8. Where are they talking?

A. In a museum.

B. In a bookshop

C. In the library.

9. What does the girl think of her school life?

A. Boring.

B. Interesting.

C. Happy.

10. How long did the trip take?

A. Four hours.

B. Five hours.

C. Six hours.

第二节：听下面对话或短文，每段对话或短文后有几个小题，从题中所给的 A、B、C

三个选项中选出正确的答案。每段对话读两遍。

听第一段对话，回答第 11 至 12 小题。

11. Who will give them a talk?

A. A famous art teacher.

B. A famous writer.

C. A famous doctor.

12. Where will they have the talk?

A. In the first meeting hall.

B. In the second meeting hall.

C. In the third meeting hall.

听第一段独白，回答 13-15 小题，完成信息记录表。

Kevin's last weekend	
On Saturday	*He went to the countryside by <u>13</u> . *Kevin and his cousins played games and fed the <u>14</u> .
On Sunday	*Kevin went to <u>15</u> with his father and had great fun.

13. A. car

B. bike

C. bus

14. A. chickens

B. rabbits

C. pigs

15. A. swim

B. hunt

C. fish

第三节：听短文，根据短文内容填入所缺的单词。

Jenny and Mary are good friends. In some ways, they're the same. But in some ways they are 16. Jenny's favorite 17 is Science. Mary's favorite subject is English. Jenny is often 18 and likes reading very much, while Mary often makes others 19 and likes listening to music best. Jenny is good at 20, but Mary is good at basketball.

16. _____

17. _____

18. _____

19. _____

20. _____

二、选择填空（每小题 1 分，共 15 分）

从 A、B、C、D 四个选项中，选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项。

21. -I'm very happy that he is well now. -_____

A. Sorry.

B. Me, too.

C. How cool!

D. I'm OK.

22. --Do you like DIY?

--Yes, I do. I enjoy making _____. That is fun.

A. new something

B. something new

C. new anything

D. anything new

23. Daniel _____ basketball. He never plays it.

A. is fond of

B. unlike

C. love

D. hates

24. People in Britain say "football" while people in the USA say _____.

A. vacation

B. soccer

C. American football

D. eraser

25. --Must I do the project on my own?

--No, you _____. You can work with your classmates.

A. needn't

B. can't

C. shouldn't

D. mustn't

26. There was a car accident on Xuhuai Road yesterday. _____, nobody was hurt.

A. Lucky

B. Luckily

C. Unlucky

D. Unluckily

27. If you want to be healthier, you must eat _____ junk food and take _____ exercise.

A. more, more

B. less, less

C. more, less

D. less, more

28. ---What does PRC _____? --- The People's Republic of China.

A. leave for

B. wait for

C. stand for

D. look for

29. ---Your tea smells great!

---It's from India. Would you like _____?

- A. it B. this C. some D. little
30. --What is your best friend like?
-- He is _____. He often helps others.
A. honest B. helpful C. tidy D. clever
31. --Can you fix your bicycle, Andy?
---Yes. I'm sure that I can fix it _____.
A. myself B. yourself C. itself D. himself
32. ---How does your mother sing? --_____ the famous singer, Deng Ziqi.
A. As well as B. As good as C. As bad as D. So well as
33. --- _____ do you go to the Drawing Club? --- Twice a week.
A. How far B. How often C. How long D. How soon
34. We all believe that things will get better because so many people _____ the poor girl.
A. care about B. hear of C. think of D. look at
35. ---Would you like to help me with my English this Sunday afternoon?
-- _____. I'll be free then.
A. You're welcome B. Sorry, I'm afraid not C. No problem D. Never mind

三、完形填空 (每小题 1 分, 共 15 分)

根据短文内容, 从各题所给的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中选出最佳选项。

John and Bill were good friends. But they didn't see each other 36. One night, they had dinner 37. They talked about movies. But Bill was looking at his 38 all night. And he kept getting messages. "Sorry, John, but I 39 a nice boy last week," said Bill. "We went on a picnic, and it was really fun. So now we have been texting (发短信) a lot." John was happy for Bill. He understood (理解) his wanting to talk to a new friend. 40 Bill's phone kept ringing. John didn't like that. Bill 41 to be tired. "Do you 42 at night, Bill?" asked John. "I usually don't. I 43 go to bed before 11:00 at night. I'm always on my phone or computer before bed. Then I can't 44," Bill said. "It's not a good 45 of sleep," John said. "Don't stay up late. Also, you had better 46 your phone or computer away 30 minutes before bed. And keep your room dark, cool and quiet. Then read a book or something 47 to relax." "It won't be 48, John. I know it's 49 to give up old habits. But I can put my phone away now. It's fun to spend time with 50," said Bill.

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|-------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|---------------|
| 36. very much | B. very long | C. very often | D. too many |
| 37. A. later | B. soon | C. together | D. too |
| 38. A. gift | B. notebook | C. phone | D. picture |
| 39. A. trusted | B. forgot | C. taught | D. met |
| 40. A. And | B. But | C. Or | D. So |
| 41. A. found | B. saw | C. seemed | D. felt |
| 42. A. read books | B. look at your phone | C. play computer games | D. sleep well |
| 43. A. almost | B. ever | C. often | D. never |
| 44. A. stop | B. read | C. play | D. sleep |
| 45. A. idea | B. place | C. question | D. habit |
| 46. A. bring | B. drive | C. put | D. throw |

47. A. surprising B. else C. exciting D. noisy
 48. A. easy B. quick C. fine D. right
 49. A. difficult B. easy C. impossible D. interesting
 50. A. writers B. teachers C. neighbors D. friends

四、阅读理解 (共 15 小题, 每小题 2 分, 满分 30 分)

阅读下列短文, 从各题所给的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中选出最佳选项。

A

J&M Music Store <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rock, pop and country music • Buy CDs new or used • Listen before you buy • Guitar lessons offered 	Peth Market <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fresh fruit and vegetables • Open Friday to Sunday mornings • Free ice cream for children under 12
Times Coffee Shop <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The best coffee in town • Sandwiches, cakes, pies • Open 10:00a.m. — 11:00 p.m. daily • Jazz music (Wednesday to Sunday) 	Macon's B&B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Feel like home when you're away from • We have different kinds of rooms • Delicious homemade breakfast

51. You can go to Times Coffee Shop to have coffee and pies at _____.
 A. 8:30 a.m. B. 9:30 a.m. C. 10:30 p.m. D. 11:30 p.m.
52. Which of the following is TRUE according to the passage?
 A. There is no breakfast at Macon's B&B.
 B. You can't listen to the CD before you buy it.
 C. Times Coffee Shop offers Jazz music every day.
 D. Kids under 12 can get free ice cream in Peth Market.
53. Where is the passage probably from?
 A. A newspaper. B. A dictionary. C. A story book. D. A science report.

B

Once Mr. King had a cat, and he loved it very much. He called it "Sky", because he thought "Sky" was the strongest name in the world. One day he had a meal at a restaurant with his cat. He met his old friend. He told him about his lovely cat and its name. His friend said, "How foolish you are! Sky is not the strongest thing in the world. My cat is called "Cloud" because cloud is stronger than sky. After hearing this, Mr. King called his cat "Wind" because he thought wind was stronger than cloud.

After a few days he suddenly thought that "Wall" was stronger than wind. And "Mouse" was stronger than wall. So he went to his friend to ask for an idea. His friend said, "Don't you think cat is stronger than mouse?" "Yes, but..."

The man thought and thought and then decided his cat's name had better be "Cat" because a mouse was always afraid of a cat. Don't you think Mr. King is very silly or funny?

54. Mr. King _____ his cat very much
 A. didn't like B. hit C. hated D. loved
55. His cat's first name was _____.
 A. Cat B. Sky C. Wind D. Cloud
56. Mr. King called his cat "Cat" because he thought _____.

- A. a cat was always afraid of a mouse
C. a mouse was always afraid of a cat

- B. he liked this beautiful name
D. the name had more meanings

C

In choosing a friend, one should be very careful. A good friend can help you study. You can have fun together and make each other happy. Sometimes you will meet fair-weather friends. They will be with you only if you have money or luck, but when you are down, they will run away. How do I know when I have found a good friend? I look for certain qualities of characteristic, especially understanding, honesty and reliability (可靠).

Above all else, I look for understanding in a friend. A good friend tries to understand how another person is feeling. He is not quick to give his opinion. Instead, he tries to learn from others. He puts himself in the other person's place, and he tries to think of ways to be helpful. He is also a good listener.

At the same time, however, a good friend is honest. He does not look for faults (过错) in others. He notices their good points. In short, a friend will try to understand me and accept me.

Another quality of a friend is reliability. I can always depend on a good friend. If he tells me he will meet me somewhere at a certain time, I can be sure that he will be there. If I need help, he will do his best to help me. If I am in trouble, he will not run away from me.

There is a fourth quality that makes a friend special. A special friend is someone with whom we can have fun. We should enjoy our lives, and we would enjoy our friendship. That is why I especially like friends who are fun to be with. A good friend likes the same things I like. We share experience and learn from each other. A good friend has a good sense of humour, too. He likes to laugh with me. That is how we share in the joy of being friends. And I know that he is looking for the same quality in me.

When I meet someone who is reliable, honest and understanding, I know I've found a true friend!

57. Which of the following qualities does the writer think is the most important in choosing a friend?

- A. understanding. B. honesty. C. reliability. D. a sense of humour.

58. If you have fair-weather friends, _____.

- A. they will give you all that they have when you need help
B. you can be sure that you get real friends
C. you will become rich
D. you will be refused when you get into trouble

59. Good friends shouldn't _____.

- A. understand each other's feelings B. always point out each other's mistakes
C. share the experience and learn from each other D. have fun and make each other happy

60. This passage mainly discusses _____.

- A. how to get along with friends B. where to choose friends
C. the qualities of a friend D. the importance of having a friend

D

There is a big plain(草原) in Tanzania, a country in East Africa. It is so big that people call it Serengeti which means "the land that goes forever". A lot of animals live there.

Many animals travel from one place to another in the world. We call this migration. The Great Migration is when many animals in Serengeti move north to Kenya's Masai Mara, which

is also a plain. The journey from south to north covers about 3,000 km. It is the largest migration of land animals on Earth and it happens every year.

Usually from June to September, Serengeti is in its dry season. The grass-eating animals must travel to find fresh grass to eat and water to drink. Further north, the grass is still growing and the rivers have not dried up. So they follow the grass and the rivers to move. The grass-eating animals are mainly wildebeests (角马), zebras and gazelles (瞪羚). Zebras are often the first to set out, followed by wildebeests and gazelles. As soon as rain arrives in their Serengeti home, they move back south.

It is safer for the grass-eating animals to travel together. If they are separated from the main groups, they can be easily killed by meat-eating animals.

About two million animals go on the Great Migration and they keep moving for most of the year. About half a million will die. But this is the only way that they can live through the long dry season

61. Where is Kenya?

A. It's in South Africa

B. It's in Serengeti.

C. It's on the north of Tanzania

D. It's in the south of Tanzania

62. Serengeti is usually in its dry season _____.

A. from June to September

B. from September to June

C. from October to May

D. from May to June

63. _____ are all grass-eating animals.

A. Wildebeests, tiger, sheep

B. gazelles, lions, giraffes

C. Wolves, sharks, polar bears

D. cows, sheep, zebras

64. How do the grass-eating animals move during the Great Migration?

A. They move about 3000km from north to south.

B. They follow the grass and the rivers to move.

C. As soon as rain arrives in Kenya's Masai, they move back home.

D. Gazelles are often the first to set out, followed by wildebeests and zebras.

65. Which sentence is not true, according to the passage?

A. The Great Migration is the largest migration of land animals on Earth

B. The grass-eating animals must travel to find fresh grass and clean water in dry season.

C. If they are separated from the main groups, they can be killed by meat-eating animals.

D. About two million animals go on the Great Migration and half of them will die.

五. 词语运用 (共 15 小题, 每小题 1 分, 满分 15 分)。

A) 选用方框内的单词或词组填空, 其中有一个单词或词组是多余的。

look through, offered, height, trust, leave, instead of

66. Before reading, I _____ the questions quickly

67. ---What makes good friends?

---That means you should _____ and help each other.

68. You should keep the secret for me _____ telling it to others.

69. When I was in Paris, he _____ me a lot of help.

70. Sandy is a little shorter than me, about 160 cm in _____.

B) 用括号中所给单词的正确形式填空, 使短文内容完整、正确。

October 18th, 2019

This morning I took a bus to school. The traffic is 71 (busy) than usual and there were more people on the bus. At Xinhua stop, I saw an old man 72 (get) on the bus. He looked very weak. There was no seat left on the bus then. I stood up and gave 73 (I) to him. He 74 (thank) me and asked me my name and my school. We talked 75 (happy).

Later in the 76 (three) class, Mr. Li came in and asked me 77 (go) to the front. I didn't know why, so I was a little afraid. Everyone 78 (look) at me at that time. Then He told 79 (they) what I did on the bus this morning. He knew it because he got a phone call from the old man. Mr. Li said I could be a good example to my classmates. I thought it was one of my 80 (proud) day in my life.

71. _____ 72. _____ 73. _____ 74. _____ 75. _____

76. _____ 77. _____ 78. _____ 79. _____ 80. _____

六、根据要求完成句子 (每空 1 分, 不限一词; 共 10 分)。

81 她乐意和朋友分享东西 (根据汉语补全句子)

She is _____ to _____ things with her friends.

82. 学校比丹尼尔的学校少放几个星期假。(同上)

My school has _____ weeks _____ for the summer holiday than Daniel's.

83. a time fly perfect kites what to (!) (连词成句)

_____ to _____ !

84. Mr. Wu is taller than the two girls (写出同义句)

The two girls are not _____ as Mr. Wu.

85. She ran fast. Her brother ran faster. (将两句连成一个句子, 意思不变)

Her brother ran _____ her.

七、任务型阅读 (共 10 小题, 86-90 题每小题 1 分, 91-95 题每小题 2 分, 满分 15 分)

A) 根据短文内容及首字母提示, 写出所缺单词, 使短文内容完整、正确。

James was free yesterday evening. He wanted to do something to kill time. He started to d 86 his bathroom. But sadly, he make a mess.

He decided to put in a new light on the c 87 first. But suddenly all the lights went out. There was a p 88 cut. He had to light a candle. Of course, the light was poor and he couldn't see c 89. As he was putting up a picture, he broke the water pipe. And water sprayed out quickly. He couldn't stop it. Soon there was water e 90 and the bathroom was full of water, too. What could I do? He had to call a worker.

86. _____ 87. _____ 88. _____ 89. _____ 90. _____

B) 阅读短文, 按要求回答问题。

You probably think that there are only sand and pebble beaches in the world. Well, nature never stops surprising you. There is a special beach in Spain. It is a place where you will love to

go and have fun taking photos because there is “popcorn” everywhere on the beach! People call this amazing beach Popcorn Beach. It is in Spain's Canary Islands. From a distance, it looks just like any other beach in the world. But when you look closely it looks like the beach is covered with “white popcorn”. The “popcorn” is actually white coral (珊瑚). The “popcorn” isn't as comfortable as sand, but no one can deny (否认) it's a must-see place. According to local people, Popcorn Beach has been around for as long as they can remember. It has become more and more popular in recent years thanks to social media. Visitors to Popcorn Beach like taking photos of the white beach and posting them online. In the photos, you can see people playfully throwing handfuls of “popcorn” into the air. Some visitors even share photos of themselves pretending (假装) to eat the “popcorn”. Those amazing photos have caught a lot of attention and made the beach a real hit on the Internet.

91. Where is the “Popcorn Beach”?

92. Why does the beach have the name “Popcorn Beach”?

93. What is the “popcorn” actually?

94 Which is more comfortable, the sand or the “popcorn”?

95. How do visitors play with the “popcorn” on the beach? Give two examples.

八、书面表达 (计 20 分)

假如你的学校正在举办以 “My School Life” 为主题的英语作文比赛, 请你依据下表, 写一篇短文参赛。

学校	放学后有许多课外活动。
最喜欢的老师	1、为人幽默; 2、有耐心, 经常帮助我们。
最好的朋友	1、对 DIY 很着迷 (举例); 2、爱好旅游, 经常晒照。
自己	对学校生活的感受 (不少与两句话)。

要求: 1、表达清楚, 语法正确, 上下文连贯;

2、必须包含所有信息, 并作适当发挥;

3、词数在 90 词左右, 开头和结尾已给出, 不计入总词数。

My School Life

My school life is very wonderful.

I hope my school will be better and better in the future.