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八年级 英语试题卷

题号	一	二	三	四	五	六	总分
分值	27	8	25	40	5	15	120
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(温馨提示:请同学们认真答题,并将答案填写在答题卡上)

一、听力部分。(共 27 分)

A) 请听下面 8 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,你都将有时间回答有关小题和阅读下一小题。每段对话读两遍。(每小题 1 分)

- () 1. Where did Kevin go on a trip?
A. To Shanghai. B. To Beijing. C. To Hong Kong.
- () 2. How often does Tom run?
A. Every day. B. Twice a day. C. Never.
- () 3. Which sport does Tom like better?
A. Basketball. B. Soccer. C. Baseball.
- () 4. Where may the two people be?
A. In the living room. B. In the store. C. In the kitchen.
- () 5. Why does Paul think Screen City is the best?
A. Because it is the closest to his home.
B. Because it has the most comfortable seats and the biggest screens.
C. Because it has the best service.
- () 6. How is the service in Danny's?
A. It's good. B. It's bad. C. It's the best.
- () 7. Who loves soap operas?
A. Lily and Tom. B. Tom and Tina. C. Lily and Tina.
- () 8. What does the woman mean?
A. The red skirt is better than the green one.
B. Green is more popular than red this year.
C. Red is more popular than green this year.

B) 请听下面 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,各小题给出 5 秒钟的作答时间。每段对话或独白读两遍。(每小题 1 分)

请听第 1 段材料,回答第 9、10 小题。

- () 9. Who did Rick go to Sanya with?
A. His parents. B. His cousins. C. His classmates.
- () 10. How long did Rick stay in Sanya?
A. For eight days. B. For nine days. C. For ten days.

请听第 2 段材料,回答第 11、12 小题。



- () 11. How many hour does Betty sleep every day?
A. For seven hours. B. For eight hours. C. For nine hours.
- () 12. How often does Betty eat fruit and drink milk?
A. Every Monday. B. Every day. C. Every morning.
- 请听第 3 段材料, 回答第 13 至第 15 小题。
- () 13. What is the girl's friend like?
A. More outgoing. B. More serious. C. More hard-working.
- () 14. What does the girl's friend like doing?
A. Watching TV. B. Playing the piano. C. Playing soccer.
- () 15. Which of the following is true?
A. The girl's friend often helps her do the housework.
B. The girl often helps her friend study.
C. The girl's friend is more hard-working than her.

请听第 4 段材料, 回答第 16 至第 18 小题。

- () 16. Where is Movie World?
A. In the north of the city. B. Close to City Library. C. Behind City Museum.
- () 17. Why does the boy think Movie World is the best?
A. Because is has the newest movie.
B. Because it has the friendliest service.
C. Because it has the biggest screens.
- () 18. What can we know about City Cinema from the conversation?
A. It's the most popular. B. It's the most expensive. C. It's the closest to home.

请听第 5 段材料, 回答第 19 至第 22 小题。

- () 19. When did the students lose the soccer game?
A. This Friday. B. Last Friday. C. Last Thursday.
- () 20. What is Mr. Smith's talk about?
A. Chinese learning. B. Math learning. C. English learning.
- () 21. How long will Mr. Smith's talk last(持续)?
A. For an hour. B. For an hour and a half. C. For two hours.
- () 22. What can we know from the monologue?
A. There will be a report next week.
B. There will be an art festival next month.
C. There was a football match last Saturday.

C) 请听下面一段独白, 根据独白内容完成下列句子, 每个空格不超过 3 个单词。听独白前你将有时间阅读句子内容。独白读两遍。(每小题 1 分)

23. Gina and her family like doing exercise to keep _____.
24. Gina's father likes _____.
25. Gina's mother _____ three times a month.
26. Gina's sister runs _____.
27. Gina plays volleyball with her _____ twice a week.

二、单项选择。(共 8 分, 每小题 1 分)

从题中所给的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项。

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- () 28. —Who teaches _____ English?
—Nobody. I teach _____.
A. you; yourself B. mine; myself C. you; myself D. your; myself
- () 29. It was the first time to New York, so _____ was really interesting.
A. something B. anything C. nothing D. everything
- () 30. Forty-nine percent of the students _____ watching TV in their free time.
A. enjoy B. enjoys C. to enjoy D. enjoying
- () 31. _____ you likes playing football, _____ you can't spend much time on it.
A. Although; / B. although; but C. /; and D. But; though
- () 32. —In our English study, reading is _____ than speaking, I think.
—I don't think so. Speaking is as _____ as reading.
A. more important; important B. important; more important
C. important; important D. more important; more important
- () 33. Guilin is _____ its water and mountains.
A. famous by B. famous for C. famous of D. famous with
- () 34. —_____ do you usually go shopping?
—Once a week..
A. How far B. How often C. How long D. How much
- () 35. There are so many people on the bus that I have no _____.
A. menu B. ticket C. screen D. seat

三、完型填空。(25 分)

A) 请先阅读下面短文, 掌握其大意, 然后从各小题所给的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中选出可以填入相应空白处的最佳选项。(每小题 1 分)

Friends are very important in people's lives. Some friends have 36 views and interests, and 37 like the same things. Should friends be different 38 the same? As for Jane, she 39 to care little about it.

Mary is Jane's best friend. They're classmates and study in the 40 middle school. Though they're quite different 41 each other, they are good friends. Jane is 42, she is better at singing and dancing than Mary. She took part in a dancing competition(比赛) last week and won the first 43. Jane is warm-hearted and always helps bring out the best in Mary. Mary is a 44 girl. She is the 45 student in her class. She never speaks loudly and she 46 ever laughs loudly in public place.

However, Jane's hobbies(爱好) are 47 to Mary's. For example, they both enjoy reading. They can both write wonderful essays 48 reading a lot. As good students, they often 49 their happiness and sadness with each other. All in all, it's not necessary to be the same for friends. Jane is lucky 50 to have a friend like Mary.

- () 36. A. same B. different C. free D. enjoyable
- () 37. A. another B. other C. others D. the other
- () 38. A. and B. also C. or D. but
- () 39. A. seems B. looks C. sounds D. smells
- () 40. A. same B. different C. cute D. small
- () 41. A. of B. from C. with D. as



- () 42. A. popular B. exciting C. outgoing D. interesting
 () 43. A. seat B. place C. screen D. thing
 () 44. A. poor B. ready C. serious D. lucky
 () 45. A. quieter B. quietest C. more quiet D. most quietest
 () 46. A. hardly B. hard C. sometimes D. never
 () 47. A. crowded B. bored C. similar D. same
 () 48. A. instead of B. though C. because of D. but
 () 49. A. share B. give C. show D. get
 () 50. A. well B. enough C. that D. still

B) 请先阅读下面短文, 掌握其大意, 然后用方框中所给词的适当形式填空, 每个词限用一次。(每小题 1 分)

healthy, helps, run, times, away, much, relax, keep, become, little

Do you like running? Running is 51 one of the most popular activities these days. Many of us run for our 52. Doctors say many of the health problems come from bad habits such as eating too 53, drinking too much, smoking, staying up late and not having enough exercise. Doctors tell us, "Eat 54, don't smoke, have enough sleep and exercise more." Running is a good exercise because it 55 build a strong body. It also helps many people lose weight. One 25-year-old woman teacher runs for half an hour in the morning five 56 a week. She runs to lose weight. "I feel uncomfortable (不舒服的) and I'm not fat anymore," she says.

Running is good for health in other ways, too. Many 57 say running makes some small health problem go 58. "Running is my doctor," says a man.

Running can also help people to 59. "After school, I like to run for ten minutes. Then I feel active and energetic," says Yang Min, a middle school student. So today men and women of all ages enjoy running.

Do you want to 60 fit? Come on! Let's start running.

51. _____ 52. _____ 53. _____ 54. _____ 55. _____
 56. _____ 57. _____ 58. _____ 59. _____ 60. _____

四、阅读理解。(40 分)

A) 请阅读下面短文, 根据短文内容从每小题所给 A、B、C、D 四个选项中选出最佳选项。(每小题 2 分)

A

What are your plans for your summer vacation?

Who: All kids from 1 to 14 years of age.

What: Get creative! Send your child's artwork about the summer vacation to us online at artcontest123@sohu.com. Write a short description with your kid's name and age. You can also post it to the Hill Center or the Playseum!

When: Entries (参赛作品) must be sent by 8 pm on June 30th.

Winners will be announced (宣布) at 8 am on July 2nd.

Prize: Winners from each age group will receive:

1 - 7 Year Olds: A birthday party for 7 kids at the Playseum.

8 - 14 Year Olds: Admission (进入许可) to the Jumpstart Drawing and Painting class at the Hill Center on July 12th.



Visit topshelfdesign.net/contest for more information.

- () 61. This notice may be written for _____.
A. people of all ages B. kids of all ages C. school students D. parents with kids
- () 62. If a nine-year-old kid wins the prize, he can _____.
A. have a birthday party at the Playseum
B. go to the Jumpstart Drawing to study
C. have painting class at the Hill Center on June 2nd
D. go on a trip to the Hill Center or the Playseum for free
- () 63. We can visit _____ for more information.
A. the Playseum B. topshelfdesign.net/contest
C. the Hill Center D. artcontest123@sohu.com

B

Britain's first eco-friendly nightclub has opened in London. It is good for the environment and can be a lot of fun.

People dance on a special dance floor. The floor can produce electricity(电) for the club to play music. The more you dance, the more electricity can be made. Such a dance floor can make about 60% of the building's electricity.

It costs £ 10 to join the club, but people who go there by bike, by bus or on foot can enter(进入) for free. The club is run by a very rich man, Andrew. Andrew is also running a new club called Club 4 Climate. He hopes that more young people can help to save the earth.

The club is a new thing for young people. It is also different from other clubs. "There is no greater place than a club only for young people," said Andrew. "Having a dance floor to make electricity is a very exciting and interesting idea."

Besides the floor, scientists say that some people have invented(发明) a new kind of clothing. It can also make electricity. When people wear the clothes, all their movements are changed into electricity.

- () 64. Who can join the club for free?
A. People who get there by bus. B. People who get there by car.
C. People who get there by taxi. D. People who get there by plane.
- () 65. What does the second paragraph talk about?
A. How people can enter the nightclub.
B. Why the floor in the nightclub is special.
C. What Andrew did in the nightclub.
D. Who invented the special floor.
- () 66. Why does Andrew run Club 4 Climate?
A. Because he wants to make some electricity.
B. Because he wants people to dance on a special dance floor.
C. Because he is interested in dancing and singing.
D. Because he wants more young people to help save the earth.
- () 67. What's the best title for the passage?
A. A cheap nightclub B. A nightclub that can make electricity
C. A popular nightclub in America D. The largest nightclub in London

C

It was a cold winter afternoon before Christmas. My parents and I were in the station, waiting for the train. Inside the waiting hall were many people.



A boy sat nearby. His worn jacket, pale face and dirty hands all seemed to tell me that he was homeless.

"He must be cold and hungry. Maybe I should help him," I said to myself.

Just at that moment, a well-dressed young man walked toward him.

"Excuse me," the man smiled. "I bought two meal boxes but one was enough. I hate to waste food. Can you help me out and put this to good use?" he handed the boy the meal box.

The boy thanked him and opened the box with joy and care. Suddenly he stopped—he saw an old man in a worn sweater and open shoes entering the hall.

Putting the meal box aside, the boy stood and helped the old man to his seat. He took off his jacket and covered it on the old man's shoulders, saying, "A kind man brought me this warm meal but I just finished eating. I hate to waste food. Can you help me out?" He placed the still-warm meal box in the old man's hands.

"Sure, son, but if only you share that sandwich with me. It's too much for an old man..."

We were all touched. Dad and I went to buy some cups of hot chocolate and a big pizza. We went up to them, "Excuse me..."

It was so cold that afternoon but I felt warm.

- () 68. Why didn't the boy have the meal?
- A. Because he was not hungry at all.
 - B. Because he didn't like the food.
 - C. Because he wanted to help the old man.
 - D. Because he had a sandwich already.
- () 69. We can guess from what the young man said in Paragraph 5 that _____.
- A. he always bought more food than he really needed.
 - B. he wanted to help the boy in a proper way
 - C. he wanted to sell one of the meal boxes to the boy
 - D. he didn't like to waste some expensive food
- () 70. What did the writer and his father do in the end?
- A. They gave some money to the boy and the old man.
 - B. They bought some food and some drink for the boy and the old man.
 - C. They told the story to their family members.
 - D. They made friends with the boy and the old man.
- () 71. What's the main idea of the short story?
- A. Buy more food
 - B. An unusual Christmas
 - C. A homeless boy's story.
 - D. A warm winter afternoon

D

How do you sleep? Most people sleep on their backs or sides. Do animals sleep the same way? Actually, the ways they sleep are much more different—they can lie down, sit or stand while they sleep.

Swiss scientists did a study on 250 different mammals (哺乳动物). They found that the animals' sleeping **posture** had something to do with their body size and weight.

Small animals with short legs on their stomachs (趴着睡). Their body shape is perfect for this posture. They also like to put their legs under their bodies. Rabbits and cats sleep this way.

But large animals sleep differently. They lie on their sides. That's because this is more comfortable for their long legs. Cows and hippos (河马) often sleep this.

However, there are exceptions (例外). Small animals such as mice sometimes sit down to take a



short nap. Some large animals such as horses, zebras and giraffes sleep standing up. This way, they can quickly escape if they are in danger.

- () 72. What does the underlined word “**posture**” mean?
A. 姿势 B. 海报 C. 邮件 D. 心情
- () 73. What does the passage mainly talk about?
A. Mammal's food B. Mammal's body and their weight
C. Animal's sleeping posture D. Differences between small animals and big ones
- () 74. Which animal sleeps differently from the others?
A. Rabbits B. Cats C. Dogs D. Cows
- () 75. Which is the finding from the Swiss scientists' study?
A. Human sleeps on their backs or sides.
B. Animals' body and weight can change how they sleep.
C. All animals sleep standing up.
D. Large animals don't need as much as smaller animals

B) 请先阅读下面短文, 掌握其大意, 然后根据短文内容从下面方框内的七个选项中选择五个还原到文中, 使短文意思通顺、结构完整。(每小题 2 分)

We know that the exercise on the textbooks and some other books are very useful for language learning. However, I think the way to keep up my motivation(动力) for language learning is to make sure it is fun and interesting. By doing this I find some good ways of turning language learning into my everyday life. 76. _____

77. _____

This is an easy one. For example, you're learning English. Just turn the language of your mobile phone into English. Then you will see many different words and phrases in English, and you will easily remember the words. 78. _____

Listen to music.

This seems like a good one, and is probably the one that you already do. 79. _____ If you always stop the songs for a minute and search for words and phrases that you don't understand, you will make progress(进步) in your learning. Listening to music can not only help with vocabulary but also grammar.

Read short stories designed for your language level(水平)

80. _____ Short stories are good because you can read them in a short time. You can also get an audio-book to keep reading. In this way, you can have more than language input(输入) and can improve your listening skills at the same time.

- A. Listening to music can relax yourself.
B. Reading is probably not your favorite but you must read something.
C. Remembering many new words is difficult for you.
D. Change the language of your mobile phone to your target(目标) language.
E. However, when I say listening, I mean actively listening.
F. So this should be a simple way to learn more without having to try too hard.
G. Here are some ways you can try.

五、补全对话。(5 分)

请阅读下面对话, 根据对话内容从方框中选择恰当的句子填入空白中, 使对话通顺、合理, 意思完整。(每空一句, 每小题 1 分)

A: Hi, Lily! Long time no see! Where did you go?

B: 81. _____ First I went to Chengdu, because my uncle lived there. Then we visited my



grandparents in Shanghai.

A: What do you think of China?

B: It's very wonderful. I like the Chinese food and the friendly people there.

A: 82.

B: My friend, Mary. She likes traveling very much.

A: Really? Is she as outgoing as you?

B: 83.

A: What did you do in China?

B: We went to the zoo in Chengdu to see cute pandas. And we went to the movies when we were in Shanghai.

A: 84.

B: Twice a week.

A: And which theater do you like best there?

B: Of all theaters, I like Movie World best.

A: Why?

B: 85.

A: Wow! That sounds wonderful. I'd like to go there, too.

A. I went to China for summer vacation.

B. Because it has the best service and the biggest screens.

C. How often do you go to the movies?

D. Who did you go there with?

E. No, she is quieter than me.

F. I went to America for summer vacation.

G. Let's go to the movies now.

六、书面表达。(15分)

Linda 和 Jane 是我最好的朋友。她们有许多相似之处,也有许多不同之处。请根据所提示的内容介绍 Linda 和 Jane。

	不同点	相同点
Linda	1. 更高;更瘦;乐于助人,兴趣广泛。 2. 学习更勤奋,更擅长英语。 3. 更安静,经常帮助 Jane 学习英语。	喜欢音乐,经常一起弹钢琴。
Jane	更外向;更喜欢运动。	
评价	

要求: 1. 短文需包括所有提示,可适当发挥;

2. 词数不少于 80;

3. 文中不能出现与你自己相关的真实信息。

I have lots of friends, such as Linda and Jane.

