

2021-2022 学年度第一学期期末考试

八年级 英语 试题

(考试时间: 100 分钟; 满分: 90 分)

Mini -Dictionary

Words

adventure *n.* 历险
calm *adj.* 平静的
career *n.* 事业
cheat *v.* 欺骗
choke *v.* 窒息
conflict *n.* 冲突
conclusion *n.* 总结
courage *n.* 勇气
cyclone *n.* 旋风

decorate *v.* 装饰
description *n.* 描述
doll *n.* 玩偶
entertaining *n.* 请客
expression *n.* 表达
generous *adj.* 慷慨的
gentle *adj.* 温和的
graduated *v.* 毕业
host *v.* 主持

hug *v.* 拥抱
infer *v.* 推断
influence *v.* 影响
inspire *v.* 激励
instead *adv.* 反而
intense *adj.* 激烈的
introduce *v.* 介绍
lonely *adj.* 孤独的
modern *adj.* 现代的

pat *n.* 轻拍
perseverance *n.* 毅力
pipe *n.* 管子
positive *adj.* 乐观的
repair *v.* 修理
specific *adj.* 明确的
suggest *v.* 建议
thus *adv.* 就这样
vacancy *n.* 空位; 空缺

Phrases

fairy tale 童话
Kuala Lumpur 吉隆坡

lose weight 减肥
set off 出发

The Wonderful Wizard of Oz 《绿野仙踪》
types of blood 血型

I. 单项选择 从每小题所给的四个选项中选出能够完成或回答这一小题的最佳答案。(共 10 小题, 每小题 1 分, 共 10 分)

- Sorry, I'm busy today. I have _____ housework to do.
A. much too B. too much C. too many D. many too
- I am going to _____ you on Sunday and go bike riding.
A. catch B. accept C. refuse D. delete
- Thanks for letting us share the problems with you. We feel much better now.
—Just remember: don't keep problems to _____. I am always here for you.
A. myself B. yourself C. yourselves D. themselves
- Can you hang out with me this weekend?
—Sorry, I am not sure. I _____ have to visit my grandparents.
A. must B. might C. can D. maybe
- What is the future like?
—I think there _____ more cities but less pollution.
A. will have B. will C. are going to have D. will be
- James is so careful that he always looks over his exercise to _____ there are no mistakes.
A. make sure B. find out C. think of D. think about
- Can you come and play football with me?
—_____, but I am very busy these days.
A. Sure I will B. I'm afraid not. C. I'd love to D. That's a good idea
- The girl promised _____ swimming with us, but she didn't do it at last.
A. goes B. to go C. going D. to going
- Months of _____ were made for the successful returning of Shenzhou XII in September.
A. competitions B. preparations C. invitations D. information
- If Nick _____ home on time after school, he will miss his favorite cartoon.
A. will get B. won't get C. doesn't get D. gets

II. 完形填空 阅读下面短文, 从短文后各题所给的四个选项中, 选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项。(共 10 小题, 每小题 1 分, 共 10 分)

You never know what you'll get

Stephen Curry

My favorite basketball player is Stephen Curry. Physically, Curry looks ___11___ than most other men. His baby face makes him look even cuter. Curry is very gentle. ___12___ matches are often so intense ___13___ there can be some conflicts between the players. But when Curry meets conflicts, he always stays calm.

At the same time, Curry is the most ___14___ person that I have ever seen. He practices basketball every day to improve himself. Also, he tries to be himself and never be easily influenced by others. I will work harder, trying to become a better person ___15___ him.

——WANG KAILIN, 14



Forrest Gump

Forrest Gump is my favorite film. It is the story of a man with ___16___ name. Although Forrest is not too clever, he is always positive about life. He inspires ___17___ with his childlike heart. Forrest is good at ___18___. He keeps running all his life. What moves me ___19___ is his mother's words, "Life is like a box of chocolates. You never know what you're gonna get."

Whenever I meet difficulties in my life, I always ___20___ Forrest. He not only gives me courage, but also teaches me that perseverance can make our dreams come true. —— LAI ZHITING, 14

- A. older B. younger C. poorer D. richer
- A. Football B. Soccer C. Basketball D. Volleyball
- A. that B. too C. but D. though
- A. traditional B. unlucky C. hard-working D. enjoyable
- A. of B. in C. and D. like
- A. different B. some C. the same D. no
- A. other B. others C. the other D. another
- A. living B. paragliding C. swinging D. running
- A. worst B. biggest C. least D. most
- A. because of B. prepare for C. dress up D. think of

III. 阅读理解 阅读下列短文, A 为选择题, B 为判断正(A)误(B)题, C 为六选五, D 为十二选十。(共 25 小题, 每小题 1 分, 共 25 分)

A

阅读下文, 选择最佳答案 (21~23)

Cecilia: Eddie's having a tasting party this Saturday.

Gloria: No!

Cecilia: And we're both invited.

Gloria: No! I told you I'd never go to any of his tasting parties again!

Cecilia: He said he wanted to share his newest cakes with his dearest friends.

Gloria: If he sees us as his dearest friends, he should stop having tasting parties!

Cecilia: Well, looks like baking really brings joy to his life.
 Gloria: But it takes joy away from mine! Last time I was in bed for three days after his party.
 Cecilia: If you hate it so much, you can just tell him.
 Gloria: Why do I always have to be the bad person? Remember when I woke him up from his dream of making clothes? There was a lot of crying, and he wouldn't talk to me for moment. You do it this time.
 Cecilia: I can't. How am I going to face him in our dancing classes if I tell him?
 Gloria: So we still have to lie at his party again?
 Cecilia: I'm afraid so.

21. What can we learn about Eddie?
 A. His friends think he is a great dancer.
 B. He is taking baking classes with Cecilia.
 C. His friends did not like the clothes he made.
 D. He did not know how to say no to his friends.
22. Which is true?
 A. Cecilia has not talked to Eddie for a month.
 B. Cecilia had a good time at Eddie's last party.
 C. Gloria shared Eddie's cakes with other friends.
 D. Gloria does not want to go to Eddie's tasting party.
23. What does it mean?
 A. Tell Eddie about his baking. B. Tell Eddie to stop telling lies.
 C. Tell Eddie how to find joy in baking. D. Tell Eddie to stop crying over small things.

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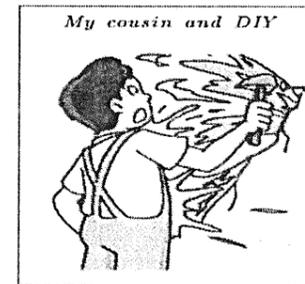
阅读上图, 选择最佳答案 (24~25)

24. Where is the reading material from?
 A. A magazine. B. A smart phone. C. A TV program. D. A newspaper.
25. What does the number "5" mean in the reading material?
 A. There are five tickets left. B. People can choose five programs.
 C. The tables are for five people. D. Five customers want to buy the books.

B

My cousin Andrew is crazy about DIY. He loves to repair things and decorate his house. But when he finishes, the house always looks terrible!

He once tried to put in a brighter light in his bedroom, but he made a mistake. Then his whole house had a power cut. Another time, he wanted to put up a picture on his bedroom wall, but he hit a pipe and filled the room with water.



Last month, he thought the living room in his house was boring, so he painted it blue. His mum said, "Stop it." But he kept on painting. Now the living room not only has blue walls but also a blue ceiling and floor. Even his cat is blue now!

When I wanted a shelf above my bed, he said, "No problem!" He then spent five hours putting up the shelf on the wall. Then I put my books on the shelf. Whoops! They couldn't stay there because one end of the shelf was much higher than the other!

I bought some books about DIY for him and I also advised him to study in DIY. But this just made him angry—he says he already knows everything about it. So instead, I am reading all the books myself and attending lessons every Saturday. Now I know much more about DIY than my cousin!

阅读短文, 做出正(A)、误(B)判断。

26. My cousin Andrew loves doing DIY.
 27. Andrew put a picture on the pipe.
 28. Andrew thought the cat was boring, so he painted it blue.
 29. It took my cousin a few minutes to put up the shelf on the wall.
 30. At last, Andrew got better at DIY because he read all the DIY books.

C

Have you ever read *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz*? Oz is a modern fairy tale of a little girl called Dorothy. She lives on the dry, gray grassland of Kansas. Her life is very boring and the lovely dog, Toto is her only friend. One day, when they are carried away during a cyclone to the magical land of Oz, Dorothy meets a kind witch who tells her to go to the Emerald City and asks the Wizard to help her go back home. Dorothy follows the yellow brick road to the Emerald City and on her way she makes three good friends: the Scarecrow, the Tin Woodman and the

Cowardly Lion. The four friends set off to the land where the terrible witch lives. 31

Lyman Frank Baum is the writer. He was born in a small town in New York in 1856. His father was a businessman and the family was rich. Baum had eight brothers and sisters and his childhood was very happy. 32, he didn't go to school and studied at home with a teacher.

He loved reading. When Baum wrote *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz* at the age of 44, he wanted to write something different. 33.

34. He was a news reporter, a chicken farmer, a salesman and an actor. He ran his own theater and wrote plays for it. He even had a shop. But most of his careers ended in failure. In 1882, Baum married Maud Gage. Together they had four sons.

In 1900, *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz* came out and it was a big success. The book is put into over 50 languages. 35.

Have you got an interest in reading this book now? We are waiting for you!

根据文章内容,从下列选项中选出能填入文中空白处的最佳选项(有一项为多余选项).

- A. Because he was a shy, quiet boy whose health wasn't very good
- B. Some of the readers think that his stories are not educational at all.
- C. Baum had many different jobs before he became a successful writer
- D. And millions of children and adults in the world know and love the story
- E. He mixed reality with the fantasy and magic of traditional European fairy tales in his book.
- F. The story is full of color, but finally Dorothy learns that there's no place like home.

D

从方框中选择恰当的词填空,使短文完整、通顺。(每词限用一次,有两项为多余.)

and, Berlin, no, look for, do not, still, end, through, found, or, handed

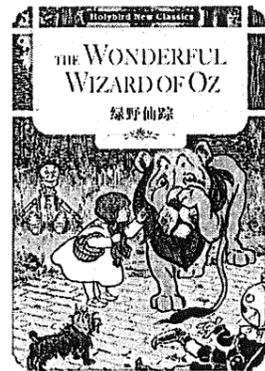
Love leaves, and returns

Have you ever told a lie? Was it good 36 bad for others? What is a white lie?

Franz Kafka (1883-1924), a famous writer, never married and had 37 children. Once, when he was walking 38 a park in Berlin, Germany, he came across a young girl crying. She lost her favorite doll.

He helped her 39 the doll, but they couldn't find it. Kafka told her to meet him there the next day and they would look again.

The next day, when they 40 had not found the doll, Kafka gave the girl a letter "written" by the doll that said, "Please 41 cry. I have gone on a trip to see the world. I'm going to write to you about my adventures."



Thus began a story that went on to the 42 of Kafka's life. Every time they met, Kafka read aloud the letters (which he had written, of course) of adventures that the girl found exciting. Finally, Kafka read her a letter in which the doll said it had finally come back to 43. Then, he gave her a doll that he had bought.

"This does not look like my doll at all," she said. Kafka 44 her another letter that said, "It is my trips that have changed me." The girl hugged the new doll and took it home. A year later, Kafka died.

Many years later, the now grown-up girl 45 a letter hidden inside the doll. The tiny letter, signed by Kafka, said, "Everything you love is very likely to be lost, but in the end, love will return in a different way."

IV. 词汇运用 根据上下文或所给提示填入所缺内容。(共10小题,共10分)

Vince is a cleaner. He has worked in a park for 5 years. He is also a good father. Nothing can make him 46 (happy) than playing with his little daughter in his free time.

Last Tuesday afternoon, while he was cleaning the park, suddenly, he heard a woman 47 (cry) for help. He ran up 48 (quick) to see what happened. The woman's 15-month-old baby girl choked on a small piece of pear and her face turned purple. The baby was so young that she couldn't save 49 (she), and the mother was so nervous that she didn't know how 50 (save) her daughter properly. Luckily, Vince knew 51 to do. He took the baby in his arms without 52 (think) twice. And next with the 53 (mother) help, Vince held the baby upside down and gave her a few pats on the back. After a short while, he succeeded in getting the piece of pear out of her mouth and the baby began to cry. Her mom was so thankful because her daughter was saved. Vince tried his best and saved the baby's life. In his mind, 54 (help) others is just helping himself. He hoped more people could volunteer to help the people in need if 55 (可能).

V. 阅读表达 阅读下列短文,根据要求完成各项任务。(共10小题,共15分)

A

In 1901, an Austrian scientist found out that there are four types of blood. He named them A, B, AB, and O. People have one of these four types. Blood type O is the most common around the world. Blood type A is the second most common, and blood type AB is the least common. In 1927, a Japanese doctor found that people with different blood types have different personalities, too. He said that people with type A blood are usually calm and serious; people with type B blood are cheerful and outgoing; people with type O blood are generous and honest; while those with type AB blood are often caring and creative.

Later on, a doctor in the United States wrote a book. That connects blood types with what people eat. The book suggests people with type O blood should eat more meat and less bread. A diet for people with type A blood has more vegetables. His book, *Eat Right for Your Type*, has been a hit with people who want to lose weight. However, Dr. Peter D'Adamo believes that

eating food that matches a person's blood type will make the person healthier.

阅读短文，完成表格中所缺信息，每空不得超过三个单词。(每题 1 分)

56	Descriptions	_57_	Right food
Type O	the most common	They are generous and honest.	Eat more meat and less bread.
Type A	the second most common	They do things calmly and _58_.	Eat more vegetables.
Type B	/	They are cheerful and outgoing	/
Type AB	not _59_ the other three types	They are caring and creative.	/
Conclusion	Blood types can show people's personalities in some ways.		The more food that matches your blood type you eat, _60_ you will be.

B

In Canada and the United States, people enjoy entertaining at home. They often invite friends over for a meal, a party, or just for a coffee and conversation.

Here are what people ___①___ when they invite someone to their home:

"Would you like to come over for dinner Saturday night?"

"Hey, we're having a party on Friday. Can you come?"

To reply to an invitation, either say thank you and accept, or say you're sorry, and give an excuse:

"Thanks, I'd love to. What time would you like me to come?" or "Oh, sorry, I've tickets for a movie."

Sometimes, however, people use expressions that sound like invitations but they are not real invitations. For example:

"Please come over for a drink sometime."

"Why not get together for a party sometime?"

"Why don't you come over and see us sometime soon?"

②They are really just polite ways of ending a conversation. They are not real invitations because ③they don't mention a specific time or date. They just show that the person is trying to be friendly.

To reply to expressions like these, people just say "Sure, that would be great!" or "OK, yes, thanks."

So next time when you hear what sounds like an invitation, listen carefully: Is it a real invitation or is the person just being friendly?

阅读短文，完成下列任务。

61. 选择填空: (1 分)

() Here are what people ___①___ when they invite someone to their home:
A. speak B. talk C. say D. tell

62. 判断 (R for Real & U for Unreal) 并从文中找出答语: (4 分)

() If you are free, let's go for a dinner sometime. _____

() I've got two tickets here. Can you go to the movie with me on Saturday? _____

63. ②They are really just polite ways of ending a conversation. They 指代的是 _____. (2 分)

64. 英译汉: ③they don't mention a specific time or date (1 分)

65. 用英语回答问题: Why do people use "an unreal invitation"? (2 分)

VI. 翻译句子。(共 5 分)

66. 海洋对青岛文化有影响。(play a role)

67. 没人能阻止我们，除非有奇怪的事情发生。(unless)

68. 学生们期盼着放寒假。(look forward to)

69. 他粗心地把胡椒粉倒进了蜂蜜里。(too...to...)

70. 青少年喜欢危险的体验吗?(experience)

VII. 书面表达 (共 15 分)

瞬息万变的时代，教育也在持续革新。未来 50 年，学校又将发生什么样的变化呢？请以 Schools in 50 years 为题，写一篇短文，从教与学的方式、学校课程或校园环境等方面谈谈你的想象，并说明你如此猜想的理由。

要求:

1. 需包含提示中的所有内容，可适当发挥。

2. 词数: 80 词左右。(短文的开头已给出，不计入总词数)

Schools in 50 years

Schools today look almost nothing like they did 50 years ago. _____