**盐城市新洋初级中学2021-2022学年第二学期期中考试**

**八年级英语试卷**

考试时间：100分钟 卷面总分：120分

**第Ⅰ卷（选择题 共75分）**

**一、听力（共20小题；每小题1分，满分20分）**

从A、B、C三个选项中，选出最佳选项，并在答题卡上将该项涂黑。

A) 听下面10段对话。每段对话后有1个小题，从题中所给的A、B、C三个选项中选出最佳选项

（ ）1. How will the girl go to Nanjing?

A. B. C.

（ ）2.What did Max see last week?

A. B. C.

（ ）3. What’s the boy’s favourite book?

A. B. C.

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（ ）4. What does the girl want to do tomorrow?

A. B. C.

（ ）5. Where did the man go just now?

A. To the office. B. To the museum. C. To the post office.

（ ）6. What does the boy mean?

A. He is good at climbing high. B. It is not high at all. C. He may fall and hurt himself.

（ ）7. How long will the woman stay at the hotel?

A. For 2 days. B. For 3 days. C. For 4 days.

（ ）8. What will Peter do tomorrow?

A. Go to the theatre. B. Have an exam. C. Do the housework.

（ ）9. How many people will go for the picnic tomorrow?

A. One. B. Two. C. Three.

（ ）10. How much should the woman pay for the tickets?

A. 64 yuan. B. 72 yuan. C. 96 yuan.

B) 听对话或独白。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。

听第一段对话，回答第11—12小题。

（ ）11. How do they go to Hoody’s for lunch?

A. By bus. B. By taxi. C. By underground.

（ ）12. How long has the underground been in use in Nanjing?

A. Since 2005. B. Since 2015. C. Since 2004.

听第二段独白，回答第13—15小题。请根据短文内容，选择正确答案，完成信息记录表。

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| Mr Lin’s Trip | |
| How often | He takes a trip 13 . |
| Why | He enjoys travelling a lot because 14 . |
| How long | Mr. Malin plans to travel 15 more years if possible. |

（ ）13. A. once a year B. twice a year C. three times a year

（ ）14. A. he likes taking a lot of photos

B. he likes making friends with many foreigners

C. he thinks travelling is a good way to know the world

（ ）15. A. 30 B. 50 C. 80

听第三段独白，回答第16—20小题。

（ ）16. How many public beaches are there in Hong Kong?

A. About fifty. B. About forty. C. About fourteen.

（ ）17. Where can you reach by bus?

A. All the public beaches. B. Only one public beach. C. Most of the public beaches.

（ ）18. What can’t you see in most of the beaches?

A. Clothes shops. B. Shops for food and drink. C. Changing rooms.

（ ）19. How many instructions are mentioned(提及) in the passage?

A. 2. B. 3. C. 4.

（ ）20.What does a blue flag mean?

A. Women should not swim there.

B. Children should not swim there.

C. Nobody should swim there.

**二、单项选择 （共10小题；每小题1分，满分10分）**

从下列每题所给的选项中，选择一个最佳答案

（ ）21.Britain is\_\_\_\_\_\_ European country as well as \_\_\_\_\_\_ island country.

A. an, a B. a, an C. a, a D. an, an

（ ）22. —Have you finished drawing your picture \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Tom?

—Certainly, Mum. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it a few minutes ago.

A. already; have finished B. yet; have finished

C. already; finished D. yet; finished

（ ）23. — I’m wondering \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ this summer holiday. Any suggestions?

— What about Beijing?

A. where to travel B. how to travel

C. which to travel D. when to travel

（ ）24. —I hear that your good friend David \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ books about history.

— Yes, but now he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ novels.

A. used to read; used to read B. is use to reading; is used to reading

C. used to read; is used to reading D. is used to reading; used to read

（ ）25. — He’s just back from work, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?

—　 　. He is having a rest in the room.

A. is he; No, he isn’t B. has he; No, he hasn’t

C. hasn’t he; Yes, he has D. isn’t he; Yes, he is

（ ）26. My brother\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Beijing many times. He \_\_\_\_\_\_ Nanjing for a week.

A.has been to; has gone to B. has been to; has been in

C. has gone to; has been in D. has gone to; has been to

（ ）27. 一 What a beautiful car! When \_\_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it?

一 I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it for two years.

A.did; buy; bought B. did; buy; have had

C. have; bought; have bought D. have; bought; have had

（ ）28. 一\_\_\_\_\_\_\_I come back before five o’clock?

一No, you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. But you\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ be back later than seven o’clock

A. Need; must; mustn’t B. May; mustn’t; can’t

C. Can; can’t; can’t D. Must; needn’t; can’t

（ ）29. 一Would you mind my \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the channel?

一\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. My favourite programme is on the way.

A.changing;Not at all B. to change;Better not

C.changing;I hope not D. to change;I’m afraid not

（ ）30.一Nobody will become a hero without others' help.

一That's true.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. Practice makes perfect B. One finger can't lift a small stone

C. The early bird catches the worm D. Where there's a will, there's a way

**三．完形填空(共15小题，每小题1分，计15分）**

阅读下面短文，掌握其大意，然后从各题所给的选项中选出一个最佳答案。

The end of my sophomore (大学二年级）year was near. One day, Mum called me, hoping my 31

break would be spent with grandparents. They were 32 in their seventies, and I knew they really needed

help around the farm.

So I packed my car 33 the final exam and started my life on the farm. As weeks passed, I 34

daily work with Grandpa gradually(逐渐地). Grandma often told me 35 about her childhood, family and the early years after she and Grandpa had married.

On the last Saturday in June, I went fishing with my grandfather. To our 36 , we saw one of the swans was dead by the pond. Grandpa had given the pair of swans to Grandma on their fiftieth anniversary(纪念日) of marriage. “Why don't we buy another one?” I suggested. But grandpa said, "No, it's not that 37 because swans mate for life(终身为伴). There's 38 we can do for the one that's left. He has to work it out for himself. " A few 39 later, we drove by the pond and found the other swan lying near the same place where we had found the first one. It, too, was dead.

Then July 3 came, That was the day Grandma passed away. She 40 a stroke (中风）suddenly that morning.The funeral(葬礼) was held the next day. Grandpa had insisted on 41 it as soon as possible.

After the funeral, Grandpa asked all the people to get back to their own lives. Grandpa was not a man who

could share his sadness with others, and we were all 42 about him. During the rest of the summer, we stayed busy working. I thought there was something different about Grandpa but couldn't tell exactly 43 it was. September was near, and I had to leave. 44 I drove down the driveway, he waved to me and then walked to the gate to start the morning check.

One and a half months later, Mum called me at university on a windy 45 day to tell me Grandpa had

died. He died of a stroke, the same as Grandma.

（ ）31. A. spring B. summer C. autumn D. winter

（ ）32. A. all B.both C. any D. none

（ ）33. A. before B. after C. during D. until

（ ）34. A. was tired of B. was proud of C. was bored with D. was used to

（ ）35. A. plans B. dreams C. stories D. hopes

（ ）36. A. happiness B. horror C. excitement D. surprise

（ ）37. A. easy B. hard C. important D. interesting

（ ）38. A. something B. anything C. everything D. nothing

（ ）39. A. days B. weeks C. months D. years

（ ）40. A. died of B.died from C. died out D. died for

（ ）41. A. losing B. cancelling(取消） C. making D. having

（ ）42. A. curious B. sad C. worried D. serious

（ ）43. A. where B. why C. how D. what

（ ）44. A. Though B. Since C. Because D. As

（ ）45. A. September B. October C. November D. December

**四．阅读理解（共15小题，每小题2分，计30分）**

（一）阅读下列短文，从每题所给的ABCD四个选项中选出最佳答案。

A

Do you pay with paper money, credit(信用的) card, or your phone when you go sopping? People in China may pay with WeChat on the phones. We seldom use paper money.

While WeChat Pay is now a part of life in our country, this way of paying also appears in other countries. A lot of foreign companies and traders have to accept it. According to Xinhua News, about 13 foreign countries have WeChat Pay services for Chinese travelers.

Is it good or bad to use WeChat Pay? Will people no longer use paper money in the future? Some discussions appear on the Internet.

"I don't think so. Nearly half of Chinese people live in the countryside. People there can't enjoy it without good Internet service. And most old people like to use paper money." said Winnie.

"WeChat Pay is convenient and safe. We needn't tell if the money is real or fake. But paper money is just the opposite. We should encourage people to use WeChat Pay more." said a wise man.

"For a long time, people will use different payment ways," said Sunshine. "Traders should allow people to choose the ways they like to pay."

Will paper money disappear in the future? What's your ideas about it?

（ ）46.When we pay with WeChat, we need to use our \_\_\_\_\_.

A. phones B. paper money C. credit cards D. wallet

（ ）47. A wise man thought \_\_\_\_\_.

A. it was not safe if people don't use paper money B. WeChat Pay was convenient and safe

C. people would use paper money in the future D. old people like to use paper money more

（ ）48.From the passage,we can know

1. only Chinese people use WeChat Pay

B people use WeChat Pay more than paper money in the world.

C. Paper Money will surely disappear in the future.

D.Chinese travellers can use WeChat Pay in about 13 foreign countries.

B

When I was nine years old, I wrote my first poem. My mother read the little poem and cried. “Buddy, it’s a beautiful, beautiful poem!” My mother poured out her praise.

“What time will Father be home?” I asked. I could hardly wait to show him my poem. My father had

begun his movie career as a writer. He would be able to appreciate（欣赏）my poem even more than my mother. I confidently put the poem right on my father’s plate on the dining table.

My mother said he would be home around 7. But My father got home an hour later than expected. He sat down at the table and noticed his plate. “What is this?” I heard him say.

“Ben, Buddy has written his first poem. And it’s beautiful, so amazing!”Mother said.

“If you don’t mind, I’d like to decide that for myself,” Father said.

I kept my face lowered to my plate. It was only 10 lines long. But it seemed to take hours. “I think it’s bad,” my father said. I couldn’t look up. My eyes were getting wet.

“Ben, sometimes I don’t understand you,” my mother was saying. “This is just a little boy. He needs encouragement.”

“I don’t know why,” my father held his ground. “Isn’t there enough bad poetry (诗歌) in the world already? No law says Buddy has to become a poet.” I ran from the dining room, threw myself on the bed and cried.

A few months later, I read that first poem. It was a bad poem. I worked up the courage to show him a short story. My father thought it was not good but hopeful. I was learning to rewrite.

As I worked my way into other books and plays and films, I realized how lucky I was to have a mother who said, “Buddy, it’s wonderful!” and a father who shook his head “I think it’s bad.” Both are love that forces me to improve. In fact, all of us in life need both loving force.

（ ）49. The underlined sentence “It was only 10 lines long, but it seemed to take hours” may mean .

A.My father spent several hours reading my poem

B.It took me hours to write 10-line-long poem

C.It is necessary to spend much time reading the poem

D.My father took a long time to read my 10-line-long poem

（ ）50. From the passage, we can infer that Father is .

A. loving and strict(严格的） B. lovely and strict C. careful and rude D. careless and strict

（ ）51. In this article, the writer organized his ideas .

A. in space order B. in time order

C. from general to specific D. from specific to general

C

We think of hospitals as being peaceful and safe places. But in the past few years, doctors and nurses in Chinese public hospitals have been aimed by violent(暴力的)attacks. A study that came out in 2018 showed that one in four doctors in China has suffered physical violence, with some even lose lives.

To prevent such things from happening, the government worked out a draft(草案)law and put **it** up for review on Oct 22nd. It says that, the safety of medical staff is protected by law and that no one is allowed to hurt medical workers, the Beijing. News reported.

In most cases, the attackers were relatives of patients who were not satisfied with their treatment. Most people have high expectations for their doctors. But of course, not every illness can be cured, China Youth Daly noted.

A general lack(缺少)of trust in doctors; has also made things worse. Giving doctors cash bribes(现金贿赂)for good treatment has long been an unwritten rule. Some people believe that they may have received useless treatment because they didn't bribe their doctors. In some cases, their anger in this situation turns into violence.

Another problem is a lack of doctors. Doctors in large public hospitals are often stretched thin(不堪重负的, seeing as many as 60 or more patients in just half a day. It's difficult for them to provide enough care for each patient.

Hospitals are trying to find ways to solve these problems. For example, many hospitals have set up offices to hear and deal with patients' complaints, Xinhua reported.

When some unexpected things happen, patients should ask the experts or the special organizations for advice instead of turning to violence, the State Council said.

（ ）52. The underlined word "it" in paragraph 2 refer to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. Beijing News. B. The review. C. The government . D. The draft law.

（ ）53. The writing purpose of this passage is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. to encourage patients to bribe doctors before the operation

B. to advise people to act wisely instead of turning to violence

C. to prevent people going to hospital because of violent attacks

D. to describe the problems that doctors in China are suffering from

（ ）54. What can we NOT infer (推断)from the passage?

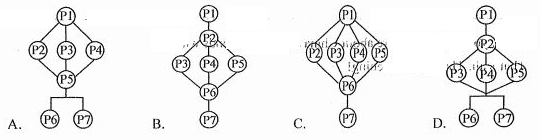
A. In some ways, doctors and nurses can be protected in the future.

B. Stricter rules will be made to prevent doctors from receiving bribes.

C. Most people must learn basic medical knowledge for their own safety.

D. More offices in hospitals will be set up to deal with patients' complaints.

（ ）55. Which of the following shows how the-passage develops?



(二）阅读下面短文，从所给选项中选出能填入空白处的最佳答案，使短文通顺，结构完整，其中有一项是多余选项。

Dawa Dorji has many jobs: singer, barkeeper and English tour guide, but he is the most famous as the lead singer of the first folk(民间的) pop band in Tibet(西藏)．

In 2003, Dawa Dorji met two fans of Tibetan music. 56.        ， and later another two joined the band.

57．        ， so they had to practise on weekdays in a small village after work. Dawa Dorji and his band members believed that they needed to communicate with their audience(听众) in order to write good songs. 58.        .

At the beginning, most audience were foreigners, but after a couple of months, many local people came to enjoy their music. 59.        .

“Whenever there is a festival, we Tibetans sing and dance. I sang songs with the old people, and I learned more about how to sing，” said Dawa Dorji.

60．        ， and many of them are from traditional ones.

Dawa Dorji believes that their efforts(努力) are meaningful for introducing Tibetan folk music to the whole nation, and even the whole world.

A．Dawa Dorji was born in Lhasa

B．Each member of the band had his own job

C．They became good friends and started a band

D．As a result, the band became more and more popular

E．So at weekends they rushed to restaurants to sing for free

F．So far, four albums(唱片) with 48 Tibetan language songs have come out

**第Ⅱ卷 （非选择题 共45分）**

**五.阅读与回答问题（共5小题，每小题2分，计10分）**

Dear Alice,

I just received your letter. And I was very surprised to know that you decided to drop out of school and wanted to be a model.

Being a model for a living is not easy. In fact, a famous person like me has a lot of problems that you couldn’t see. I can’t eat what I like, even though I’m very hungry. Keeping thin makes me look more beautiful on the stage because no one would like to see a heavy model.

Besides, I have to wear a heavy coat in the hot sun and a swimming suit in the cold air. And practising walking nicely every day is tiring for me.

You might say I made much money from modeling. But my dear niece（侄女）, you have to know that money is nothing, knowledge is everything. School is important and everyone should go to school for a certain period of time. The longer they stay at school, the better they will be. Very often, I hope I can give up my job and continue my studies at school. But it is very difficult for me to go back to school again. I am too old to go back to school now.

You are a pretty young girl with a bright future. You only have one year to finish your studies in high school. A year is really short. Please do consider my words carefully before you decide. Of course, there is only one thing I care about, and that is your happiness.

Love,

Emma

回答下面5个问题，每题答案不超过六个词。

61. What does Emma think of being a model for a living? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

62.How does Emma feel when she practises walking nicely every day?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

63. Why can’t Emma return to school again? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

64.How long does Alice still have to study in high school?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

65.What does Emma only care about? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**六．词汇(共20小题，每小题一分，计20分）**

（一）根据句意和汉语提示写出单词，完成句子。

66. The little girl will travel\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (在国外)to learn more about Art.

67. ---Sorry!I’m new here. I don’t know the way, (也）

68. I am strongly \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (反对)smoking because it is harmful to our health.

69. Nowadays,Yancheng has a lot of d （直接的）international flights.

70. She’s (意识到)she is wrong at this matter,so she feels very sorry.

（二）根据句意选用正确单词并以其适当形式填空。

71.Yancheng lies in the part of Jiangsu.(north)

72. The mother couldn’t stop when her son was saved.(cry)

73. In shanghai, those who fail to sort their litter may face fine of up to 200 yuan.(correctly)

74. ---I have difficulty working out the problem by myself.Could you help me?

---With .(pleased)

75.The policeman later fell in love with the nurse and they finally get . (marry)

（三）根据短文内容及首字母提示，填写所缺单词，使其意思完整。

Just as a famous saying g 76 , “Reading is to success what water is to fish.” Reading is very important for all humans. It can open many doors and can l 77 you into a path to success. It's quite clear that every successful person has a good h 78  of reading. This is because reading is an important way to get the information required to understand something. For e 79 , a good doctor has to know the latest development in medicine by reading.

Then, how can you develop an interest in reading? There is only one way. Let me explain this to you. If you want to learn how to ride a bike, you have to get on the bike as many times as possible u 80 you can ride skillfully. It works the same way with reading. If you want to improve your reading, try to read as m 81  as you can. When you finish reading your first book, take another book and do the same. If you are going out, take a magazine, a book, an article or something e 82 to read. When you are reading, try to understand w 83 message the writer is giving to you.

So, parents should help to get t 84 children to read as early as possible. Studies have

s 85  that reading to your unborn child is very good. In this way, your child will like reading later.

    Reading is always a wonderful time. Good books are good friends.

**七．书面表达**（共1题，计15分）

阅读丰富人生，是我们获得知识的源泉。请以Reading Is a Wonderful Time为题，写一篇作文。

1.很多学生不像以前那么爱阅读了，忙于写作业，没有时间阅读；

2.不少学生花费太多时间看电视、上网……；

3.其实，好书就像朋友。当你失落时，给你信心和安慰；当你遇到困难时，给你建议解决问题……（适当发挥1-2点）

4.建议: 合理安排时间；培养好的阅读习惯……(适当发挥1-2点)。

要求：1.表达清楚，语法正确，上下文连贯；

2.必须包含以上所有要点，并作适当发挥；

3.字数在80字左右（开头结尾已给出，不计入总词数）；

4.不得使用真实姓名和校名等。

Reading Is a Wonderful Time

Reading is a wonderful time. It makes our daily life colorful and meaningful.

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If so, I’m sure we will live a more colorful and meaningful life.

