



24. There was a group of teenagers sitting at the table next to \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. we                      B. our                      C. ours                      D. Ourselves
25. There isn't \_\_\_\_\_ interesting or surprising in the newspaper today.  
A. something              B. everything              C. anything              D. nothing
26. Our teacher tells us that electricity flows \_\_\_\_\_ a wire into our homes.  
A. with                      B. across                      C. at                      D. through
27. Some people go to the pub to meet friends, while \_\_\_\_\_ may just want to have a drink.  
A. another                      B. the other                      C. others                      D. the others
28. Tom's idea sounds \_\_\_\_\_ and everyone seems to agree with him.  
A. lovely                      B. beautifully                      C. nicely                      D. wonderfully
29. Some of the smart cars drive by themselves now. \_\_\_\_\_ amazing it is!  
A. How                      B. What                      C. What an                      D. What a
30. The film *Hi, Mom!* \_\_\_\_\_ great success several months ago.  
A. will achieve              B. has achieved              C. achieves                      D. achieved
31. \_\_\_\_\_ you are a university student, you should be more independent of your parents.  
A. Although                      B. After                      C. Now that                      D. When
32. We \_\_\_\_\_ keep our classroom clean because it is our duty.  
A. can                      B. may                      C. should                      D. need
33. She was very tired, \_\_\_\_\_ she continued her work until midnight.  
A. and                      B. but                      C. or                      D. so
34. The weather expert predicted that the coming typhoon \_\_\_\_\_ destructive.  
A is                      B will be                      C have been                      D would be
35. I don't feel like \_\_\_\_\_ Suzhou because I have been there twice.  
A. visit                      B. to visit                      C. visiting                      D. visited
36. Could you tell me \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
A. what's the matter              B. what the matter is              C. what was the matter              D. what the matter was
37. — \_\_\_\_\_! There are a lot of dogs around here.  
— Thank you. I don't want to get my new shoes dirty.  
A. Watch your step              B. How nice                      C. Congratulations                      D. What a pity

**III. Complete the following passage with the words or phrases in the box. Each word or phrase can only be used once (将下列单词或词组填入空格。每空格限填一词，每词或词组只能填一次) : (共 6 分)**

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| A. also | B. various | C. peacefully | D. developed |
|---------|------------|---------------|--------------|

World renowned scientist Stephen Hawking has died at the age of 76. He died \_\_\_\_38\_\_\_\_ in his home in Cambridge.

Tributes poured in after Professor Hawking's death was announced. British Prime Minister Theresa May (英国首相特蕾莎·梅) said Hawking was "one of the greatest scientists of his generation." She \_\_\_\_39\_\_\_\_ said "his legacy will not be forgotten."

Professor Hawking was one of the most respected scientists in the modern history of physics. Being bound to wheelchair due to a rare disease, he \_\_\_\_40\_\_\_\_ a way of thinking about problems in his mind to reach a solution.

A. wider      B. for      C. including      D. as

This way of thinking has led to his greatest discoveries, \_\_\_\_\_ 41 \_\_\_\_\_ his theories on black holes (黑洞), relativity (相对论) and the Big Bang (宇宙大爆炸). He was the first to present the idea of cosmology (宇宙学) being a union of relativity and quantum mechanics (量子力学). He also discovered that black holes leaked energy; this phenomenon later became known \_\_\_\_\_ 42 \_\_\_\_\_ Hawking radiation (霍金辐射).

At the same time, Professor Hawking tried to explain many of these complex scientific ideas to a \_\_\_\_\_ 43 \_\_\_\_\_ audience. He wrote several popular science books, including the bestseller *A Brief History of Time* (《时间简史》) which made him a household name.

Professor Hawking spent his whole life understanding the universe. His ideas on the universe have become his greatest legacy. He is, no doubt, a legendary scientist of all time.

**IV. Complete the sentences with the given words in their proper forms (用括号中所给单词的适当形式完成下列句子, 每空格限填一词) (8 分)**

44. It's surprising that the boy has made the lovely lantern by \_\_\_\_\_. (he)
45. When I got home, Jack was lying in the sofa \_\_\_\_\_. (comfortable)
46. Changsha is one of the greatest tourist \_\_\_\_\_ in my mind. (attract)
47. No one can deny that China is \_\_\_\_\_ the world. (influence)
48. That \_\_\_\_\_ movie attracted many people to go back to the cinema. (France)
49. I just finished reading the article when it has become one of the most \_\_\_\_\_ question. . (puzzle)
50. Nowadays, the tunnels \_\_\_\_\_ us to travel from Puxi to Pudong conveniently. (ability)
51. They are too tired to go any \_\_\_\_\_. (far)

**V. Rewrite the following sentences as required (根据所给要求, 改写下列句子)(共 10 分)**

52. A fire broke out in a department store yesterday. (改为一般疑问句)

\_\_\_\_\_ a fire \_\_\_\_\_ out in a department store yesterday?

53. People can donate money, food and medicine to victims through the Red Cross. (对划线部分提问)

\_\_\_\_\_ people donate money, food and medicine to victims?

54. My cousin couldn't decide which dictionary he should buy. (改为简单句)

My cousin couldn't decide \_\_\_\_\_ dictionary \_\_\_\_\_ buy.

55. He was so tired that he couldn't concentrate on his schoolwork. (保持句意基本不变)

He was \_\_\_\_\_ tired \_\_\_\_\_ concentrate on his schoolwork.

56. nowadays, go abroad, choose to, a lot of students, to further their studies, (连词成句)

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### Part 3 Reading and Writing

#### (第三部分 读写)

#### VI. Reading comprehension (阅读理解)

##### A. Read the passage and choose the best answer (根据短文内容，选择最恰当的答案) (6分)

Letter A

Dear sir / madam,

I'm writing to tell you about my recent holiday in Paris, which was a disaster. The young man at your travel agency told us that the price includes four things in a five-star hotel with a view. Well, that was a joke, and it was clearly not a five-star hotel. There were only two small beds in our family room, so our son had to sleep on the floor. There weren't any clean towels in the bathroom and there were lots of insects all over the place. Hundreds of them, in fact. Yes, there was a view from the bedroom window but it was a view of a motorway and the airport. There was noise all night and we couldn't sleep. There were no drinks included in the breakfast and we had to pay extra for milk! We strongly ask for a refund.

Yours faithfully,

Mr & Mrs Masterson

Letter B

Dear Ms Dryden,

Three weeks ago, I booked a night to New York with your airline. When I bought the ticket, I asked for vegetarian food. However, when I was on the plane, the flight attendant told me that there weren't any vegetarian options available. She also said that there wasn't anything she could do about it as we were already in the air. To make matters worse, there was a snowstorm in New York, so the plane was diverted to Washington. The total flight time was more than 15 hours, and there was nothing for me to eat! There weren't even any peanuts! Thankfully, my holiday in New York was great, and there was vegetarian food available on my flight back to London. But please make sure that there's vegetarian food available on all future flights.

Yours sincerely,

Brian Smethurst

57. The Masterson family had a \_\_\_\_\_ holiday in Paris.

A. relaxing                      B. camping                      C. Terrible                      D. spring

58. The underlined word "them" in Letter A refers to \_\_\_\_\_.

A. bedrooms                      B. insects                      C. towels                      D. hotels



66. A undoubtedly      B possibly      C immediately      D comfortably  
 67. A fashion      B popularity      C beauty      D personality  
 68. A still      B yet      C even      D also

**C. Complete the passage with proper words, and the first letter is given (根据首字母填空) (6 分)**

People know the dangers of the fires. It's good for a family to learn how to prepare for a fire. Here are some s 69. Buy the *extinguishers*(灭火器). In the house, everyone in the family should know how to use them. Practice for a fire. Parents do fire practice because they teach children about fire safety. Put a smoke a 70 in the house. Smoke from a fire makes it go off. Then it makes a loud sound. The sound tells everyone to leave the house at once. Make escape plans. They should know all the ways out of the house. If there is a fire, everyone follows the plan to get out. Part of the plan is to check all the windows to make sure they can be opened e 71.

Everyone in the family should obey the following fire rules. Don't open a hot door! The fire can grow more quickly if you open the door. Stay close to the floor! Smoke can be more dangerous than fire. The best air is near the floor because smoke r 72.

What will you do if your hair or clothes start to burn? First, stop! Don't run! The fire burns fast because of more air. Drop! L 73 on the floor. Then roll! Turning over and over will make the fire go out. Put a blanket around you to keep air away from the fire that may still be on you.

There are many things leads to the spread of fires. A wise family is r 74 all the time. If there is a fire , don't forget to call 119 for help.

69. \_\_\_\_\_ 70. \_\_\_\_\_ 71. \_\_\_\_\_ 72. \_\_\_\_\_ 73. \_\_\_\_\_ 74. \_\_\_\_\_

**D. Answer the questions (根据以下内容回答问题)(7 分)**

When I was six years old, Grandpa sent me into the woods to gather *pecans* (山核桃). Pecan picking was quite difficult for me and my little basket was only half full. Just then, something caught my eyes. A large *squirrel* (松鼠) was a few feet away. I watched as he picked up a pecan, hurried to a tree and disappeared in a large hole in the tree. A moment later, he jumped out and climbed down to the ground to pick up another nut. Once again, he took the pecan back to his hiding place.

I ran to the tree and looked into the hole. It was filled with pecans! Golden pecans were right there for taking. I *scooped* (抱起) all of them into my basket. Now it was full! I was so proud of myself. I couldn't wait to show Grandpa all the pecans. He looked into the basket and said, "Well, how did you find so many?" I told him the truth.

Grandpa congratulated me on how smart I'd been in observing the squirrel and his habits. Then he did something that surprised me. He handed the basket back to me and put his arm gently around my shoulders.

“That squirrel worked very hard to gather his winter supply of food,” he said, “Now that all of his pecans are gone, don’t you think that little squirrel will survive the cold winter?”

“I didn’t think about that.” I said.

“I know,” Grandpa said, “But a good person should never take advantage of someone else’s hard work.”

I understood. After supper, I did the right thing.

75. Pecan picking was a very hard job to the writer, wasn’t it?

\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

76. Where did the squirrel put the pecans?

\_\_\_\_\_.

77. How did the writer get his basket full?

\_\_\_\_\_.

78. Why couldn’t the writer wait to show his Grandpa all the pecans?

\_\_\_\_\_.

79. What does the underlined phrase “**his habits**” refer to?

\_\_\_\_\_.

80. What was the right thing the writer did after supper?

\_\_\_\_\_.

## VII. Writing (写话) (10 分)

81. Write a passage of at least 60 words according to the given situation.

Suppose you are now travelling in a city. You are going to send a postcard to your friend, Mary. Write your postcard, telling her **what you did, what you are doing and what you are going to do**. Don’t forget to tell your feelings as well.

(假设你在一个城市旅游, 你打算给你的朋友寄张明信片, 告诉他/她你做过的事,正在做的事和打算做的事, 还有你的感受。) 注意书信格式。

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