**南城县2022-2023学年上学期九年级期中试**

**英 语 试 卷**

1. **听力理解（每小题1分，共20分）**

A)请听下面5段对话。每段对话后有一小题，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10秒钟的时间回答有关小题和阅读下一小题。每段对话读两遍。

1.Which sport is the boy good at?

A. Boating. B. Skating C. Tennis.

2.What will the weather probably be like next Monday?

A. Cool. B. Hot. C. Rainy.

3. Where does the man's wife work?

A. In a shop. B. In a school. C. In a hospital.

4. How many people are going hiking?

A. 3. B.4. C. 5.

5. What does the woman mean?

A. She didn't enjoy her holiday.

B. The hotel she stayed in was terrible.

C. It was hard to find a good hotel during the holiday.

B)请听下面4段对话。每段对话后有几个小题，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。每段对话读两遍。(每小题1分)

**请听第1段对话，回答第6、7小题。**

6. What is the man looking for?

A. A sweater. B. A coat. C. A T-shirt.

7. What size does the man wear?

A. Small. B. Large. C. Middle.

**请听第2段对话，回答第 8、9 小题。**

8. What sport does Rita like best?

A. Hiking. B. Swimming. C. Running.

9. What can we know about Rita?

A. Rita is going to have five days off.

B. Rita goes swimming twice a month.

C. Rita usually goes swimming with her best friend.

**请听第3段对话,回答第10至第 12 小题。**

10.How many books about the life on Mars does Miss Lin have?

A. Twelve. B. Twenty. C. Twenty-two.

11.Who teaches Tom science?

A. Mr. Smith. B. Miss Lin. C. Mr. Black.

12.What can we know from the conversation?

A. Tom’s classmates are interested in the life on Mars.

B. Miss Lin is one of Tom's classmates.

C. Tom lends some books to Miss Lin.

**请听第4段对话，回答第13至第 15小题。**

13.How long was Cindy's holiday?

A. One week. B. Two weeks. C. Three weeks.

14. Where did Cindy and her family stay in Sanya?

A. In a hotel. B. At a friend’s home. C. In their own house.

15.Which of the following is true?

A. Cindy thinks their travel is kind of boring.

B. Cindy and her family didn't have a picnic.

C. Cindy and her family went swimming nearly every day.

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50秒钟的时间阅读句子内容。独白读两遍。

16. The White River Shopping Center is the shopping center in the city.

17. There are more than shops in the White River Shopping Center.

18. The restaurants and the cinema are on floor.

19. The shops close at on Saturdays.

20. The shopping center provides free service between the shopping center and the city center.

1. **单项填空（每小题1分，共8分）**

请阅读下面各小题，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，并在答题卡上将该项涂黑。

21. --Cindy, your English is really good. What’s your\_\_\_\_\_\_?

--Speaking and listening more.

A. invention B. secret C. knowledge D. relaxed

22.Amy \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ be a shy girl and hardly talked with others.

A. is used to B. use to C. was used to D. used to

23.Please keep \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the library. Other people are reading.

A. serious B. silent C. creative D. convenient

24--Does the colour red represent good things in China?

--Yes. But writing one’s name in red is not good, and we usually \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it.

A. allow B. advise C. avoid D. accept

25.To get better grades and be healthier, we should plan our time more .

A. wisely B. politely C. exactly D.widely

26.---Could you tell me when I called?

---Yes, she was reading the book *Too Much Lip* at that time.

A. what was Mary doing B. what Mary was doing

C. what is Mary doing D. what Mary is doing

27.You won’t fully experience the culture of a foreign country you go there in person.

A. because B. if C. until D. unless

28.The Silk Road is mainly built for business. Many Chinese things\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to western countries through it.

A. are sold B. are selling C. were sold D. were selling

**三、完形填空(每小题1分，共26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。

The health QR code(健康码) has became a necessity in our life to prevent the spread of COVID-19. However, not all people get used to it. Several months ago, an old man in Dalian failed to travel by underground. At the station, he was asked to 29 his health QR code on the smartphone. " What is a QR code?" the old man asked. "I have 30 to buy a ticket. 31 do I need a smartphone?" Though people tried to help him, 32 the end, he left the station.

On the one hand, the fast 33 of science and technology is making our life easier. On the other hand, it often creates 34 for old people and makes their life harder. It may be 35 for many old people to get used to the rapid development of society. Some 36 are trying to help. They teach the old to use smartphones and give suitable phones for free. However, it 37 helps to solve part of the problem.

Many old people have poor eyesight. It makes it difficult for them to 38 on small screens. And 39 less sensitive(灵敏的)fingers make it hard for them to use touch screens. Perhaps, smartphone makers should try to 40 these problems.

What’s more, if there are old people around you, lend a helping 41 to them when they need it. And remember to be 42 .Technologies that you think are easy to learn may be a 43 problem for them.

29.A.show B. praise C. return D. throw

30.A.time B. work C. paper D. money

31.A.Why B. When C. If D. How

32.A.on B.in C.to D. of

33.A.development B. introduction C. communication D. movement

34.A.chances B. problems C. experiences D. lives

35.A.happy B. interesting C. difficult D. easy

36.A. teachers B. policemen C. doctors D. volunteers

37.A.hardly B. especially C. instead D. only

38.A.read B. sing C. smile D. speak

39.A.her B. our C. its D. their

40.A.put up B. deal with C. look after D. depend on

41.A. heart B. ear C. hand D. mouth

42.A.cool B. lively C. patient D. creative

43.A.weak B. silly C. modern D. huge

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。

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| difficulty popular offer but help unlucky better years tell however thank |

In October 2021, a local newspaper told a story of a common man, Jia Shuangdeng. He is from Shanxi Province. He not only works hard 44. has helped many deaf people live a 45. life as well.

At the age of 14, something46. happened to Jia and turned him into a deaf person. Sad and heartbroken, he had to leave school and learned by himself at home for more than two47. . Later, with other people’s 48. , he cheered up and made a living by making shoes. He met many49. but he faced them bravely and kept on working hard. Finally his shoes became 50. and sold well. After a few years, he started his own factory and it was successful.51. , he didn’t forget those who had helped him. So he decided to help the people in need. These years, he has 52. many deaf people chances to work.

What he did has benefited(有益于)lots of deaf people." The person I want to53. most in my life is Mr. Jia. Thanks to him, I've got a good job and have a happy life now. He always54. us although we are disabled, we can also achieve our dreams by working hard," said Xie Ting, who was helped by Jia.

**四、阅读理解(每小题2分,共46分)**

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

**A**

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| Lefeng Swimming Pool | |
| Opening time | ◆9:00 a. m. -10:00 p. m. from Monday to Sunday(Summer)  ◆10:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. from Monday to Sunday(Winter) |
| Ticket prices | ◆Adults: 35 yuan/person  ◆Children: above 1.2 meters,15 *yuan*/person;  under 1. 2 meters, free |
| Should  not take | Food, pets, knives, rings |
| Things to remember | ◆Children under 1.2 meters should stay with adults.  ◆If you have health problems, you are not allowed to come in.  ◆You should follow the rules in the swimming pool. |

55. When can you get into Lefeng Swimming Pool in summer?

A. At 8:00 a. m. B. At 9:30 a.m. C. At 10:30 p. m. D. At 11:00 p.m.

56. How much should they pay if an adult and a child(above 1.2 meters)go to swim?

A.35 yuan. B.45 yuan. C.50 yuan. D.55 yuan.

57.Which of the following is TRUE according to the ad above?

A. A sick man can get into the pool.

B. The pool is open all year round.

C. The swimming pool is free for all children.

D. Visitors can probably take swimming caps to the pool.

**B**

During the Song Dynasty, there was an officer named Zhang Guaiya who worked in Chongyang county（县）, in today’s Hubei Province. Stealing was common then --- even money of the county's vault(金库)was stolen.

One day, Zhang saw an officer come out of the vault in a hurry. Zhang stopped him and asked, " Why are you in such a hurry?"

"No reason," said the officer. Zhang recalled(回想) the things stolen from the vault recently. So he asked the guards to search the officer.

They found a copper coin in his headband(头带). Zhang asked him how much more money he had stolen. The officer said he didn’t steal anything else. Zhang didn’t believe him and ordered the guards to beat him.

The officer didn’t give in. He said, "I only stole a copper coin. You can't beat me just because of that!"

Zhang was very angry. Without any hesitation（犹豫）,he wrote in a red pen," If you steal a copper coin every day, there will be a thousand copper coins after a thousand days. Constant dripping wears away a stone."

"Constant dripping wears away a stone." This saying tells us that small things done over time can make a big difference. **It** reminds us not to do small bad things.

The saying also tells us to keep working hard. Take learning a language for example. There are no shortcuts(捷径)to success. You have to keep learning new words, reading and writing. Within a short period, you might not see **progress** .But if you stick to doing it for months or years, you will realize you have improved a lot.

58.The passage is probably a(n) .

A.ad B. poem C. story D. reporter

59. Put the events about stealing in the correct order.

a. The guards beat the officer.

b. Zhang Guaiya stopped the officer

c. Zhang Guaiya made a famous saying.

d. An officer came out of the vault quickly.

A. d-b-a-c B. b-d-a-c C. d-a-c-b D. d-b-c-a

60.What does the underlined word "**It**" in Paragraph7 refer to?

A. The big difference. B. The copper coin. C. The stone. D. The saying.

61. What's the writer's purpose（目的）according to the passage?

A. To show us something interesting.

B. To tell us how to learn English better.

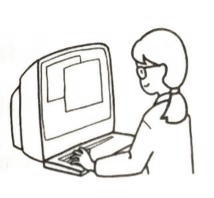
C. To encourage us to learn English well.

D. To teach us to do good things and to keep working hard.

62.What does the word "**progress**" in Paragraph 8 imply(暗指**)**?

A. A shortcut to success. B. Development of reading.

C. Development of learning English. D. Improvement of learning new words.

**C**

A lot of kids and teenagers use the Internet every day. There are many advantages of using the

Internet, but there are also risks kids and teenagers should avoid. As a parent, it’s important to

pay attention to what your kids do online. At least, your should make sure kids are safe You

should tell your kids what is important:

① Whether in real life or on the Internet, good behavior is always popular. Make it clear that you expect your kids to treat others with respect(尊重) and not to send hurtful or embarrassing messages to others.

**Think twice before posting(发布)something.** Some kids and teenagers love to share everything online. For example, when they take a vacation and stay in a nice hotel, they often post some photos and even the address of the hotel. You should tell your kids not to do that because they are giving out their privacy(隐私).

**Follow the "WWGS?(What Would Grandma Say?)" rule.** Teach kids not to share anything on the Internet that they wouldn’t want their teachers, friends, classmates, parents and yes, grandma -- to see.

② Privacy settings are important. Setting passwords(密码) is one of them. Explain to your kids that the **aim** of setting passwords is to protect their privacy. They should never share their passwords with anyone, even their best friends.

③ If they don’t know a person, don't make friends with them. Sometimes you don’t know who is sitting in front of the computer and chatting with you on the Internet.

63.How many pieces of advice does the writer give?

A. Three. B. Four. C. Five D. Six.

64. What does the underlined word **"aim**" in Paragraph 5 mean?

A. Way. B. Goal. C. Mind. D. Answer.

65.Match the title with each paragraph.

a. Be nice. b. Use privacy settings. c. Ask for help. d. Don't make friends with strangers.

A.①-a,②-b,③-d B.①-a,②-c,③-d

C.①-c,②-b,③-d D.①-c,②-d,③-b

66.What is the theme(主题) of the passage?

A. Family B. Science C. Relationship D. Safety

67. What's the best title for the passage?

A. Helping kids with their online studies

B. Teaching kids to make friends online

C. Teaching kids to be careful about the Internet

D. The ways kids can use to protect their privacy

**D**

If you visit some villages in the English countryside, you might be lucky to see morris （莫里斯）dancing. People are not sure how old this kind of dance is. Some think it started 2,000 years ago, but most agree that morris dancing is probably about five centuries old. Many agree that it celebrates traditional English farm life on holidays. Morris dancers wear traditional costumes. Usually, these is a white shirt, a bright jacket, a hat and small bells called "jingle bells". There are different styles of morris dancing in different places around England.

In Cotswold, morris dancers usually carry white handkerchiefs(手帕)and sticks, which they hit as they dance. There are usually six male dancers in each dance in Cotswold style, with a musician who plays the pipe(管乐器) or the violin.

Morris dancers in the north of England often use swords(剑) instead of sticks, and they can look a little like soldiers(士兵)，which is different from southern styles. It is common for men and women to dance together in this style.

Border Morris comes from the west of England. Dancers in this style usually wear normal clothes with pieces of colorful paper, and sometimes they put black paint on their faces.

Morris dancing is an old English tradition, but it’s facing a big crisis(危机).As the years go by, fewer and fewer young people join morris dancing groups. Some worry that if nothing is done to change this, the tradition will die out. "The average(平均的)age of morris dancers is getting older and older. Once we’ve lost this part of our culture, it will be almost impossible to get it back," Charlie Corcoran said. " There is still time for new blood to get ready... There is a serious danger that morris dancing will only be seen in the history books."

68. Which of the following are about morris dancing? Check and choose the right answer.

①People are uncertain about its history. ②The dancers play the pipe and the guitar.

③There are rules about dancers' dress.

④The morris dancing is of the same style across the country.

⑤It was created to celebrate traditional farm life.

A.①②③ B. ②③④ C.①③⑤ D.①②③

69.What is morris dancing like in the north of England?

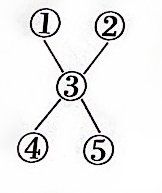
A. There are usually six male dancers in each dance. B. People put black paint on their faces.

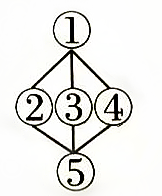
C. People carry white handkerchiefs while dancing. D. People dress up like soldiers with swords.

70. What can we know about morris dancing?

A. It needs young people to learn it. B. There is no morris dancing in Cotswold.

C. It will only be seen in the history books. D. Some styles of morris dancing have died out.

71.Which of the following best shows the structure of the passage?

A. B. C. D.

72. What’s the main idea of the passage?

A. A traditional English dancing B. An English celebration

C. Farm life on holidays D. The speciality of English countryside

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，并在答题卡上将其序号涂黑。一空一句。

When you use a knife and fork, you have to take the knife with your right hand and the fork with your left hand, or you can't put food into your mouth. But with chopsticks, you can solve the eating problems with just one hand.73. . Chopsticks were called *zhu* or *jia* in ancient China. It is said that they were invented by Da Yu, who successfully controlled the heavy flood(洪水).One day he was busy dealing with the flood. In order to save time when eating, he used two sticks from a tree to take the hot food. That was how chopsticks came into use.

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In fact, the earliest chopsticks found in China were made of bronze (青铜)，which were unearthed from Yinxu in Anyang city, Henan Province.

Many people probably haven’t realized the cultural meanings of chopsticks.75. .Do you notice that one end of chopsticks is square and the other end is round? So, why? According to our ancestors, the round end symbolized(象征)Heaven and the square end symbolized Earth.76. .In Chinese culture, it shows the perfect combination(结合)of *yin* and *yang.*

The influence of Chinese culture has stretched(延伸)far and wide.77. .So it's unbelievable that foreigners cannot use chopsticks.

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| A. Besides, chopsticks are used in pairs.  B. Only Chinese people use chopsticks then.  C. It’s convenient and efficient(有效率的).  D. It was one of the stories about chopsticks.  E. At least 1.8 billion people are using chopsticks around the world.  F. They are regarded as one of the symbols of Chinese food culture.  G. Compared with other tools, chopsticks have their own advantages. |

**五、补全对话(每小题1分，共5分)**

请阅读下面对话,根据对话内容从下面方框内的七个选项中选择五个填人空白处,使对话通顺、合理，意思完整。一空一句。

*(Kangkang and Michael are talking at the airport. K= Kangkang M= Michael)*

K:Long time no see, Michael. Did you have a good time in your hometown?

M:Yes,I did.78. But I'm sorry I missed your birthday party on April 16th.

K:Never mind. I had a meaningful birthday, because on that day, S*henzhou*-13 carrying three astronauts landed safely.

M:Wow, how exciting!79.

K:They are Zhai Zhigang, Wang Yaping and Ye Guangfu.

M:80.

K: They have been in space for 183 days.

M:81.

K: They did lots of research there. They also gave space-based lectures. By the way, *Shenzhou*-14 was launched at 10:44 a.m. on June 5th

M:Amazing!82.

K: You're right. We Chinese are so proud of them!

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| A. Who are they?  B. They're heroes（英雄)!  C. That's good news!  D. What did they do there?  E. How long have they been in space?  F. I was happy to visit my friends there.  G.I also want to be an astronaut in the future. |

**六、书面表达（15分）**

完形B)部分文章讲述了贾双登因帮助他人而得到许多人的感谢。在你的成长历程中，也有许多值得感谢的人，如父母、老师、同学……他们或帮助过你，或影响到你，你最想感谢谁?请根据以下提示,用英语写一篇短文。

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| 写作要点 | 具体内容 |
| 1.Appearance and personality | 描述你要感谢的人的外表和性格 |
| 2.A special thing | 描述一件他/她帮助或影响过你的特殊事情 |
| 3.Your thanks | 你将通过什么方式来表达你的感谢 |

要求:

1.短文应包括提示中所有的写作要点,条理清楚,行文连贯,可适当发挥;

2.短文中不能出现真实的人名和地名;

3.词数 80-120,开头已给出,不计入总词数。

**The Person I Want to Express My Thanks**

In my life, many people helped and influenced me a lot. The person I want to express（表达） my thanks most is