**苏辙中学2024届第四期半期考试**



**英语试卷**

（时间：120分钟 满分150分）

**注意事项：**

**1.答题时，务必将自己的姓名、班级、准考证号等填写在答题卡规定的位置。**

**2.答1至55题时，必须使用2B铅笔将答题卡上对应题目的答案标号涂黑。如需改动，用橡皮擦擦干净后，再选涂其他答案标号。**

**3.答56至书面表达题时，必须使用0.5毫米黑色墨水笔或黑色签字笔，将答案书写在答题卡规定的位置上。**

**4.考试结束后，只将答题卡交回。**

**第一部分 听（共20小题，每小题1.5分，满分30分）**

**第一节 听短对话答题（共5小题；每小题1.5分，满分7.5分）**

**听下面5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。每段对话读两遍。**

( ) 1. Where is Julie going?

A. To the cinema. B. To the hospital C. To the museum.  
( ) 2. What does the boy want to be in the future?

A.  A singer B. A writer C. A teacher.  
( ) 3. What housework does the girl usually do on weekends?  
 A. Washing the clothes. B. Sweeping the floor. C. Doing the dishes.  
( ) 4. What did Jimmy lose?  
 A. A ping-pong bat. B. A model plane. C. A movie ticket.  
( ) 5. When did Nick get home yesterday?  
 A. At 7: 30 p.m. B. At 8: 30 p.m. C. At 9: 30 p.m.

**第二节 听对话和独白答题（共15小题；每小题1.5分，满分22.5分）**

**听下面几段对话或独白。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。每段对话或独白读两遍。**

听第6段对话，回答第 6 至 7 小题。

( ) 6. What does Mario volunteer to do?

A. Help the sick kids B. Clean the park. C. Feed disabled dogs

( ) 7. When did Mario go to the park last week?

A. On Wednesday. B. On Thursday. C. On Saturday

听第7段对话，回答第 8 至 10小题。

( ) 8. What is Bob watching on TV?

A. A game show B. A talent show C. A sports show

( ) 9. Where does Bob’s mother plan to go?

A. To the bank B. To the supermarket C. To the post office

( ) 10. What will Bob do in the afternoon?

A. Do his homework B. Visit his aunt. C. Clean the house

听第8段对话，回答第 11 至 13 小题。

( )11. When did Ann arrive at this village?

A. 3 months ago B. 6 months ago C. 9 months ago

( ) 12.What does Ann volunteer as?

A. A teacher B. A nurse C. A doctor

( ) 13.What is Ann’s new hobby?

A. Cooking B. Farming C. Drawing

听第9段对话，回答第 14 至 16 小题。

( )14.What does Mike say about the sports center?

A. It’s large and new B. It’s clean and new C. It’s large and clean

( )15.What subject is Jenny good at?

A. Math B. Science C. Geography

( )16.How long did Linda spend on the problem?

A. About 10 minutes B. About 30 minutes C. About 50 minutes

听第10段材料，回答第 17 至 20 小题。

 ( ) 17. What sport was Li Qiang playing at three yesterday afternoon?

A. Basketball B. Volleyball C. Football

( )18.What did Ms. Zhang do?

A. She called 120 at once . B. She bought some medicine. C. She took Li Qiang to the hospital.

( ) 19. What happened to Li Qiang?

A. His arm broke. B. His leg broke. C. His food broke.

( ) 20. How long should Li Qiang stay in hospital at least?

A. 7 days B. 10 days C. 15 days

**第二部分　读(共三节，满分70分)**

**第一节 阅读理解（共15小题；每小题2分，满分30分）**

**阅读下列4篇短文，从每题所给的A、B、C、D四个选项中，选出最佳选项。**

**A**

More and more young people in the US volunteer to spend their school holidays working for mountains. Here are some of their stories.

Alice Hamilton, 17—I’m going to help the Forest Center build new hiking roads in the mountains. I’ll spend the whole summer living in the tent and breathing the clean mountain air. I’m going to sleep under the stars. It’ll be nice and I’ll be able to do something good at the same time.

Jason Moore, 18— This summer, I’m going to volunteer with Special House Program. They build good, low-cost houses and sell them to families that are not very rich. They’ll teach me what to do, so I’ll help people and also have a chance to learn how to build houses.

Trish Anderson, 16—I’m going to teach kids who have trouble reading. I’ll work for Reading for Life. I’m going to help kids choose and read books they like. I want to be a teacher so it will be a great experience for me.

( ) 21. What does Alice volunteer to do in summer?

A. To sleep under the stars. B. To breathe the clean mountain air.

C. To spend the summer living in the tent.

D. To help build new hiking roads in the mountains.

( ) 22. From the passage, we know that Special House Program helps \_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. poor families that can’t buy their own houses B. workers who build houses

C. children who can’t read D. build hiking roads

( ) 23. Who wants to be a teacher?

A. Alice Hamilton. B. Jason Moore. C. Trish Anderson. D. None of them.

**B**

My name is Sparky and I work for Ms. Toni Graham. I stay with her at home every day. My trainer calls what I do “work” but I think my job is fun. I really like my job: I do many different things for Ms. Toni every day. She says I have changed many things, so her daily life is easier.

Ms. Toni gets an illness that makes her hands shake. She isn’t able to stand or sit for a long time. On a bad day, Ms. Toni can lose her balance and fall. Whenever she drops something, I pick it up for her. It’s part of my job.

Another part of my job is to take a walk with Ms. Toni around town every afternoon. Exercise is very important for her health so we never miss a day. We often see a new sight or a new fragrance along our way. Ms. Toni rests when we get back. She needs my cooperation (协作) during this time. I help her by being very quiet. I stay by the front door and keep my eye on things. If Ms. Toni needs me, she rings a bell.

Every so often Ms. Toni can’t sleep. At these times she likes me to hang out and relax with her. It’s said that petting me keeps her cool. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. She talks to me and brushes me. This is one of the best parts of my job.

I am very lucky to be a part of Ms. Toni’s life. People who have a hard time with day-to-day chores can become sad and lonely. We can help them feel happy.

( ) 24. Sparky does many things except (除……之外) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. taking a walk with Ms. Toni B. hanging out with Ms. Toni

C. picking up books for Ms. Toni D. helping Ms. Toni with housework

( ) 25. Which word can best describe Sparky according to the passage?

A. Helpful. B. Lonely. C. Honest. D. Brave.

( ) 26. Which of the following is the best to fill in “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” in the passage?

A. It’s not a big deal. B. It’s a piece of cake. C. I really agree with it. D. I don’t care about it.

( ) 27. According to the passage, what is Sparky?

A housekeeper. B. A dog helper. C. A nurse. D. A robot.

**C**

It is necessary to share your feelings with others. Sharing your feelings helps you to get closer to people you care about and who care about you.

Sometimes it can be really hard not to tell anyone that you’re feeling sad, worried, or upset. Don’t keep feelings locked inside. If that, it can even make you feel sick!

But if you talk with someone who cares for you, like your mom or dad, you will not be all alone with your problems or worries. It doesn’t mean your problems and worries go off, but at least someone else knows what your trouble is and can help you find ways to do with it.

If the person doesn’t understand what you mean right away, try explaining it in a different way or give an example that has something to do with you. Of course, there are many ways for you to speak up your feelings. If you think you’ll have trouble saying what’s on your mind, write it down on a piece of paper.

Some of us, just like some adults, are more private (有隐私的) than others. That means some people will feel shy about sharing their feelings. A kid doesn’t have to share every feeling he or she has, but it is important to share feelings when a kid needs help.

( ) 28. What does the underlined sentence “Don’t keep feelings locked inside.” tell us?

A. Don’t tell anything to others. B. Don’t care about what others think.

C. Don’t keep your feelings to yourself. D. You have to stay inside and think it over.

( ) 29. According to the passage, which of the following is NOT true?

A. Teenagers are more private than adults.

B. Worrying too much even makes you feel sick.

C. There are many ways to speak up your feelings.

D. Sharing your feelings makes you closer to people.

( ) 30. In the writer’s opinion, what will happen if you talk with someone about your worries?

A. They will laugh at you. B. They will share the feelings with you.

C. They will tell others about your worries. D. They will help you find ways to solve them.

( ) 31. The passage is mainly for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. the parents B. the teenagers C. the teachers D. every reader

**D**

Every morning, the newspaper chief editor (主编) holds a meeting with the reporters. They discuss the main events (事件) of the day. Reporters are then sent to cover the events.

As soon as the reporters know what to write about, they get down to work. They telephone people and fix a time for a face-to-face talk with them. Sometimes they do telephone talks. Checking (检查) information is very important. They go to the newspaper’s own library to look up any information that they need. This is called “doing one’s homework”.

At the same time, the picture editor decides which photos will be used for the next day’s paper. All the people who work on a newspaper must be able to work fast. Reporters have to stop working on one story and start working at once on the important new one. They must find out the new information as quickly as possible. Later in the day, everything is put together at the news desk. Reporters return, type (打字) their stories into the computer and hand them to the editor.

The chief editor decides which will be the most important story on the front page. Sometimes this will have to be changed if something more important happens late in the day. Other editors read the stories which the reporters have written and make any necessary changes.

Finally, there is no more time left for adding new stories, and the time for printing the newspaper has come. This is done on fast-moving printing machines. The newspapers are then sent by truck, plane or rail. Speed (速度) is important. People want to buy the latest newspaper; nobody wants to buy yesterday’s.

( ) 32. What is the work in a newspaper office like?

A. Fast and busy. B. Exciting and necessary.

C. Important but boring. D. Interesting but difficult.

( ) 33. According to the passage, which of the following is the right order for a reporter’s work?

a. writing stories b. having talks c. joining in a discussion d. doing homework e. handing stories to the editor

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

( ) 34. The front page contents (内容) are decided by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. whether they are the latest B. how well the stories are written

C. the importance of the events D. the knowledge of the chief editor

( ) 35. Which is the best title for this passage?

A. Whose work is more important? B. How newspapers are sent?

C. What kind of papers readers like? D. How a newspaper is made?

**第二节 阅读填空（共5小题；每小题2分，满分10分)**

**根据短文内容，从短文后的选项中选出能填入空白处的最佳选项，选项中有一项为多余选项。**

Short videos online, such as the ones on Douyin, Bilibili and many other media platforms, have become a new way to spread different ideas and information. 36.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_People not only enjoy watching short videos, but also are interested in making them because it doesn't take a lot of professional skills to do so.

Short videos have some advantages(优点）．37.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_People can pay more attention to these videos because they are short and interesting. For another thing, the short videos are different so people of all ages can have fun watching them, open their eyes to many new things and learn. 38\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_For example, people in a country town or mountain area can sell their goods online by using short videos to let more people know about them. Short videos can make a big difference this way.

However, these videos also come with some disadvantages. Many teenagers, and even adults, have lost themselves in them and taken them as their big part of life. 39.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_They hardly have time to talk with their parents. Also, spending too much time on the videos takes time away from studying, working and other important things.

In my opinion, short videos can help teenagers have closer relationships with the rest of the world. However, we still need to be careful about the information we get from the Internet. 40.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

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| A. Watching too many short videos is bad for people's eyes.  B. For one thing, they can help people learn new things easily and quickly. C. Some are about five minutes long, while others are even shorter.  D. Short videos can even help people make money  E. This has affected(影响）the way kids communicate with their parents.  F. We still have a long way to go for improving the situation. |

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**第三节 完形填空（共15小题；每小题2分，满分30分）**

**先通读下列短文，弄懂大意，然后从各题所给的A、B、C、D 四个选项中，选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项。**

**A**

Ben’s family live in a quiet village in Alabama. One day, the news reported that a heavy rainstorm would come soon and asked people to get ready for it.

Everyone in the neighborhood was busy. Ben’s dad was putting pieces of wood over the windows while his mom was putting candles on the tables.

After dinner, while they were playing a card game, the storm came, with the rain beating heavily 41 the windows. The room became dark because of the sudden power cut(停电). Ben had to light the candles with 42 to make sure they could keep on playing the game.

Ben got 43 quickly because he couldn’t have fun with a serious storm happening outside. He decided to go to bed, but he didn’t fall asleep until 3:00 a.m.

The next day, Ben went outside with his family and found the neighborhood was 44 . Then they joined each other to do the cleaning together. From this experience, Ben realized that a storm may be scary, but it 45 families and neighbors closer together.

( ) 41. A．to B．against C．with D. of

( ) 42. A．matches B．flashlights C．radios D. TV

( ) 43. A．stupid B．bored C．relaxed D. interested

( ) 44*.* A．broken B．silent C．messy D. tidy

*( )* 45*.* A．changed B．brought C．raised D. took

**B**

I was born on July 17th, 1995 in Atlanta. Georgia. My story started 46 that, in May of that year. My mother had a car accident and some people took her to the 47 at once. There the doctors told my mom that I was hurt and there was bleeding in my brain.

They said 48 would have stroke（中风）. As my mother was still young, the doctors suggested that she should give me 49 . But my mother didn’t want to do so. When I was finally born, the doctors found out that one side of my brain was weak and that there was water in the brain. I 50 suffered visual（视力的）problems.

After I was born, my parents 51 me day and night. Finally, I got much better. Now I can even see 52 wearing glasses.

School days passed normally for me and I never really had 53 with anything. I now have many great friends whom I love very much. This fall I will go to Young Harris College to study English. I love 54 . I have written one book already and now I am writing another. I did all that because of my 55 love and support.

No life, I think, would be complete without the love and support of the family.

( ) 46. A．after B．before C．until D．since

( ) 47. A．station B．home C．library D．hospital

( ) 48. A．she B．I C．he D．you

( ) 49. A．away B．out C．up D．off

( ) 50. A．still B．also C．ever D．never

( ) 51. A．cheered up B．took away C．put off D．looked after

( ) 52. A．in B．without C．against D．through

( ) 53. A．fun B．friends C．trouble D．risks

( ) 54. A．singing B．dancing C．swimming D．writing

( ) 55. A．mother’s B．father’s C．parents’ D．doctors’

**第三部分 写（共三节，满分50分）**

**第一节 词汇（共10小题；每小题1分，满分10分）**

**根据首字母及句意补全单词，并将单词的正确形式完整地填写在答题卡上（每空一词）。**

56. I’m really tired. I spent the w\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ afternoon helping parents on the farm.

57. Our class b\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Class 5 by 3:2 in the football game yesterday afternoon.

58. She cut one of her f\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and cannot write now.

59. It was cold so we sat around the fire to keep o\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ warm.

60. I’d like to listen to others’ idea before I make a d\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

61. It was midnight but Jane was still a\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, thinking about the next day’s big exam.

62. –Tyler, why didn’t you go to Alice’s birthday party last night?

–Oh, I c\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ forgot that it was her birthday yesterday. Was she angry with me?

63. When I woke up at around 6:00 a.m., the sun was r\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

64. I’ve finally r\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ why my grandpa loves drinking tea and collecting tea sets.

65. W\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I was making my breakfast, my brother was listening to the radio.

**第二节 语法填空（共10小题；每小题1.5分，满分15分）**

**阅读下面短文，在空白处填入一个适当的单词或括号内单词的正确形式。**

Algeria is a country in North Africa with many different ethnic(种族的)groups. Many of these groups 66.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (live) there for thousands of years already. In fact, Algeria has one of the 67.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(long) histories in the world. There is evidence (证据) of people living in Algeria up to 10,000 years ago. A lot more evidence can be found at a place called Tassili n’Ajjer.

Tassili n'Ajjer is in the southeastern part of Algeria. It is very large — 72,000 square kilometers in area. The place is very dry 68.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it is in the desert. There are also many large rocks and mountains in Tassili n'Ajjer. A lot of 69.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (tour) go to visit the place every year.

Scientists found some rock paintings in Tassili n'Ajjer in 1933. They show three different subjects, 70.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (include) the change in the weather, the movement of the animals and the 71.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (develop) of human life. The age of the earliest paintings is contested(争论),72.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ many scientists agree that they date from about 7,000 years ago.

Today, scientists can learn more 73.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Tassili n'Ajjer by studying the paintings. These paintings are so important that they are under the 74.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (protect) of the Algerian government and the United Nations. Scientists are also doing research 75.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (learn) how they can protect the paintings from the weather.

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**第三节 书面表达（满分25分）**

为了推动更多的人去阅读和写作，联合国教科文组织宣布4月23日为“世界读书日”（World Book Day）。你将代表班级参加格林中学所举办的英文演讲比赛，请根据以下要点写一篇演讲稿。要点如下：

1. 它始于1995年，每年人们都会举办各种各样的读书活动让更多人爱上读书。
2. 过去，你不喜欢读书，你把大部分时间花在玩电脑游戏上。现在，你已经读了很多书了。因为读书能够…。
3. 你最爱读西游记（Journey to the West），因为美猴王…。
4. 你非常愿意和同学们分享读书的乐趣，将来，我会…。

**要求：**

1. 短文须包括以上所有提示内容，要求语句通顺、意思连贯；
2. 省略号处各用1-2句话展开合理想象，作适当发挥；
3. 词数100左右，开头已给出，不计入总词数。

Good morning, everyone! We all know April 23rd is World Book Day. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.