

2015-2016学年度第一学期期中练习

初二年级英语试卷

四. 单项选择 (共10分, 每小题1分)

从每题所给的A、B、C、D四个选项中, 选择可以填入空白处的最佳选项.

16. I want to get up early _____. I can go to school on time.
A. because B. but C. so D. so that
17. ---You lose the test? _____, your mother loves you forever.
A. what a pity B. that's too bad C. never mind D. bad luck
18. Dad can't go with us because he has _____ to do.
A. important something B. anything important
C. important anything B. something important
19. I have never seen ant movie as _____ as this one.
A. interested B. interesting C. more interesting D. more interested
20. Taking a taxi is _____ faster than taking a bus.
A. a lot B. very C. less D. more
21. --- I took a lot of pictures in Africa.
---Really? Could you show _____ to me ?
A. it B. their C. they D. them
22. ---When is the Dragon Boat Festival this year?
---It's _____ June 6th.
A. at B. in C. on D. from
23. Dentists advise people _____ too many sweets.
A, to eat B. not to eat C. eating D. not eat
24. ---Teachers often say that mistakes should _____ in time.
---I think so . It's really good advice.
A. correct B. be correcting C. have corrected D. be corrected
25. ---Mary, could you tell me _____ ?
---One for each classroom, 50 altogether.
A. how many computers did you buy B. how many computers you bought
C. where did you buy the computers D. where you bought the computers

五. 完形填空 (共10分, 每小题1分)

阅读下面的短文, 掌握其大意, 然后从短文后各题所给的A、B、C、D四个选项中, 选择最佳选项。

The Lake

The day when Robert was born was the happiest day of my life. Unfortunately my wife decided she no longer wanted to be married to me. My little boy and I had to 26, only getting to see each other every other weekend.

One day, I decided to go fishing with my son, who was about 5 years old, at a nearby lake. We arrived at the lake early. Getting out of the car, we brought out all of the fishing equipment and our life jackets and the cooler that had our tasty lunch in it. I could just 27 the day in my mind in hopes that it would never end. We both went out onto the dock (船坞) and I thought, "Do I put his life jacket on first or load the boat first?" I saw him skipping rocks on the water, so I decided to load the boat first.

I was just finishing up when I heard the splash. I turned and looked quickly expecting to see Robert 28 standing there, but I did not see him anywhere. I jumped into the water to save my son immediately. I searched and searched but found him nowhere. I came up for a breath hoping to see him above water, now wondering how I could find him in the murky (浑浊的) water. I finally decided to go all the way to the bottom and 29 around, not coming up until I found him.

Finally, there on the bottom he was, his arms wrapped around the wooden pole that holds up the dock. I brought him to the 30 and put him on the bank. While both of us were coughing and spitting out water, I just hugged him and was 31 that I had found him in time.

When things finally calmed down, I asked one simple question, “Robert, why were you 32 onto that pole on the bottom of the lake?” He looked at me with the most innocent and loving eyes and simply replied, “I was waiting for you, Daddy. I knew you would come to 33 me.”

I thought that I could not be any 34 or any madder at the same time and I just told him, “I sure do love you, sweetheart.” He replied, “I love you too, Dad.”

There is no amount of money or cars or jobs or any material thing that could replace being loved and 35 someone so much. I am lucky to have the ability to love on such a high level, and the ability to forgive on the same level.

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| 26. A. back | B. part | C. argue | D. move |
| 27. A. picture | B. enjoy | C. show | D. spend |
| 28. A. carefully | B. happily | C. safely | D. quietly |
| 29. A. walk | B. look | C. hear | D. feel |
| 30. A. surface | B. centre | C. front | D. corner |
| 31. A. thoughtful | B. regretful | C. hopeful | D. thankful |
| 32. A. jumping | B. holding | C. stepping | D. pointing |
| 33. A. call | B. awake | C. save | D. remind |
| 34. A. funnier | B. prouder | C. sadder | D. cooler |
| 35. A. missing | B. touching | C. loving | D. changing |

阅读理解（共30分）

六、阅读下列短文,根据短文内容,从短文后各题所给的ABCD四个选项中,选择最佳选项。（共20分,每小题2分）

A

INTERNATIONAL RADIO — WHAT’S ON?

18:00	World News Program The latest news from around the world.
18:10	What Do You Think? Phone in with your opinion about today’s hot topics: Why is the world getting fatter? How can we look after our world better to save the planet? Should we all get free healthcare or should we pay ourselves?
19:00	World Business Business news of the day, with up-to-date information about the world business in Europe, Asia and America.
19:20	Teen Dreams Listen to 10 teenagers from different places in Asia talking about their dreams for the future. What is more important for them—money, education or love?
20:00	World News Program The latest news from around the world.
21:10	Aunt Vera- What should you do? Phone in to ask for Aunt Vera’s advice if you have a problem with your parents, friends, or love. She will tell you what she thinks.

36. How many times will the World News Program be on?
A. Once. B. Twice C. Three times. D. Four times.
37. When can you phone in if you have a problem with your friend?
A. At 18:10. B. At 19:00. C. At 19:20 D. At 21:10.
38. In which program can you hear people’s opinions about hot topics?
A. Teen Dreams B. What Do You Think?
C. World Business D. What Should You Do?

B

Speaking English is not only about using proper grammar, but also about understanding the culture. Here is some important advice to remember when speaking English in the United States.

◆Americans have difficulties understanding foreign accents. Many Americans are not used to foreign accents. This requires patience from both of you.

◆Talk about places: Americans love to talk about places. When speaking to a stranger, ask them where they come from and then say something about that place. For example: “Oh, I have a friend who worked in Los Angeles. He says it’s a beautiful place to live in.” Most Americans will then willingly talk about their experiences of living in or visiting that city or place.

◆Talk about work: It is common for Americans to ask “What do you do?” It’s not considered impolite as in some countries and is a popular topic of discussion between strangers.

◆Talk about sports: Americans love sports! However, they love American sports. When speaking about football, most Americans understand “American football”, not soccer.

◆Be careful when expressing ideas about race, religion or other sensitive (敏感的) topics: The United States is a society with different cultures. Americans are very sensitive to other cultures and ideas.

39. For Americans, the question “what do you do?” is _____.

- A. common B. impolite C. boring D. surprising

40. What can we learn about Americans?

- A. They like to learn foreign accents.
B. They are willing to talk about places.
C. They prefer soccer to American football.
D. They accept other ideas and cultures easily.

41. The writer gives some advice mainly on _____.

- A. talking with Americans
B. working with Americans
C. speaking American English
D. understanding American society

C

There are many online food shopping sites. This is very surprising. Things like CDs, books, and DVDs sell well online. But it is quite different to sell food online because people like to see food with their own eyes. It is very important for people to buy fresh fruit and vegetables. Customers like to choose their food by its colour. They also want to touch and smell it. But some people like to go to the same shop to buy food, because they think the food there has a very good quality. So if the food is always good, they may also feel comfortable buying it online.

Boxes of fruits and vegetables have been delivered (递送) to homes around Britain for a few years now. Dried or canned foods are almost always the same, but things like apples are not.

People may want to choose their own apples so they can take the ones that aren't bruised (碰伤) or the ones that look nice. Buying dried and canned food online is easier. A person can buy this kind of food on the Internet and then buy fruits and vegetables at a store or a market.

Now people can also buy food through supermarket websites. There people can find most of the things that supermarkets usually sell. Other food websites sell different types of food. Some sell food from one part of the world such as Asia. Others sell food that is hard to find in supermarkets. There are also websites that sell sweet foods such as cakes and candies.

The food is usually delivered by the next day or even on the same day. People still need to be careful, though. They must check to see if the food is fresh when they get it. It is a good idea for people to find out how far away the food is being delivered from. It is also a problem if the company does not use refrigeration when they deliver food that should be kept cold. If traveling long distances in the summer to deliver the goods, this is important.

42. When people buy food, they usually _____.

- A. choose the color B. don't touch or smell it
C. go to the different shops each time D. want to see with their own eyes

43. It is not so easy to buy _____ online.
 A. CDs or DVDs B. apples or bananas
 C. dried or canned foods D. books or magazines
44. If fresh fruit and vegetables _____, customers will buy them online.
 A. look nice B. have a very good quality
 C. make people feel comfortable D. have been put into boxes
45. When customers get the food they buy, it's important for them to _____.
 A. pay for it B. use refrigeration
 C. check it D. cook it

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The Same But Different

Maggie and Sarah are twin sisters. They were born just a few minutes apart, and they look exactly alike. They both have blonde hair and green eyes. 46. Sometimes other students at school have a hard time telling them apart.

Maggie and Sarah like going to the same school. This is because they are not just twin sisters, but best friends too. They have a lot in common. 47. Both girls spend a lot of time together with their family, and they both like to play with their dog, Callie.

48. Maggie likes to play sports. She is on a soccer team and a basketball team. Sarah doesn't really like sports. She likes to dance.

There are other differences between them too. 49. Maggie likes to read mystery books, but Sarah likes to read books about animals. Maggie gets better grades in reading and Spanish, but Sarah gets better grades in math and science.

Everyone is different in her or his own way. Maggie and Sarah like being different from each other as much as they like being similar. 50.

- A. That is what makes them special
 B. They are around the same height as well
 C. But Maggie and Sarah are also very different
 D. Maggie likes the color red, but Sarah likes the color green
 E. Both girls enjoy a lot of the same television shows, books, and food

八、阅读短文，根据短文内容回答问题。（共10分，每小题2分）



So if you're too busy, maybe it's time you slowed down and enjoyed a meal with a friend. There has been a new trend (趋势) in food recently — getting away from fast food and moving toward "slow food".

For years, the pace of life was increasing for most people. they were too busy to cook. The trouble including buying , preparing and cleaning up after a meal was becoming more bother than it was worth clearly. Luckily, there were smart business people who took the chance to provide a “fast” way to deal with the problem. Almost overnight, you could drop by the supermarket and buy complete meals in packages. All you had to do was to heat it and you could be eating a delicious meal in 5 minutes. Just add salt.

Still too slow? Ok, just drive your car up to the fast-food restaurant, order your meal and within 2 minutes it will be handed over to you with salt.

The problem is health. Fast food has much more oil, salt and empty calories and far less vitamins than food freshly prepared at home. And so, since people have always wanted to live longer and healthier, a small but growing population is choosing not only fresh food, but also organically (有机) grown food — food that hasn’t been grown with chemical fertilizers (化肥) .

Another reason for changes in eating habits is undoubtedly social. Over the centuries, meal times have been used to visit, laugh and learn. That doesn’t fit with today’s lifestyle and many people are looking for ways to return to that. Goodbye McDonald’s.

Finally, there’s something unique about planning your meal, buying just the right ingredients and seeing something on your table that looks just like the picture in your recipe book. So if you’re too busy, maybe it’s time you slowed down and enjoyed a meal with a friend.

51. Do some people begin to eat “slow food” ?

52. Why did people start eating fast food?

53. Where can people get a meal in two minutes?

54. What is meant by “goodbye McDonald” ?

55. What are the advantages of food prepared at home?

九、完成句子（共10分， 每小题2分）

56. 为什么不告诉他真相呢？

_____ him the truth?

57. 我的家乡尤其以它丰富的文化和悠久的历史而文明。(especially, culture)

58. 去年我妈妈对我不满意因为我在学习上没有竭尽全力。

59. 这个惊人的故事发生在一个小茶馆。

_____ in a small teahouse.

60. 我一读完这本书就还给你。

I will return the book to you _____ it.

十、文段表达（10分）

假如你叫张明，最近和美国朋友Sam 通过邮件谈论各自的校园生活，他想了解你最大的兴趣爱好是什么？ 你的兴趣爱好是怎样培养起来的？ 它对你有什么样的帮助或影响？ 请根据这些问题回复邮件。（不少于60词）

提示词语： start, relaxing, interesting, creative, keep fit, confident, make friends

1. What is your favourite hobby?
2. How did you develop the hobby?
3. How does it help or influence you?

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16-20DCDBA 21-25DCBDB

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26-30 BACBA 31-35 DBCBC

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36-38BDB 39-41 ABA 42-45 DBAC

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46-50 BECDA

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51. Yes, they do.

52. Because they were too busy.

53. They just drive your car up to the fast-food restaurant.

54. It means to stop eating fast food.

55. Healthy and enjoyable.

九、完成句子

56. Why not tell

57. My hometown is especially famous for its rich culture and long history.

58. My mom wasn't pleased with me, because I didn't do my best on study.

59. The surprising story took place

60. as soon as I finish reading

十、文段表达 (略)