

期中复习——语法填空&单词拼写专练

一、语法填空

【A】

1. _____ (know) the best way to study will help you to be a better student. By using your time 2. _____ (proper). You can do your homework even 3. _____ (quick). Learning to study is not difficult.

The first thing to remember is that you must be willing to learn. It doesn't 4. _____ (mean) that you must always like the subject. It does mean, however, that you must be willing to do whatever is necessary to learn. Try to understand 5. _____ it is important and how it will help you now and later to do and learn other things. Knowing mathematical facts will be 6. _____ (use) in your whole life. Knowing how to 7. _____ (spell) makes any kind of writing easier. Sometimes the subject that you think is going to be understanding will become exciting when you begin to work at it and understand it more clearly.

Make good use of class time to listen 8. _____ everything the teachers say. Really listening in class means 9. _____ (little) work after class. Look around your house and find a quiet place with good lighting for study. Have everything ready before you sit down to study, a dictionary, a pen and books. Reviewing the important points 10. _____ were mentioned by the teachers in class will consolidate what you have learned. Previewing the material that the teacher will teach the next day will help you understand it more easily in class and you will remember it longer.

These ways may help you with your study.

Keys: Knowing; properly; more quickly; mean; why; useful; spell; to; less; that

【B】

The New Year is one of the happiest 1. _____ (holiday) in Russia. Christmas was a very important Russian holiday before. However, in the past one hundred years, the New Year has 2. _____ (take) its place.

The New Year is also 3. _____ (celebrate) with a Christmas tree that has begun to be called a New Year tree. Russian people regard the 4. _____ (come) year as the beginning of new life, a chance to make dreams come true. There is a tradition to make a wish while drinking champagne. Actually, champagne is the 5. _____ (tradition) drink of the first half hour of the New Year. And then beer or vodka (伏特加酒) takes its place. People make a lot of preparations before New Year's Day. They clean their houses and cook a lot of food.

Russian New Year is 6. _____ (difference) from American Christmas. It is usually celebrated with friends 7. _____ in America Christmas is usually celebrated with family. Their New Year party is usually a very happy party with a lot of toasts(干杯, 敬酒), changing clothes, 8. _____ (exchange) presents and congratulating each other. Russians can have a lot of fun on New Year's Day. December 31st is working day, but January 1st and 2nd are holidays, so it is a tradition for people to stay 9. _____ (wake) all night on New Year's Eve. And even children try 10. _____ (go) to sleep for as long as they can. People go out into the streets at night, light New Year trees and put them all around the town.

Keys: holidays; taken; celebrated ;coming; traditional ; different ; while; exchanging; awake; not



to go

【C】

Let's be honest. No matter how old we are, most of us love it when our parents do things for us. It makes our lives 1. _____ (easy), and we have less to worry about. Some parents are used to 2. _____ (do) almost everything for their children. They see their older children (and sometimes even adults) as babies! It can be a very common problem in China where most parents only have one child. Some parents care so much about the safety of their children that they are afraid to let them go anywhere or do anything by 3. _____ (they). As a result, their children fail to learn useful 4. _____ (skill), and come to depend more on the parents!

In fact, no children really enjoy being looked after by their parents all the time. On the other hand, no parents would be happy to know 5. _____ their children don't know much about the world as a result of too much care! Children need their own time to 6. _____ (develop) into adults and to learn how to deal with problems. Too much care spoils (破坏) their fun 7. _____ they are growing up. And when suddenly they can't depend on their parents, they will be 8. _____ big trouble!

It is nice that parents show their care and attention to their children. It is also nice that children understand that their 9. _____ (parent) care and attention is the result of love. And it will be nicer if the children let their parents know how much love they 10. _____ (real) need, and how much love is too much.

Keys: easier; doing; themselves; skills; that; develop; when; in; parents'; really

【D】

"Dreams may be more important than sleep. We all need to dream." some scientists say. Dreams take up about one quarter of our 1. _____ (sleep) time. People have several 2. _____ (dream) each night.

Dreams are like short films. They are usually in color. Some dreams are like old films. They come up over and over 3. _____. That may be the dreamer is 4. _____ (worry) about something. Dreaming may be a way of trying to find an answer.

Some people get new ideas about their work 5. _____ dreams. They may have been 6. _____ (think) about their work all day. These thoughts can carry over into dreams.

Sometimes we wake 7. _____ with a good feeling from a dream. But often we can't remember the dream. Dreams can disappear 8. _____ (quick) from memory.

Too much dreaming can be harmful. The 9. _____ (much) we sleep, the longer we dream. The mind is hard at work when we dream. That is 10. _____ we may have a long sleep and still wake up tired.

Keys: sleeping; dreams; again; worrying; from; thinking; up; quickly; more; why



二、单词拼写

- Hens can l_____ eggs while cocks can't.
- I'm not interested in w_____ you like the plan or not.
- Pardon me, I can't find any parking spaces on the ground. Could you please tell me where I can park my car? ---Sure. There's an u_____ parking lot over there.
- It's very c_____ for us to buy clothes because there are some new clothes shops in the neighborhood.
- How do the students go to school? ---It d_____ on where they live.
- I n_____ go to bed early, but I stayed up late last night.
- A Christmas Carol is a famous short novel w_____ by Charles Dickens.
- The s_____ of light is 300 million meters per second.
- I've eaten so much that I must have p_____ on three pounds already after this dinner.
- Good learners often ask questions during or after class. You know, k_____ comes from questioning.

Keys: lay; whether; underground; convenient; depends; normally; written; speed; put; knowledge

- We must knock at the door. It's i_____ to just rush in like that.
- The hot fireplace offered the w_____ they needed from the winter coldness.
- If you want an iPhone 6, you have to wait p_____, for it's still on its way.
- I can't find my watch! I think someone has s_____ it, and I must call the police.
- Do you know to w_____ Mum is talking in the room?
- C_____ Eve falls on December 24th.
- It's FREEPOST, so there's no need for s_____.
- Grace l_____ out knives and forks at the lunch table and we began to have our meal.
- He is such a quiet person that he s_____ speaks in public.
- You can improve your pronunciation by r_____ people who have British accents.

Keys: impolite; warmth; patiently; stolen; whom; Christmas; stamp; laid; seldom; repeating

- My father had a short c_____ with my teacher yesterday.
- It's difficult to sum it up in one s_____.
- Linda, may I use your history t_____ I left mine at home this morning.
---Sure, here you are.
- Clare's my tennis p_____ and we often play tennis together.
- As we all know, k_____ is useful. It can even create wealth(财富)
- Reading interesting English stories is helpful to most English l_____.
- At that time, most babies were b_____ at home, instead of hospitals.
- They drove to the hospital at the top s_____ to save the old lady.
- I'm sorry---could you r_____ that?
- You'll just have to be p_____ and wait till I'm afraid.

Keys: conversation; sentence; textbook; partner; knowledge; learners; born; speed; repeat; patient.

- Traveling by air c_____ much money, but it's very comfortable.
- Try on the dress, and you will know w_____ it is too large or not.



3. P_____ English every day is a good way to study English well.
4. "Every dog has its day" m_____ each person has good luck sometimes.
5. A_____ money is very important, it is not everything.
6. After finishing the article, you'd better check your spelling and g_____.
7. A q_____ can be fifteen minutes, twenty-five pence or three months.
8. A lot of people believe Charles Dickens is one of the great w_____ in England because he wrote many good books including "*A Christmas Carol*".
9. Sally was 39 last year, today is her f_____ birthday.
10. Some students' p_____ is poor, so they are afraid of speaking English in class.

Keys: costs; whether; practicing; means; Although; grammar; quarter; writers; fortieth; pronunciation

