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一、近义词替换

1 从下面每小节的A、B、C三个选项中选出可以替换划线部分的最佳选项，并在答题卡上将相应的字母编号涂黑。

- (1) Many teenagers have no interests in this subject. It's too boring.
A. are fond of
B. are not attracted to
C. are surprised at
- (2) Much of the information is out of date. You need to search for more.
A. useless
B. old-fashioned
C. Fashionable
- (3) I always consider him as my best friend.
A. continue
B. think about
C. regard
- (4) Miss Wang seems unhappy. What's wrong with her?
A. appears
B. shows
C. turns
- (5) The king began to doubt that it was a real golden crown.
A. feel unsure
B. believe
C. wonder
- (6) John wasn't expected to make any comments about it since he knew nothing about the facts.
A. advised
B. required
C. allowed
- (7) I don't want to let my audience down.
A. disappoint
B. put...down
C. take...down
- (8) The exam is coming and Tom is like a cat on hot bricks.
A. careless
B. impatient
C. nervous

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二、单项选择



At school our classmates ___4___ us Henfield One and Henfield Two, so people even see our difference according to our initials (姓名的开头字母) because ___5___ of us were M.O. It was only when I went to college and began to have my own friends that I started to feel my own freedom of identity (身份) .

Before I went to college, during my last secondary school holiday, I got a ___6___ on a building site. My twin brother, Mike Henfield, didn't work. He was resting. One day I said to the foreman (工头) , "Can I have a week off? " "Certainly, " he said, "but you won't have the job when you ___7___ back." I didn't want to ___8___ the job. So on Monday morning, Mike went down in my jeans, jacket and hat and he worked for me for one week. ___9___ of them knew the difference.

Now I am growing old and I feel very different ___10___ my twin brother. And he'll tell you the same. We have really worked towards that for forty years.

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| 1. A. different | B. old | C. the same |
| 2. A. better | B. worse | C. good |
| 3. A. no boys | B. our mother | C. all the other boys |
| 4. A. called | B. asked | C. told |
| 5. A. many | B. one | C. both |
| 6. A. friend | B. holiday | C. job |
| 7. A. get | B. call | C. pay |
| 8. A. find | B. keep | C. lose |
| 9. A. All | B. None | C. Most |
| 10. A. in | B. from | C. with |

四、阅读理解

4 "Look at that cloud, " Emma told her brother Alex. They were sitting outside in their backyard. The sky was blue and full of fluffy clouds.

Alex looked up at the white cloud. "It looks like a duck, " he said.

"To me it looks like a big dog, " Emma said. She pointed to another white cloud. "What about that one? "

"It looks like an octopus, " Alex said.

"To me it seems like a bunch of balloons." Emma pointed to another white cloud, "What about that one? "

"It looks like a man with a long beard, " Alex said.



"To me it looks like a tree." Emma pointed to a dark cloud, "What about that one? "

"It looks like a car with people in it, " Alex said.

"To me it looks like rain!" Emma cried.

They raced back inside and watched the rain pour down.

(1) Where does this story happen?

- A. On the grassland.
- B. Near the river.
- C. In the backyard.
- D. In a garden.

(2) Which of the following isn't Alex's point of view?

- A. It looks like a duck.
- B. It looks like an octopus.
- C. It looks like a bunch of balloons.
- D. It looks like a man with a long beard.

(3) Which cloud is dark?

- A. The one looks like a big dog.
- B. The one looks like a car with people in it.
- C. The one looks lie a tree.
- D. The one looks like a man with a long beard.

(4) What will mostly happen when the cloud turns dark?

- A. It will become bright soon.
- B. The rain will pour down.
- C. Something bad will happen.
- D. It is normal, and nothing will happen.

5

The African lion population, in 1980, was predicted to be 75,800, according to the International Union for Conversation of Nature (IUCN). That number has dropped by 30% so far. The Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) adds that about 70% of all lion populations inhabit just 10 areas in eastern and southern Africa.

Loss of habitat, lack of prey (猎食), and more conflicts with humans are the main threats to the big cats. Over time, more humans have moved into areas inhabited by lions. Experts believe human population in sub-Saharan Africa (撒哈拉以南非洲地区) will double by 2050, making the problem worse.

The USFWS asked for African lions to be listed as "threatened" under the Endangered Species Act (《濒危物种法案》). This move would help protect them from extinction.

Wildlife expert Jane Goodall called the suggested listing "excellent news" . She thought most people were not aware of the decline because they see the animals in zoos.

"It's up to all of us, not just the people of Africa, to ensure that healthy, wild populations continue to roam (漫步) the savannah (大草原) for generations to come," said Daniel Ashe.

(1) The current African lion populations is about _____ .

- A. 22,740



- B. 53,060
 - C. 37,900
 - D. 46,500
- (2) Several factors are causing problems to African lions EXCEPT _____ .
- A. loss of habitat
 - B. lack of prey
 - C. increase of human population
 - D. government protection
- (3) What can we learn from Jane Goodall's opinion?
- A. Most people didn't realize the reduction in the animals.
 - B. Animals outside zoos are not so important.
 - C. She suggested more animals be kept in zoos.
 - D. People should not go to zoos.
- (4) The Endangered Species Act aims to _____ .
- A. introduced all kinds of animals to people
 - B. tell the history of different animals
 - C. protect some rare animals from extinction
 - D. keep records of animals which are died out

6

Have you ever dreamed about sending a letter to yourself or your friends in the future? While express mail represents high speed, there is another type of mail appearing in China as a new business---future mail.

"The letter should be sent next Mother's Day and not a day earlier!" Lin Xiaofen, a senior high school student in Hefei, instructs one of the companies offering the service.

Lin Xiaofen wrote the letter to her mother in advance to express her love to her mother for next Mother's Day.

"Offering this service makes people slow down and let them understand the meaning of "time" in another way," said Zheng Zhimin, manager at a "future mail" company. Zheng thinks "future mail" letters are "reminders of care, friendship and love" .

While "future mail" is becoming more and more popular, some people are wondering what will happen if the postal address changes or if the company goes broken before the letters arrive.

Zheng said customers are glad to complete an acceptance (接纳) form and make an assessment so they can be compensated (赔偿) if their letters or goods are lost or damaged. Most of the customers are college students and young white-collar workers. Psychologists said young Chinese might have a new way to express their feelings through this service.



"Most people put their hopes and wishes in the letter so they can experience the connection between the past and the present while they receive the letter," said Wang Kaiyu, a sociologist in Anhui Province.

- (1) Express mail is a(n) _____ way to send your letters.
- A. slow
 - B. fast
 - C. impossible
 - D. ancient
- (2) _____ are interested in future mail service now.
- A. College students
 - B. Blue-collar workers
 - C. Old people
 - D. Young children
- (3) Through the future mail service, people can _____ .
- A. forget friendship
 - B. show feelings
 - C. misunderstand "time"
 - D. make an assessment
- (4) You had better use future mail if you want to _____ .
- A. save money from sending express mail
 - B. send a birthday gift to your friend quickly
 - C. talk with your e-friends about your life freely
 - D. express your wishes for your father's next birthday

7



At a young age, Patti Wilson was told by her doctor that she was an epileptic (癫痫症患者) . Her father is a morning jogger. One day she said: "Daddy, I'd love to run with you every day." After a few weeks of running, she told her father. "Daddy, I'd love to break the world's long-distance running record for women."

Her father checked and found that the farthest any woman had run was 129km. As a new student in high school, Patti announced: "I'm going to run from Orange County u to San Francisco (a distance of 644km) ." "For the second year, " she went on: "I'm going to run to Portland, Oregon (2, 414km) . As a junior I'll run to St Louis (about 3, 218km) . As a senior I'll run to the White House (more than 4, 800km away) ."



Patti was regarded ambitious (决心) because of her epilepsy, but she said she looked at it simply as "an inconvenience". That year she completed her run to San Francisco wearing T-shirt that read: "I Love Epileptics." Her dad ran every mile by her side. In her second year, Patti's classmates **got behind** her. They built a large poster that read: "Run, Patti, Run!" She completed the run to Portland with a painful bone in her foot. After four months of running from the West Coast to the East Coast, Patti arrived in Washington and shook hands with the President of the United States.

Because of her great efforts, enough money was raised to open up 19 epileptic centers around the country. "I want people to know that epileptics are normal human beings with normal lives," Patti said.

Life is full of challengers, and even though Patti suffers more than most people, she shows so much strength and devotion to help others.

- (1) When did Patti decide to break the World's long-distance running record for women?
- A. When she knew she was an epileptic.
 - B. After she ran with her father for a few weeks.
 - C. After she completed her run to San Francisco.
 - D. When she was in her second year of college.
- (2) The phrase "got behind" in Paragraph 3 means _____ .
- A. put off
 - B. dropped behind
 - C. offered support
 - D. ran after
- (3) What happened during Patti's second year of running?
- A. She overcame the pain in her foot and achieved success.
 - B. She broke a bone in her foot and couldn't run from then on.
 - C. She was forced to stop running of the pain in her foot.
 - D. She did so well in the run that the president shook hands with her.
- (4) Which of the following is the best title?
- A. Being Proud of her Epilepsy
 - B. Spirit of Never Giving up
 - C. Epileptics are Stronger Human Beings
 - D. World's Long-distance Jogger

8

Sleep experts found that the light from an iPad or a cellphone would upset the body's internal clock. "That can cause real health and safety dangers," the experts say. Reading a printed book



does not have the same effect.

An internal clock helps us know when to eat, sleep and wake up. For example, about two hours before bedtime, our brains start to produce hormone (荷尔蒙) called melatonin (褪黑激素). It tells us that darkness has fallen. It also prepares the body for sleep. The light at night can lead to less melatonin in our brain. This keeps the body from getting the message that bedtime is near.

Six men and six women, all about 30 years old, volunteered in the study. Over two weeks, they each sent four hours reading every evening before 10 p.m. The volunteers read on an iPad for five nights. On another five evenings, they read a printed book. People took nearly 10 minutes longer on average to fall asleep after reading on an iPad. They also spent less time on REM (Rapid Eyes Movement) sleep, which is important for learning things and storing memories.

So if you like using iPads or cellphone at night, it's time to make a change now.

- (1) According to Paragraph 1, we learn that reading books at night _____ .
- A. is very popular habit
 - B. is bad for the body's internal clock
 - C. is more interesting than using an iPad
 - D. doesn't cause real health and safety dangers
- (2) According to the passage, if our brains produce less melatonin, we will _____ .
- A. find it harder to fall asleep
 - B. less probably become sick
 - C. more probably become happy
 - D. more probably have good dreams
- (3) How many people volunteered in the study?
- A. 6
 - B. 12
 - C. 18
 - D. 20
- (4) What's the main idea of the passage?
- A. An internal clock helps us fall asleep very quickly.
 - B. Real health and safety dangers can be caused by cellphones.
 - C. People now use iPads or cellphones instead of books at night.
 - D. Using an iPad or a cellphone at night keeps users from falling asleep.

五、语法填空



9 A proverb says, "Time is money." But in my opinion, time is even 1 (much) valuable than money. Why? 2 when money is spent, we can earn it back. However, when time is gone, it will never return. It is known to all that the time we can use is limited. Therefore, we should make full use of 3 (we) time to study hard in order 4 serve our country in the future.

But 5 is a pity that there are a lot of people who do not realize the value 6 time. They spend their valuable time smoking, 7 (drink) and playing.

In a word, we should form 8 good habit of 9 (save) time. Do not put off what can be done today 10 tomorrow.

六、书面表达

10 Peter是初三的学生，随着年龄增长，他发现越来越难与父母沟通和交流，他与父母关系日益紧张，他们有以下分歧：1. 父母不满意他的发型和服装款式；2. 父母不允许他玩手机和电脑；3. 父母非常担心他的学习和交友方面。Peter来信寻求Aunt Wang的帮助。假设你是Aunt Wang，请你给Peter写一封信。

内容要求：

1. 列出他和父母之间的分歧并简单地分析产生的原因；
2. 提出三点具体建议。

要求：

1. 100词左右。开头和结尾已给出，不计入总词数；
2. 条理清晰，意思连贯，语句通顺，标点正确；
3. 文中不得使用真实的校名和姓名。

Dear Peter,

I had read your letter and learnt about your problems. Teenagers often argue with their parents as they are growing up. _____

I hope you can find a way to get along better with your parents.

Yours,
Aunt Wang