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一、单项选择（每小题0.5分，共15分）

- 1 He _____ on the floor and _____ the book beside.
A. lied; lay B. lay; lay C. laid; lay D. lay; laid
- 2 A _____ is a person whose job is to wear and show new styles of clothes and be photographed wearing them.
A. scientist B. model C. director D. mind
- 3 He got _____ because his sister always _____ up his things.
A. annoying; messy B. mad; messed C. angry; mess D. crazy; messes
- 4 I regret _____ her the bad news which has made her so _____.
A. telling; embarrassing B. to tell; embarrassing
C. telling; embarrassed D. to tell; embarrassed
- 5 She felt very uncomfortable when she went to the fancy dressing party.
A. ashamed B. out of place C. still D. fashionable
- 6 Have you heard from your brother recently?
A. received a letter from B. heard about
C. heard of D. got from
- 7 It is none of your business.
A. has nothing to do with you. B. has something do with you
C. not your fault D. no one of your business
- 8 This noise is driving me mad.



- A. crazy B. annoying C. anger D. angrily

9 Your behavior is _____ and you should feel _____ .

- A. shame; ashamed B. ashamed; shameful
C. shameful; ashamed D. ashamed; ashamed

10 He suggested that we _____ an apology to him, _____ writing a letter of apology.

- A. made; included B. make; including C. make; include D. made; including

11 Tom doesn't know _____ milk is left, _____ ?

- A. how much; is it B. how many; does he
C. how much; does he D. how many; isn't it

12 You can't imagine _____ when he found the zipper of his trousers was open.

- A. what an embarrassment he felt B. how embarrassing he felt
C. what an embarrassing person did he feel D. how embarrassed he felt

13 We were not sure _____ , so we suggested _____ .

- A. what's happening, to check it out
B. what was the matter, our teacher to check it out
C. what's the trouble, checking it out
D. what was wrong, our teacher should check it out

14 Catherine had _____ much fun at Da Meisha last week that she decided to visit it again _____ on the beach and enjoy the sunshine.

- A. so; to lie B. so; to lay C. such; lying D. such; to lie

15 It _____ that the couple _____ for 2 years.

- A. said, had married B. is said, has been married
C. says, has married D. is said, has married

16



They _____ leave until they _____ their work.

- A. can't; have finished
- B. can; finish
- C. can't; finished
- D. can; have done

17 —Has he seen this film?

—Yes, He _____ it several days ago and he _____ another before long.

- A. saw, saw
- B. has seen, will see
- C. had seen, saw
- D. saw, will see

18 I didn't manage _____ it _____ you had explained how.

- A. doing; until
- B. to do; unless
- C. to do; until
- D. doing; unless

19 A: I played badly!

B: _____ .

- A. Don't worry, Just try your best. You will do better.
- B. Well done! You're doing better!
- C. You're amazing! Keep up the good work!
- D. Don't lost heart! That's very kind of you!

20 Jim likes staying at home better than going to school, which of the following has the same meaning?

- A. Jim prefers staying at home rather than going to school.
- B. Jim would like to stay at home rather than to go to school.
- C. Jim would rather stay at home than go to school.
- D. Jim prefers to stay at home to go to school.

21 The Shanghai International Film Festival was founded in 1993.

- A. was built



- B. was found out
- C. was developed
- D. was set up

22 Children should have plenty of fruit every day to keep themselves healthy.

- A. a large amount of
- B. a large number of
- C. many
- D. only a few

23 Michael feel it _____ to pass the middle term examination. He strongly believes he can be second to none this time.

- A. jump out of my skin
- B. none of my business
- C. a piece of cake
- D. out of place

24 A _____ means some food put inside a sandwich, cake, pie, etc.

- A. wrapper
- B. filling
- C. steam bread
- D. dish

25 The instructions say in a clear way that we need to cook this for 5 minutes.

- A. state
- B. ask
- C. require
- D. want

26 The woman _____ suddenly at metro station yesterday. Luckily, a doctor happened to be nearby and helped her to regain consciousness.

- A. passed away
- B. passed by



- C. passed through
- D. passed out

27 _____ means success in a game, an election, a war, etc.

- A. Victory
- B. Victim
- C. Vote
- D. Beat

28 I am just an average sort of student.

- A. a special
- B. an ordinary
- C. an energetic
- D. an awesome

29 The surprise ending of the story is really touching.

- A. twisting
- B. interesting
- C. surprising
- D. moving

30 I had to get my car _____ yesterday because I was made _____ her home by my mother.

- A. repaired; drive
- B. to be repaired; to drive
- C. repaired; to drive
- D. to be repaired; drive

二、完形填空 (每小题1.5分 , 共15分)

31 Your attempt may fail, but never fail to make an attempt.

As my friend was passing the elephants, he suddenly stopped, 1 by the fact that these huge creatures were being held by only small ropes 2 to their front legs. No chains, no



cages. It was obvious that the elephants could, at any time, ___3___ away from the small ropes they were tied to, but for some reason, they did not. My friend saw a ___4___ nearby and asked why these beautiful, large animals just stood there and made no attempt to get away.

"Well, " the trainer said, "when they are very ___5___ and much smaller, we use the same size rope to tie them and, at that age, it's enough to hold them. They tried but they failed. As they grow up, they still ___6___ they can't break away. They believe the rope can still hold them, so they ___7___ try to break free." My friend was amazed. These ___8___ could at any time break free, but because they believed they couldn't, they were stuck right where they were.

Like the elephants, how many of us go through life hanging onto a belief that we can't do anything, simply because we have ___9___ before?

How many of us have avoided trying something new because of our limiting belief? That's bad. To be ___10___ , how many of us are being held back by someone else's limiting belief?

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|-----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1. A. surprised | B. bored | C. excited | D. worried |
| 2. A. tied | B. tying | C. was tied | D. was tying |
| 3. A. break | B. put | C. take | D. fly |
| 4. A. doctor | B. teacher | C. farmer | D. trainer |
| 5. A. active | B. shy | C. young | D. old |
| 6. A. wonder | B. believe | C. agree | D. want |
| 7. A. always | B. usually | C. sometimes | D. never |
| 8. A. tigers | B. lions | C. elephants | D. monkeys |
| 9. A. failed | B. succeeded | C. passed | D. left |
| 10. A. bad | B. worse | C. good | D. better |

三、阅读理解（每小题1分，共20分）

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Chester Greenwood was born in Farmington in 1858. He invented earmuffs at the age of 15.

In 1873, Greenwood got a pair of ice skates for his birthday. He couldn't wait to try them out on a nearby pond. While testing his new pair of ice skates, Greenwood grew disappointed at trying to protect his ears from the cold. He made two ear-shaped loops from wire and asked his grandmother to sew for on them.

At first, the other kids made fun of them. Then they began asking for ear protectors for themselves. Over the next three years, he made some improvements.

When he was just 18, he patented the improved model, and with Greenwood's Champion Ear Protectors, he set up Greenwood's Ear Protector Factory. He made much money by



providing Ear Protectors for US soldiers during World War I. In 1883, when he was in his mid-20s, Greenwood employed 5, 000 workers in his factory on the west side of Farmington. In 1883 his factory produced many pairs of ear protectors. When asked about his wishes for 1884, Greenwood said, "We hope to produce one hundred thousand pairs." Greenwood went on to build a larger factory in downtown Farmington, making it the earmuff capital of the world. In 1936, the year before Greenwood died, his factory produced 400, 000 pairs of ear protectors.

In 1977, about 100 years after Greenwood received his patent, some people in Farmington decided that he deserved recognition for his famous invention. December 21 was declared as Chester Green-wood Day. On the first Saturday in December, Farmington still celebrates Chester Greenwood Day.

- (1) What did the other kids do about the ear protectors at first?
- A. They asked for them.
 - B. They laughed at them.
 - C. They bought them.
 - D. They made them by themselves
- (2) When did Greenwood patent the improved ear protectors?
- A. In 1858.
 - B. In 1873.
 - C. In 1876.
 - D. In 1883.
- (3) How did Greenwood make much money during World War I?
- A. By selling his patent.
 - B. By inventing many new things.
 - C. By selling earmuffs to soldiers.
 - D. By building a small company.
- (4) Why was the passage written?
- A. To tell a story.
 - B. To introduce a holiday.
 - C. To introduce an invention.
 - D. To introduce an inventor.

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How do students spend their spare time after finishing their homework? Watch TV, play computer games, or go outside to relax? Here's a good example.

Tim and Kerry Meek are both teachers. They live in the UK with their two daughters, 11-year-old Amy and 9-year-old Ella. Recently, the Meek family has become the focus of the UK after



they completed 100 different outdoor activities in one year.

Tim and Kerry didn't want their children to spend all their free time in front of the TV and become "couch tomatoes". So about one year ago, the Meeks decided that watching TV and playing computer games were not permitted. Instead, they set 100 tasks for the two girls to do outside. Although Mr. and Mrs. Meek are not outdoor activity fans, they took part in all the activities to encourage their daughters.

Every holiday and weekend, whether it's sunny, rainy or snowy, the Meeks would set off to try the activities on their list, including hiking, sailing, climbing and skiing. The two little girls not only had a wonderful time, but also learned a lot of skills from the activities. They were even able to stand up in front of their school to give a talk for charity. "Our friends spend a lot of their free time doing things which are harmful to their health. Luckily, we've had the chance to experience something different." Amy and Ella also helped their parents to draw up a new list of challenges for the next 12 months.

(1) Why did the Meeks become the focus of attention in the UK?

- A. Because Mr. and Mrs. Meek took part in the activities to encourage their daughters.
- B. Because the children are good examples of finishing their homework.
- C. Because watching TV and playing computer games were not permitted at their home.
- D. Because they completed 100 different outdoor activities in one year.

(2) What's the meaning of "couch tomatoes" in paragraph three?

- A. The people who like outdoor activities.
- B. The people who like indoor activities.
- C. The people who sit in sofas and watch TV in all their free time.
- D. The people who take part in many activities in all their free time.

(3) Which of the sentence is wrong?

- A. The Meeks would set off to try the activities every weekend.
- B. The two little girls were tired of all the activities.
- C. The two little girls learned a lot of skills from the activities.
- D. The activities are good to Amy and Ella's health.

(4) What can we know from the end of the article?

- A. The family will stop doing the activities next year.
- B. Amy and Ella will continue to do the activities on this years' list.
- C. The Meeks drew up a new list of challenges together.
- D. The parents have the final say to the list of activities.



Everyone knows what a needle is. Of course, there are needles and needles: Needles for sewing machines, needles for injection, you name it. But few people think of the wonder: a needle works in the hands of those who practice acupuncture (针刺疗法) .

During the past ten years or so, I have been suffering from terrible headache. It seems to be getting from bad to worse these days. Last night I got a sudden pain in my head. It was so terrible that I could hardly bear it. Although I swallowed all kinds of pain-killers, I didn't feel any better. It seemed that there was nothing I could do but phone for a doctor.

One of our neighbours happened to be with us. He was not a doctor, but he timidly offered his help, saying "Do you mind if I tried acupuncture on you? These needles may possibly do you some good." I agreed. In a moment, he had taken out a few needles from his purse. Without a moment's delay, he fixed a few needles into the skin on my head here and there. Before long, I felt thoroughly relieved.

Just then, the doctor sped through my house and said, "Where is our patient? "

"Sorry, Doctor. You are too late. It's killed!" I answered in delight.

It's miracle, isn't it?

- (1) The underlined phrase from bad to worse in the second paragraph refers to the man's _____.
A. character
B. life
C. headache
D. health
- (2) Which of the following statements is NOT true according to the passage?
A. the neighbour fixed needles on his own head.
B. The neighbour is a kind-hearted person.
C. The man's pain was killed before the doctor arrived.
D. Soon after the acupuncture, the man was completely recovered.
- (3) The sentences "You are too late. It's killed." mean that _____.
A. the pain was killed because the doctor came late
B. the man was killed because the doctor came too late
C. before the doctor came the man's headache was already cured
D. it was too late and the man had gone way
- (4) The passage tells us that _____.
A. everyone knows that acupuncture is a miracle.
B. the neighbour wanted to use acupuncture on every patient.
C. the effect of acupuncture on the man was unbelievable.
D. the patient did not believe in acupuncture.



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Precipitation, commonly referred to as rainfall, is a measure of the quantity of water in the form of either rain, hail, or snow which reaches the ground. The average annual precipitation over the whole of the United States is thirty-six inches. It should be understood, however, that a foot of snow is not equal to a foot of precipitation. A general formula for computing the precipitation of snowfall is that thirty-eight inches of snow is equal to one inch of precipitation. In New York State, for example, seventy-six inches of snow in one year would be recorded as only two inches of precipitation. The total annual precipitation Forty inches of rain would be recorded as forty inches of precipitation. The total annual precipitation would be recorded as forty-two inches.

- (1) The word "precipitation" includes _____.
A. only rainfall
B. rain, hail, and snow
C. rain, snow, and fog
D. rain, snow, and ice
- (2) What is the average annual rainfall in inches in the United States?
A. Thirty-six inches
B. Thirty-eight inches
C. Forty inches
D. Forty-two inches
- (3) If a state has 152 inches of snow in a year, by how much does this increase the annual precipitation?
A. By two feet
B. By four inches
C. By four feet
D. By 152 inches
- (4) The underlined word computing means _____.
A. increasing
B. calculating
C. putting into computer
D. decreasing

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The following is a piece of international news in China Daily, March 13th, 1994.

A train derailment yesterday in this town just south of the capital, Brussels (布鲁塞尔), killed one passenger and hurt more than two dozen, some seriously, The officials said the cause of the derailment was being looked into.

- (1) The accident happened in _____.



- A. Holland
- B. Belgium
- C. France
- D. Germany

(2) According to the passage, ____ .

- A. the accident was caused by the fact that one passenger was killed
- B. the officials announced the cause of the accident
- C. why the derailment happened was obvious
- D. the cause of the accident was yet to be found out

(3) The underlined word derailment in this passage probably means ____ .

- A. a train going off the rail
- B. two trains running into each other
- C. a train fire
- D. a train running over a passenger

(4) The derailment happened ____ .

- A. on March 13th, 1994
- B. on March 12th, 1994
- C. quite often
- D. more terrible than it was reported

四、语法填空 (每小题0.5分 , 共5分)

37

Tom was very fat and had a 1 (prefer) for fried food. He used to 2 (ask) his mother to take him to KFC on Saturdays. But one Saturday, he couldn't. He had a stomachache and the doctor told him that he had such an 3 (balance) diet 4 he needed to stay away from food 5 has too much oil. Meanwhile, the doctor said Tom should 6 (encourage) to eat much fruit and vegetables instead of having so much junk food. Later, Tom made a 7 (decide) to avoid 8 (treat) himself 9 junk food. After half a year, he lost 20 kilos 10 (compare) with himself before.

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We regret 1 (say) that lives of young people in big cities are really 2 (compete) Nowadays. It's 3 (avoid) that some are too busy to go out for a date. Therefore, millions of lonely singles are now going online instead. The World Wide Web 4 (recommend) as the best matchmaker to help them get a 5 (suit)



partner. Many feel it a great ____6____ (necessary) to date on line. There are some ____7____ (advantage) . Many singles say the regular dating scene has just led them from one bad experience to another and sometimes it's really ____8____ (embarrass) to meet a stranger face to face. ____9____ , dating sites also make it easy to avoid someone who you are not interested in. In the real world, however, ignoring someone you don't like can be difficult.

Despite all the advantages, online dating also has its problems. Some people are ____10____ (shame) They may not be the ones who they declare to be in their online description. Safety is another concern. You are just likely to find a criminal online as you are Mr. or Miss. Right.

五、默写 (每小题0.5分 , 共5分)

39 I went out with ____1____ friends yesterday. We saw a lady ____2____ . She looked very sick. My friends made jokes about her and laughed. Though I wanted to help her, my friends ____3____ . It was ____4____ to laugh at her, and I ____5____ anything. I feel ashamed of myself. What should I do in this situation?

I've just started wearing braces, but I hate them. I don't see any advantage in wearing them. My friends all laugh at me and say bad things about me. I feel embarrassed when I smile or open my mouth. The braces ____6____ and it's difficult for me to eat. I feel it was a mistake for my mother to make me ____7____ . What do you suggest?

40 The three contestants ____1____ on the stage and waiting. The hot lights were shining down upon them. Suddenly one of them passed out and ____2____ .

A cameraman helped the woman off the stage. The director hurried down from ____3____ "We need another contestant, " he shouted. " ____4____ wants to be on TV? "

Angela raised her hand. "You're on!" the director shouted. He ____5____ , and a make- up artist rushed forward. She quickly put make-up on Angela's face and ____6____ .

41 Since I had my medical examination. The doctor said that I needed to lose a bit of weight ____1____ , oil and sugar. ____2____ that it's necessary for me ____3____ .

What's a balanced diet?



A balanced diet means ___4___ healthy food every day. Research shows that each day you should have ___5___, vegetables and grain products ___6___. And, in general you should have ___7___ and eggs, and less meat.

六、书面表达 (15分)

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假如你是学校的心理老师邱老师。你收到初三一位叫做Lily的学生的来信。她在信中述说了和父母之间的矛盾让她感觉很苦恼。她说父母在家私自翻阅她的日记，查看她的手机信息。并且和朋友出去一定要他们同意才行。请你给她写一封回信，帮助她和父母沟通。

要求：

1. 简单陈述她的问题；
2. 针对她的问题，提出至少3条具体的建议；
3. 字数在100字以内。（已经写出的开头不计入字数）

Dear Lily,

Thanks for writing to me and telling me about your problems.