冲刺小卷 12　阅读理解

（建议用时：60分钟　每小题2分 共50小题　满分：100分）

一．阅读理解（2019年湖南省长沙市中考真题）认真阅读下面短文，从短文后各题所给的A、B、C四个选项中，选出最佳选项



1. If you are accepted as part of the audience by *EZ Comedy Club*, you can _____.

A. perform there

B. watch a live show

C. record your own comedies

2．Which of the following is ***NOT*** mentioned in the poster（海报）?

A. The host of the show.

B. The way to join the audience.

C. Recording time and location.

3. We can infer（推断）from the poster that the show could be _____.

A. very serious

B. quite funny

C. kind of boring

二、（2019年江苏省常州市中考真题）阅读下列短文，从短文后各题所给的A,B,C,D四个选项中，

选出最佳选项。

The Dead Sea



At 430 meters below sea level, the Dead Sea is Earth's lowest point on land. It is popular for its wonderful buoyancy(浮力). The high salt content-more than 34 percent - makes swimming more like floating.

Now the Dead Sea is actually dying. People are using water from the Jordan River, which takes water away from the Dead Sea. Since 1930, its surf area has reduced by almost 40 percent.

Venice, Italy

With waterways instead of streets. This "Floating City" has attracted visitors for centuries. But no visit to Venice is complete without a ride on one of its famous gondolas, human powered



water taxis. Water creates Venice. But water will also kill the city.

Built on soft earth, Venice has slowly been sinking (下沉) for centuries. Now, with rising sea levels caused by human activities, it's sinking faster. According to US-based magazine Architectural Digest, the city may disappear in the next 100 years. Better book your gondola soon!

Great Barrier Reef, Australia



Covering more than 2,300 kilometers of Australia's northeast coast, Great Barrier Reef is the world's largest reef ecosystem, and an ideal place for scuba divers (水肺潜水者). Thousands of colorful coral (珊瑚) and fish make homes in the blue sea water. It's like a big underwater party!

Sadly, the party might be over soon. The reef is dying. Human activities are changing the weather. Warming ocean, water kills the coral, and this causes problems up the food chain. *The New York Times* reported that large parts are already dead, and the reef system might be gone by 2030.

4. What can be the best title of the passage?

A. Disappearing Watery Wonders

B. Amazing Man-made Wonders on the Sea

C. Lost Watery Wonders on the Sea

D. Last Watery Wonders in the World

5. Which of the following is the shared cause of the problems all the three places are facing?

A. Water loss. B. Sea pollution.

C. Warming seas. D. Human activities.

6. If Tom wants to visit all the following places before they are gone, and he can only afford one in the next 15 years, where must he go?

A. The Dead Sea. B. Venice. C. Italy. D. Great Barrier Reef.

三、（2019年四川省广安市中考真题）阅读下列短文，从短文后各题所给的A, B, C, D四个选项中，选出最佳选项。

Sunshine Club	
For young people from 12 to 18 years old	
Include games,music,dancing and more.	
Every Saturday:6:30 am-9:30 pm	28 Oxford Street,London
Tel: 76239652	Price:Just £3 a time

Cartoon Museun

Come and see the best of British cartoon art.There is something for everyone,including popular cartoon characters and a great shop full of funny books and cards.

Price:free

Opening times: Tuesday- Saturday 10:30 am-5:30 pm

Sunday 11:00 am-6:00 pm

Tel: 65235873

Cox's Hotel

Tel: 87058366

E-mail:info@coxshotel.co.uk Website:www.coxshotel.co.uk

Opening times:Coffee shop:9:00 am-6:00 pm Every day

Tea room:10:30 am-5:30 pm Monday- Thursday

Pub(小酒吧) :8:00 pm-11:30 pm Friday- Saturday

Hamilton Zoo

Over 600 animals:tigers,pandas…

Opening hours:9:00 am-5:00 pm Monday- Sunday

An adult: £15 A child (under 12 years old) : £10

Tel: 23653692

7. If Mary wants to join the Sunshine Club,she can call _____ .

A. 87058366 B. 23653692 C. 65235873 D. 76239652

8. Which of the following people can join the Sunshine Club?

A. A 10-year-old kid. B. A 14-year-old kid.

C. A 19-year-old man. D. A 30-year-old woman.

9. Where can we get funny cards?

A. In the Cartoon Museum B. At Cox's Hotel

C. In the Sunshine Club　　D. In the Hamilton Zoo

10. Which is the right time to go to the pub at Cox's Hotel?

A. 9:00 am-6:00 pm on Friday　　B. 8:30 pm-11:30 pm on Friday

C. 8:00 am-11:30 pm on Saturday　　D. 8:00 pm-11:30 pm on Thursday

11. If Jim and his 5-year-old son want to the Hamilton Zoo, they should pay _____.

A. £10　　B. £15　　C. £25　　D. £4

四.（2019年安徽省中考真题）阅读下列短文，从短文后各题所给的A, B, C, D四个选项中，选出最佳选项。

The world uses about a thousand million (百万) tons of water a day. Water is a human right and everyone should have their share. Yet more than 700 million people around the world have trouble getting clean, safe water.

Treating wastewater is a good way to provide fresh water for us. And it also helps the environment by keeping waste out of rivers and oceans. 80% of wastewater around the world is not treated at all, and it is running into oceans. But now we have got the technology to treat and reuse the wastewater.

While 75% of our planet is covered with water, only about 2% is fresh water—that comes from rivers, lakes, ice and snow. The rest, 98% of the water, is in seas and oceans. It is too salty to drink. Then desalination businesses come in. More than 19,000 factories have been built around the world, mostly in coastal countries. They process (加工) more than 92 million tons of water every day. But the technology they use requires a lot of energy.

Scientists are working to create a less costly technology. They want to produce 20 times more clean water and make sure everyone has enough. But for now, the world still faces each day with not having enough water for everyone.

12. How many people have trouble in getting clean water around the world?

A. Under 10 million.　　B. Only 19 million.

C. About 92 million.　　D. Over 700 million.

13. Treating wastewater helps the environment by _____.

A. storing waste in ice and snow　　B. letting waste run into oceans

C. keeping waste out of rivers and oceans　　D. sending waste to coastal countries

14. What does the underlined word "desalination" in Paragraph 3 mean?

A. 远洋运输　　B. 潮汐发电　　C. 食盐销售　　D. 海水淡化

15. At present, the technology to process water_____.

A. needs much energy　　B. saves much money

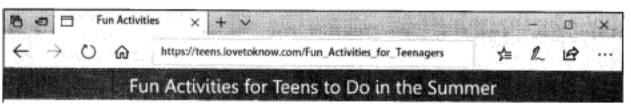
C. satisfies everyone　　D. causes pollution

16. What can we infer from the last paragraph?

A. Water should be a human right.　　B. The water problem is still serious.

C. Our planet is covered with water.　　D. Everyone has enough clean water.

五.（2019年河南省中考真题）阅读下列短文，从短文后各题所给的A,B,C,D四个选项中，选出最佳选项。



Fun activities for Teens to do in the summer.

Do you feel bored with the upcoming summer? We asked parents for ideas for things that teens can do and here are some suggestions for fun activities for you to do in the summer.

#1_____



Visit older family members and interview them about the past of your family. You could use a smartphone to record some of the conversation. Things to ask about:

• What did you eat?

• Who was your favorite family member?

• What did you do to make yourself happy?

•What was it like when you were a teenager?

#2_____



Not only will you make your parents really happy, but you will find all those lost CDs/books/socks that are hidden under the bed.

You can now have a yard sale for the things you no longer want, and make yourself some pocket money at the same time.

#3_____



Put together a memory book. It could be about primary or junior school since you're heading to high school:

- friends made best memories
- favorite teachers • favorite subjects
- hopes/feelings about going to high school, etc.

#4_____



Get down and work on the farm and have a bit of fun. You never know you might love driving tractors and feeding cows and horses. If nothing else, it will give you a good taste of what a hard life farming is.

Word Bank
teen 青少年
memory 记忆
tractor 拖拉机

17. Which may not be a good question for the interview in #1?

A. What did you do for fun?

B. How did you go to school?

C. What were your parents like?

D. What's the plan for your future?

18. Which is suggested in #2?

A. Throwing away what you've found.

B. Selling something that is not needed.

C. Asking your parents for pocket money.

D. Using CDs that you've found as presents.

19. What is the proper title for #1, #2, #3 and #4 separately?

a. Clear out Your Room　　b. Create a Memory Book

c. Help on a Nearby Farm　　d. Discover Family History

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

20. What can working on a farm bring to you?

A. Your love for country music.

B. The interest in your future job.

C. The experience of farm work.

D. The fun of sharing with friends.

21. Who is the text written for?

A. Teens.　　B. Teachers.　　C. Parents.　　D. Farmers.

六.（2019年山东省济南市中考真题）阅读下面的短文，然后根据短文内容，在每小题所给的四个选项中选出最佳选项 。

Wu Yue, a 14-year-old student at a Junior High School in Hangzhou, usually has lunch with his classmates in their dining hall. But one day, a newcomer, the school headmaster, joined them at the same table. They talked about the food that the dining hall offered and had a nice chat.

Wu is not alone. Many students across China have the chance to eat with their headmasters. The government issued a notice on food safety and nutrition (营养) management in schools, asking headmasters from kindergarten to high school to have meals with students. The rule took effect(生效) on April 1st.

Many schools now have seats for school managers when they eat with students in the dining hall. After talking with them, the managers have to write reports and make suggestions to dining hall workers. Many students were asked about the food that they liked most. To their surprise, their favorite dishes appeared in the dining hall later. “It's not just about the food. It makes me feel that I have a say in school," explained one student. "My ideas are valued."

Some headmasters regard these mealtime conversations as their main chance to communicate with students. And they notice that some students prefer meat to vegetables. “We are thinking about how to improve the dining hall's dishes and provide students with a healthy diet," one headmaster said. As students become more familiar with the school managers, they begin to express their own points of view.

"It's important to understand students' requirements. Our practice shows the school's sense of responsibility," another headmaster said.

22. Who is the newcomer to have lunch with students at the dining hall?

A. The new student.　　B. The school teacher.

C. The school headmaster.　　D. The dining hall worker.

23. When did the rule take effect?

A. On April 1st.　　B. On March 1st.

C. On January 1st.　　D. On May 1st.

24. What do the school managers have to do after chatting with students?

A. They have to take a walk with students in the schoolyard.

B. They have to play games with students on the playground.

C. They have to help the dining hall workers do some cleaning.

D. They have to write reports and make suggestions to dining hall workers.

25. According to paragraph 4, what are the school managers thinking about?

A. How to improve their dining hall conditions.

B. How to provide students with a healthy diet.

C. How to communicate with the parents.

D. How to make friends with the students.

26. From this passage, we can infer(推断) _____.

A. students are not satisfied with the school's management

B. students now prefer fruit and vegetables to meat

C. school managers pay more attention to food safety and nutrition

D. the relationship between teachers and students becomes better

七.（2019年天津市中考真题）阅读下面的短文，然后根据短文内容，在每小题所给的四个选项中选出最佳选项 。

One day, Tom's teacher, Miss Mark, held a class meeting. "There will be a flag day next Saturday. Does anyone want to join this meaningful event (活动)?" asked Miss Mark. Tom was interested in raising money for homeless children but he was not brave enough to talk to the strangers, so he kept quiet in his seat.

"Tom. You haven't sold flags before," said Miss Mark suddenly. "Would you like to have a try?"Tom was hesitant(犹豫的)，but he finally nodded.

On the flag day, Tom and Angela sold flags in a busy street. "Ex-cuse me, Could y-o-u pl-ea-se buy ...?" said Angela softly to the first person she met. The man smiled and put five-dollar coin into Angela's collection bag. Then she said thanks and put a flag under his shoulder. "I did it!" said Angela happily. "It's your turn now."

Feeling nervous. Tom began to shake. Soon, he saw a young lady walking towards him. The lady was smiling and holding a few coins in her hand. She asked, "Are you selling flags for Fund for the Homeless Children?" Tom's face became red and said yes. Then the lady made the donation(捐赠) and Tom gave her a flag. "You made it!" laughed Angela.

In the next couple of hours, Angela and Tom sold flags quickly and bravely. At last, their collection bags were so heavy that they had to hold them with both arms. They felt very proud.

27. Why did Tom keep quiet in his seat?

A. He had other plans.

B. He didn't like Miss Mark.

C. He was not interested in the activity.

D. He was not brave enough to talk to the strangers.

28. When Miss Mark asked Tom to have a try, he finally_____.

A. laughed　　B. nodded　　C. refused　　D. cried

29. Where did Tom and Angela sell flags?

A. In a busy street.　　B. In their school.

C. In a tall building.　　D. In a small garden.

30. How much did the first man pay Angela for the flag?

A. Five dollars.　　B. Ten dollars.

C. Fifteen dollars.　　D. Twenty dollars.

31. How did Tom and Angela feel after they sold the flags?

A. Bored.　　B. Shy.　　C. Confident.　　D. Sad.

八.（2019年江苏省宿迁市中考真题）

阅读下面短文，从每题所给的A、B、C、D四个选项中，选出最佳选项。

A

Tony is a student aged 15. He and his parents are going to travel around Beijing this summer. Below is some information that the have got.



The Palace Museum

Opening hours:

Tuesday-Sunday　8:30 -17:00

(Monday Closed)

Admission: adult: ￥60

student : ￥20

child (under 6): free



The Summer Palace

Opening hours:

Monday-Sunday　6:30 -18:00

Admission: adult: ￥30

student : ￥15

child (under 6): free





The Badaling Great Wall	Beijing Zoo
Opening hours:	**Opening hours:**
Monday-Sunday 6:00 -19:30	Monday-Sunday 7:30 -18:00
Admission: adult: ￥40	**Admission:** adult: ￥15
student : ￥20	student : ￥7.5
child (under 6): free	child (under 6): free

32. Tony interested in animals, so he can go to _____ for fun.

A. The Palace Museum　　B. Beijing Zoo

C. the Summer Palace　　D. the Badling Great Wall

33. Tony and his parents can't go to visit the Palace Museum on _____.

A. Monday　　B. Tuesday　　C. Saturday　　D. Sunday

34. How much will Tony and his parents pay if they visit the Summer Palace and the Badling Great Wall?

A. ￥105　　B. ￥140　　C. ￥175　　D. ￥210

B



Sun bears（马来熊）are the smallest of the world's eight bears species（物种）. They have a black coat and a white or golden colour on their bodies. Their homes are in the tropical（热带雨林）of Southeast Asia. They live in trees and eat both plants and animals. They can grow to be 1.4 metres in height and 65 kilograms in weight. They usually live alone and are happy to spend most of their time by themselves.

Scientists studied sun bears in the Bornean Sun Bear Conservation Center. They found that although sun bears live alone, they have developed a surprising social skill. They can copy (模仿) other sun bear's facial expression (面部表情) as a form of communication. They can even copy exact muscular (肌肉的) movements that other sun

bears make- such as making a face.

The ability to copy facial expressions is found in humans, gorilla's (大猩猩), some monkeys and some other animals. But until now, only humans and gorillas have the ability to exactly copy facial expressions. However, scientists found that sun bears can copy facial expression as well as humans and gorillas. This surprised them because sun bears are alone and they have no close relationship with human beings.

Although they live alone in the wild, the sun bears in the study often played gently with each other. Sometimes they played with faster actions as hitting and biting. Scientists are still not sure what messages the sun bears were sending to one another.

35. According to the passage, where do sun bears usually live?

A. In caves. B. In trees. C. By the river. D. On the ice.

36. From the passage, we can learn something about sun bears **EXCEPT** that _____.

A. they like to live alone in the wild and only eat animals

B. they can copy other sun bears' facial expressions for communications

C. they can copy exact muscular movements of other sun bears

D. they have no close relationship with human beings

37. Which of the following might be the best title for the passage?

A. A warm home on the earth B. A brave animal in the forest

C. A new friend of human beings D. A surprising skill of sun bears

C

Technology is developing fast and it has become an important part of our life. Then what will the world be like in the future?

3-D food will be both delicious and nutritious(有营养的). We can use 3-D printers to print some basic materials. ___①___ And we can go further. Scientists belive that we just need to turn on a printer in the kitchen and then we can enjoy our favourite food whenever we like.

___②___ **5G network will allow many more people to get information.** Big companies like China Mobile and China Unicom will start to offer 5G. It is said that promises download speeds 10 to 20 times faster than 4G. For example, we can download a film within just 1 second. But with a 4G network, it takes a few minutes. There will be much bandwidth (带宽) and we can get unlimited (无限的) information.

Underwater cities will provide more space. The earth is becoming more and more crowded. We may turn to

underwater homes, which will be built as low as 15 of the sea can be used to provide power for the homes.

____③____ For us common people on the earth, the dream of travelling around space will come true. In the coming years, spacecraft will be as popular as buses, trains and planes. We can leave our home and enter space to take an adventure (冒险). And even we will get used to living there.

A robot will be a part of life. Robots can do many of the same things as we humans do like driving cars. But they will be used in other areas as well. They will be able to think. They can tell the difference between right and wrong. They can feel ____④____ In a word, just as Jules Verne said, "Anything one man can imagine, other men can make real."

38. According to the passage, which of the following statements about the future world is **TRUE**?

A. 3-D food will be easy to make but won't taste good.

B. With 5G, users will get only a little information.

C. Underwater cities will provide more living space.

D. A robot will do everything for us as human beings.

39. Where can the sentence "**Space tour will be a piece of cake**." Be put?

A. ① B. ② C. ③ D. ④

40. What can we infer (推断) from the passage?

A. people will live a hard life in the future.

B. Technology will make our future better.

C. People will have no real friend in the future.

D. Technology will make no difference to our future.

41. Where does the passage probably come from?

A. A storybook. B. A film poster.

C. A travel guide. D. A science magazine.

九.（2019 吉林省长春市中考真题）阅读下列短文，从短文后各题所给的 A, B, C, D 四个选项中，选出最佳选项。

Have you noticed the waste bins(垃圾桶) in different colors on the street? Do you often put all the waste in the same bin? It's reported by Changchun Daily that people must do waste sorting(分类)in most places in Changchun at the end of 2019. Waste sorting is a wonderful way to make good use of energy and protect the environment. But do

you know how to sort the waste?

Usually, people should sort their waste into four groups: wet, recyclable, harmful and dry.Different kinds of waste should go into different bins. Wet waste means the things you don't want but pigs can eat, mostly coming from your kitchen. Things that can be used again, such as paper, metal and glass, are recyclable waste. Harmful waste might be dangerous or cause serious pollution, like medicine and batteries(电池). And any waste that's not wet, recyclable or harmful will go into the dry waste bin.

Different countries are trying different methods to sort the waste. A university in England has invented a smart bin. When people drop their waste into the bin. It can tell what kind of waste it it and sort it correctly. The bin can also **compress** the waste to make it smaller in size and take up less space. In South Korea, people have to separate their food waste from other kinds of waste and pay for it. The more food waste they throw away, the more they pay. Japan has the strictest rules for waste sorting in the world. For example, plastic bottles and their caps should go into different bins.

42. When must people do waste sorting in most places in Changchun?

A. At the end of 2019.　　B. At the end of 2018

C. At the beginning of 2019.　　D. At the beginning of 2018.

43. According to the second part, how many groups should people sort their waste into?

A. Five.　　B. Four.　　C. Three.　　D. Two.

44. Which of the following should go into the harmful waste bin?

A. Glass.　　B. Metal.　　C. Paper.　　D. Medicine.

45. What does the underlined word "**compress**" in the third part probably mean?

A. 扩展　　B. 延缓　　C. 压缩　　D. 膨胀

46. What can you learn from the passage?

A. Changchun has the strictest rules for waste sorting in the world

B. All the countries around the world are doing waste sorting these days.

C. Waste sorting can help make the earth a better place for people to live in.

D. People in South Korea have to pay for the harmful waste they throw away.

十.（江苏省盐城市南洋中学2019届九年级上学期期中考）阅读下列短文，从短文后各题所给的A, B, C, D四个选项中，选出最佳选项。

I was born disabled. A difficult birth, feet first, my head stuck. By my first birthday, I couldn't stand or walk. When I was three, the doctor told dad I had cerebral palsy（脑瘫）. A loss of oxygen（氧气） to my brain had destroyed brain signals to the right side of my body.

But no son of my dad's was going to be disabled. Every morning before breakfast and every evening before bed, my dad placed me on the bedroom floor to exercise my right leg. The muscles were shrunk（收缩）and twisted（缠绕）together. Back and forth up and down, my dad pushed and pulled the muscles into shape.

But my dad's exercise of passion didn't stop there. For my 13th birthday, he threw me a special party. When everybody was gone, he brought me to open a large box, it was a set of boxing gloves. We put them on. My dad kept on beating me mercilessly（无情地）. Each time I tried to get up, leather kissed my nose, eyes and jaw. I begged him to stop. He said he beat me to get me ready for the tough world.

That same year, I was the only kid in my neighborhood that wasn't picked for Little League. Two weeks later, Dad started the Shedd Park Minor League, and every kid played. Dad coached us and made me a pitcher（棒球投手）. The power of my dad's love guaranteed I walked and more. In high school, I became a football star.

In 1997, a brain surgeon in San Jose told me I didn't have cerebral palsy after all. He explained how and where the doctor's forceps（镊子）at birth had damaged my brain.

My dad never knew the whole truth since he passed away years ago. But all that counts is the bottom line. After all his madness, on this Father's Day, like every Father's Day, I'm no longer disabled.

41. What caused the author's disability?

A. A failed operation.　　B. The doctor's forceps.

C. An accident in a game.　　D. Shrunken and twisted muscles.

42. What do we learn from the passage?

A. The author has a talent for boxing.

B. The author became a baseball star with the help of his father.

C. The author achieved a lot thanks to（多亏了） his father's love.

D. The author doesn't think his father should be so strict with him.

43. Paragraph 3 suggests that the author's father____.

A. wouldn't give up hope easily

B. believed his son was a normal child

C. blamed the doctors for his son's disability

D. couldn't accept the truth that his son was disabled

44. The author wrote the passage to ____.

A. give advice to the parents of disabled children

B. encourage disabled children

C. show the difficulty the disabled face

D. remember his father