水果湖高级中学高一下学期
英语期中考试试卷

考试时间：2020 年 4 月 21 日

全卷满分 150 分；考试用时 120 分钟

第一部分 听力（共两节，满分 30 分）

第一节（共 5 小题；每小题 1.5 分，满分 7.5 分）

听下面 5 段对话。每段对话后有一个小题，从题中所给的 A、B、C 三个选项中选出最佳选项。听完每段对话后，你都有 10 秒钟的时间来回答有关小题和阅读下一小题。每段对话仅读一遍。

1.What are the speakers going to do?

A.To hold a meeting.

B.To prepare for cooking.

C.To set a table for a meal.

2.Why will the speakers have to cancel the fair?

A.Because it keeps raining.

B.Because the gym's being repaired.

C.Because the school-hall is full of books.

3.Where did the man get the news that the flight had been canceled?

A.At the airport.

B.At the meeting.

C.At the international flat.

4.What is the probable relationship between the two speakers?

A.Teacher and student. B.Classmates. C.Mother and son.

5.What are the two speakers talking about?

A.Paying taxes. B.The price of cigarettes. C.Giving up smoking.

第二节（共 15 小题；每小题 1.5 分，满分 22.5 分）

听下面 5 段对话或独白。每段对话或独白后有几个小题，从题中所给的 A、B、C 三个选项中选出最佳选项。听每段对话或独白前，你将有时间阅读各个小题，每小题 5 秒钟；听完后，各小题将给出 5 秒钟的作答时间。每段对话或独白读两遍。听下面一段对话，回答第 6 至第 8 小题。

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6.What is wrong with the man?

A.He has a cough.

B.He has a cold.

C.He has a headache.

7.What is the relationship between the two speakers?

A.Brother and sister.

B.Workmates.

C.Doctor and patient.

8.What will the man do next?

A.Take a medical examination.

B.Refuse the woman's advice.

C.Arrange the business affairs.

听下面一段对话，回答第 9 至第 11 小题。

9.How will they travel?

A.By train. B.By bus. C.By plane.

10.When should the man book the traveling in advance?

A.Four months. B.Eight months. C.Ten months.

11.What is the purpose of the man?

A.To book a ticket.

B.To give some details.

C.To ask for information.

听下面一段对话，回答第 12 至第 14 小题。

12.What's the relationship between the two speakers?

A.Schoolmates. B.Workmates. C.Strangers.

13.Why is Jeanie here earlier?

A.To meet her friend. B.To have a class. C.To go over her homework.

14.What's Jack's attitude toward the test?

A.He is calm. B.He worries about it. C.He has to get an A.

听下面一段对话，回答第 15 至第 17 小题。

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15.How many places will Mr.Robertson visit in China?

A.Two. B.Three. C.Four.

16.How will Robertson go to Xi'an?

A.By plane. B.By train. C.By car.

17.Where was Robertson born?

A.Australia. B.England. C.China.

听下面一段材料，回答第 18 至第 20 小题。

18.What is important to children according to the speaker?

A.Making mistakes.

B.Correcting their own mistakes.

C.Judging their own work.

19.What does the last sentence "Let him do it himself" really mean?

A.Let the teacher point out the mistake to the child.

B.Let the teacher make the child correct his mistakes.

C.Let the child notice and correct his own mistakes.

20.What's the topic of the text?

A.Language. B.Riding a bike. C.How to educate children.

第二部分 阅读理解 （共两节，满分 35 分）

第一节(共 10 个小题；每小题 2.5 分，满分 25 分)

阅读下列短文，从每题所给的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中，选出最佳选项，并在答题卡上将该项涂黑。

A

Sweat rolled off my forehead as my younger brother and I sat under the tree.

"Hi, Jason," said my brother, Chad. "Do you hear the train?" I listened, but I heard only thunder in the distance. It was still miles away, but I heard it. It grew stronger and louder as it gained speed and got closer. How could that be? I wondered.

We were about to grab our bikes to see what it actually was when we stopped. What looked like a flock of birds darkened the sky overhead. When I looked at it closer, I realized it wasn't birds. It was a tornado (龙卷风). The hairs on the back of

my neck stood up as the air turned green and heavy. The sun disappeared. The wind strengthened and roared. I grabbed Chad's arm and pulled him toward the house.

I tried to open the door, but it was as if an invisible (看不见) force pushed against me. The door refused to open. When we finally managed to get inside, we found it was as dark as night. Our family had practiced a tornado safety plan many times. But I had never imagined that it would be just Chad and me at home the first time we needed to use it.

"Inside the closet!" I yelled. It was small and crowded, but we got in it anyway. Chad began to cry. "It's going to be all right." I told him. But I was worried about Mom. I hope she'd found a safe place to wait out the storm.

The storm continued. I heard a thud on the roof. I felt the whole house shaking. Then it was quiet. I opened the door and we inched our way out of the closet. Rain had got in through the open window and wet the carpets. A kitchen window had shattered, its screen blown away. I looked at the backyard. The tree was uprooted, and broken branches lay on the ground.

"Jason, I can't get service," Chad said as he held the phone in his hand. We had no electricity, either. I glanced at the wall clock. Had it been only 20 minutes since we'd first heard the thunder?

Then I heard footsteps toward the house. Mom had made it home safely. "Boys!" she yelled. "Are you all right?"

We ran out and hugged her. The sun came out, and this time it shone bright and clear.

21. When the tornado struck, _____.

A. the boys felt terrified and asked for help

B. a flock of birds darkened the sky overhead

C. the boys protected themselves in a safe place

D. the sound of the train grew stronger and louder

22. What can we learn from the passage?

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A. Mom had trouble in finding the boys.

B. Jason knew how to deal with a tornado.

C. The tornado lasted for over half an hour.

D. Their house was flooded by the heavy rain.

23. Which of the following words can best describe Jason?

A. Calm and thoughtful. B. Cautious and curious.

C. Dependent and sensitive. D. Creative and active.

B

Handles Franklin, who plays guard for the Harlem Globetrotters, is well-known for his amazing skills at handling a basketball.

Whether it's dribbling(运球) a ball while lying on the floor and spinning around or shooting the ball from half court, facing backward on his knees, Franklin and his teammates are sure to amaze basketball fans of all ages when the world-famous team makes a stop at the Greensboro gym at 2 p.m. on Sunday.

During its visit to Greensboro, Franklin said the team will travel around to different schools, teaching and encouraging children to stay in school and strive for their dreams. "As a team, we try to be a positive influence to children," Franklin said in a phone interview on Tuesday afternoon. "I believe that our greatest strength is the ability to emotionally connect with everyone in the crowd."

"Education is the most important key to success. You always need something to fall back on," Franklin said. He has earned a bachelor's degree, along with a master's degree in social work.

He explained that winning is not everything. "Nobody is perfect. We play to entertain people and influence lives," he said.

One of the biggest misconceptions(误 解) about the Harlem Globetrotters, Franklin said, is that they are an all-African-American team. This is not true. He explained that there are actually two Caucasian people and a Hispanic male, along with a female player.

Since joining the Globetrotters, Franklin explained that it has given him an appreciation for life and a desire to be the best person he can. The Globetrotters are more than a basketball team; they are a group of different individuals who are (致力于) committed to making a difference in people's lives.

Tickets range from $15 to $95 and can be purchased at all Ticketmaster outlets, by calling (800)745567-3000142 or by visiting www.ticketmaster.com. For more information, visit www.harlemglobetrotters. com.

24. The players of the Harlem Globetrotters _____.

A. don't take part in real matches B. entertain fans with amazing skills

C. all have received a good education D. teach people basketball skills for free

25. According to Handles Franklin, _____.

A. knowledge means a lot whatever one does

B. his success comes from his self-confidence

C. they never mind whether they'll win or not

D. the purpose of people's life is to succeed

26. What can we know about the Harlem Globetrotters?

A. It's a circus team rather than a sports team.

B. Most of its players come from African countries.

C. It plays only one game in Greensboro.

D. Its aim is to bring changes to people's lives.

27. What is the text mainly intended to serve as?

A. a comment B. a biography C. an advertisement D. a business letter

C

Alzheimer's disease is mostly a condition of old age. Since life expectancy is getting longer around the world, the number of people affected by the brain disease is expected to increase greatly in some countries by the middle of the century. People with Alzheimer's often have other medical needs that require the services of

numerous health care professionals. The caregivers often have a hard time keeping up with all the medical information.

More and more family members are being called on to help care for loved ones with Alzheimer's. This is why the Hebrew Home, a private non-profit health care group in Riverdale, New York, developed an iPhone and iPad application called "Balance." The app offers caregivers advice on recognizing symptoms and on feeding, bathing and providing a healthy environment for patients. It can be bought on the Internet for four dollars. David Pomeranz is Hebrew Home's program development director, and he created "Balance."

"It is not easy and we hope this will make it a little easier for people," Mr Pomeranz says. "We are dealing with their family members because, as a philosophy, we feel that we need to care for the caregivers equally in our response to the care needs of the clients themselves, since if the caregivers do not have the proper supports, they simply cannot be caregivers."

Mr Pomeranz says the "Balance" software is designed to let users organize medical and other information so they can easily keep track of the person's health. It helps caregivers manage doctor's appointments and share information with doctors about the patients' daily emotional changes.

Interest in the app is not limited to the United States. "It has been interesting to see that we have had apps purchased(购买) in countries from Egypt to the Netherlands to Greece. It is like the United Nations every day, to see where people are buying this."

David Pomeranz says software developers are working on a version of "Balance" for mobile devices using the Android operating system.

28. Which of the following statements is correct?

A. Not all mobile phones can use the app "Balance".

B. Fewer people will suffer from Alzheimer's disease.

C. The app "Balance" are used in all countries in Europe.

D. The Hebrew Home has made money from the app.

29. It can be inferred from Para. 3 that _____.

A. most caregivers aren't good enough　　B. good caregivers are needed badly

C. caregivers also need professional aid　　D. most caregivers are too old to learn

30. The purpose of the passage is _____.

A. to tell us the situation of Alzheimer's disease

B. to introduce the "Balance" software to us

C. to ask us to care about Alzheimer's disease

D. to attract people to buy the app "Balance"

第二节(共 5 小题；每小题 2 分，满分 10 分)

根据短文内容，从短文后的选项中选出能填入空白处的最佳选项。

Stress is a popular cause of major diseases affecting people worldwide. It is so common that people have begun to search for the best and easiest ways to reduce stress. _31_

Exercise for a better life.

Regular runners say that there is no better feeling than the one you get when you finish your daily run. Exercising is an effective way for you to remove stress from your life. _32_ And it can also lift your mood. An additional benefit of exercising is that it keeps you fit and healthy!

Organize it.

Keeping your workplace and home organized is also a way for you to avoid stressful situations. Working in a messy area keeps your brain thinking on several different things at the same time. _33_

Manage your time wisely.

_34_ Sticking to your schedule gives you focus and a goal to work on· It also helps you avoid missing out on deadlines which are a great source of stress. Managing your time wisely means managing your stress.

In a word, we shouldn't let stress stop us living a normal and healthy life. Stress

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will naturally appear due to the modern way of life. __35__ Don't let stress get the better of you and make you lead an unhappy life.

A. Avoid stressed people.

B. Identify what causes your stress.

C. Plan your day ahead and stick to it.

D. Here are some ways to say goodbye to stress.

E. Regular exercise gives you time to think things.

F. And it gets hard to concentrate on just one thing.

G. But just like fire, if we control stress it can't hurt us.

第三部分 英语知识运用（共两节，满分 45 分）

第一节 完形填空（共 20 小题；每小题 1.5 分，满分 30 分）

阅读下面短文，从短文后各题所给的四个选项（A、B、C 和 D）中，选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项，并在答题卡上将该项涂黑。

One summer afternoon, when I was about eight years of age, I was looking at a beautiful rainbow. Somebody said, "If you should go to the ___36___ of the rainbow, you would find there great pots of gold and silver." Without ___37___, I rushed from the house, and set off toward the woods.

I was so sure that I knew just ___38___ that rainbow ended. I remembered how glad and proud I was in my thoughts, and what fine presents I ___39___ to all my friends out of my riches. So thinking, and laying delightful plans, almost before I knew it I had ___40___ the thick forest, and the end of the rainbow was not there! ___41___ I saw it shining down among the trees a little farther off; so on and on I ___42___, through the thick bushes and ___43___ rapid streams. The woods grew thicker and darker, and the ground wetter. Suddenly I met on my way a ___44___ porcupine (豪猪), who made himself still larger when he saw me. Fearing that he would attack me, I ran from him as fast as my ___45___ feet would carry me. In my ___46___ and hurry I forgot to keep my eye on the rainbow, and when, at last, I ___47___ and looked for it, it was nowhere in sight! It had ___48___. I burst into

tears, for I had lost all my ___49___ and had nothing to show for my holy trip,but muddy feet and a wet and torn body.

But I soon found that my ___50___ had only begun: I was lost! I could not tell which was east or west, but ___51___ about here and there, crying and calling, though I knew that no one could ___52___ me. All at once I heard my nickname called, so I jumped up. It was my eldest brother. He hugged and kissed away all my tears, and then he told me what the rainbow___53___ is: "It is only painted air, and does not ___54___ on the earth. But it tells us something more. When you set off on a holy trip, you will be ___55___ by the rainbow through all the dark places of this world to treasures in your heart, better, far better, than silver or gold."

36. A. end	B. right	C. top	D. front
37. A. appreciation	B. attention	C. hesitation	D.cause
38. A. how	B. when	C. why	D. where
39. A. explained	B. promised	C. awarded	D. attached
40. A. noticed	B. cleared	C. passed	D. reached
41. A. But	B. And	C. Or	D. For
42. A. struggled	B. imagined	C. looked	D. worked
43. A. above	B. towards	C. across	D. through
44. A. young	B. wild	C. large	D. fierce
45. A. injured	B. tired	C. bleeding	D. cold
46. A. horror	B. embarrassment	C. sorrow	D. sadness
47. A. cried	B. remembered	C. returned	D. decided
48. A. flown	B. disappeared	C. broken	D. moved
49. A. dreams	B. ways	C. treasures	D. spirits
50. A. failure	B. doubts	C. anger	D. troubles
51. A. wandered	B. hung	C. came	D. skipped
52. A. attack	B. understand	C. forgive	D. hear
53. A. usually	B. really	C. finally	D. entirely

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54. A. jump　　B. rest　　C. drop　　D. lie

55. A. cheated　　B. moved　　C. led　　D. caught

第二节 语法填空（共 10 小题；每小题 1.5 分，满分 15 分）

阅读下面材料，在空白处填入适当的内容（1 个单词）或括号内单词的正确形式。

According to the "Big Bang" theory, after settling into a solid globe, the earth exploded so ____56____(violence) that it was not clear_____57_____the shape would last. Meanwhile, the explosion produced many gases, which were in time _____58_____(make) the earth's atmosphere. The continued presence of water appeared as the earth cooled down, making possible the _____59_____(develop) of life on the earth. Many millions of years later, with tiny plants _____60_____(multiply) on the surface of the water, green plants began to grow on land, ___61___(follow) by insects, amphibians, reptiles and dinosaurs. After the age of the dinosaurs ended, all mankind, in ____62___(it) turn, became the most important animals ____63____the planet. Unfortunately, however, human beings put too much carbon dioxide into the atmosphere. As _____64_____result, the increasing heat from the sun was prevented from escaping into space. So whether life will continue on the earth _____65_____(remain) unknown.

第四部分写作（共两节，满分 40 分）

第一节 应用文写作（满分 15 分）

66. 假定你是学校团委主席李华。你校决定于"五四青年节"当天举办系列活动，其中包括英语演讲比赛，希望邀请学校外教 Susan 担任评委。请给她写信，内容主要包括：

1. 邀请 Susan 担任评委；

2. 简介青年节 ① 时间：每年 5 月 4 日 ② 由来：纪念 1919 年的青年运动

3. 演讲主题（My Youth My Dream）、时间、地点和参加对象（青年教师和学生）

注意：1. 词数 80 左右（首尾句均已给出，不算词数）；

2. 可适当增加细节，使行文连贯。

Dear Susan,

I'm Li Hua, president of the Youth League of our school.

Looking forward to your reply.

Sincerely,
Li Hua

第二节 读后续写（满分 25 分）

67. 阅读下面短文，根据所给情节进行续写，使之构成一个完整的故事。

One day, during the long summer holiday, Mrs. Martins took Brendon and his younger brother and sister to the beach. As soon as they got there, the three children raced down to the sea to try out their new surfboards. They were soon swimming out to the waves and riding back on their boards.

After a while, Brendon noticed that Kim was floating away from him and his sister. “Come back, Kim, "he shouted. "Mum said we have to stick together(团结). "Kim put his arms over the side of his board and began paddling (划水), but instead of getting closer, he began moving further away.

“Brendon, help!” called Kim."I' m caught in a rip(离岸流)." Brendon quickly paddled over to his brother.

“Hold on to the back of my board and I’ll pull you in,” Brendon told the frightened boy. But the rip was too strong and soon both Brendon and Kim were moving further from the beach.

“Kylie, come and help,” Brendon yelled to his sister. Soon all three children were floating away from the beach.

" It's no use fighting, "said Kylie, "We’ll just tire ourselves out. We have to stick together and hope the current takes us onto the beach again. "For the next 20 minutes, the frightened children held onto each other’s boards and let the current pull them along.

注意：1、所续写短文的词数应为 150 左右；

2、至少使用 5 个短文中标有下划线的关键词语；

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3、续写部分分为两段，每段的开头语已为你写好；

4、续写完成后，请用下划线标出你所使用的关键词语。

Paragraph 1:

"I can't even see the beach any more," cried Kim. …

Paragraph 2：

"Thank goodness!" cried their mother running up to hug them.…

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