

昆山市2025-2026学年第一学期八年级英语期中考试模拟试题

(满分130分 时间100分钟)

二、完形填空(共10小题;每小题1分,满分10分)

通读下列短文,从每题所给的A、B、C、D四个选项中,选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项,并在答题卷上将该项涂黑。

It was Emily's first day at a new school. As she walked through the hall, she noticed many students chatting and laughing with each other. She hoped someone would come to talk to her 21 she was too shy to speak first.

During lunch, Emily sat 22 at a table in the dining hall, picking at her food. Just then, a girl came over and smiled. "Hi! I'm Mia. Would you like to join us?" Emily felt happy and quickly 23. She stood up and followed Mia to a larger table. Several other students were seated there. The group welcomed Emily 24, asking about her interests and hobbies. She shared her love for painting. As they talked, Emily began to relax (放松) and feel more comfortable. They shared stories about their favorite movies and books, and Emily laughed at their jokes. She was surprised at how interesting it was to make new 25. Emily had her lunch with a light heart.

In the afternoon, Mia 26 Emily to join them for a game of soccer outside. At first, Emily hesitated (犹豫), unsure of her skills. But Mia said, "Don't worry! It's just for 27. We'll help you." With that support, Emily agreed to play.

Emily really 28 herself in the game. The other kids cheered when she kicked the ball, and she had the feeling that being friendly made a big difference. By the end of the day, she was not the shy new girl any more. Instead, she was part of a group that 29 her.

On her way home, Emily smiled to herself and decided that she would also try to be 30 to anyone new at school, just like Mia had been to her. That was because she learned how one act of kindness from Mia had changed her day.

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| 21. A. if | B. because | C. until | D. so |
| 22. A. together | B. alone | C. again | D. around |
| 23. A. rushed | B. pulled | C. turned | D. nodded |
| 24. A. quietly | B. patiently | C. warmly | D. coldly |
| 25. A. families | B. friends | C. classmates | D. jokes |
| 26. A. chose | B. followed | C. invited | D. left |
| 27. A. fun | B. rest | C. example | D. show |
| 28. A. enjoyed | B. showed | C. helped | D. taught |
| 29. A. heard about | B. talked about | C. cared about | D. complained about |
| 30. A. rude | B. special | C. important | D. friendly |

三、阅读理解（共17小题;每小题2分,满分34分）

请认真阅读下列短文,从短文后各题所给的A、B、C、D四个选项中,选出最佳选项,并在答题卷上将该项涂黑。

A

Happy-time Movie Theatre is a good place to watch some old but wonderful movies at a very good price.

Weekly Movie Schedule （时间表）

November 11, 2024---November 17,2024

Movie	Kind	Time	Friday--- Sunday	Monday--- Thursday	Ticket price
<i>Ice Age</i>	Cartoon	81 mins	6:50 p.m.	5:05 p.m.	\$6
<i>Journey to the Center of the Earth</i>	Adventure(冒险)	103 mins	4:40 p.m.	7:10 p.m.	\$5
<i>The King's Speech</i>	History	118 mins	2:10 p.m.	2:40 p.m.	\$7
<i>2012</i>	Disaster(灾难)	158 mins	10:10 a.m.	11:05 a.m.	\$8

31. If Amy wants to watch a movie on Friday evening, she can choose _____.
A. Ice Age
B. Journey to the Center of the Earth
C. The King's Speech
D.2012
32. How much will Tom pay if he invites two friends to see a history movie at Happy-time Movie Theatre?
A. \$15.
B. \$18.
C. \$21.
D. \$24.
33. In which part of a newspaper can we read the passage?
A. Body and health.
B. Books and movies.
C. Human and earth.
D. Food and drinks.

B



When you think of a rodent（啮齿动物）, you probably think of a small animal you could pick up and hold - but when it's a rodent that can weigh as much as an adult human, it might be a little difficult to carry.

Capybaras can grow up to 1.4 metres long and 61 centimeters tall, and weigh up to 65 kilograms, making them the world's largest rodent.

They're native（原产于）to South America but you might see them in other parts of the world, too - including in some zoos and animal parks in many countries.

Here are some interesting facts about these rodents!

They love water

Capybaras live both in water and on land. They can stay in the water for about five minutes, and sometimes they fall asleep in it. Their bodies are built for water, too. They have feet like frogs（青蛙）, and their eyes, ears

and nose are on the top of their head. And this lets them keep their bodies under water while still seeing what's around them.

Their teeth never stop growing

Like other rodents, capybaras have two long front teeth that never stop growing. They're herbivores --- meaning they only eat plants --- so eating things like grass and wood helps stop their teeth growing too big for their mouths!

They're very friendly

Capybaras are social animals, and live with other capybaras in groups of about 40. They're also friendly with other animals. In fact, they're sometimes called "nature's chairs", because it's common (常见的) to see another animal --- like a bird or a monkey --- sitting on them!

34. How long can Capybaras grow up to?

- A. 1.4 metres. B. 14 metres. C. 6.1 metres. D. 61 centimeters.

35. Which part of the world are capybaras native to?

- A. North America. B. South Africa. C. South America. D. China.

36. According to the article, what can we know about Capybaras?

- A. Their feet are like those of pandas. B. Their eyes are on the top of their head.
C. Their bodies only work well on land. D. Their teeth grow too big for their mouths.

37. Capybaras are sometimes called "nature's chairs" because _____.

- A. they like living in groups of about 40 B. only plants are their favourite food
C. they live both in water and on land D. other animals like to sit on them

C

The topic "e" person or "i" person has caught the attention of many. Are you an "e" person or "i" person? Do you know the differences? In this passage, we will talk about the differences between "e" people and "i" people. These two personality types (类型) are very different.

According to a survey (调查), "e" people are more active than "i" people. They enjoy meeting new people and going to parties. On the other hand, "i" people prefer to spend time alone or in small groups. When it comes to making friends, "e" people prefer to have a larger group of friends. But "i" people would like to be with a smaller group of people. They feel more comfortable with fewer people around.

Besides, "e" people and "i" people may have different ideas about the same way of doing things. For example, "e" people see some behaviors (行为) as polite while "i" people think of them as impolite. For example, "e" people may interrupt (打断) others in conversation, but it can make "i" people feel uncomfortable.

However, people can gradually change over time. "i" people may become more active as they practice socializing (社交) and get confidence (自信), while "e" people may become less interested in making new friends as they age and only look for a quiet "me time".

Want to know what kind of person you are? Come to have an MBTI test now!

38. How many kinds of different personality types does the passage talk about?
- A. One. B. Two. C. Three. D. Four.
39. Which of the following is an "i" person?
- A. A 28-year-old woman who makes friends quickly.
B. A 22-year-old man who enjoys meeting new people.
C. A 30-year-old woman who likes to go to big parties.
D. A 25-year-old man who prefers to spend time alone.
40. How does the writer show people's different ideas about the same behavior in Paragraph 3?
- A. By showing ideas. B. By using examples.
C. By telling stories. D. By giving numbers.
41. What can we know from Paragraph 4?
- A. "i" people will stay the same for their whole life.
B. "e" people will never be interested in quiet time.
C. Practice can help change some people's personality.
D. It is not polite to interrupt other people's talking.
42. In the following paragraph, the passage will introduce _____.
A. a test to know personality types B. a test to have more confidence
C. a way to change personality types D. a way to practice socializing

D

"It's a waste (浪费) of time," I said when my mom told me to join Madcaps, a mothers and daughters club that helps the poor. When she told me I had to volunteer (志愿服务) at a homeless shelter (收容所), I thought that things could not get worse.

We got there late and walked to the dirty homeless shelter, where we saw a lady shouting at a man. He talked to her and then led us to the kitchen, where we ran into our five fellow (同伴) Madcaps mothers and daughters.

Then homeless people started to walk in and a little girl, around five years old, walked up and pointed to the food I was handing out. I handed her a cold sandwich and she smiled to say thanks. She then walked over to her parents, who sat not far away.

As she walked away, I thought about how much I had. I go to one of the top schools in San Diego, I have a great house by the water, and I have a warm meal every night. Then I thought of how little she had. She probably didn't go to school, and that is where she sleeps and eats every day. That little girl makes me understand just how **fortunate** I am.

After that moment, I had a change of heart. Now, I love Madcaps and don't miss one meeting. I have little trouble getting along with others and now I have many friends to play and talk with.

I believe that if you have an open mind about things, you can learn a lot about yourself and the people in your community. You can make new friends and understand yourself better. I believe you can make a difference just by doing something that you don't want to do.

43. Where did the writer and her mother go to volunteer?
A. At a food bank. B. At a school. C. At a homeless shelter. D. At a hospital
44. What did the writer see when she arrived?
A. The place was clean and bright. B. The place was full of homeless people.
C. There were no other volunteer workers. D. A lady was shouting at a man.
45. What did the writer come to understand after the little girl walked away?
A. The writer felt sorry for herself. B. The writer had a comfortable life.
C. The writer wanted to help more people. D. The writer liked volunteering.
46. What does the underlined word "fortunate" mean?
A. Popular. B. Strange. C. Smart. D. Lucky.
47. The writer wrote the story to advise us to _____.
A. keep our mind open B. love our mothers
C. care for little girls D. help the homeless

四、信息还原（共5小题;每小题1分,满分5分）

请认真阅读下面短文,从短文后的选项中选出能填入空白处的最佳选项,并在答题卷上将该项涂黑。选项中有两项为多余选项。

There was a little boy with a bad temper (脾气). 48 His father gave him a bag of nails (钉子) and told him that every time he lost his temper, he had to hammer (用锤子敲击) a nail in the back fence (篱笆). 49 However, as time went by, he found it was easier to hold his temper than to drive those nails into the fence. At last, the day came when the boy didn't lose his temper at all.

He told his father about it. The father suggested (建议) that the boy now pull out one nail for each day that he was able to hold his temper. The days passed and at last the young boy was able to tell his father that all the nails were gone. 50 He said, "You have done well, my son, but look at the holes in the fence. 51 "

When you say things in anger, they will leave a scar (疤痕) in others' hearts. It won't matter how many times you say I'm sorry, the wound (伤口) is still there. Friends are very important. They make you smile and help you succeed. 52 Don't hurt your friends any more.

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| <p>A. He always got very angry.</p> <p>B. His father also had a bad temper.</p> <p>C. The boy did as his father told him.</p> <p>D. The fence will never be the same as before.</p> <p>E. They always want to open their hearts to you.</p> <p>F. The father couldn't believe it and went to see it by himself.</p> <p>G. The father took his son by the hand and led him to the fence.</p> |
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五、词汇运用（共20小题;每小题1分,满分20分）

第一节 根据下列句子所给汉语注释、音标和首字母,在答题卷标有题号的横线上,写出空缺处各单词的正确形式。每空限填一词。

53. Lily _____ (撞) my drink flying but she quickly said sorry.
54. The new table just _____ (可容纳) in the living room. There is no more space.
55. Stop _____ (讨论) with your partner. You need to do it on your own.
56. In our opinion, protecting animals is protecting _____ (我们自己) .
57. Shenzhou 16 spaceship was sent into space _____ (精确) at 9:31 a.m.
58. No one can learn a foreign _____ /'læŋɡwɪdʒ/ well without hard work.
59. Our school will hold a sports _____ / ,kɒmpə'tɪʃn/ next week.
60. It is all right to turn to others when you feel _____ /'helpləs/.
61. George is a wonderful friend. He sometimes offers to _____ /'tɑ:di /my desk with me.
62. _____ / 'faɪnəli / we reached the top of the mountain and cheered.
63. We had better not go outside and play before our homework is f_____.
64. In the exam, the more careful you are, the fewer m_____ you will make.
65. Lily has no interest in the book because she thinks it is b_____.
66. The meeting e_____ late, so I didn't catch the late bus back home.
67. My classmate Tom likes to tell funny jokes, so we all think he is h_____.

第二节 请认真阅读下面短文,从方框中选择适当的单词或短语,在答题卷标有题号的横线上填入其正确形式。每个单词或短语仅用一次。

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A new report from a survey says 80% of the world's teenagers don't get enough exercise every day. However, getting enough exercise is very important. More and more researches (研究) show that exercise not only 68 the body strong, but also helps the brain. Besides, doing sports helps kids to make friends. Mark, a sports fan, started to play football when he 69 six years old. He used to be shy and weak, but now he becomes taller and 70. He knows how to learn from failure (失败) through sports. He also learns it's truly important 71 his teammates. And he has made lots of friends with the same interest. They have more to talk about and enjoy the happiness after training. So start exercising 72 it's too late. Every step helps you be healthier and happier.

六、短文填空（共10小题;每小题1分,满分10分）

请认真阅读下面短文,在答题卷标有题号的横线上,填入一个适当的单词或括号内单词的正确形式。

Screens (屏幕) are an important part of our life. When you talk about "screen time", do you know the screens have an effect (影响) on you, especially (尤其) on 73 (you) eyes?

In fact, spending a lot of time 74 (look) at a screen isn't good for you.

But if you have to use a computer for work, what can you do to stay 75 (health) ?

Many eye experts say you should follow the "20-20-20 rule". This means taking a 20-second break every 20

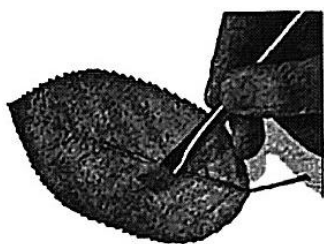
minutes to look at something about 20 76 (foot) away --- that's about 6 metres. This gives your eyes a break and makes them change their focus (聚焦) 77 the screen near to you to something farther away.

Make sure the screen is the right brightness, too. A screen that's too bright 78 too dark will make your eyes tired. The idea is to 79 (great) reduce (减少) the blue light. And to help this, some companies 80 (begin) to sell blue light glasses a few years ago and they worked.

Sitting at the right distance (距离) from the screen is also 81 good idea: you should sit at least 50 centimeters away. If you find you're moving close to the screen and straining (过度使用) your eyes to see, you could try making the fonts (字体) on your screen 82 (large).

七、阅读表达(共3小题;每小题2分,满分6分)

请认真阅读下面短文,用英语回答短文后的问题,并将答案写在答题卷标有题号的横线上。



Have you ever heard of leaf painting? It has a history of more than 2,000 years in China.

Ding Li is 27 years old. He comes from Xianning City, Hubei Province. He has spent many years learning leaf art and has opened his own workshop in his hometown.

Ding Li started to learn painting at the age of five. At age 12, he began to learn carving (雕刻). When he first found out about leaf painting at the age of thirteen, he fell in love with the art.

Making leaf paintings is quite complicated (复杂的). First, Ding Li needs to choose fine leaves from mountains in Yunnan. Then, he goes through over 60 steps (步骤) such as cutting and drying. It takes about two to three months to finish all of these steps.

Ding Li has spent one year making the ancient painting *Along the River During the Qingming Festival*. He painted it on ten leaves.

Before Ding Li makes each painting, he first learns its history to make his artwork more detailed (详细的). "I want to tell stories through my leaf paintings," he says.

Ding Li's works are very popular and he has won many prizes.

83. When did Ding Li fall in love with leaf painting?

84. What does Ding Li do before he makes each painting?

85. What kind of person do you think Ding Li is?

八、书面表达（共1题;满分25分）

俗话说"读万卷书,不如行万里路"。为了让各位同学有机会交流自己对于旅行的感受,现你校英语社团正在开展主题为"My Wonderful Journey"的征文活动。请你用英语写一篇短文投稿,谈谈你去过哪,旅行中印象最深刻的事情以及这次旅行给你带来的收获。

注意:

- 1.文章语言正确,要点齐全,行文连贯,书写工整;
- 2.文章中不得出现真实的姓名、校名等信息;
- 3.词数100左右。

My Wonderful Journey

参考答案

一、听力部分

1 - 5 BACCB

6 - 10 CABCA

11 - 15 AACBA

16 - 20 BACBB

二、完型填空

21 - 25 BBDCB

26 - 30 CAACD

三、阅读理解

31 - 33 ACB

34 - 37 ACBD

38 - 42 BDBCA

43 - 47 CDBDA

四、信息还原

48 - 52 ACGDE

五、词汇运用

53. knocked

54. fits

55. discussing

56. ourselves

57. exactly

58. language

59. competition

60. helpless

61. tidy

62. Finally

63. finished

64. mistakes

65. boring

66. ended

67. humorous

68. keeps

69. was

70. stronger

71. to talk with

72. before

六、短文填空

73. your

74. looking

75. healthy

76. feet

77. from

78. or

79. greatly

80. began

81. a/another

82. larger

七、阅读表达

83. At (the age of) thirteen / 13.

84. He first learns its history.

85. I think Ding Li is very patient. (言之有理即可)

八、书面表达

My Wonderful Journey

This summer, I went to Kunming with my family. It is a very beautiful city in Yunnan. We spent five days there. During those five days, we climbed high mountains, felt the fresh cool lake water and enjoyed the special views. What impressed me most was the local delicious food like Guoqiao rice noodles. My family and I both enjoyed them very much.

I returned home with a heart full of memories and a deeper understanding of the world around me. My trip to Yunnan is truly wonderful. It not only broadens my horizons but also brings me closer to my family.