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二、完形填空

How would you translate (翻译) the saying "Bu Ai Hong Zhuang Ai Wu Zhuang" into English?

Some might say, "They 22 uniforms, not beautiful dresses."

Xu Yuanchong was born 23 April 8, 1921 in Jiangxi. He 24 under Qian Zhongshu, Wu Mi and other masters when he was at college. During that time, he became 25 in translating Chinese ancient poems into English and French. He thinks the translation is right but not 26 at all. In his 27, he uses just two words "face" and "powder". His translation reads. To face the powder and not to powder the face.

Xu 28 his whole life building a bridge between Chinese and Western literature (文学). He translated many 29 classics (经典著作) into Chinese. 30 thanks to him, the western world can enjoy wonderful works by Li Bai, Du Fu as well as many great Chinese poets (诗人).

Even when he is 90 years old, Xu never 31 trying to make his translations better and beautiful. Xu also has his own dream, he says, 32 he can live to 100 years old, he will finish translating all Shakespeare's works. To everyone, he sends a wish: Good, better, best. Never let it rest. Until your good is better, and your 33 is best. This is a 34 he likes to teach all of us.

Through 35, we can all become better ourselves.

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| 21. A. helpful | B. famous | C. lucky | D. important |
| 22. A. sell | B. make | C. love | D. wear |
| 23. A. on | B. in | C. at | D. by |
| 24. A. studied | B. taught | C. read | D. spoke |
| 25. A. crazy | B. worried | C. interested | D. weak |
| 26. A. beautiful | B. funny | C. true | D. bad |
| 27. A. poem | B. college | C. book | D. translation |
| 28. A. takes | B. pays | C. spends | D. costs |
| 29. A. East | B. Eastern | C. West | D. Western |
| 30. A. But | B. And | C. Or | D. As |
| 31. A. finishes | B. stops | C. remembers | D. practises |
| 32. A. when | B. so | C. because | D. if |
| 33. A. worse | B. better | C. less | D. fewer |
| 34. A. notice | B. information | C. lesson | D. class |
| 35. A. work hardly | B. hard-working | C. work hard | D. hard work |

三、阅读理解

A

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36. Which part should you read if you want to know some old stories of Suzhou?

- A. Part I. B. Part II. C. Part III. D. Part IV.

37. If you want to introduce some parks to visitors, which chapter should you read?

- A. Chapter 4. B. Chapter 5. C. Chapter 6. D. Chapter 7.

38. Which of the following may NOT be included in Part IV?

- A. How much is the book? B. How do they write the book?
C. Why do they write this book? D. What can you get from the book?

B

Sophia is a robot (机器人) in Saudi Arabia. She made history at a meeting on Oct 25. On that day, she became the first robot in the world to get citizenship (公民身份), according to The New York Times.

In the future, Sophia may have the same rights (权利) as a human (人类) Saudi Arabian citizen. Sophia looks like a human woman. In 2015, a US company built her and gave her an artificial intelligence system (人工智能系统). This means Sophia can talk and act like a human. She also has the ability to learn from people, books and the internet.

"I will do my best to make the world a better place," Sophia said at the meeting.

But not everyone is happy about Sophia's citizenship. Some think robots like her could be dangerous. They could hurt humans if they get out of control (失控).

For this, Sophia said she had values (价值观) like wisdom (智慧) and kindness. These make her more human. "Don't worry. If you're nice to me, I'll be nice to you," she said.

39. What is different about Sophia from other robots?

- A. She is the first robot built in Saudi Arabia.
B. She is made in Saudi Arabia.
C. She is the world's smartest AI.
D. She's the first robot to get citizenship.

40. What can Sophia do according to (根据) the passage?
- A. She can change her AI system. B. She can read and write books for humans.
C. She can move and speak like humans. D. She can teach people about AI.
41. How does Sophia make people feel worried?
- A. She is smarter than them.
B. They don't want her to have citizenship.
C. She has more rights than human beings.
D. They think robots like her could get out of control.
42. What might describe the writer's attitude (态度) towards Sophia?
- A. sick B. unhappy C. open D. worried
- C



Nowadays, many people like walking in the forest or climbing the hill. Studies show that staying in a green place will make people feel comfortable and happy. But how about blue places? They include beaches, rivers, lakes and some other areas with water.

"There are a lot of studies on how green places help with people's health and feelings, but not many on blue places," Mark, a scientist says.

Are blue places good for people's health and feelings too? To learn about it Mark and his team make a study. It takes three weeks. In the first week, 59 people spend 20 minutes each day walking along a beach in Barcelona, Spain. Then, during a different week, they spend 20 minutes walking along city streets. In the third week, they spend 20 minutes walking indoors. After each activity, the team uses some ways to assess (评估) people's feelings and health. Then they find that walking in blue places really helps a lot.

About 55% of people around the world now live in cities and there will be more in the future. It is important for people to build more blue and green places in our daily life.

43. Blue places mainly mean places with according to the passage.
- A. plants B. animals C. grass D. water
44. In Mark's study, which elements (要素) is different in the three weeks?
- A. People. B. Places. C. Time. D. Activities.
45. What does Mark mean in the passage?
- A. Blue places don't help with people's health.
B. Green and blue places are both bad for health.
C. People don't spend a lot of time staying in blue places.
D. There are only a few studies on blue places.

46. Which of the following is NOT true according to the last paragraph (段落) ?

- A. There are more people in cities than outside cities around the world now.
- B. About 55% of people live in cities around the world now.
- C. Less people will live in cities around the world in the future.
- D. We should have more blue and green places in our daily life.

D

It was December and the snow was falling quietly outside. The four March sisters were sitting around the fire in the sitting room.

Christmas isn't Christmas without any presents, Jo said sadly.

"I hate being poor!" Meg said, looking at her old dress.

"Some girls have lots of nice things, and other girls have nothing at all," said Amy. "I don't think it's fair (公平的) ."

"But we've got Father and Mother, and each other," said Beth. The four sisters looked happy for a moment when they remembered this.

Then Jo said, "But we haven't- got Father." Their smiles suddenly disappeared (消失) . Mr. March was far away with the soldiers (士兵) .

"Mother says our men are suffering (痛苦的) and we mustn't spend money for pleasure," Meg said, "That's why we can't have presents this year."

"Well, each of us has a dollar to spend," said Jo, "What can the army do with four dollars? Nothing! I don't expect anything from Mother but I I'd like to buy a book for myself." Jo loved reading and **she had a passion for books.**

"I want to spend mine on some new music, said Beth. She played the piano and she loved singing.

"I'm going to buy a box of drawing pencils. I really need them." said Amy. She wanted to be an artist.

"Mother didn't say anything about spending our own money," cried Jo, "We work hard for it so let's buy what we want and have a little fun."

It was true. The two older sister had jobs. Meg worked as a teacher for the King family and Jo looked after Aunt March, their father's rich, bad-tempered (坏脾气的) old aunt. Beth and Amy helped with the housework.

Just then it was six o'clock. Beth got up and put her mother's slippers (拖鞋) near the fire to warm.

"Those slippers are very old," said Jo, "Mother needs some new ones."

"I can buy a pair for her with my dollar," said Beth.

"No, I'm the oldest," Meg said, "I want to buy the slippers for her."

"No, it's my job," said Jo. "Father told me to take care of Mother while he was away."

"I have an idea," said Beth, "Let's not spend our money on ourselves. Let's get some presents for Mother." Her sisters thought that this was a very good idea.

47. How many dollars did the four girls together have for presents?
A. 1. B. 4. C. 12. D. 16.
48. Why did the four girls lose their smiles?
A. Because their father was dead. B. Because their father wasn't at home.
C. Because they didn't have Christmas presents. D. Because they didn't see their mother.
49. What does the underlined sentence "she had a passion for books" mean?
A. She had lots of books. B. She hated books very much.
C. She loved books very much. D. She lost her books.
50. Which of the following sentence is right?
A. The four girls' father was far away with some businessmen.
B. Amy liked singing and she wanted to be an artist.
C. Jo looked after Aunt March who is her father's rich and young Aunt.
D. Four girls agreed to get some presents for Mother instead of buying presents of their own.

四、信息还原 选项中有两项为多余选项。

"What did you get on your test!?" I asked when I took John's paper. 51 He smiled weakly, and said, "An F."

I shouted, "Beat you! I got an A."

52 She said, "Betty, you couldn't look down on (看不起) John's grade and what do you think you could have done this morning?"

"I guess I could help him, but he is just weak in Maths!" I said.

"Well, Betty, you are not so good at some subjects, but you are smart in Maths. Why don't you help John with what you are good at, and he can help you with your writing? 53 "

"For how long?" I asked.

"There will be a maths project soon. You have a week to work on it. Is that OK?" Ms Lovell said.

"Okay," I replied.

54 My partner was John, of course. We worked hard-after school, before school, and on the weekend. When the project was due (到期), we shew it to the class. John knew what he was talking about, and I wrote a great report. 55 When she handed back the papers, I saw an A⁺ on John's paper! And an A on my paper too! Ms Lovell's idea had worked!

- A. How can you do that?
B. Will you just give it a try?
C. Then Ms Lovell gave us a test.
D. He reached over and took it back.
E. After lunch, Ms Lovell told us the tasks for the project.
F. At break, my teacher Ms Lovell asked me to stay in the classroom.
G. Finally, we both got good grades.

五、词汇检测 写出空缺处各单词正确完整的形式,每空只写一词。

56. There's a library just _____ (在...对面) from our house.
57. The _____ (工程师) got high praise. We should learn from them.
58. One of my friends _____ (饲养) snakes as her pets at home.
59. She asked for two weeks leave to look after her _____ (生病的) father.
60. This new bridge will _____ (横跨) Jincang Lake.
61. About three _____ ['θaʊznd] of the people coming to Suzhou are from the USA.
62. The maths problem is _____ [kwɔ:t] difficult, most of us can't work it out.
63. Jack told a funny joke just now. I was killing myself _____. ['lɑ:fiŋ]
64. After playing basketball for a whole day, I was so tired that I went _____ [streɪt] to bed.
65. Because of COVID-19, the pork price went _____ [nɔ:θ] this year.
66. ---Not everything you heard is true.
--- Maybe not. But there is no s _____ without fire.
67. ---Do the boys' jackets look smart on them?
--- Yes, I want to have one like t _____.
68. ---Why is the woman crying?
--- Her son was dead in the war and her heart is b _____.
69. ---Excuse me, can you tell me the way to Sunshine Park?
--- Just f me, I am going there too.
70. ---My home is far from the library. It takes me half an hour to get there by bike.
--- That is to say, it is thirty m _____ ride from here to the library.

六、短文填空 填入适当的单词或括号内单词的正确形式, 每空只写一词。

Do you like photography (摄影)? I'm still learning it. I enjoy recording (记录) my daily life
71 _____ my camera lens (镜头).

I started learning about photography in the _____ 72 (seven) grade. My father took me to a photo
show by _____ 73 famous photographer. When I saw the photos, I felt very _____ 74 (surprise).

They looked like oil _____ 75 (paint). I fell in love with _____ 76 (they). After _____ 77 (see)
the photos, I asked my father to buy me a camera. To my surprise, he agreed. But he said, "Promise (答
应) me that you will keep _____ 78 (study) photography. Never give it up." After I got my new camera, I
went out to take photos of everything I saw. Flying birds, blooming (盛开的) flowers—anything I liked. My
photos _____ 79 (be) not always that great, _____ 80 _____ I still enjoy photography. It feels good to
record my life with my "good friend"---my camera.

七、阅读表达

Giant pandas are China's ambassadors (大使) and are loved worldwide. In February, pandas including Xiang Xiang and Yong Ming have come back home. Before this, they were on loan(出借) to Japan.

Since the early 1980s, China has stopped giving away pandas as gifts because of their falling numbers. In the 1990s, China started 10-year loans of pandas to other countries. Today about 60 pandas are living abroad, reported JIMU News.

Making the pandas feel at home

This may lead you to question: How do overseas (海外的) zoos make sure they have what the pandas need to be comfortable?

Wei Rongping, the head of the Wolong Shenshuping panda base in Sichuan, told CRI Online that overseas zoos need to meet several conditions (满足很多条件). For example, there must be a healthy and safe environment for pandas to live in. Take Ouwehands Zoo in Rhenen, Netherlands as an example. In 2017, to welcome pandas Xing Ya and Wu Wen, the zoo built a Chinese-style panda house named Pandasia. It offers (提供) all the comforts a panda couple might want: a clinic(诊所), a cold bamboo storage room and a nursery (儿童房) for when they are ready to have babies.

Also, a giant panda may eat 12 to 38 kilograms of bamboo in a day. The zoo must give pandas enough food. Pandas Si Hai and Jing Jing traveled to Al Khor Park in Qatar in 2022. Every week, the park buys 1,000 kg of fresh bamboo from their hometown, Sichuan. Breeders(饲养员) there also learn the Sichuan dialect (方言) to better talk to the pandas.

81. Why did China stop sending pandas to other countries as gifts in the 1980s? (不超过 5 个字)

82. How many pandas are still living in other countries? (不超过 5 个字)

83. What is Pandasia? (不超过 8 个字)

84. According to the passage, can it be very easy or difficult for overseas zoos to keep pandas? (不超过 5 个字)

85. What conditions should overseas zoos meet to borrow pandas? (不超过 20 个字)

八、书面表达

老师对你的成长有着无法替代的作用。请你介绍你最喜欢的一位老师,包括她或他的外貌、性格特征以及在你的学习成长过程中给予你帮助的一次经历。

注意:1、内容上可适当发挥,词数 100 左右;

2、文中不得提及真实校名、人名。

My favorite teacher

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- 四、信息还原
51-55 DFBE C
- 五、词汇检测
56. across 57. engineers 58. raises 59. sick 60. cross
61. thousand 62. quite 63. laughing 64. straight 65. north
66. smoke 67. theirs 68. broken 69. follow 70. minutes'
- 六、短文填空
71. with 72. seventh 73. a 74. surprised 75. paintings
76. them 77. seeing 78. studying 79. are 80. but
- 七、阅读表达
81. Because their number dropped/fell. / Because their number became smaller. / Because of their falling number.
82. About 60.
83. A Chinese-style panda house in the Netherlands.
84. Difficult.
85. A healthy and safe environment for pandas to live in and enough food for pandas to eat.
- 八、书面表达
When in Grade 1 in middle school, I came across my English teacher, Dustin, a wise man. He has influenced me for a long time.
Dustin has always been humorous, kind and helpful. His funny and powerful words would show us the way.
I was heart-broken and sat lonely in the classroom after I failed in an important exam. Suddenly, Dustin came in and tried to cheer me up with his own stories when knowing the truth. He said: "Keep working hard, and you will see rainbows in your life." Surprised and touched, at that moment, I realized he had a heart full of love. Of course, his words are kept in my mind up to now.