

2020 年成人高等学校招生全国统一考试专升本 英 语

本试卷分第Ⅰ卷(选择题)和第Ⅱ卷(非选择题)两部分。满分 150 分。考试时间 150 分钟。

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第 I 卷(选择题,共 125 分)

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I. Phonetics (5 points)

Directions: In each of the following groups of words, there are four underlined letters or letter combinations marked A, B, C and D. Compare the underlined parts and identify the one that is different from the others in pronunciation. Mark your answer by blackening the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet.

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| 1. A. <u>sh</u> out | B. <u>cl</u> oud | C. <u>m</u> ouse | D. <u>to</u> ugh |
| 2. A. <u>f</u> ear | B. <u>b</u> ear | C. <u>w</u> ear | D. <u>p</u> ear |
| 3. A. <u>p</u> ost | B. <u>c</u> ost | C. <u>m</u> ost | D. <u>h</u> ost |
| 4. A. <u>ch</u> ase | B. <u>b</u> ase | C. <u>e</u> ase | D. <u>c</u> ase |
| 5. A. <u>s</u> care | B. <u>s</u> cene | C. <u>s</u> core | D. <u>s</u> cale |

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II. Vocabulary and Structure (15 points)

Directions: There are 15 incomplete sentences in this section. For each sentence there are four choices marked A, B, C and D. Choose one answer that best completes the sentence and blacken the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet.

6. Johnson _____ his meal when his friend Tim called him to eat out together.
A. had finished B. has finished C. finished D. finishes
7. Cultural exchange plays an important role _____ promoting relation between the two countries.
A. in B. on C. at D. to
8. The two teachers taught him 30 years ago, but _____ of them can recognize him now.
A. either B. none C. each D. neither

9. The education committee _____ his proposal without giving him any reason.
 A. turned up B. turned down C. turned out D. turned in
10. He _____ late into the night, but now he goes to bed early due to health reasons.
 A. used to work B. used to working
 C. is used to working D. is used to work
11. Modern science and technology has shortened the distance between people and brought us _____ closer.
 A. most B. much C. too D. very
12. The news _____ the general manager had been arrested shocked everyone.
 A. which B. how C. that D. why
13. Researchers are trying to _____ what's wrong with their experiments.
 A. pull out B. call out C. take out D. figure out
14. My computer broke down yesterday. I'll have it _____ as soon as possible.
 A. fixing B. fixed C. fix D. to fix
15. The question I am going to raise today is in _____ with yesterday's discussion.
 A. connection B. company C. contrast D. contact
16. I still remember the house _____ we lived when we arrived in Seattle in 2010.
 A. when B. that C. which D. where
17. _____, the issue doesn't seem to be difficult at all.
 A. With my view B. From my view
 C. For my view D. In my view
18. I couldn't go to the meeting because I had to _____ my brother after his accident.
 A. take after B. look after C. look over D. take over
19. Tom _____ the car accident if he hadn't drunk alcohol before driving.
 A. would avoid B. avoided
 C. would have avoided D. will avoid
20. Whenever I was free, I would chat with John, Helen and a few _____ friends.
 A. the other B. another C. other D. others

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III. Cloze (30 points)

Directions: For each blank in the following passage, there are four choices marked A, B, C and D. Choose the one that is most suitable and mark your answer by blackening the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet.

Teachers are some of the most important professionals in the world. They are responsible 21 preparing future generations to become productive and honest citizens, who will 22 to society for the whole of their adult life.

Obviously, the most common reason 23 teachers decide to teach is the ability to make a

difference. There are many professions that give people the ability to have a(n) 24 impact on the world and change people's lives, 25 few professions have a direct impact on 26 a better society as teachers do. People tend to 27 their teachers for years after they finish school, for good teachers can 28 their students to become something that they 29 thought they could be, or to work 30 a field that they thought they did not 31.

Teachers are also important because they provide 32 for their students. In certain low-income areas 33 some students may not have both of their parents 34, teachers can provide an important influence that helps their students make the right 35, even when they are not in the classroom. Generally, teachers' impact on students can last all through their life.

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| 21. A. of | B. in | C. for | D. to |
| 22. A. attribute | B. contribute | C. substitute | D. distribute |
| 23. A. what | B. why | C. which | D. how |
| 24. A. firm | B. positive | C. definite | D. absolute |
| 25. A. or | B. but | C. so | D. and |
| 26. A. creating | B. discovering | C. inventing | D. designing |
| 27. A. remind | B. remember | C. reflect | D. review |
| 28. A. inspire | B. force | C. order | D. demand |
| 29. A. never | B. rather | C. ever | D. still |
| 30. A. in | B. on | C. as | D. at |
| 31. A. act | B. fit | C. ask | D. sit |
| 32. A. requests | B. commands | C. guidance | D. reference |
| 33. A. when | B. where | C. what | D. which |
| 34. A. away | B. ahead | C. along | D. around |
| 35. A. decisions | B. revisions | C. correction | D. connection |

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IV. Reading Comprehension (60 points)

Directions: There are five reading passages in this part. Each passage is followed by four questions. For each question there are four suggested answers marked A, B, C and D. Choose the best answer and blacken the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet.

Passage One

Music is part of the structure of our society; it sits at the heart of human experience and enriches (丰富) so many lives. Why, then, is it not central to our education system? This is a question I recently put forward to an all-party group on music education.

I am 20 years old and began playing the piano at the Barracudas Band in Barrow-in-Furness, aged seven. The funding for the centre has now been cut. I took part in the primary tuition project, aged 11. The funding for that has also been cut now. It is a common problem across the country.

Music is not an add-on, a "soft" subject or a luxury—it is absolutely essential to our existence.

Every child deserves the opportunity to experience its benefits. Until music is held in the same regard as the “core” subjects of our curriculum, our society will be worse off. We need joy, empathy (共情) and hope on this planet more than ever, and taking away children’s opportunity to develop musical skills is to set ourselves up for a fall. Despite the many brilliant programs and projects to encourage young musicians (“Every Child a Musician,” “Awards for Young Musicians,” to name but a few), we are reaching a crisis point. We are in danger of destroying creativity, innovation (创新) and expression. Learning an instrument can help develop so many fundamental life skills. It promotes discipline, empathy, determination and cooperation as well as providing a sense of community and worth.

Music has changed my life. It is a huge part of who I am. I have learned so much about the world through music and the inspiring figures I have met through it. I feel I have a duty to help ensure that others can benefit from its magic. Let us make it available to every single child.

36. Why did the author raise the question on music education?

- A. The funding for music education has been cut.
- B. The band the author joined in has broken up.
- C. The project the author was in no longer exists.
- D. The tuition fee for music training has risen.

37. What does the author think of the role of music?

- A. It is important for dealing with social crises.
- B. It may offer children future job opportunities.
- C. It is fundamental to the growth of a child.
- D. It can help children learn core subjects.

38. What is the theme of the passage?

- A. Music education should be available to every child.
- B. Music training programs should be provided free.
- C. Music should be placed at the top of the curriculum.
- D. Music should be made popular across the country.

39. What is the author’s attitude towards music?

- A. Positive.
- B. Critical.
- C. Doubtful.
- D. Indifferent.

Passage Two

In 2011, a dog owner named Robert uploaded a video titled “Guilty!” to YouTube. He had come home finding his two dogs near an empty bag of cat treats. The first dog behaved calmly. But the second dog, Denver, sat shaking in a corner, her eyes looking down, which made Robert believe it was she who had done it. Seeing her “apparent admission of guilt,” he yelled at her, “You did this!” Denver beat her tail nervously. “You know the routine. In the kennel (狗窝)!” Following the command, the dog shut herself in.

The video quickly gathered a flood of comments. Since then, “dog shaming” has become popular on the internet, as owners around the world posted beside notes shots of their trembling pets in which

the dogs seemed to admit bad behavior. For instance, “I ate an extra large pizza,” admits a chocolate Lab. Human enthusiasm for guilty dogs seemed growing.

But according to a researcher at Barnard College, what we consider to be a dog’s guilty look is no sign of guilt at all. In a 2009 study, the researcher had owners forbid their dogs from eating an attractive treat, and then asked the owners to leave the room. While each owner was gone, the researcher either moved the treat or fed it to the dog. When the owners returned, they were told—regardless of the truth that their dogs either had or had not eaten it. If owners thought their dogs had done something wrong, blames followed, and guilty looks quickly emerged. Yet dogs who hadn’t eaten the treat were more likely to appear guilty than dogs who had—so long as their owners scolded them. Far from signaling regret, one group of researchers wrote in a 2012 paper, the guilty look of dogs is very likely a means to show obedience (顺从) to their owners.

40. What did Robert want to show with his video on YouTube?

- A. Dogs’ conflict with other pets.
- B. Dogs naughty behaviors.
- C. Dogs’ trust in their owners.
- D. Dogs’ apparent guilty looks.

41. How did people react to Robert’s video?

- A. They started to share dog-shaming photos.
- B. They began to blame their own dogs.
- C. They began to read stories about dogs.
- D. They started to show sympathy for his dog.

42. What does “a chocolate Lab” in Paragraph 2 refer to?

- A. A scientist.
- B. A dog.
- C. A researcher.
- D. A cat.

43. Why do dogs wear a guilty look according to the researchers?

- A. To attract their owners’ attention.
- B. To deceive their owners.
- C. To beg their owners for treats.
- D. To show obedience to their owners.

Passage Three

In the race to the moon, who came in first?

You might say the answer is Neil Armstrong, Buzz Aldrin, and Michael Collins, the crew of Apollo 11. Or you could represent for the crew of Apollo 10, which reached the moon in May 1969 and then headed back to Earth without landing.

But there is a much stranger answer to this question, depending on how much you care about humans and what your definition (定义) of reaching the moon might be. Before any people arrived at the moon, other animals had got there first. And unlike the dogs and monkeys that were made famous in early space shots and Earth orbits, the first creatures to reach the moon were a pair of tortoises, *Discovery’s* Amy Shira Teitel reminded us.

The Soviet spacecraft (航天器) sent the animals around the moon—although not into its orbit—during a mission in the middle of September, 1968. The unmanned (无人驾驶的) craft then returned to Earth and dashed into the Indian Ocean, after which the Russians recovered the craft.

A month later, Soviet scientists revealed that the spacecraft had been a tiny ship, carrying the tortoises, wine flies, meal worms, plants, seeds, bacteria, and other living matter.

The tortoises, as history records, lost about 10 percent of their body weight, but had a healthy appetite when they returned to Earth. In the following checkups comparing the animals to “stay-at-home turtles used as a test control,” most things seemed normal, aside from some vaguely explained minor problems with the liver

What this all means is that, as Teitel explained, “The first living beings to see an Earthrise from the Moon were Russian tortoises. However, as far as I can tell, the animals were not named.”

44. According to the passage, which of the following reached the moon first?

A. A pair of tortoises.

B. American astronauts.

C. Russian astronauts.

D. Dogs and monkeys.

45. What happened to the Soviet spacecraft?

A. It was wrecked during the mission.

B. It was recovered after its return to Earth.

C. It stayed in the moon's orbit.

D. It disappeared in the outer space.

46. What was the biggest change in the tortoises in Paragraph 6?

A. They showed abnormal behaviors.

B. They had serious liver problems.

C. They lost their appetite for food.

D. They had obviously lost weight.

47. What do Teitel's words in the last paragraph imply?

A. The tortoises were fond of seeing Earthrise.

B. The tortoises were not given due credit for their experience.

C. The tortoises were not named after the Soviet spacecraft.

D. The tortoises were famous all over the world.

Passage Four

Vegans try to live, as much as possible, in a way that avoids exploiting and being cruel to animals. This means following a plant-based diet. Vegans do not eat animals or animal-based products like meat, fish, seafood, eggs, honey and dairy products such as cheese. For many vegans, living a committed vegan lifestyle means not wearing clothes made from animal skins and avoiding any products which have been tested on animals.

Vegans argue that suffering is caused in the production of these foods. For example, they say that, on some dairy farms, male calves (小牛) are killed because they are too expensive to keep, and cows are killed when they get older and produce less milk. As for honey, vegans say that bees make honey for bee, not for humans, and that bees' health can suffer when humans take the honey from them. Vegans believe that the products they use and consume should be free from not just cruelty but any exploitation of animals.

The main reason for going vegan is probably that they believe animals and all other sentient (有

感知能力的) beings should have the right to life and freedom. However, there are other reasons. Vegans argue that the production of meat and other animal products is very bad for the environment. They point out that a huge quantity of water is needed to grow grain to feed animals in the meat industry. The enormous amount of grain which the meat industry needs often leads to forests being cut down and habitats (栖息地) being lost. In contrast, much lower quantities of grain and water are needed to sustain a vegan diet. In addition, many vegans say that all the nutritious elements our bodies need are contained in a carefully planned vegan diet and that this type of diet helps prevent some diseases.

48. What is a vegan in this passage?

- A. A person who likes to grow vegetables.
- B. A person who is fond of eating meat.
- C. A person who keeps a plant-based diet.
- D. A person who stays away from animals.

49. Which of the following could be found in a vegan's diet?

- A. Eggs.
- B. Honey.
- C. Milk.
- D. Potatoes.

50. What belief do vegans hold?

- A. Animals can help improve the environment.
- B. Animals have the right to life and freedom.
- C. Animal products lead to the rise of grain output.
- D. Animal products are far more nutritious.

51. What does the author want to imply in this passage?

- A. Going vegan consumes more water and grain.
- B. Going vegan enables people to live a healthier life.
- C. Going vegan helps to develop meat industry.
- D. Going vegan has been a lifestyle for the majorities.

Passage Five

There are many interesting news items in BP's (英国石油公司) annual *Energy Outlook* just published. But perhaps the most astonishing suggestion in the report is the idea that cutting back on plastic use could make matters worse. This might be what you would expect BP to say. After all, as one of the world's biggest oil companies, it makes a lot of money from selling products in plastic. But let's look at the thinking behind BP's argument.

If the current opposing idea about the use of plastic continues, there could be a worldwide ban on single-use plastics by 2040. But the document argues that switching plastic for other materials will have a bigger cost in terms of energy and carbon emissions (排放). That sounds like the law of unintended(非故意的) consequences in action. When plastic bags are measured against paper or cotton substitutes, a BBC analysis found there wasn't a great deal of difference in their environmental impact. Paper bags require fewer reuses to make them more environmentally friendly than single-use plastic bags, which means customers have to replace paper bags more frequently.

Environmentalists, though, are not entirely convinced. They think that BP is stressing the problem of banning plastic for its own interest. "While it's true that it takes less energy to produce and transport plastic than glass, a glass bottle can be reused dozens of times and is recyclable. Plus, materials like glass when they escape collection don't go on polluting our oceans and rivers for hundreds of years," said Louise Edge, from Greenpeace UK.

Steps to encourage recycling are being taken. The UK, for example, will introduce a new tax on the manufacture and import of plastic packaging in 2022. There are also lots of developments taking place with alternative materials. These may be the final defense against the unintended consequences of plastic bans.

52. What is astonishing about BP's annual report?

- A. BP has earned a lot of money by selling plastic products.
- B. Cutting back on plastic use may bring more problems.
- C. BP has become one of the world's biggest oil companies.
- D. Cutting back on plastic use may affect product quality.

53. Which of the following could be banned worldwide by 2040?

- A. Second-hand cotton bags.
- B. Reusable paper bags.
- C. Single-use plastic bags.
- D. Recyclable glass bottles.

54. According to environmentalists, what causes BP to oppose banning plastics?

- A. Its consideration of its own interest.
- B. Its worry about the loss of consumers.
- C. Its desire to influence world economy.
- D. Its concern about the environment.

55. What measure is being taken by the UK to cut back on the use of plastics?

- A. Forbidding the import of plastic bags.
- B. Banning the manufacture of plastic bags.
- C. Taxing on the use of plastic bags.
- D. Developing alternative materials to plastic.

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V. Daily Conversation (15 points)

Directions: Pick out appropriate expressions from the eight choices below and complete the following dialogues by blackening the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet.

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| A. How about your presentation? | B. He needs it for tomorrow's presentation. |
| C. I think so. | D. Where are you heading? |
| E. You are welcome. | F. No problem! |
| G. What can I do for you? | H. No, thanks! |

Alice: Hi, Sam! It's nice to see you here.

Sam: Hi, Alice!

Alice: 56

Sam: To my dorm.

Alice: Great! Could you take this book to Peter?

Sam: 57 Does Peter know what it is for?

Alice: Yes. 58

Sam: 59 Are you well prepared for it?

Alice: 60 See you tomorrow !

Sam: See you!

第 II 卷(非选择题,共 25 分)

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VI. Writing (25 points)

Directions: For this part, you are supposed to write an e-mail in about 100–120 words based on the following situation. Remember to write it clearly.

61. 你(Li Yuan)收到美国朋友 Thomas 的 e-mail, 他提及要来中国留学的想法。请给他回一封 e-mail, 内容包括:

- (1) 欢迎他来中国留学;
- (2) 推荐一所学校;
- (3) 介绍该学校所在的城市;
- (4) 表达为他提供帮助的意愿。

参考答案及解析

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I. Phonetics

1. D
2. A
3. B
4. C
5. B

II. Vocabulary and Structure

6. A 【解析】句意:当约翰逊的朋友蒂姆叫他一起出去吃饭的时候,他已经吃过饭了。分析句子结构,空格后面时间状语从句中的谓语动词为过去时,根据句意,空格处表示的时间是“过去的过去”,应用过去完成时,故选 A。

7. A 【解析】句意:文化交流在促进两国关系方面有着重要作用。play an important role in 是固定搭配,意为“在……中起重要作用”,故选 A。

8. D 【解析】句意:三十年前两位老师都教过他,但是现在两位老师都认不出他了。转折连词 but 前后意思相反,句中要表达的意思是“现在老师们认不出他了”,排除 AC 项。none 表示“三者或三者以上都不……”,neither 表示“两者都不……”,故选 D。

9. B 【解析】句意:教育委员会在没有给他任何理由的情况下就拒绝了他的建议。turned up 意为“出现;调大”,turned down 意为“拒绝;关小”,turned out 意为“结果是”,turned in 意为“归还”。结合句意,turned down 符合要求,故选 B。

10. A 【解析】句意:以前他经常加班到深夜,但现在因为身体原因,他早早就睡了。used to do sth. 意为“过去常常做某事”,be used to doing sth. 意为“习惯做某事”。结合句意可知,过去常常加班到深夜,但现在不再是这种状态,used to do sth. 符合要求,故选 A。

11. B 【解析】句意:现代科学技术缩短了人与人之间的距离,使我们更亲近。分析句子结构,空格处需要填一个副词修饰 closer。most 用于修饰形容词的最高级,much 用于修饰形容词的比较级,too 和 very 不用于修饰比较级,故选 B。

12. C 【解析】句意:总经理被抓的消息使所有人感到惊讶。分析句子结构,空格后是一个同位语从句,需要一个连接词起连接作用,且不在从句中充当任何成分,故选 C。

13. D 【解析】句意:研究人员正试图找出他们实验中存在的问题。pull out 意为“退出;(火车)驶出”,call out 意为“唤起,召集”,take out 意为“取出,除去”,figure out 意为“弄清楚”。结合句意,figure out 符合要求,故选 D。

14. B 【解析】句意:我的电脑昨天坏了,我会尽快修好的。have sth. done 是固定用法,have 在此处是使役动词,表示“使某事被做”,强调某物被动地接受动作,并且可以不标明动作的施行者,只强调接受动作的一方,故选 B。

15. A 【解析】句意:我今天要提出的问题与昨天的讨论有关。be in connection with 是固定搭配,意为“与……有关”,be in company with 意为“随同,随行”,be in contrast with 意为“与某物形式对比”,be in contact with 意为“与某物接触;与某人交往”。结合句意,be in connection with 符合要求,故选 A。

16. D 【解析】句意:我仍然记得我们 2010 年到达西雅图时住的房子。分析句子结构,空格后是一个定语从句,先行词是 the house,定语从句中缺少地点状语,所以空格处应填一个可以作地点状语的连接词。结合选项,副词 where 可以引导定语从句并作地点状语,故选 D。

17. D 【解析】句意:在我看来,这个问题似乎并不困难。in my view 是固定搭配,意为“在我看来”,故选 D。

18. B 【解析】句意:我不能参加会议,因为我不得不在我哥哥出事后照顾他。take after 意为“效仿,长得像”,look after 意为“照顾”,look over 意为“仔细检查”,take over 意为“接管”,故选 B。

19. C 【解析】句意:如果汤姆在开车前没有喝酒,本可以避免车祸。分析句子结构,该句是对过去情况的虚拟,所以从句的谓语动词应用 had done 形式,主句的谓语动词用 would have done 形式,故选 C。

20. C 【解析】句意:当我空闲的时候我就会和约翰、海伦还有其他几个朋友聊天。分析句子结构,句中应填入一个形容词修饰复数名词 friends。the other + 复数表示特指,“某一范围内的其他人或物”,相当于 the others,表示剩余的全部;another 用于泛指同类事物中三者或三者以上中的另一个;other 作形容词时指“其他的”,作代词时指“其余的全部”;others 相当于“other + 名词复数”,指剩余的另一些,并非全部。因此选 C。

III. Cloze

21. C 【解析】be responsible for 意为“对……负责任”,其后接名词或者动名词,be responsible to 意为“对某人负责”,其后跟人或物,或接动词原形。

22. B 【解析】句意:他们有责任将后代培养成有贡献的诚实公民,在其整个成年生活中为社会做出贡献。attribute 意为“把……归因于”,contribute 常与 to 搭配,意为“捐献,做贡献”,substitute 意为“代替”;distribute 意为“分配”。因此选 B。

23. B 【解析】分析句子结构,空格后是一个定语从句,需填一个连接词引导该从句。根据句意可知,教师决定教书的最常见原因是能够改变现状。名词 reason 在句中作先行词,定语从句表示某事物的原因,用关系词 why,故选 B。

24. B 【解析】句意:有很多职业让人们有能力对世界产生积极的影响,改变人们的生活。firm 意为“坚定的”,positive 意为“积极的”,definite 意为“明确的”,absolute 意为“绝对的”。positive 符合题意,故选 B。

25. B 【解析】句意:但是很少有职业像教师一样对创造一个更好的社会有直接的影响。空格前后提到了 many professions 和 few professions,前后明显为转折关系。but 意为“但是”,表转折,故选 B。

26. A 【解析】create 意为“创造”,discover 意为“发现”,invent 意为“发明”,design 意为“设计”。根据句意,故选 A。

27. B 【解析】句意:人们在毕业后往往会记住他们的老师很多年。remind 意为“提醒,使记起”,remember 意为“记得”,reflect 意为“反映”,review 意为“复查;重新考虑”。根据句意,故选 B。

28. A 【解析】句意:因为好的老师可以激励他们的学生成为他们从未想过成为的样子。inspire 意为“激励”,force 意为“强迫”,order 意为“命令”,demand 意为“要求”。根据句意,故选 A。

29. A 【解析】前文提到好的老师能够激励学生,本句是对前文的强调,老师对学生能够起到极大的激励作用。never 意为“从不”,rather 为“相当,稍微”,ever 意为“曾经”,still 意为“仍然”。根据句意,故选 A。

30. A 【解析】句意:好的老师可以激励他们的学生成为他们从未想过成为的样子,或者在他们认为无法胜任的领域工作。in a field 意为“在某一领域”,故选 A。

31. B 【解析】act 意为“行动,表现”,fit 意为“适合”,ask 意为“询问”,sit 意为“坐下”。根据句意,故选 B。

32. C 【解析】句意:教师的重要性还在于他们为学生提供指导。request 意为“要求”,command 意为“命令”,guidance 意为“指导”,reference 意为“参考”。根据句意,故选 C。

33. B 【解析】句意:在某些低收入地区,一些学生的父母可能不在他们身边,教师可以产生重要的影响,帮助学生做出重要的决定。分析句子结构,空格后是一个定语从句,且该空格在定语从句中作地点状语,综合各选项,只有 B 项符合要求,故选 B。

34. D 【解析】away 意为“离开,在别处”,ahead 意为“在前面”,along 意为“向前;一起”,around 意为“四周,周围”,have...around 意为“……在身边”。根据句意,故选 D。

35. A 【解析】decision 意为“决定”,revision 意为“复习”,correction 意为“改正”,connection 意为“联系”,make the right decisions 意为“做出正确决定”。根据句意,故选 A。

IV. Reading Comprehension

36. A 【解析】根据第二段第二、第四句“The funding for the centre has now been cut...The funding for that has also been cut now.”可知,音乐教育的经费被削减了,故选 A。

37. C 【解析】根据第三段开头“Music is not an add-on, a ‘soft’ subject or a luxury—it is absolutely essential to our existence. Every child deserves the opportunity to experience its benefits.”可知,音乐不是附加的,不是“软”科目或者奢侈品——它绝对是我们生存的必需品,每个孩子都应该有机会体验它的好处。由此推断,音乐对孩子成长是至关重要的。

38. A 【解析】第一段提到音乐是我们社会结构的一部分,它是人类经验的核心。第二段提到如今对孩子的音乐教育的经费被削减了。第三段再次强调音乐是我们生存的必需品,每个孩子都应该有机会体验它的好处,剥夺孩子们发展音乐技能的机会,就等于让我们自己陷入困境。最后一段作者通过自身经历强调音乐对成长的重要性。综上所述,文章的主旨是每一个孩子都应该接受音乐教育。

39. A 【解析】纵观全文,作者强调了音乐的重要性,认为音乐可以带来欢乐、共情和希望,能增强纪律、同情心、决心和合作,并提供一种社区感和价值感。因此,作者对音乐持有积极的态度。

40. D 【解析】根据第一段开头的“a video titled ‘Guilty!’”“Seeing her ‘apparent admission of guilt’”可知,Robert 想在 YouTube 上用他的视频展示狗狗内疚的表情。

41. A 【解析】根据第二段第二句“Since then, ‘dog shaming’ has become popular on the internet, as owners around the world posted beside notes shots of their trembling pets in which the dogs seemed to admit bad behavior.”可知,人们看到 Robert 的视频后,开始在网上分享狗狗内疚的表情的图片。

42. B 【解析】根据第二段内容可知,人们看到 Robert 的视频后,开始在网上分享狗狗内疚的表情的图片,它们颤抖着承认自己干了坏事。由此推断,“a chocolate Lab”是狗狗的名字。

43. D 【解析】根据最后一段最后一句“Far from signaling regret, one group of researchers wrote in a 2012 paper, the guilty look of dogs is very likely a means to show obedience (顺从) to their owners.”可知,狗狗做出内疚的表情很可能是向主人表示服从的一种方式。

44. A 【解析】根据第三段最后一句“*And unlike the dogs and monkeys that were made famous in early space shots and Earth orbits, the first creatures to reach the moon were a pair of tortoises, Discovery's Amy Shira Teitel reminded us.*”可知,最先到达月球的是一对乌龟,故选 A。

45. B 【解析】根据第四段内容可知,1968 年 9 月中旬的一次任务中,苏联的航天器将动物送入月球周围虽然没有进入月球轨道。无人驾驶的飞船随后返回地球,冲入印度洋,之后俄罗斯人回收了飞船。

46. D 【解析】根据第六段内容可知,据史料记载,这些乌龟的体重下降了约 10%,但回到地球后却胃口很好。在接下来的检查中,将这些动物与“作为试验对照的留守龟”进行比较,除了一些解释不清的肝脏小问题外,大多数事情似乎都很正常。

47. B 【解析】根据文章最后一段内容可知,第一个从月球上看到地球升起的生物是俄罗斯乌龟。然而,据 Tite 所知,这些动物并没有被命名。由此可见,这些乌龟并没有因为它们的经历获得应得的荣誉,故选 B。

48. C 【解析】根据第一段第一、第二句“*Vegans try to live, as much as possible, in a way that avoids exploiting and being cruel to animals. This means following a plant-based diet.*”可知,素食主义者尽量避免以剥削和虐待动物的方式生活,这意味着他们吃的是以植物为基础的食物。

49. D 【解析】根据第一段第三句“*Vegans do not eat animals or animal-based products like meat, fish, seafood, eggs, honey and dairy products such as cheese.*”可知,素食主义者不吃动物或以动物为基础的产品,如肉、鱼、海鲜、鸡蛋、蜂蜜和乳制品(如奶酪),故选 D。

50. B 【解析】根据第三段第一句“*The main reason for going vegan is probably that they believe animals and all other sentient (有感知能力的) beings should have the right to life and freedom.*”可知,最主要的原因是素食主义者认为动物和所有其他有感知能力的生物应该有生命和自由的权利,故选 B。

51. B 【解析】纵览全文,第一段讲素食主义者的生活方式,第二、三段讲成为素食主义者的原因,第三段最后提到我们身体所需的所有营养元素都包含在精心规划的素食中,这种饮食方式有助于预防一些疾病,所以成为素食主义者可以让人们以一种更健康的方式生活。

52. B 【解析】根据第一段第一、第二句“*There are many interesting news items in BP's (英国石油公司) annual Energy Outlook just published. But perhaps the most astonishing suggestion in the report is the idea that cutting back on plastic use could make matters worse.*”可知,英国石油公司刚刚发布的年度《能源展望》中有许多有趣的新闻,但报告中最令人吃惊的建议可能是,减少塑料的使用可能会使事情变得更加糟糕,故选 B。

53. C 【解析】根据第二段第一句“*If the current opposing idea about the use of plastic continues, there could be a worldwide ban on single-use plastics by 2040.*”可知,如果继续反对使用塑料,到 2040 年可能会在全球范围内禁止使用一次性塑料制品,故选 C。

54. A 【解析】根据第三段第一、第二句“*Environmentalists, though, are not entirely convinced. They think that BP is stressing the problem of banning plastic for its own interest.*”可知,环保主义者认为,英国石油公司是为了自己的利益而突出禁止使用塑料会带来问题,故选 A。

55. D 【解析】根据第四段第二句“*The UK, for example, will introduce a new tax on the manufacture and import of plastic packaging in 2022.*”可知,英国将在 2022 年对塑料包装的生产和进口征收新税,以此来缩减塑料的使用,并不是禁止进口或生产塑料袋,也没有提到要对使用塑料袋征税。根据该段第三句“*There are also lots of developments taking place with alternative materials.*”可知,同时也在开发塑料袋的替代品,故选 D。

V. Daily Conversation

56. D

57. F
58. B
59. A
60. C

VI. Writing

61. 范文

Dear Thomas,

I heard that you are coming to study in China, I am so glad for you. At the same time, I strongly recommend you to have a further study in Peking University. The campus, known as "Yan Yuan" (the garden of Yan), is situated at Haidian District in the western suburb of Beijing. It stands near to the Yuanmingyuan Garden and the Summer Palace. And the new semester starts in September, it's summer in Beijing. During your stay in Beijing, no matter what troubles you meet, you can feel free to ask for my help.

I'm looking forward to seeing you in Beijing!

Yours,
Li Yuan

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1. 评分原则:

- (1) 本题总分为 25 分,分五档给分。
- (2) 评分时,先根据文章的内容和语言确定其所属档次,然后根据该档次的具体要求给分。
- (3) 纳入第五档次的作文应取得至少两位阅卷教师的认可。
- (4) 字数不足 100 或超出 120 的,酌情扣 1 分~2 分。
- (5) 拼写与标点符号的准确性视其对表达的影响程度予以评分。英、美式拼写均可。
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第五档 (21 分~25 分)	很好地完成了试题规定的任务。 主题突出;内容充实,层次分明;行文流畅;使用了丰富的语法结构和词汇;基本无语言错误
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第三档 (11 分~15 分)	基本完成了试题规定的任务。 主题不明确;内容尚完整,有层次;语句较通顺;虽有不少语言错误,但不影响内容表达
第二档 (6 分~10 分)	未能按要求完成试题规定的任务。 主题不明确;内容不完整,层次不清;缺少连贯性;语句欠通顺;有较多的语言错误,影响了内容表达
第一档 (1 分~5 分)	未完成试题规定的任务。 明显跑题;内容贫乏,结构层次混乱;语句不通顺;有严重的语言错误
0 分	所写的内容与试题要求毫不相关,语句混乱,无法理解