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考生须知：

- 1.本试卷共 10 页,共两部分,共 38 题,满分 60 分,考试时间 90 分钟。
- 2.在试卷和答题卡上准确填写学校名称、姓名和准考证号。
- 3.试题答案一律填涂或书写在答题卡上,在试卷上作答无效。
- 4.在答题卡上,选择题用 2B 铅笔作答,其他试题用黑色字迹签字笔作答。

第一部分

本部分共 33 题,共 40 分。在每题列出的四个选项中,选出最符合题目要求的一项。

一、单项填空(每小题 0.5 分,共 6 分)

从下面各题所给的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中,选择可以填入空白处的最佳选项。

1. My sister loves movies and _____ often goes to the cinema at weekends.
A. he B. she C. it D. they
2. The supermarket opens _____ 8 :00 a.m. every day.
A. in B. on C. at D. for
3. Hurry up, _____ we will miss the train!
A. and B. so C. but D. or
4. - _____ do you play tennis with your friends, Peter?
- Three times a week.
A. How often B. How much C. How long D. How soon
5. - _____ I use your eraser, Mary?
- Sure. Here you are.
A. Must B. Need C. Will D. May
6. The streets in my hometown are _____ than before.
A. wide B. wider C. widest D. the widest
7. - What does your father often do in his free time?
- He often _____ swimming.
A. go B. goes C. went D. is going
8. - What did Sam do after school yesterday?
- He _____ a math problem with his classmates.
A. discussed B. will discuss C. is discussing D. has discussed

9.- We don't have enough vegetables for dinner, Sam.

- I _____ some in the market soon.

A.buy B.bought C. have bought D.will buy

10.My brother is interested in painting. He _____ it since he was six years old.

A. learns B. will learn C. has learned D.learned

11. Many books _____ to the Children's Home by volunteers every year.

A. send B.sent C.are sent D.were sent

12. - Could you tell me _____?

- Just go along Main Street until you pass the bank. It's on your left.

A.Where the post office is B.When the post office is

C.Where is the post office D. When is the post office

二、完形填空(每小题1分,共8分)

阅读下面的短文,掌握其大意,然后从短文后各题所给的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中,选择最佳选项。



In the sixth grade, I joined the band program to learn to play the clarinet. The first year had gone smoothly(顺利地). But as most students __13__, I seemed to fall behind. One day, when my teacher told us to perform in class, I was filled with __14__. When I began to play, my rhythms(节奏)were good, but my tone(调)was another __15__. "Didn't you practice your lesson?" the teacher shouted at me. I felt so uncomfortable and my world fell down at once.

From then on, I __16__ playing the clarinet and I was getting worse. With the new performance coming near, I grew __17__ upset. In a moment of panic(惊慌), I asked for sick leave. It was such an easy way out and I was totally in relief.

I continued avoiding my lessons until my mum asked me about it. "I want to give up," said with tears in my eyes. "If you really want to give up, why are you crying?" asked mum. She had a point and I realized that I really wanted to __18__ in the band and, by not facing my fears, I had created a black hole that would be difficult to __19__ out of. I knew it's time to find my way out.

The next day I met with my other band teacher and told her about my problems. She asked me gently to play for her. I tried, but only an unpleasant sound came out. She didn't shout at me and handed me a new reed(簧片).I put it in place and tried again. To my surprise, I could play so well.

Hiding from those fears only digs a hole, which makes a person stay trapped(陷入困境)inside. After facing up to a fear, one may find life __20__ and more enjoyable.

13.A.managed B. progressed C. planned D.continued

14.A.fear B. pity C. joy D.pride

- 15.A.novel B. piece C. story D.style
 16.A.loved B.tried C.hated D.started
 17.A.secretly B. increasingly C.generally D.proudly
 18. A.stay B.give C.live D.put
 19.A.take B. look C.pick D.climb
 20.A.safer B.harder C. messier D.easier 完 二

三、阅读理解(每小题 2 分,共 26 分)

(一)阅读下列宾馆介绍,请根据人物喜好和需求匹配最合适的宾馆,并将宾馆所对应的 A、B、C、D 四个选项填在相应位置上。选项中一项为多余选项。

A

Boracay is famous for its beautiful White Beach. If you want to have a tour to Boracay, we can offer you all kinds of hotels, and you can find one you like.

A	B
<p>Muse Hotel</p> <p>It is in the north part of White Beach. You can enjoy a full sea view through the window. The sand is the nicest, and is generally quieter than other places. It's the most attractive place of White Beach. You can watch the sunrise and sunset easily.</p> <p>Address: Station 1,Boracay Island. Tel.No.: 6336 288 1268 Email: reservations @ themuseboracay.com Price: \$172</p>	<p>Blue Narina Hotel</p> <p>If you live in Blue Narina Hotel, you can have more choices of restaurants and shopping centers. It is party central of White Beach. Small restaurants and shopping centers spread along the beach to the main road. It's a good place to go shopping.</p> <p>Address: Station 2,Boracay Island. Tel.No.: 6336 288 2634 Email: susie@ bluemarinaboracay.com Price: \$115</p>
C	D
<p>Piccolo Hotel</p> <p>It lies in Station 2 and it is known as the island's night life and shopping center. The place puts every guest close from everything convenience shops, restaurants ,water sports activities and D Mall. You can enjoy delicious seafood there.</p> <p>Address: Station 2,Boracay Island, Tel.No.: 6336 288 9234</p>	<p>Fresh Vibrant Hotel</p> <p>It is the last place to be developed. There are a number of good and cheap restaurants and diving shops in this area. It's convenient to get all kinds of equipment and go diving here. You can enjoy free daily breakfast and 24-hour room service.</p> <p>Address: Station 3, Boracay Island. Tel.No.: 6336 288 1818 Email: sales@ astoriacurrent.com</p>

Email: piccolohotelph@ gmail. Com	Price: \$65
Price: \$82	

21. _____ Mary wants a quieter room where she can enjoy a full sea view.
22. _____ Alice's parents would like to experience the local night life. They also want to eat seafood.
23. _____ Tony needs to book the cheapest hotel and he is interested in diving.

(二)阅读下列短文,根据短文内容,从短文后各题所给的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中,选择最佳选项。

B

Maggie, Travis and Lucy's science teacher set a special test for them. They had to work out different kinds of problems within limited time to get out of a locked room.

For the past hour, Maggie, Travis and Lucy had been locked inside a room decorated like a mad scientist's laboratory. Together they decoded(破译)a secret language and solved a difficult maths problem. The last challenge, however, stopped them. The key to the door was trapped in a block of ice.

“We have to melt(融化) the ice ,” Lucy said.

“But there's nothing hot here!” Maggie complained.

Travis pulled off his sweatshirt and wrapped(裹)it around the ice. “This keeps me warm,” he reasoned.

A few minutes passed by, but the ice didn't melt.

“Isn't cloth an insulator(隔热材料)?” Lucy asked. She tried to remember what she had learned in science class. “Heat always flows from warm objects to cold ones. The heat in the air will finally melt the ice, but we need to find something that will help heat move from the air to the ice more quickly.”

“What about glass?” Maggie asked.

“Glass is also an insulator. It keeps heat from moving,” Lucy said. Then she noticed a large metal tray(金属托盘)across the room. “This might work!”

Lucy put the block of ice onto the tray. Everybody's eyes moved between the clock and the ice. Would they be able to free the key in time?

At last, the key lay in the water on the tray. The three friends rushed out of the room in the last minute.

“We made it!” Travis cheered. “Good thing you learned in science class!”

24. What's the last challenge in the special test?

- A. Decorating the laboratory. B. Taking out the key trapped in the ice.
C. Solving a maths problem. D. Learning a secret language.

25. Why did Travis pull off his sweatshirt?

- A. He thought his sweatshirt could help melt the ice.

- B. He felt' so hot that he took the sweatshirt off.
- C. He wanted to leave the sweatshirt in the room.
- D. He disliked his sweatshirt.

26. What did the three friends learn from the test?

- A. The meaning of saving time.
- B. The ways of finding keys to the door.
- C. The value of knowledge learned in class.
- D. The importance of solving maths problems.

C

Peer tutoring(同伴导师)is one of the most helpful tools to use during your school years. Sometimes you will not have all the answers and that you may need help from time to time. There is probably no better way to get some help than that from your classmates. Peer tutors are understanding, helpful, and especially honest enough to help you out through any difficulties that you could be experiencing.

Expect active criticism(批评)

This will probably be the most uncomfortable part. Tutors are strict with you not because they want to be mean and ruin your existence. They simply want you to be one of the best to your best ability. The only way for them to ensure this is to be completely honest with you.

Accept that you are not perfect and that you will make mistakes. Feel lucky that your peer tutor is pointing out your mistakes and giving you a chance to repair them before your teacher has a chance to fix your grades for them.

Expect change

You will have a changed view on your work and your method of completing it. Every tutor has a different learning style and teaching style that is unique to them, but it is up to you to use what they teach you to your best ability.

If a tutor teaches you how to solve a math problem in a way that makes sense to you, but is also different from what you have learned in class, you will have to use that method because it works for you. If a tutor polishes your paper and advises you to use more active voice, you will find your work in the future to change completely.

Like I mentioned, change is good. Embrace it !

Expect discipline(纪律)(sometimes)

Sometimes, we don't want to push ourselves to work hard. We are human, it happens. It is nothing to be ashamed of. However, if a tutor notices that you have been slacking off(松弛), do not be surprised if they call you out on it. Your tutor wants you to use your ability to do the great things that they know

you can do.

Expect improvement

Last but not least, expect to improve. Peer tutoring can be difficult and intimidating(令人胆怯的), but the goal is for you to improve as a student in a variety of areas. Once you practice what you have learned in the session, you will notice a great change in your grades and your learning ability. If you ask me, I think that is completely worthy of an A+.

27. According to the passage, we can know that peer tutors are _____

- A. helpful and shy B. strict but patient
C. understanding and honest D. creative but mean

28. What can we learn from the passage?

- A. Getting help from your teachers is the most important.
B. A tutor's active criticism means to be honest with you.
C. We can learn the same thing in class and from the tutor.
D. It's a shame to be called out by the tutor when studying.

29. What is the writer's main purpose in writing this passage?

- A. To show us what peer tutoring is.
B. To tell us how to change in our study.
C. To encourage us to make improvement.
D. To help us benefit from peer tutoring.

D



pay cash

Do we still need cash? The days of holding cash in our hands may be numbered. The progress of technology and the development of new electronic devices in the world change how we make payments. With a swipe(刷) of a card or a click of a mobile-phone app, our wealth goes easily at our fingertips. Happiness also arises. As digital forms are increasingly replacing cash payments, some think that we should become fully cash-free. However, I do not believe we should move towards a completely cash-free society.

One of the main problems of a cashless world is the risk of being cheated and the inconvenience that follows. Lots of hacking incidents have warned us that the digital world is not completely safe. Technology experts argue that our present state of technology is unable to provide a safe cashless environment that could stop bad people from entering the system and abusing(滥用)the personal data. In addition, many online shopping sites don't have strong safety systems that would protect their clients' (客户)personal information. Occasionally, when an account(账户)is "locked" because of a wrong activity, having cash in hand becomes important. In a cashless society, a client would find

himself locked out of his account and unable to get his money until the case is solved. Going cash-free causes great inconvenience in this case.

Another reason we should not move towards becoming completely cashless is that humans might become less thrifty(节俭的). Many studies have suggested that using cash for shopping causes a psychological(心理的) pain, so people are more careful with their spending. However, payments without cash ease that psychological pain somewhat. In fact, it could make us much more reckless(草率的).

Supporters of a cashless! society argue that cash-free transactions(交易) could reduce worries in society, thus benefiting the poor. However, despite this promise, we cannot choose to ignore(忽略) the fact that a large percentage of poor people in the developing world depend on cash to buy everyday goods such as rice and vegetables. It does not make economic sense to have these transactions on a network. When viewed in totally, being cashless may not be as beneficial to the poor as it is made out to be.

The idea of society finally going completely cashless is a very real, even an exciting one. However, to safeguard the interests of all users, it is better to build a less-cash society rather than a completely cashless one.

30. You will most probably feel happier when you _____

- A. buy your favorite shoes with cash in a store
- B. click you payment app on your mobile phone
- C. pay for your everyday goods such as rice and vegetables
- D. get more benefits from cash-free transactions with poor people

31. The underlined word “ease” in Paragraph 3 are closest in meaning to _____.

- A. increase B. interest C. reduce D. stop

32. The writer probably agrees that _____

- A. cash-free provides people a more convenient environment
- B. the technology nowadays is safe enough for clients
- C. cashless society can stop people from abusing the data
- D. we should not move towards a completely cashless society

33. Which of the following would be the best title of the passage?

- A. Is Cash-Free Society Coming? B. Is Cashless Society Really Free?
- C. The Benefits of Cash-Free Society. D. Cashless Society Brings us Convenience.

第二部分

四、阅读表达(第 34-36 每小题 2 分,第 37 小题 4 分,共 10 分) 本部分共 5 题, 共 20 分。根据题目要求,完成相应任务。

阅读短文,根据短文内容回答问题。

Inventions have played an important role in shaping the world we live in today. From the wheel to the Internet, these inventions have changed the way we live, work and communicate. Let's look back on some of the most important inventions in human history and their influence on society.

One of the earliest and most influential inventions was the wheel. The wheel has been used for transportation, farming, and manufacturing(制造业)for thousands of years. It completely changed the way goods were transported and traded, making it easier and faster to move from one place to another.

Another important invention was the printing press, which was invented by Johannes Gutenberg in the 15th century. The printing press made it possible to mass-produce books, leading to an explosion(爆炸)in the spread of knowledge.

The steam engine(蒸汽机)is another important invention that transformed the world. It was invented by James Watt in the 18th century and enabled machines to be powered by steam, rather than water or animals. This led to the development of new industries such as iron production and transportation.

The telephone is perhaps one of the most recognizable inventions of all time. Alexander Graham Bell's invention in 1876 revolutionized communication, allowing people to talk to each other over long distances. It has become an important tool for businesses, governments, and individuals alike.

Finally, the Internet is perhaps the most transformative invention of our time. Created by Tim Berners-Lee in the 1980s, it has changed the way we get information, connect with others, and business. It has also had a great influence on culture, entertainment, and social media.

In conclusion, inventions have played a key role in shaping human history and society. And inventors have created the great inventions. If we want to keep pushing the boundaries(界限)of what is possible, it is clear that our world needs more creative and talented inventors.

34. What is one of the earliest and most influential inventions according to the passage?

35. Who invented the steam engine?

36. How has the Internet changed our world?

37. Would you like to be an inventor? Why or why not? (Please give two reasons.)

五、文段表达(10分)

38. 从下面两个题目中任选一题,根据所给提示,完成一篇不少于 50 词的英语文段写作。文中已给出内容不计入总词数。所给提示词语仅供选用。请不要写出你的校名和姓名。

题目①

假定你是李华,你的英国笔友 Tom 因汉语太难学而考虑是否要退出汉语社团,特向你求助。请你用英文给他写一封电子邮件,给出你的观点,并谈谈学习汉语的好处和方法。

提示词语: drop out of (退出), useful, communicate with, read

提示问题: ·What's your opinion?

·Why is it good for foreigners to learn Chinese?

·What do you advise Tom to do?

Dear Tom,

I'm sorry to hear that you've met some troubles in learning Chinese.

I hope my advice can help you.

Yours,

Li Hua

题目②

一个人的成长需要不断地自我突破和改变。

假定你是李华,请你用英语写一篇短文给学校英文公众号投稿,介绍你现在最想在哪一方面做出改变,以及理由和今后打算。提示词语: sports, healthy, good grades, exercise

提示问题: ·What aspect(方面) do you want to change?

·Why do you want to change it?

·What will you do?

参考答案

第一部分

一、单项填空

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|------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1. B | 2. C | 3. D | 4. A |
| 5. D | 6. B | 7. B | 8. A |
| 9. D | 10. C | 11. C | 12. A |

二、完形填空

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|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 13. B | 14. A | 15. C | 16. C |
| 17. B | 18. A | 19. D | 20. D |

三、阅读理解

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|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 21. A | 22. C | 23. D | |
| 24. B | 25. A | 26. C | |
| 27. C | 28. B | 29. D | |
| 30. B | 31. C | 32. D | 33. A |

第二部分

四、阅读表达

34. The wheel.

35. James Watt.

36. It has changed the way we get information, connect with others and business. It has also had a great influence on our culture, entertainment, and social media.

37. 略。

五、文段表达

38. 参考范文：

题目①

Dear Tom,

I'm sorry to hear that you have met some troubles in learning Chinese. I think you had better not drop out of the Chinese Club. Chinese is very useful for you. If you learn Chinese well, you can travel to China and communicate with Chinese people more easily. In the future, you will be able to understand Chinese culture better. In order to learn Chinese well, it is a good way to read more Chinese story books and share them with your parents. You can also sing some Chinese songs. What's more, watching movies is helpful. It's good for your listening and pronunciation.

I hope my advice can help you.

Yours,

Li Hua

题目②

As a student in Grade 9, I hope to make changes in sports. Because being healthy is good for my body and mind. And I want to get better grades in the coming P.E. test. I will do more exercise in P.E. class. I also plan to spend half an hour running after school. What's more, I will play football with my friends on weekends. So I can be stronger and make more friends at the same time.

文段表达评分标准:

第一档: (10—9 分)

完全符合题目要求, 观点正确, 要点齐全。句式多样, 词汇丰富。语言准确, 语意连贯, 表达清楚, 具有逻辑性。

第二档: (8—6 分)

基本符合题目要求, 观点正确, 要点齐全。语法结构和词汇基本满足文章需要。语言基本通顺, 语意基本连贯, 表达基本清楚。虽然有少量语言错误, 但不影响整体理解。

第三档: (5—4 分)

部分内容符合题目要求, 要点不齐全。语法结构和词汇错误较多, 语言不通顺, 表达不够清楚, 影响整体理解。

第四档: (3—0 分)

与题目有关的内容不多, 只是简单拼凑词语, 所写内容难以理解。

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