

安师大附中 2020 年高中自主招生考试英语试题

注意事项:

1. 本试卷总分100分, 考试时间80分钟。
2. 答案一律用0.5mm黑色签字笔和2B铅笔写在答题卷上, 在本试卷上答题无效。

一、单项选择 (共 15 小题; 每小题 1 分, 满分 15 分)

1. Online short video apps like Douyin make ___ easier to do some shopping at home.
A. it B. one C. this D. that
2. —Have you ever watched the documentary *Blue Planet II*?
—Actually I have watched it twice. I've never seen a _____ one.
A. better amazing B. much amazing C. more amazing D. most amazing
3. As the number of the novel coronavirus infections grows _____, the World Health Organization takes active steps to control the serious disease.
A. more B. larger C. higher D. wider
4. Cao Yuan, a young Chinese scientist, has _____ the world with his papers published in *Nature*, a world-famous science magazine.
A. supposed B. surprised C. succeeded D. suggested
5. You'd better guess the meaning of the new word from the context instead of _____ in the dictionary while reading.
A. picking it up B. taking it up C. looking it up D. making it up
6. —People should still keep a social distance these days.
—Yes. A large number of masks _____ in the following months.
A. needed B. are needed C. were needed D. will be needed
7. Chinese government _____ people with free medical treatment if they catch the COVID-19 virus.
A. offers B. provides C. shows D. gives
8. Think twice before making a decision, or you _____ get into trouble.
A. may B. shall C. should D. must
9. The 5-year-old girl is too young to sit _____ the whole concert. So her mother had to take her out of the theater.
A. between B. through C. during D. for
10. Fewer babies are born in China these years. This is _____ because today's young people have different ideas about becoming parents.
A. mainly B. closely C. hardly D. specially
- 11.—Do you know a new shopping mall opened in our town yesterday?
—Yes. Why don't we pay a visit _____ we have time?
A. until B. since C. unless D. though
- 12.—I've heard scientists have drawn a map of the complete _____ of the moon. That's amazing!
—Exactly. It took 10 years to make it.
A. sense B. situation C. surface D. standard
- 13.—I have been working on the problem since two hours ago, but I still can't work

it out.

- Why not ask your classmates for help? _____
- A. No pain, no gain. B. Every dog has its day.
C. Great minds think alike. D. Many heads are better than one.
- 14.—Many countries have reached an _____ with China on fighting against the virus.
—Yes. It is high time for all the countries to work together.
A. achievement B. agreement C. development D. environment
15. Which of the following sentences has the same sentence structure as the sentence below?

I saw a girl reading books in the next room.

- A. He always keeps silent at the meeting.
B. His mother gave him a nice present.
C. She always helps me do my homework.
D. They have put up a factory in the village.

二、阅读理解 (每小题 2 分, 满分 30 分)

A

Dorothy and her friends were anxious to get out of the forest as soon as they could, so they hurried along the yellow brick road. It was not long before they came to a wide river.

“What can we do now?” Dorothy exclaimed. “There isn't a tree tall enough to fall across this river.” “There's no problem,” the Scarecrow said. “The Tin Woodman will use his axe to build a raft.”

And this is what the Tin Woodman did. And while he was busy making the raft, Dorothy found some wild fruit and nuts, which she ate hungrily. Then, because it was taking the Tin Woodman a long time to finish the raft, Dorothy lay down and went to sleep.

The night passed without any problems, and the next morning the raft was ready, Dorothy sat in the middle with Toto. The Lion stood at one end and nearly sank it because he was so big and heavy. The Scarecrow and the Tin Woodman stood at the other end. They both had long poles that they used to push the raft through the water.

At first all went well, but then the river became so deep that the poles could not touch the bottom. The Tin Woodman said, “If we cannot stay near the land and the yellow brick road, the Wicked Witch of the West will use her magic and put a spell on us.”

“And then we won't meet the Wizard, and I won't get any brains,” the Scarecrow said.

“And I won't get a heart,” the Tin Woodman said.

“And I won't get any courage,” the Lion said.

“And I'll never get home to Kansas,” Dorothy said. “We must do something.”

The Scarecrow was able to push the raft to the river bank, Dorothy, Toto, the Lion, and the Tin Woodman got off. Before the Scarecrow could get off, however, the raft moved away from the river bank and carried the Scarecrow down the river.

Dorothy said, “Perhaps we'll meet the raft further down the river. The most important thing now is to get back to the yellow brick road and continue on our way

to the City of Emeralds. “

The Lion and the Tin Woodman agreed, and they set off along the river bank. It was not long before they saw the Scarecrow. He was holding onto the pole in the middle of the river. There was no sign of the raft.

16. What probably happened to Dorothy and her friends before this passage?

- A. They met the Wizard
- B. They met danger in a forest.
- C. Their dream came true
- D. The Wicked Witch of the West helped them.

17. Who came up with the idea of making a raft?

- A. Dorothy.
- B. The Scarecrow
- C. The Lion
- D. The Tin Woodman.

18. What can we learn from this passage?

- A. The Tin Woodman wanted to get some brains.
- B. The Lion helped to push the raft to the bank.
- C. The Wicked Witch of the West would put a spell on Dorothy and her friends if they stayed far away from the yellow brick road.
- D. Dorothy didn't want the Scarecrow to go on with them.

B

Most people agree that honesty is a good thing. But does Mother Nature agree? Animals can't talk, but can they lie in other ways? Can they lie with their bodies and behavior? Animal experts may not call it lying, but they do agree that many animals, from birds to chimpanzees, behave dishonestly to fool other animals. Why? Dishonesty often helps them survive.

Many kinds of birds are very successful at fooling other animals. For example, a bird called the plover sometimes pretends to be hurt in order to protect its young. When a *predator*(猎食动物) gets close to its nest, the plover leads the predator away from the nest. How? It *pretends* (假装) to have a broken wing. The predator follows the “hurt” adult, leaving the baby birds safe in the nest.

Another kind of bird, the scrub jay, *buries*(埋葬) its food so it always has something to eat. Scrub jays are also thieves. They watch where others bury their food and steal it. But clever scrub jays seem to know when a thief is watching them. So they go back later, unbury the food, and bury it again somewhere else.

Birds called cuckoos have found a way to have babies without doing much work. How? They don't make nests. Instead, they get into other birds' nests secretly. Then they lay their eggs and fly away. When the baby birds come out, their *adoptive* (收养的) parents feed them.

Chimpanzees (黑猩猩), or chimps, can also be *sneaky* (卑鄙的). After a fight, the losing chimp will give its hand to the other. When the winning chimp puts out its hand, too, the chimps are friendly again. But an animal expert once saw a losing chimp take the winner's hand and start fighting again.

Chimps are sneaky in other ways, too. When chimps find food that they love, such as bananas, it is natural for them to cry out. Then other chimps come running. But some clever chimps learn to cry very softly when they find food. That way, other chimps don't hear them, and they don't need to share their food.

As children, many of us learn the saying “You can't fool Mother Nature.” But maybe you can't trust her, either.

19. A plover protects its young from a predator by _____.

- A. getting closer to its young
- B. driving away the adult predator
- C. leaving its young in another nest
- D. pretending to be injured

20. By “Chimpanzees, or chimps, can also be sneaky” (paragraph5), the author means _____.

- A. chimps are ready to attack others
- B. chimps are sometimes dishonest
- C. chimps are jealous of the winners
- D. chimps can be selfish too

21. Which of the following is true according to the passage?

- A. Some chimps lower their cry to keep food away from others.
- B. The losing chimp won the fight by taking the winner's hand.
- C. Cuckoos fool their adoptive parents by making no nests.
- D. Some clever scrub jays often steal their food back.

22. Which of the following might be the best title of the passage?

- A. Do animals lie?
- B. Does Mother Nature fool animals?
- C. How do animals learn to lie?
- D. How does honesty help animals survive?

C

Why do some people live to be older than others? You know the standard explanations: keeping a moderate diet, engaging in regular exercise, etc. But what effect does your personality have on your *longevity*(长寿)? Do some kinds of personalities lead to longer lives? A new study in the Journal of the American Geriatrics Society looked at this question by examining the personality characteristics of 246 children of people who had lived to be at least 100.

The study shows that those living the longest are more outgoing, more active and less *neurotic* (神经质的) than other people. Long-living women are also more likely to be *sympathetic* (同情的) and *cooperative* (合作的) than women with a normal life span. These findings are in agreement with what you would expect from the evolutionary theory: those who like to make friends and help others can gather enough resources to make it through tough times.

Interestingly, however, other characteristics that you might consider advantageous had no impact on whether study participants were likely to live longer. Those who were more *self-disciplined* (自律的), for instance, were no more likely to live to be very old. Also, being open to new ideas had no relationship to long life, which might explain all those bad-tempered old people who are fixed in their ways.

Whether you can successfully change your personality as an adult is the subject of a longstanding psychological *debate* (心理学辩论). But the new paper suggests that if you want long life, you should strive to be as outgoing as possible.

Unfortunately, another recent study shows that your mother's personality may also help determine your longevity. That study looked at nearly 28,000 Norwegian mothers and found that those moms who were more anxious, depressed and angry were more likely to feed their kids unhealthy diets. Patterns of childhood eating can

be hard to break when we're adults, which may mean that kids of depressed moms end up dying younger.

Personality isn't destiny, and everyone knows that *individuals* (个体的) can learn to change. But both studies show that long life isn't just a matter of your physical health but of your mental health.

23. The aim of the study in the Journal of the American Geriatrics Society is _____.

- A. to see whether people's personality affects their life span
 - B. to find out if one's lifestyle has any effect on their health
 - C. to investigate the role of exercise in living a long life
 - D. to examine all the factors contributing to longevity
24. What does the author imply about outgoing and sympathetic people?
- A. They have a good understanding of evolution.
 - B. They are better at negotiating an agreement.
 - C. They generally appear more resourceful.
 - D. They are more likely to get over hardship.
25. What finding of the study might prove somewhat out of our expectation?
- A. Easy-going people can also live a relatively long life.
 - B. Personality characteristics that prove advantageous actually vary with times.
 - C. Such personality characteristics as self-discipline have no effect on longevity.
 - D. Readiness to accept new ideas helps one enjoy longevity.
26. What does the recent study of Norwegian mothers show?
- A. Children's characteristics are invariably determined by their mothers.
 - B. People with unhealthy eating habits are likely to die sooner.
 - C. Mothers' influence on children may last longer than fathers.
 - D. Mothers' negative characteristics may affect children's lifespan.

D

Most teens can't wait to learn to drive. Not so with me. Driving made me nervous. I didn't get a license until I turned 24 years old. As a result, when I first married, we only had one car and car pooled to work. My husband's hours were different from mine by one hour. I worked earlier. So he dropped me off and went to the diner to drink coffee until work time.

Then, in the afternoons, I leisurely walked the three miles to his work place where I waited in his car, reading a book.

One day while waiting for him, I noticed the most beautiful Cadillac pull in the lot. It was powder blue and sleek looking. The kind of car you dream about. I was busily admiring the car, when I noticed the driver. Honestly, she was probably the prettiest woman I had ever seen from the movie screen.

She pulled into the spot beside our car and it was all I could do not to stare. There was a striking resemblance to Liz Taylor. Jet black hair and alabaster skin. Our eyes made contact and she smiled at me. Her eyes were as blue as the sea, and teeth like an even row of pearls. She was wearing a light blue shirt that just matched her car. Peeking through her long, softly curled hair I could see gold hoop earrings. They had to be gold to shine like that. A couple of minutes later, a nice looking man came out of

the building, entered her car, leaned over and kissed her and she drove away.

Sitting there in my jeans, shirt and hair in a pony tail, I wanted to cry. How could some people have it all?

Maybe I would have forgotten about her, but the following week, I saw her again. Then it became almost routine to see her about once a week. She seemed friendly and always waved, flashing a big smile. My envy lingered long after she drove away.

Many nights when sleep evaded me, I would think about the beautiful lady. I wondered if she and her husband ate out, and where they dined, and what she was wearing. I wanted her to get out of the car and let me see her full length. Did she wear really high heeled shoes and pants, or a skirt.

I would get my answers in a couple of weeks.

Sitting in our usual parking lot, I was holding my book, watching her over the top of it. She was waiting and when her husband came to the car, she called to him. They spoke a few words and he opened the car door for her to step out. He took her arm and helped her out of the car. I could see very well as she moved to get out. She was wearing a skirt.

She haltingly walked around to the passenger side very slowly, leaning on a walking stick. Sitting sideways in the car, she lifted one leg with her hands and then the other one. The beautiful lady had a prosthesis on the left leg and a brace on the right leg. I couldn't watch them drive away as the tears were blinding me. For weeks I had envied this woman and her way of life, while I had been able to walk three miles to our car!

When my husband arrived and found me crying, he immediately asked what was wrong. Through my tears, I told him about the beautiful lady. He said he knew her husband and also knew the story. The beautiful lady and her parents were in a car that either stalled or got caught on the railroad tracks and was hit by a train. Both parents were killed and she was severely injured. She was only 12 years old. The railroad made a large settlement with her because the crossing had no signals. He explained her car was specially built for her needs as well as the home.

I prayed for forgiveness all the way home. The lady I thought had everything I didn't. I realized how lucky I was to have my parents, the ability to walk, run or dance through life and many wonderful things money can't buy. I would not have traded places with the beautiful lady for anything.

When you meet a person who seems to be much better off than you, don't be fooled.

27. In the afternoons the woman walked three miles to her husband's work place to_____.

- A. take exercise on the way
- B. wait for her husband
- C. enjoy the scenery and reading
- D. meet the beautiful lady

28. Which of the following is TRUE according to the passage?

- A. The woman learned that health and family are more important.
- B. The woman was poor and couldn't afford another car and fancy clothes.
- C. The woman envied the beautiful lady of her capable husband.
- D. The woman regretted marrying her husband.

29. The underlined word "haltingly"(paragraph 10) probably means_____.

- A. proudly B. excitedly C. difficultly D. steadily

30. Which of the following do you think can be the best title of the passage?

- A. Looks can be misleading B. Trust her heart instead of her look
C. Seeing is believing D. Fooled by her look

三、完形填空 (共 20 小题; 每小题 1 分, 满分 20 分)

I learned something really early from my family: Even the biggest challenges are less ___31___ when you solve them as a community.

My brother, sister and cousins were my first group. ___32___ we got more and more fights at home, we never ___33___ that outside our house, if you messed with one of us? You got ___34___ of us.

From school to sports, I was ___35___ in a class project, club, team or group. From speech and debate to field hockey, when I was in a community(团体), I felt ___36___ to try for things that seemed ___37___. I grew because others pushed me. ___38___ didn't seem so frightening because we were taking risks together.

When a drunk driver ___39___ my father, it was our community that stepped in. It was our family friends, our community theater and our sports teams that ___40___ us. My father had been a high school history teacher, and his colleagues—now my teachers—began to keep a ___41___ eye on us because he ___42___ could.

I don't ___43___ a parent's death as the way to learn about the ___44___ of small communities, but it did make me ___45___ that if I looked for bigger challenges with the support of a group, I was going to ___46___ broader goals and build deeper relationships ___47___ the journey.

As I sit here tonight with my team of five, I'm ___48___ of how much I love these moments – building ___49___ we believe in, that we'll learn from and that we'll do together. If you are going to do something that terrifies you, first find a(n) ___50___.

31. A. frightening B. risky C. exciting D. amazing
32. A. Once B. When C. While D. Since
33. A. argued B. considered C. decided D. doubted
34. A. none B. all C. nothing D. anyone
35. A. sometimes B. seldom C. always D. barely
36. A. curious B. discouraged C. scary D. safe
37. A. under control B. out of my reach C. out of order D. within my ability
38. A. Failures B. Goals C. Fights D. Disasters
39. A. killed B. attacked C. comforted D. backed
40. A. looked into B. belonged to C. stood by D. turned away
41. A. bigger B. stricter C. warmer D. closer
42. A. no longer B. never C. hardly D. instead of
43. A. convince B. remember C. consider D. announce
44. A. belief B. power C. possibility D. harmony
45. A. realize B. figure C. consider D. notice
46. A. go through B. get over C. go for D. come across
47. A. for B. before C. by D. throughout

48. A. informed B. reminded C. blamed D. encouraged

49. A. anything B. everything C. something D. somebody

50. A. dream B. partner C. organization D. group

四、语法填空 (每小题 1 分, 满分 10 分)

All eyes were on Jack Ma. The chairman of Alibaba Group Holding Ltd stepped down on Teachers' Day from leading ___51___ e-commerce giant he founded 20 years ago.

I still have lots of dreams to go after, "Ma wrote in an open letter last year ___52___ (announce) his parting. "The world is big, and I am still young, so I want to try new things." The 55-year-old businessman showed that he was ready ___53___ new things by arriving at his farewell party dressed up like a rock star.

In fact, his rags-to-riches(白手起家的) story is a good example of doing something different. Visiting the United States in 1995, Ma saw the Internet and ___54___ (have) the idea of setting up his own trading website. In 1999, he founded Alibaba with a group of friends in a ___55___ (share) apartment, struggling for years to get it off the ground. With all the challenges, the company slowly brought e-commerce to China.

Although his ___56___ (succeed) has inspired(激励) a number of Chinese tech businessmen, Ma pointed out that the key is having a dream, "It's the ___57___ (dream) that keep us never afraid of setbacks(挫折),"Ma said in a video posted on September 9.

Now the experienced businessman ___58___ (look) to focus on education. What can he offer? I'm not going to teach English; I'm not going to teach business. But I'm going to teach young people how to face challenges, "he told Bloomberg News. ___59___ (skill) sailors were never made on calm waters. As Ma said, "Today is cruel. Tomorrow is crueler. ___60___ the day after tomorrow is beautiful.

五、书面表达 (满分 25 分)

在危难时刻,总是会有人挺身而出,给人们带来希望和信心。钟南山院士就是这样的人。请你根据下面的要点提示,以 The man I admire most 为题,用英语写一篇短文。

1. 1936 年 10 月出生在南京,是 21 世纪最出名的医学家(medical scientist)之一。
2. 1960 年,毕业于北京医学院(Beijing Medical College)。这位普通却伟大的老人已经从医 60 多年了.....
3. 2020 年,COVID-19 疫情爆发后,他立刻带领医护人员赶赴武汉,抗击疾病.....
4. 钟南山建议: 居家、少外出、外出时戴口罩、勤洗手、多锻炼.....

注意: 1. 要点齐全,语言通顺。

2. 词数 120 左右。

The man I admire most

Dr. Zhong Nanshan was born in October 1936 in Nanjing. _____