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九年级英语试卷(选用)

2024. 1

(考试时间 90 分钟 满分 60 分)

学校 \_\_\_\_\_ 班级 \_\_\_\_\_ 姓名 \_\_\_\_\_ 考号 \_\_\_\_\_

考生须知	1. 本试卷共 10 页,共两部分,五道大题,38 道小题。 2. 在试卷和答题卡上准确填写学校名称、班级、姓名和考号。 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。 5. 考试结束,请将本试卷和答题卡一并交回。
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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 mother is very kind. \_\_\_\_\_ is always ready to help others.  
A. She                      B. He                      C. I                      D. You
2. Many tourists go to Tian'anmen Square \_\_\_\_\_ 1st October to celebrate our National Day.  
A. at                      B. in                      C. on                      D. to
3. —Must I return the book before Friday, Miss Li?  
—No, you \_\_\_\_\_. You can keep it for three weeks.  
A. can't                      B. needn't                      C. mustn't                      D. shouldn't
4. The new gym is much \_\_\_\_\_ than the old one.  
A. large                      B. larger                      C. largest                      D. the largest
5. —\_\_\_\_\_ do you have the basketball training?  
—Twice a week.  
A. How often                      B. How long                      C. How much                      D. How soon
6. Running is a good way to keep healthy, \_\_\_\_\_ many people love it.  
A. or                      B. but                      C. because                      D. so

7. —Be quiet! Your father \_\_\_\_\_ an online meeting now.  
—OK, mum.
- A. had                      B. was having              C. will have              D. is having
8. —How was your weekend?  
—Great! I \_\_\_\_\_ the National Museum with my friends.
- A. visit                      B. visited                      C. will visit              D. have visited
9. We \_\_\_\_\_ football if it doesn't snow tomorrow.
- A. will play              B. play                      C. played                      D. have played
10. John \_\_\_\_\_ Chinese since he came to live in China. He is good at it now.
- A. learns                      B. was learning              C. has learned              D. will learn
11. These great books \_\_\_\_\_ by people all over the world today.
- A. read                      B. is read                      C. are read                      D. were read
12. —Do you know \_\_\_\_\_? I'm looking forward to it.  
—Next Monday.
- A. when do we have the Science Festival  
B. when we have the Science Festival  
C. when will we have the Science Festival  
D. when we will have the Science Festival



## 二、完形填空(每题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。

I will never forget the day when I won the bicycle race for the third time. It was special for me because I set a new record. But what made it more special was that I had to go through a 13 time getting ready for the day.



About three months before the final race, something unexpected happened. I 14 off the bike during practice and broke my left leg. All I could do was to wait

for the injuries (损伤) to heal (治愈). The 15 was that the doctors suggested bed rest for at least two months. A close friend of mine had just recovered(恢复) from his leg injury. He 16 me that even if I were able to stand on my feet, I wouldn't be able to ride a bicycle for a few more weeks. It was safe for me to give up because my leg was likely to be injured again during practice or the race.

It was very difficult for me to just 17 like this. My father felt bad too. But he tried to keep my spirits up during my bed rest. My parents gave me healthy food to keep me strong. They showed me lots of videos of cycling events to improve my riding skills. In this way, they were preparing me for the day when I 18 to the track. The most important thing they taught me was that while there could be a chance of missing the race, never giving up in such a situation was an example of good sportsmanship.

Two months passed quickly. The doctors were amazed at my complete recovery and supported my choice. Gradually, I was walking 19 and exercising too. I practised as much as I could.

Finally, the big day came. I was a little bit nervous, but once I was on the race track, my 20 came back. The race began. I tried my best and finally I won the race. The whole stadium was clapping for me. This became my most special day.

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| 13. A. hard        | B. quiet     | C. free       | D. usual      |
| 14. A. got         | B. took      | C. put        | D. fell       |
| 15. A. excuse      | B. worry     | C. mistake    | D. review     |
| 16. A. followed    | B. promised  | C. warned     | D. allowed    |
| 17. A. say         | B. stop      | C. stand      | D. ride       |
| 18. A. pointed     | B. nodded    | C. waved      | D. returned   |
| 19. A. comfortably | B. patiently | C. simply     | D. creatively |
| 20. A. knowledge   | B. humor     | C. confidence | D. manner     |








三、阅读理解(每题 2 分,共 26 分)

(一) 阅读下列博物馆介绍,请根据人物喜好和需求匹配最适合的博物馆,并将博物馆所对应的 A、B、C、D 选项填在相应位置上。选项中有一项为多余选项。

A  
Trips to Museums

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>A</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Science Museum</b></p> <p>Welcome to the most friendly museum. You can learn about communications and maths as well as physics and chemistry. You can also do experiments here. If you want answers to all your questions about science, this is the right place for you.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>B</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Art Museum</b></p> <p>This museum has a large collection of Chinese artworks, including paintings, sculptures and many unusual objects. You will be amazed when you see many colorful things here. There are also special places for kids to make their own art.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>C</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Military Museum</b></p> <p>It's one of the most popular museums. Thousands of people visit it every year. You can see lots of interesting weapons (武器) from different times and places. You can also learn about Chinese history through different exhibitions.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>D</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Natural History Museum</b></p> <p>This is a museum with exhibitions about natural history, including topics like humans, animals and plants. It has more than 100,000 pieces of cultural relics, fossils and specimens. The "Dinosaur (恐龙) World" attracts lots of visitors, especially the kids.</p>

21.  I enjoy painting very much and I'd like to learn from famous artworks.  
**Mary**
22.  I'm interested in all kinds of dinosaurs and expect to see the natural world in ancient times.  
**Tony**
23.  I like doing physics experiments and want to learn more about science.  
**Charlie**



(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**

What is a teacher? Well, a teacher is someone who teaches. They say things, and you remember them. But it was not until I met my music teacher that I realized this definition (定义) was too shallow (肤浅的).

When I first arrived at my music class at school, I didn't have any knowledge of how to play the flute at all. I couldn't get the basic notes right. It seemed like a dream for me to perform in front of the school. However, my music teacher, Ms. Lee, encouraged me to give it a chance and have a try. She did a lot for her students, including me.

She spent a lot of time finding the right flute book for me and extra (额外的) time teaching me. When I was unable to remember the notes, she taught me the trick: FACE. F means "fa"; A means "la"; C means "do"; E means "mi". This way I can remember the notes much more quickly.

She also tried to make music class fun. We played games that helped develop our sense of rhythm (节奏感) and shared our favorite pieces on certain days. We talked about the background of music pieces from all over the world and learned about the development of music. Sometimes when we were too tired, instead of forcing us to practice our instruments, Ms. Lee would talk about relaxing things.

Thanks to Ms. Lee's fun teaching, I truly fell in love with the flute. After six months, I was able to blow seven notes in one breath. While this might not seem like a huge accomplishment (成就), I am still proud of it and thankful to her who helped me make it happen. Now I understand the true meaning of a teacher totally.



playing the flute

24. The writer \_\_\_\_\_ at first.
- A. knew nothing about playing the flute
  - B. could perform in front of the school
  - C. could get the basic notes right
  - D. found the right flute book



25. What would Ms. Lee do when the students were too tired to practice the instruments?
- A. She would introduce the development of music.  
 B. She would share the background of music pieces.  
 C. She would talk about the relaxing things with them.  
 D. She would ask them to keep practicing the instruments.
26. What does the writer think of Ms. Lee?
- A. Brave.                      B. Honest.                      C. Helpful.                      D. Difficult.



C

A group of Chinese scientists have recently created a new kind of self-powered, flexible(柔韧的), and transparent(透明的) electronic skin(电子皮肤) to monitor some human actions. The electronic skin is very important part in the future of wearable technology. Because it's soft, the special e-skin can stick right onto different parts of our body.



Our skin, which is the biggest part of our body, is responsible for many important things like protecting us, helping us sweat, controlling our temperature, and letting us feel things around us. It is the basis of people's physical interactions with the outside world.

The perfect e-skin should feel a lot, power itself, and work well on human skin. "We got ideas from how real skin works and made this new e-skin both flexible and transparent to serve many functions(功能). After charging(充电), it can watch and understand very small signals and many activities in real time. It can feel a person's heartbeat, tell when a person is eating, and inspect other body movements." said Lan Wei, a professor at the School of Physical Science and Technology of Lanzhou University and the leader of the research team.

E-skin will be the main part of wearable electronic devices in the following years. The new invention can be used in smart health care, human-machine interaction, virtual reality(VR) and artificial intelligence(AI). For example, it can help doctors control the robots better, let people "touch" things far away, and create more immersive(沉浸式的) gaming experiences.

From now on, the scientists will work on making the e-skin feel things better and have more power, so it becomes even more like human skin, which will in turn make it more suitable for future.





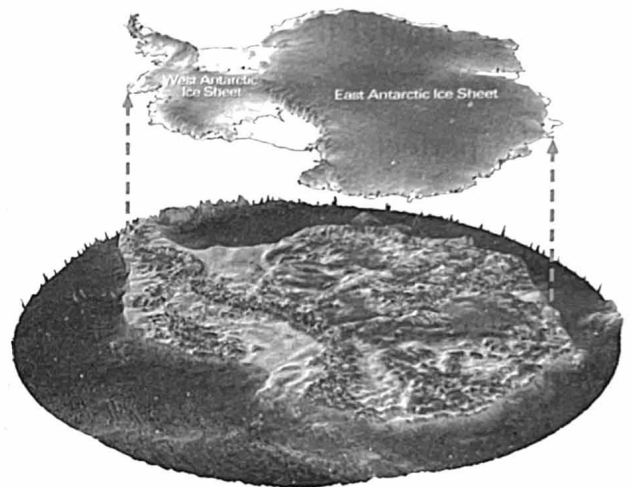
27. What is the purpose of the new wearable e-skin?
- A. To control body temperature.
  - B. To monitor human activities.
  - C. To slow down the aging of human skin.
  - D. To improve the flexibility of human skin.
28. What is special about the new e-skin according to Lan Wei?
- A. It provides more electricity for people.
  - B. It is soft and has different kinds of uses.
  - C. It can be put inside the human skin directly.
  - D. It can feel a person's heartbeat two minutes later.
29. The word “**inspect**” in Paragraph 3 is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_ .
- A. predict
  - B. guess
  - C. check
  - D. replace
30. What do the last two paragraphs mainly tell us about the new e-skin?
- A. Its gaming users.
  - B. Its medical value.
  - C. Its working idea.
  - D. Its bright future.

#### D

The South Pole is covered in ice. The Antarctic ice sheet (南极冰盖) covers thousands of miles. Antarctica is under 1.6 miles of ice. That's about 2 kilometers of ice. Recently, scientists have discovered that the land isn't 100% flat; under the ice is a large hidden landscape (风景) that has been frozen for millions of years.

The scientists discovered that the land under the ice is full of hills and valleys. This secret world is greatly large, covering across 12,000 square miles. It is even larger than the whole country of Belgium. Time seems to stop in this frozen world, keeping its secrets for millions of years.

To explore (探索) this hidden land, scientists used a cool technology called radio-echo sounding. It's like sending waves from a special plane flying high above Antarctica. These waves bounce off (反弹) the land below, creating a kind of map. The scientists then study this map to learn more about what's hidden under the ice. It's a bit like using a magic wand (魔法棒) to uncover the hidden.





Besides the radio waves, scientists also looked at satellite images (图像). Satellites are like our eyes in the sky, travelling around the Earth and taking pictures. By studying these images and the radio wave map, a picture of the land under the ice appeared.

This hidden world wasn't always icy and cold. A long, long time ago, before the ice took over, it was a lively place with rivers, hills, and even forests. Animals probably walked around, enjoying the landscape. But then, something unexpected happened. The land got covered in ice, freezing everything in time like an ice sculpture (冰雕). This freezing event happened more than 34 million years ago, making it a truly ancient landscape.

Now, scientists are not just wondering about the past; they're also worried about the future. They're concerned about global warming, which means the Earth is slowly getting warmer. The worry is that the ice in Antarctica might melt (融化), changing everything. Even though the Earth was warmer in the past, scientists hope it won't get too warm too quickly. The hidden landscape is quite far from the edge of the ice sheet, giving some hope that it might not melt right away.

Yet, the mysteries (神秘) continue. Scientists found a greatly large lake hidden under the ice, and they believe there's even more waiting to be discovered. It's like a never-ending story of exploration and wonder, where every fact that people discover opens the door to more questions about our planet's past and future.

31. How did scientists "see" under the ice in Antarctica?

- A. By using a magic wand.
- B. By travelling around the Earth.
- C. By taking pictures from the plane.
- D. By studying satellite images and the radio wave map.



32. What is the main purpose of the passage?

- A. To describe the present situation of Antarctica.
- B. To discuss the influence of global warming on Antarctica.
- C. To introduce the research on the hidden world under Antarctic ice sheet.
- D. To give some advice on how to protect Antarctica's ice over millions of years.

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

- A. The Mystery of Antarctica's Ice
- B. Global Warming and Its Problems
- C. The Introduction of Earth's Landscape
- D. Satellite Technology in Polar Exploration

## 第二部分

本部分共 5 题,共 20 分。根据题目要求,完成相应任务。

### 四、阅读表达(第 34—36 题每题 2 分,第 37 题 4 分,共 10 分)

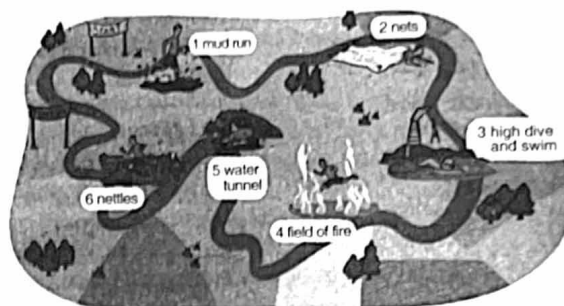
阅读短文,根据短文内容回答问题。



#### Tough Guy: A race to the limit

##### What is Tough Guy?

Every January, more than 3,000 people take part in one of the most difficult races on Earth: the Tough Guy competition. To finish the course, players need to run, swim and climb 15 kilometres. It is a special race because these runners have to crawl (爬)



the diagram of the course

through tunnels, run across a field of nettles (荨麻) and jump over fire. What's more, the competition takes place in January, so temperatures are freezing—sometimes as low as  $-6^{\circ}\text{C}$ . But people travel from all over the world to take part in it.

##### Why do people take part?

The competition is very dangerous and every year there are accidents. Injuries like broken bones and cuts are common. The race is very hard: one-third of players do not finish it. Runners have to be fit and healthy. Most people train all year to prepare for the race. It is also the first race like it in the world. Many people take part in the competition because it is so famous. In order to make the competition stay exciting and challenging, the organizers make some changes to the race and add new things every year.

##### The course

The diagram shows an example of the Tough Guy course. First, players run for 1 kilometre along a muddy road. Next, they crawl under low nets on the ground. After the nets, the runners jump off a high platform into a lake and swim for another 1 kilometre. After swimming, they run across a field of fire and jump over small bonfires (火堆). Next, players must crawl through a long tunnel. The tunnel is partly underwater. Finally, the runners run 2 kilometres through nettles before they reach the finish line.

34. When is the Tough Guy competition?
35. How do the organizers make Tough Guy an exciting and challenging competition?
36. What would the runners do after swimming during the Tough Guy course?
37. Would you like to take part in Tough Guy? Why or why not?



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

假如你是李华,你校英语社团公众号正在收集“时代呼唤英雄”的主题材料,计划做一期“英雄人物”的系列推送。请你用英语写一封信,告诉你的笔友 Peter 你推荐的心目中的英雄,他/她是谁,做了什么以及你的推荐理由。

提示词语: love, train, study, never give up, take pride in

提示问题: • Who is your hero?

• What did he/she do?

• Why do you want to recommend him/her?



Dear Peter,

How is it going?

I'm writing to tell you something about a hero in my heart. \_\_\_\_\_

Hope to hear from you soon.

Yours,

Li Hua

题目②

绿水青山就是金山银山,形成绿色发展方式和生活方式,建设美丽中国。

某英文网站正在开展以“绿色生活,从我做起”为主题的征文活动。假如你是李华,请用英语写一篇短文投稿,谈谈你对绿色生活的看法,简单描述你在日常生活中践行绿色生活的具体做法以及你对如何践行绿色生活的建议。

提示词语: important, protect the environment, divide the waste, save, recycle

提示问题: • What do you think of green life?

• How do you do to have a green life?

• What's your advice about having a green life?
