



燕山 2017—2018 学年九年级毕业考试

# 英语试卷

2018. 05

考生	1. 本试卷共 8 页，满分 60 分，考试时间 90 分钟。
须知	2. 试卷所有答案一律填涂或书写在答题纸上，在试卷上作答无效。

## 知识运用（共 14 分）

### 一、单项填空。（共 6 分，每小题 0.5 分）

从下面各题所给的四个选项中，选择可以填入空白处的最佳选项。

1. You don't look well. I think \_\_\_\_\_ should see a doctor.  
A. she                      B. he                      C. you                      D. we
2. —Tom, why are you so busy?  
—I \_\_\_\_\_ some plans to work in an old people's home this summer.  
A. makes                      B. am making                      C. made                      D. have made
3. —I'm tired because I studied until midnight last night.  
—Why not go to sleep \_\_\_\_\_ this evening?  
A. late                      B. later                      C. early                      D. earlier
4. —I \_\_\_\_\_ you at seven and you didn't pick up.  
—I was taking a shower at that time.  
A. call                      B. called                      C. am calling                      D. have called
5. I often help mum \_\_\_\_\_ the housework because I think it's good for me.  
A. with                      B. in                      C. on                      D. of
6. —Have you decided what you would like to make for our party?  
—Yes, a delicious cake. In fact, I \_\_\_\_\_ making it.  
A. finish                      B. am finishing                      C. finished                      D. have finished
7. —\_\_\_\_\_ books did you sell last Sunday?  
—About 100.  
A. How many                      B. How much                      C. How heavy                      D. How long
8. Scott has just got a new job. He \_\_\_\_\_ at a radio station next week.  
A. works                      B. worked                      C. will work                      D. is working
9. The stories in this book may be old, \_\_\_\_\_ they're still interesting.  
A. so                      B. and                      C. or                      D. but
10. —I'm going to town. Would you like to join me?

—Sorry, I \_\_\_\_\_. I still have lots of homework to do.

A. can                      B. can't                      C. must                      D. needn't

11. The plants must \_\_\_\_\_ every three days, or they will fail to grow.

A. water                      B. watering                      C. be watered                      D. watered

12. —Could you tell me \_\_\_\_\_ back from her hometown?

—Yes. She'll be back this Sunday.

A. when Alice came                      B. when did Alice come  
C. when Alice will come                      D. when will Alice come

## 二、完形填空。（共8分，每小题1分）

阅读短文，根据短文内容从各题所给的四个选项中选择最佳选项。

Mr. Clinton and his 13-year-old son Tony are basketball fans. Last October 10th was Tony's birthday, so Mr. Clinton decided to drive 13 to New York for the first game of the World Series. They had no ticket but hoped to buy a 14 from scalpers.

It was a two hours' ride. After they arrived, they walked in the street for two hours, 15 a sign that read, "We need two tickets." There were many scalpers around, but the cheapest ticket was \$200. They were about to leave when suddenly a man stopped them. He took out two tickets and 16 them to Mr. Clinton.

"How much do you want?"

"Just a present," said the man. "Enjoy the game."

Mr. Clinton wouldn't 17, so the man explained, "I'm Jackson. Hans is my boss. He and his wife haven't missed a World Series in 18 years. But he is ill and can't watch the game this time. So he told me to give the two tickets to people 18 I thought would actually enjoy the game. A lot of people looked as if they might just take the tickets and sell them. Then I saw you and I followed you for a while. You seemed very disappointed. You 19 me think of my dad and me when I was a child. I dreamed of going to a World Series game with my father. But my dream never came true."

How do you suppose this made Mr. Clinton and his son feel? Here is what Mr. Clinton said, "This is the most 20 thing that ever happened to us. My boy and I must have turned to each other over 30 times and said, 'I can't believe this.' We still never forget Jackson and Hans."

13. A. me                      B. her                      C. him                      D. us  
14. A. ticket                      B. pair                      C. basketball                      D. game  
15. A. carrying                      B. putting                      C. writing                      D. giving  
16. A. passed                      B. sold                      C. threw                      D. handed

17. A. accept            B. pick            C. buy            D. refuse  
 18. A. when            B. who            C. what            D. why  
 19. A. let            B. taught            C. brought            D. made  
 20. A. important            B. successful            C. wonderful            D. useful

阅读理解（共 36 分）

三、阅读理解。（共 26 分，每小题 2 分）

阅读短文，从短文后各题所给的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中，选择最佳选项。

A

**Everyday Food**

by Martha Stewart

No matter how busy you are, at the end of the day you want meals that are easy to prepare. And you want lots of choices and variations. You'll find all of that in this book: 250 simple recipes for delicious meals that bring freshness and nutrition.

Paperback, published by Random House, \$16.79

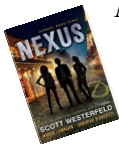


**Zeroes**

by Scott Westerfeld, Margo Lanagan, Deborah Biancotti

*New York Times* bestselling author Scott Westerfeld teams up with Margo Lanagan and Deborah Biancotti in the book about six teenagers with amazing abilities. These teenagers have powers that set them apart. They can do things ordinary people can't do.

Paperback, published by Simon & Schuster, \$12.99



**Mrghty Jack**

by Ben Hatke

Jack dislikes summer. But he's got a good reason: summer is when his single mom takes a second job and leaves him at home to watch his sister, Maddy. It's lots of responsibility, and it's boring because Maddy doesn't ever talk. But one day at the market, Maddy does talk to tell Jack to trade their mom's car for a box of mysterious seeds. It's the best mistake Jack has ever made.

Hardcover, published by First Second, \$14.15

**Only Daughter**

by Anna Snoekstra

She's caught stealing. She's homeless and on the run. But she happens to look the same as a girl who went missing a decade ago, Rebecca Winter. She assumes Rebecca's identity, using it as a way out. Little does she know her new life as Rebecca is itself a prison and it looks like a killer might be after her.

Kindle edition, published by Harlequin Enterprises, \$8.88

21. Mum likes cooking. I will probably buy \_\_\_\_\_ for her as a gift.
- A. Only Daughter                      B. Mrghty Jack  
C. Zeroes                                D. Everyday Food
22. How much should you pay if you buy the book — **Only Daughter**?
- A. \$8.88.                      B. \$12. 99.                      C. \$14. 15.                      D. \$16. 79.
23. Who wrote a book about a boy looking after his little sister in the summer?
- A. Martha Stewart.                      B. Anna Snoekstra.  
C. Ben Hatke.                              D. Scott Westerfeld.

B

Peter was the best table tennis player in his school and hardly ever lost a match. He hated losing anything. When he won, he would feel really good. If he lost, he would feel terrible. It seemed to Peter that losing was the worst thing in the world.



A new kid, Albert, came to Peter's school. He was good at table tennis, too. Soon there would be a match between Peter and Albert. Peter worked hard to get ready for the match, but Albert didn't seem to think much of it. When the match began, Albert was a real player. There was always a smile on his face, while Peter looked serious all the time. Peter thought it was so important to win the match that he even wanted to cheat, but he lost in the end.

"You played very well, Peter. I think we can play again sometime," said Albert.

But Peter didn't feel happy and couldn't fall asleep that night.

One day, Peter saw Albert playing basketball. Though he lost again and again, the happy smile never left his face. Peter found Albert was great at table tennis but bad at basketball. However, he enjoyed both of them.

Whether he won or lost the game, Albert enjoyed it. Peter came to realize that enjoying a game was much more important than winning or losing it. He felt happier than ever before.

24. What was the worst thing in the world Peter thought at first?
- A. Winning a match.                      B. Sleeping overnight.  
C. Losing a match.                              D. Cheating on a test.
25. Albert was good at playing \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. basketball                      B. table tennis                      C. volleyball                      D. football
26. What did Peter learn from Albert?



- A. Cheating on a test was wrong.
- B. Practicing was the most important.
- C. Finding a friend could make us happier.
- D. Enjoying a game was the most important.

C

### Night Milk and Sleep

A warm drink of milk before bed has long been the best choice for those wanting a good night's sleep. But now a study has found it really does help people **nod off** — if it is milked from a cow at night.

Researchers have discovered that “night milk” contains more melatonin(褪黑激素), which has been proven to help people feel sleepy and reduce anxiety.

The study, by researchers from Seoul, South Korea, involved mice being fed with dried milk powder made from cows milked both during the day and at night. Those given night milk, which contained 10 times the amount of melatonin, were less active and less anxious than those fed with the milk collected during daytime, according to the study published in *The Journal of Medicinal Food*.

Night milk quickened the start of sleep and caused the mice to sleep longer.

While the effect of cows milk harvested at different time has not been tested on humans up to now, taking melatonin drugs has been suggested to those who are struggling to fall asleep at night.

Previous studies have also indicated that milk can be excellent for helping sleep because of the calcium content, which helps people to relax.



Milk is also sugar-free and additive-free with nutritionists recommending skimmed milk as the best choice before bed as it is the least fattening. The more fat you take in before bedtime, the greater burden you will put on your body at night.

27. What does the phrase ‘**nod off**’ in the first paragraph mean?

- A. Try to keep awake.
- B. Try to sleep a longer time.
- C. Change from being awake to a sleeping state.
- D. Change from a sleeping state to being awake.

28. According to the text, the mice being fed with night time milk \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. woke up later
- B. were more anxious
- C. were less active
- D. could not sleep well

29. Why do lots of people think milk is excellent for helping sleep?

- A. Because many people like drinking milk.
- B. Because it's been tested on mice ten times.
- C. Because it can make people more energetic.

D. Because it contains calcium, which helps people to relax.

## D

In 2013 alone at least 20,000 African elephants were killed for their teeth. In South Africa over the last two years more than 2,200 rhinos were killed for their horns. These numbers are alarming, because current rates of illegal hunting are faster than birth rates, which could lead to extinction for these ecologically important creatures in their environment. Indeed, some elephant and rhino populations are on track to be locally extinct within the next decade.



If you are reading this, you may already be aware of these facts. But you might not know that wildlife trafficking (走私) not only threatens the existence of elephants and rhinos but is also leading to extinction of other species, such as tigers, tortoises, sea turtles — and the world’s most trafficked mammal (哺乳动物) — pangolins.

Pangolins are the only mammals that are entirely covered in tough scales (鳞), which makes them look very strong. But actually they are endangered mammals. There are eight different kinds of pangolins, four in Asia and four in Africa, and all are threatened with extinction. Although pangolins are protected throughout most of the countries where they live, high demand in East Asia, where the delicious pangolin meat is considered a delicacy and where their scales are used in traditional medicines,



is driving an illegal trade in both live animals and pangolin parts. The number of pangolin trafficking is shocking. Experts believe that over the last 10 years more than 1 million pangolins were taken from the wild. It is estimated that between 40,000 and 81,250 pangolins were killed for the illegal trade in 2013 alone.

In February, the United States released a plan to deal with wildlife trafficking, which lays out the steps we will take to fight the illegal trade in wildlife, including pangolins. We are strengthening the *carrying out* of the plan, building international cooperation and contribution to protect wildlife, raising awareness to drive down the demand that is fuelling the illegal trade.

Get involved and remember World Wildlife Day (March 3) by spreading the plan. Use social media and tell everyone that now is the time to get serious about wildlife crime and end the demand that threatens species, big and small, from the huge elephant to the shy pangolin.

30. How many rhinos were killed in South Africa during the last two years?

- A. More than 81,250.                      B. More than 20,000.

- C. More than 2,200.                      D. More than 40,000.
31. How many kinds of pangolins are there in Asia?  
 A. Ten.                      B. Four.                      C. Six.                      D. Eight.
32. What does the phrase ‘*carrying out*’ mean in the fourth paragraph?  
 A. Putting the plan into effect.                      B. Moving the plan to a place.  
 C. Making a new plan.                      D. Taking the plan with you.
33. What does the writer want us to know after reading the passage?  
 A. Protecting wild animals is our duty.  
 B. Something about World Wildlife Day.  
 C. Something about illegal trade in East Asia.  
 D. Wild animals are in danger and we must get involved.

#### 四、阅读表达。（共 10 分，每小题 2 分）

阅读短文，根据短文内容回答问题。

#### Building Your Business, Building Your People

What an exciting thing to do — developing a successful business! I’m reminded every day of some important ideas for progress. Here are some ideas to keep in mind that can make a significant difference in a team:

##### ◆Understand your people

If I want my team to go and grow with me, I need to find out what excites them. What do they need in their work environment to improve their mental well-being? What are their fears and concerns, and how can I help them manage these fears and concerns? What are their values and goals?



##### ◆Help people build self-confidence

During my early years in management, I realized the great power of expectations. As I found, people largely lived up to my expectation of them. So I learned that if I want to build my business through my people, I have to build their own belief in their ability to achieve. This belief must be educated. If I want them to achieve more, I must help them build their trust in themselves first.

##### ◆Develop people’s recognition (认可)



Whenever I speak and give advice to people, they tell me they don’t get enough recognition. Sad, isn’t it? But how much recognition do they give to others? In fact, recognition could be developed by praising and appreciating each other in a team. Encourage everyone in your team to recognize achievements in others. Teach your team to ask for the opinions of others if they’re not receiving recognition.

◆ Encourage people to be creative

We have created our life just the way we choose to have it, or at least the way we've settled for it. Those who have been told they are creative will probably use their creativity bravely. Others who haven't had their creativity encouraged will mostly believe they are uncreative. I suggest you encourage your people to be creative and brave in trying out new ideas.

34. How many pieces of advice does the writer give to build your business?

35. What do you need to do if you want your team to go and grow with you?

36. Is it important to help people build self-confidence in your business?

37. How did the writer develop his people's recognition in the team?

38. What can we learn from the writer according to his experience?

五、 文段表达。( 10 分 )

39. 从下面两个题目中任选一题，根据中文和英文提示，完成一篇不少于 50 词的文段写作。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，本周六与好友相约去北京植物园。你的美国网友 Fred 正好也在北京，你邀他同去。请你向他发出邀请，告诉他去哪儿，做什么以及你的建议。

提示词语： Beijing Botanical Garden, have a picnic

提示问题：• When and where are you going this Saturday?

• What will you do there?

• What do you advise him to do?

*Dear Fred,*

*How is it going?*

*I'm writing to invite you to join us this Saturday. \_\_\_\_\_*

*I'm looking forward to your early reply.*

*Yours, Li Hua.*

题目②

交流可以化解矛盾，增进友谊。当今交流方式很多，但人们之间的情感似乎越来越淡。

学校英语专栏征文，主题是“Ways of Communication Today”。假如你是



李华，你对此很感兴趣，准备投稿，谈谈你日常的交流方式及你的感受。

提示词语： face to face, chatting on line, discuss, appear

提示问题：• How many ways do you know to communicate with others?

• How do you usually communicate with your friends?

• Which is the best way and why?

### Ways of Communication Today

---

---

