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英 语



第二部分知识运用（满分 25 分）

第一节 单项填空（共 10 小题：每小题 1 分，满分 10 分）

从下面各用所给的 A、B、C、D 选项中，选择可以填入空白处的最佳选项。

- () 21. Emily' s from France, but _____ English is good.
A. she B. your C. our D. her
- () 22. _____ is your phone number? 312-55-0749
A. Where B. How C. What D. How many
- () 23. There _____ a big shopping center near our school.
A. is B. are C. have D. has
- () 24. I like my new flat. It is _____.
A. terrible B. fabulous C. awful D. boring
- () 25. I love shared bikes (共享单车) _____ it' s easy to use.
A. and B. but C. because D. so
- () 26. My mother is a teacher. She _____ a lot in her job.
A. don' t travel B. doesn' t travel C. isn' t traveling D. not travel
- () 27. — Wow! You get up so early!
— Yeah. I like _____ to the gym in the early morning.
A. going B. go C. went D. goes
- () 28. It' s difficult _____ this exercise.
A. understand B. understood C. understanding D. to understand
- () 29. I can' t even make you a sandwich, I don' t have _____ bread.
A. a lot of B. some C. any D. a
- () 30. —Have a nice day!
—_____.
A. Thanks. Same to you.
B. Sure, the problem?
C. I' m sorry. I don' t speak French.
D. What! That' s crazy! That' s too much expensive.

第二节完形填空（共 15 小题；每小题 1 分，满分 15 分）

A 根据短文内容，从方框中选出适当的词语填空，有一个多余选项。

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The White House is 31 visitors. It is free. About 6,000 people a day visit. The President meets special guests in the East Room, and he 32 journalists in the Press Room.

About 150 people 33 for the President in the West Wing and for the First Lady in the East Wing. Other 100 people 34 the building day and night.

There are 132 rooms, 35 bathrooms, and five kitchens, all on six floors. There are three elevators. The State Dining Room is 35 for 140 guests.

Outside, gardeners grow fruit and vegetables. There is also a tennis court, a jogging track, and a swimming pool. Inside 36 a movie theater, a billiard room, a bowling alley, and a library. As 37 President Regan said, "The White House is like an eight-star hotel."

B

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。

When learning new words, don' t just remember a list of words. Instead, try to 38 five sentences

using each word. Then use the new word as often you can each day you learn it. In this 39, you will remember new words much longer.

Practicing sounds, you know, is 40 —the “th” sound for example. Choose words that begin with “th” and repeat them over again 41 you are comfortable with them. Let’s try! This, that, those, them, think, thought, through, thin, thick...

Read, read, read—in English, of course! Reading is one of the best ways to increase (增加) your vocabulary (词汇), 42 improve your grammar in a natural and fun way. It’s 43 to choose topics or books you are interested in.

When someone is talking in English, 44 the main point (要点). If you hear a word you don’t understand, ignore (忽略) it and go on listening. If you stop and think about the word, you will 45 everything else the person is saying.

Always remember—Practice makes perfect.

- () 38. A. say B. make C. remember D. speak
 () 39. A. day B. time C. word D. way
 () 40. A. difficult B. correct C. funny D. easy
 () 41. A. when B. after C. until D. since
 () 42. A. but B. so C. or D. and
 () 43. A. quick B. sure C. important D. horrible
 () 44. A. look for B. see C. listen for D. hear
 () 38. A. miss B. catch C. get D. understand

第一节 (共 10 小题)

阅读下面两篇短文，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。

A

	<p>Marasa, from Brazil</p> <p>I like summer best. Summer here in Brazil is ■ December to February. It’s very hot. Something it’s ■ like summer because my cousin from Portugal often ■ and we go to the beach a lot.</p>
	<p>Kalaya, from Thailand</p> <p>I live in the north of Thailand. We have three seasons ■ winter is from November to February, and is my favorite season. And in February, we have all kinds of flowers every year fantastic Flower Festival. I ■ ■.</p>
	<p>Noah, from Canada</p> <p>Our neighbors from America always say: you ■ someone is Canadian because he thinks -40°C is just ■ cold. The very cold months are December to February, ■ spring, not winter, is my favorite season. Because it’s ■ best time to go skiing and snowboarding.</p>

- () 46. _____ loves Flower Festival.
 A. Marasa B. Kalaya C. Noah D. Nobody
 () 47. Noah likes _____ best.
 A. spring B. summer C. fall D. winter
 () 48. How many countries are mentioned (提到)?

B An adventure (冒险) in Africa

It was late at night, but Kevin could not sleep. His bed was inside a camping tent, and just outside the tent were the fields of Africa, filled with wild animals. His parents slept soundly in another bed across from him. He wondered how they could be so calm. What if a lion came into their tent? He was very frightened. It took a long time before Kevin finally fell asleep.

When the sun came up, he felt his mother's hand on his head. "Morning, Kevin!" she said, "Time to wake up and go on that a safari." Before they left America, his parents told him that a safari was a long drive through nature, usually in Africa. During a safari you can see lions and zebras living free, instead of cooped up in a zoo.

"What if we get close to a lion?" Kevin asked. "Oh darling," she said. "Nothing will happen to us if we listen to our guide."

Kevin put on his clothes slowly, listened to the birds singing outside and feel better. After breakfast, he got into a jeep with his parents. The driver, Jim, a kind-looking man, was also their guide.

The jeep took off along a dirt road. After a moment, Kevin saw something move out of his eye. "Wait!" he said. "I see something!"

Jim stopped the car and told them all to get out. Kevin and his parents waited in the tall grass while Jim walked ahead of them and looked around. After a minute Jim raised his hands in the air. "Shhh," he said in a low voice. "It's nothing dangerous but don't speak loudly." They walked up to Jim, and soon Kevin saw a beautiful golden animal with dark brown spots (点) and a very, very long neck — a giraffe.

"Wow," said Kevin. He couldn't believe how close he was to the giraffe. All his fears went away and he began to get excited about the day to come.

- () 49. Kevin couldn't sleep that night because _____.
 A. a lion came into his tent B. he was frightened
 C. his parents slept soundly D. the tent was uncomfortable
- () 50. According to (根据) Kevin's parents, during a safari, they can _____.
 A. drive through African cities B. fly over African fields
 C. give food to lions and zebras D. see wild animals living free
- () 51. What made Kevin surprised?
 A. Waiting in the tall grass. B. Listening to birds singing.
 C. Getting so close to a giraffe. D. Driving a jeep with his parents.

C

In Chinese culture, people believe some numbers are lucky or unlucky. This is to see what Chinese character the number sounds like.

For example, the Chinese word for the number 8 sounds like the word for "making a fortune". So, people consider it a very lucky number. Some people spend a lot of money to have 8s in their phone numbers. The opening ceremony of the Beijing Olympics began at 8:08 pm on August 8, 2008.

The number 9 is also a lucky number. It is connection to the emperors of China. There were nine dragons on emperors' robes (龙袍). Today, 9 often stands for "long lasting". That's why a man always proposes to (向...求婚) a woman with 99 or 999 roses.

So what's a "bad luck" number in China? It might be 4. Many Chinese people see 4 as a "bad luck" number because it sounds like the Chinese ■■.

Because of this, many buildings don't have the 4th floor, and just call it the 5th floor. In Hong

Kong, some buildings even skip all floors numbered with 4, such as, 4, 14, 24, 34 all 40-49 floors. Now a question for you: how many floors as actually these building' s highest floor is numbered50?

- () 52. What makes Chinese people believe a number is lucky or unlucky?
A. The shape of the number. B. The sound of the number in Chinese.
C. The history of the number. D. The sound of the number in English.
- () 53. Chinese people like the number 8, because it means “_____”.
A. live a long life B. become beautiful
C. make a fortune D. live a happy life
- () 54. What does the story mainly talk about?
A. Lucky or unlucky numbers in Western culture.
B. Meanings of different lucky numbers.
C. Meanings of different unlucky numbers.
D. Lucky or unlucky numbers in China
- () 55. According to the last paragraph(最后一段), how many floors are actually a building' s highest floor is numbered 50?
A. 36 B. 39 C. 46 D. 50

第二节 (共 5 小题; 每小题 1 分, 满分 5 分)

阅读短文. 根据短文内容, 从短文后的五个选项中选出能填入空白处的最佳选项。

Risk (冒险) of being selfish

A man got lost in a desert. He walked for two days but he couldn' t find his way ■ 56. In the house, there was a water pump (水井).

The man was so happy that he ran to draw water. 57.

He was sitting sadly on the ground when he saw a little bottle with a cork (瓶塞) ■■ On the bottle, there was an old note saying: you must add the water into the pump before you can draw water! 58.

The man took the cork and found the bottle was full of water! If I' m selfish, as ■■I drink the water. I can go out of this room alive, he thought. 59. Should I take the risk or not?

At last, he decided to do as the note said and began to draw water. Sure enough, lots of water started coming out from the pump!

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“Believe me, do as the note tells you!” he wrote.

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| <p>A. If do as the note says, I might die of thirst.</p> <p>B. After he drank enough, he filled the bottle with water and added his words after the note.</p> <p>C. Don' t forget to fill it with water again before you leave!</p> <p>D. Dying for water, he found an empty house in the desert.</p> <p>E. But no matter how hard he tired, no water came out.</p> |
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第三节 (共 5 小题; 每小题 2 分, 满分 10 分)

阅读下面短文, 回答问题.

It is 6:00 on a Monday morning. Adam, 12 years old, is on the way to school, the Mcedo-Beijing School in a slum (贫民窟) in the Kenyan capital-Nairobi (肯尼亚首都内罗华)

This school was built in 2001 with the help of China, for kids from poor families.

After getting school, Adam often goes straight to his class to do his class work. It is usual that

pupils in this school prepare for (预习、准备) their lessons before the teacher comes.

To study in the school was once a dream for the poor boy. His mother makes a living (谋生) by washing clothes for others. Some days she buys home nothing, and some days she can get about \$3-it is hard enough to buy them a full meal for a day.

Before joining the Mcedo-Beijing School, Adam was t home with his five brothers, collecting garbage (垃圾). The school is giving these kids hope for the future by giving a chance to get education (教育).

“For me, education is the best gift.” said Adam.

- 61. How old is Adam?
- 62. Which country helped build Adam' s school?
- 63. How does Adam' s mother make a living?
- 64. What did Adam do before joining the school?
- 65. Did Adam get the best gift?

第一节 连词成句 (共 5 小题; 每小题■■■■■■), 注意句子中单词的大小写格式和句子的标点符号, 不要增加或减少所给词语。

66. you, do, go shopping, where, in New York

67. the children, doesn' t, to, she, take, school

68. how many, there, bedrooms, are




69. coffee, never, morning, drink, I, in, the



70. it, his, private, is, home, where, he, family, lives with

第二节 根据中文提示, 看图写句子, 注意使用所给单词的正确形式。(共 5 小题; 每小题 2 分, 满分 10 分。)



Shilpa Shetty' s perfect weekend

	71. 她的完美周末是在她郊区的房子和她的丈夫一起度过的。 (Her perfect weekend, begin, in the countryside, with) _____
	72. 她说披萨和打牌最配了。(pizza, playing cards) She says _____
	73. 她喜欢光着脚在草地上走。(walk barefoot) _____

	<p>74. 她的房子到处都是美丽的白色百合花。(be full of, lilies)</p> <hr/>
	<p>75. 周日, 她喜欢购物。(love)</p> <hr/>

第三节文段表达 (满分 10 分)

注意: 1. 词数 60 词左右, 文中已给出内容不记入总词数。

2. 可以适当增加细节, 以使行文连贯达意

假如你叫李华, 现在给美国的笔友 Jim 写邮件, 介绍你的家。请你介绍你的房子在哪里, 里面有什么, 你如何看待你的房子。

1. Where is your flat? Is it new or old?
2. What's in your flat? How many rooms are there?
3. Do you like it? Why? What do you like best?

Dear Jim,

I'm glad to introduce my flat to you. _____

I'm looking forward to your early reply.

Yours,

Li Hua