2020年北京市朝阳区初三一模英语试卷						
一、单项选择(共6分,每小题0.5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. Mike has a little sister		name is Lily.				
A. My	B. His	C. Her	D. Your			
2. Students usually start their new term September every year.						
A. on	B. in	C. at	D. for			
3. I called Jim last night, he didn't answer the phone.						
A. for	B. and	C. but	D. or			
4. Kobe Bryant was one of basketball players in the world.						
A. good	B. better	C. best	D. the best			
5 do you usually do exercise on Saturdays?						
- At about 3 o'clock in the afternoon.						
A. When	B. Where	C. Why	D. How			
6. My best friend an old man get home yesterday evening.						
A. helps	B. helped	C. is helping	D. will help			
7. James enjoys watching movies, and he often a movie in his free time.						
A. watches	B. watched	C. is watching	D. will watch			
8. As soon as the rain stops, we out to play football.						
A. go	B. went	C. will go	D. have gone			
9. My father in a panda protection center since 2010, so he knows a lot about						
pandas.						
A. work	B. worked	C. is working	D. has worked			
10 What were you doing at 10 o'clock yesterday morning?						

- I \_\_\_\_\_ with my parents.

A. read	B. will read	C. am reading	D. was reading			
11. Look at the flowers on both sides of the street. They last month.						
A. plant	B. planted	C. are planted	D. were planted			
12 Could you tell me?						
- Next Sunda	у.					
A. when we will have a picnic		B. when we had a picnic				
C. when will v	ve have a picnic	D. when did we	D. when did we have a picnic			

二、完形填空。(共8分,每小题1分)

I take after my mother. From her I took over a curious nature, a sense of adventure and bright red hair. However, I did not receive a talent (才能) for \_\_\_\_\_(13) from her.

My mother never doubted that I would be a child Mozart. She found a strict Russian woman to be my piano teacher when I was four. I did whatever the teacher told me in order to \_\_\_\_\_ (14) her. "Feel the music," she always told me. I "felt" it. But what is more unpleasant than too many wrong notes played continuously? She "felt" my music, too, which is why she always left with a(an) \_\_\_\_\_ (15) expression.

Once, in order to \_\_\_\_\_ (16) my practice, I managed to record one of my own rehearsals (练习), I put on the tape recording and read until the tape had finished. That method worked for a week, until my mother began to \_\_\_\_\_ (17) why I always missed the same note. She came in and found that I had fallen asleep while the tape of my performance played on and on.

Realizing I couldn't be a Mozart, my mother told me to pick another instrument.

From then on, I worked my way through several other instruments, but I still couldn't play any of them \_\_\_\_\_ (18).

Then my mother hit on another idea. She took me to a drama (戏剧) teacher. However, the teacher put me into painting scenery (舞台布景) instead of teaching to sing. Immediately I fell in love with this active and practical world, and I discovered that I had a skill for building and painting. I loved the \_\_\_\_\_ (19) of taking our limited supplies and using them to make something beautiful!

I'm a sculptor (雕刻家) now, and every day I \_\_\_\_\_ (20) once again the pleasure of being fully involved in the act of artistic creation. It's a wonderful feeling. I realize that my mother was trying to give me this feeling. Perhaps she went about it in the wrong way, but her heart was in the right place.

13.A. music	B. sports	C. cooking	D. writing
14. A. praise	B. please	C. believe	D. help
15. A. excited	B. happy	C. angry	D. shy
16. A. stop	B. continue	C. begin	D. escape
17.A. require	B. argue	C. wonder	D. expect
18. A. secretly	B. perfectly	C. quietly	D. politely
19. A. challenge	B. change	C. risk	D. advice
20.A. create	B. consider	C. share	D. experience

选择最佳选项。(共26分,每小题2分)



### Α

三、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,

AI(人工智能)makes our lives easier and better. Let's see the amazing AI.







# Cool driverless bus

A bus door opens and you get on. Wait, where is the driver? Here is a new kind of driverless bus called Apolong. It was produced in 2018. It can seat 14 people and doesn't need a driver. The bus follows traffic rules.

## Your close friend

Hi, everyone. I'm Xiaoice, a chatbot (聊天机器人). I was "born" in 2014. I speak like a 17-year-old girl. If you feel lonely, you can talk with me. I'm good at singing and telling stories. I want to be your friend!

# World's first AI presenter

Hey, look! The famous Chinese presenter Qiu Hao is reporting the news for us. But, is "he" really Qiu Hao? The answer is "no". This is the world's first AI presenter. It was invented in 2018. It looks and speaks just like a real person.



## **Popular Al artist**

This beautiful painting was at an auction (拍卖)in 2018. It sold for about 3,000,000 yuan! But it is not a work by a famous painter, such as Vincent van Gogh. It was painted by an Al artist. Three Frenchmen created the Al artist in 2017.

21. When was Apolong produced?

A. In 2019.

B. In 2018.

C. ln 2017. D. ln 2014.



22. Both Qiu Hao and Xiaoice can .

A. drive

C. swim

23. \_\_\_\_\_ created the AI artist.

A. Three Frenchmen B. A 17-year-old girl

C. The Chinese presenter D. Vincent van Gogh

#### В

B. paint

D. speak

As a teenager, school was difficult for me. I had a kind of attention disorder, which means I couldn't direct my attention to what I was doing So when everyone else in the class was centering their attention on tasks, I could not.

In my first reading class, Mrs. Smith asked us to read a story and then write on it all finished in 45 minutes. I immediately put up my hand and said, "Mrs. Smith, you see, the doctor said I have attention problems. I might not be able to finish the task."

She looked down at me through her glasses, saying, "You are not different from your classmates, young man." With her encouragement, I tried. But I didn't finish the reading when the bell rang I had to take it home.

In the quietness of my bedroom, the story suddenly all became clear to me. It was about a blind person, Louis Braille. He lived in a time when the blind couldn't get much education. But Louis didn't give up. Instead, he invented a reading system of raised dots(点), which opened up a whole new world of knowledge to the blind.

Wasn't I the "blind" in my class, being made to learn like the" sighted" students? With thoughts running through my head. I found myself deeply attracted in reading and writing, I completed the task in less than 40 minutes. I realized that I was not



different from others. I just needed a quieter place. If Louis could find his way out of his problem, why should I ever give up?

I didn't expect anything when I handed in my paper to Mrs. Smith, so it was quite surprise when it came back to me the next day with an "A"on it. At the bottom of the paper were these words, "See what you can do when you keep trying?

24. School was difficult for the writer because \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. he didn't like the teacher
- B. the tasks were too boring to him
- C. he got a kind of attention disorder
- D. his classmates talked with him in class
- 25. Mrs. Smith's words in Paragraph 3 show that \_\_\_\_\_.
  - A. she encouraged him B. she laughed at him
  - C. she felt sorry for him D. she was pleased with him
- 26. What can we learn from the passage?
  - A.Never stop reading. B. Never give up easily.
  - C. How to be a great teacher. D. How to learn as a blind.

### С

Success seems to be what everyone longs for in life, no matter how old he is. Students want to succeed at study. Adults look forward to their success at work. Have you ever wondered? What is the key to success? Some may say the answer is good luck. Some may say hard work is the key. In fact, hard work really does pay off. Scientist find that perseverance(坚持不懈) leads to better grades and higher achievements in school.



"Being passionate(热诚的)It's not enough to make sure that you can achieve success in your schoolwork."Say researchers, and they thought of "courage" as a key to success. Courage is also considered as effort in reaching long-term goals, and a strong will to continue one`s efforts no matter what difficulties they might go through.

Researchers think that the finding could help create new training to help children develop the skills and help them to succeed in their future.

Researchers from the Academy of Finland studied more than 2000 students from Helsinki. They were followed through their learning from 12 to 16, the sixth grade until the ninth grade in local school years. Researchers found that the factor( $\mathbb{K}$   $\overline{k}$ ) that best predicts courage was related to goals. What they had achieved in their past learning played no role in developing the skill.

Professor Katariina Salmela-Aro, who led the study, said, "Courage means a young person is really interested in his or her studies and does not give up easily. A key factor of courage is high perseverance when facing difficulties or in a terrible situation. The important finding is that these factors are the key to success and well-being. Our study shows the power of courage.

Professor Katariina Salmela-Aro also thinks It is important to develop new practices and build character to improve courage in teenagers. She added, "Young people should see everyday school work as part of their life in a wider context(背景) and set achievable goals for themselves. Schools must also serve as a place where it is safe to fail and learn to deal with **setbacks**. One must not be in this discouraged by setbacks, but the power and new energy from them!



27. What is Paragraph 2 mainly about?

A. Where courage comes from.

B. How students can draw power.

C. What courage is thought of as.

D. Why having energy is important.

28. According to the passage, Professor Katariina Salmela-Aro believes that \_\_\_\_\_

A. courage might be developed with the help of schools

B. teenagers with courage show strong interests in success

C. courage can help reduce the number of difficulties in learning

D. teenagers` achievement in the past can influence their courage.

29. The word "setbacks" in Paragraph 6 probably means "\_\_\_\_\_".

A. changes B. difficulties C. weaknesses D. efforts



#### D

Do you have good friends? Do you sometimes feel so close to them that they are like family to you?

It turns out that this isn't just an expression. A study by Yale University has found that you and your friends have more genes (基因) in common than strangers do. Researchers looked at the genes of 1,932 people and compared them in pairs of unrelated friends and strangers. They found that friends have 1% of genes that match.

"1% of genes may not sound like much to the layperson (外行), but to geneticists (遗传学家) it is a larger number," Professor Nicholas Christakis of Yale University told Discovery News. In fact, this is the same amount of genes you share with your fourth cousins, those who have the same great-great-great grandparents as you.

So do you happen to become friends with people who share your genes? Not at all. In fact, it is evolution (进化) that brings you together.

People who share certain genes also share skills and have similar likes and dislike, researchers said. In ancient times, it was important that people who were alike stayed together. For example, people who had a similar susceptibility (易感性) to the cold were more likely to help each other build a fire, giving them a better chance to stay alive.

Researchers also found that among all the genes studied, those producing a change in sense of smell were the most similar in friends. This is probably because people who smell things in the same way are more easily drawn to similar environments. For example, people who like the smell of coffee may hang out at cafes (咖啡馆) more often and as a result are more likely to meet and become friends with each other.

With their findings, the team has developed an interesting test called the "friendship score". It can help tell how big the chances are that two people will be friends by studying their genes.

So, here is a question for you: would you like to take this test and know in advance (提前) who your friends are going to be, or would you still prefer to learn about it by yourself and let time by the judge?

30. From the passage, we know that friends \_\_\_\_\_.

A. look like our cousin B. share 1% of genes with us

C. feel close to our family D. can help us when we feel cold

31. According to the passage, the writer probably agrees \_\_\_\_\_



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- A. we develop our friendship by chance
- B. our genes decide who we can make friends with
- C. everyone should take the test called "friendship score"
- D. people sharing certain genes have skills and interests in common
- 32. The writer takes the example of ancient people in Paragraph 5 to \_\_\_\_\_
  - A. study how ancient people dealt with the cold
  - B. predict that similar environments lead to friendship
  - C. prove that it is evolution that brings friends together
  - D. explain why ancient people gave each other chance to keep alive
- 33. Which of the following would be the best title for the passage?
  - A. Friendship: Its Influence on People and Behavior
  - B. Friendship: Its Benefits to Teens and Decision Making
  - C. Friendship: Is it necessary to be judged by time?
  - D. Friendship: Is it possible to be influenced by genes?
- 四、阅读短文,根据短文内容回答问题。(共10分,每小题2分)

Psychologists (心理学家) are interested in the reasons why some people like taking part in risky sports.

When they studied people who were learning to jump from a plane with a parachute, they found that the parachutists' bodies

produced large amounts of two hormones (激素), adrenaline (肾上腺素) and noradrenaline (去甲肾上腺素), just before they made their jump. These hormones help to prepare us for any sudden activity. Adrenaline increases the heart beat and provides more sugar for the muscles (肌肉), while noradrenaline makes us react (反



应) more quickly. However, noradrenaline also supplies energy to a part of the brain which controls feelings of pleasure. A feeling of pleasure caused by this hormone makes certain people want to take part in dangerous sports.

Another possible reason is the level of excitement in part of the brain. According to some psychologists, the brain tries to manage a certain level of excitement. They believe that people who have a low level of excitement look for new experiences in order to fire themselves with excitement, but people who usually have a high level of excitement try to avoid risks in order not to become overexcited. If the psychologists are right, people with a low excitement level are the ones who enjoy taking part in dangerous sports and activities.

It is thought that people with low levels of excitement have a slower-reacting nervous system than people with higher levels. So it may be possible to find out your level of excitement by testing your nervous system. A quick way of doing this is to put some lemon juice on your tongue (舌头). If you produce a lot of saliva (唾液), your nervous system has been affected (影响) by the lemon and so you probably have a high level of excitement; if you produce little saliva, you probably have a low excitement level. If you have a low level, you might enjoy taking part in risky sports. However, this does not mean that you have to the try parachuting!

34. Did the parachutists' bodies produce large amounts of adrenaline and noradrenaline before they made their jump?



35. What does adrenaline increase and provide?

36. Why do people with a high level of excitement try to avoid risks?

37. How can people find out their level of excitement?

38. Who may enjoy taking part in risky activities?

五、文段表达(共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,你们学校正在开展"垃圾分类"宣传活动,倡议大家在日常生活中正确地进行分类。为了达到更好的宣传效果,学校将在本月底开展一次英文演讲比赛。你们班的交换生 Peter 给你发邮件询问相关事情。请用英语回复邮件,告诉他演讲稿上交的时间,并分享你对演讲的一些想法。

提示词语: necessary, waste sorting(垃圾分类), different bin(垃圾箱),

body languages

提示问题: When should you hand in the speech paper?

What would you like to share with Peter about the speech?

Dear Peter,

I'm glad to receive your email.

If there is anything more that I can help you with, please let me know.

## Li Hua

# 题目2

突如其来的新冠疫情(COVD19 pandemic)阻挡了我们如期回归校园,却阻挡不了我们学习的脚步。"停课不停学的"的两个多月里,我们走进了"空中课堂"、渐渐习惯了"线上学习"。我们的成长没有因疫情而停滞。

某英语网站正在开展以"线上学习"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,谈谈为了提高学习效率,你做过什么,以及这样做给你带来的好处。

提示词语: make a timetable, take notes, manage time, make

progress

提示问题: What did you do to learn better at home?

What benefits have you got from doing so?

Studying online plays an important role during the COVID19 pandemic.

