

# 2021 北京昌平初三(上)期末

# 英 语

2021.1

一、单项填空(共6分,每小题0.5分)
1. Mr. Wang in a friendly teacher. we all like very much.
A. her B.him C.them D.us
2. The famous basketball player, Yao Ming, joined the be NBA 2002.
A. at B.in C.to D.from
3. J. K. Rowling lived a hard life she didn't give up writing.
A. and B. so C.but D.because
4. Mum, can I play with my dog for while?
Sorry, you You should finish your homework first.
A.can't B.needn't C.mustn't D. wouldn't
5. The time when I lived in the county was one ofperiods in my life.
A.happy B. happier C.the happiest D.happily
6do you help in the Children 's House.Betty?
Twice a month.
A.How soon B.How long C.How far D.How often
7. Listen! Jackbeautifully in the music classroom.
A. is singing B. are singing C. was singing D. will be singing
8. Our family will go hiking if ittomorrow.
A.doesn't rain B.didn't rain C.won't ran D isn't raining
9. Emilyto learn English when she was 8 years old.
A.has begun B. began C. begins D. begin
10. I ten English novels since I joined the English reading club.
A. reads B. read C.have read D.will read
11. The first mobile phone in April, 1973 by Martin Lawrence Cooper.
A. Invent B invented C. is invented D.was invented
12. Do you know, five yearn ago?
Yes. He lived in Shanghai.
A. where does he live B. where he live C. where did he live D where he lived

## How school plays make a difference

Everyone remembers their first time on stage. The school play is the first time most of us experience doing drama. It's the first chance to both test your acting skills and build up your self-confidence.

Although I have been deeply interested in acting from a very young age, I haven't got a 13 to actually act on stage. That's why I was so nervous for the play Charlie and the Chocolate Factory in my first year of school. After studying all the characters in the play, I chose Veruca Salt. Disappointingly, I only got a 14 with no lines. I didn't say a word at all. However, this was my first performance on stage, I still remember the feelings I had when the lights went down and I noticed that many people were there to watch.

After that, I decided to 15 any difficulty next time. I did well in reading aloud in class and 1 knew I had to take good advantage of that. So when the chance of the play *Pinnochio* came, I made up my mind to be the narrator (旁白). As I stood in front of the teachers, I was so 16 again when I realized I was the only girl going for the part. But after the boys before me couldn't finish their lines, it was my time to get right. I stepped forward, took a deep breath and went for it. I did it! I will never 17 the moment I stood in the bright light with everyone's attention. I even remember the beautiful dress my mom made me to 18 while narrating. Black with heavy gold thread (线) running through it, it made me look super and smart,

Recently, 1 watched the play The Snow White at the National Theatre. The joy on the faces of the little actors and actresses was 19. For those young students who act in school plays, they build up strong confidence, a great power of learning and even a beautiful dream to be a real actor or actress in the future.

That's why the black and gold 20 still hangs in my old bedroom. And I have to be honest it did look great in the light.

B. time	C. moment	D. period
B. role	C. voice	D. word
B. imagine	C. overcome	D. remember
B. nervous	C. lucky	D. angry
B. repeat	C. forget	D. catch
B. show	C. see	D. think
B. serious	C. right	D. clear
B. face	C. thread	D. dress
	B. role B. imagine B. nervous B. repeat B. show B. serious	B. role C. voice B. imagine C. overcome B. nervous C. lucky B. repeat C. forget B. show C. see B. serious C. right



阅读理解

三、阅读下列短文,根据短文内容,从短文后各题所绘的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中选择最佳选项(共 26 分,每小题 2 分)

A

Body language is an important social skill to show what we want to share. It can make your words clearer and help get better results. There are many kinds of body language. They mean different things.

Facial expressions

we can show a lot of feelings with our faces, like happiness, sadness, surprise, excitement, fear and so on. They are almost the same in different cultures.. They can help us decide if we can trust a person, or make them trust us.

#### Gestures

Gestures are the signs we make with our hands while talking, People use them mostly when the in to make a point or argue with others. However, some gestures can mean different thing in different cultures. So you should be really careful with them.

#### Movement

Movement is the way people walk, stand, sit, or hold their head. And when people talk with others, they also need to shake hands or hug them. They can tell a lot of information. They show people's manner, behavior, character and level of education.

#### Eye contact

This is the way you look at someone. How much eye contact you make can tell a lot of things about you and what you are trying to say. But remember not to stare (II) at others all the time. It will make them feel upset.

21. Which body language is almost the same in different cultures?

A.Facial expressions. B. Gestures. C. Movement. D. Eye contact.

- 22. When do we mostly use gestures?
  - A. When we show feelings with our faces. B When we try to make a point.
  - C. When we shake hands with others. D. When we look at others,
- 23. How will people feel if we stare at them all the time?
  - A. Happy. B. Fearful. C. Excited. D Upset.

В

The usual way of showing one's love is expressing it with words, but my Dad is different. He's the one who cared so much for me and showed love in so many other ways than the 'usual' ways of other adults.

In my earlier years I would wake my Dad up and say, "Dad, I'm hungry.Could you make me something to eat" "Sure, what a question. How about a piece of steak and some eggs?" He would answer happily. "Well, I'm not sure, it would be too much trouble," would say without listening to my stomach. "No worries, "would be his reply with joy, as he always answered me that way.

Sunday is my Dad's only rest day but he would come up to me and say. "How about a game of cricket? ""Yes, Dad!That will be great," I would reply happily. On the days when he was too tired to play, he would still say, "Yeah, sure! I'll play." My Mom would come and call me to the side and explain that my Dad was just too tired to play but could not say no to me. He always had and has time for me.

As time flew by I started to become a teenager with independence and what seemed to me as a childish game over food became a stupid idea. On the day 's he didn't work he would come tome. "Give Dad a smile," he would say encouragingly. "Dad, at the moment I can't smile. "I would say. "Please. just one smile and then I won't ask again," he would playfully. Looking at his funny face. I couldn't help smiling.

I wrote this to thank my Dad. The one who would make me food late at night when I w too tired to do so. The one who would sit by my bed in my time of greatest need. The one who couldn't say no to his son.

- 24. How did the writer's Dad show his love?
  - A. By expressing it with words. B. By expressing it with gifts.
  - C. By showing it with unusual ways. 
    D. By showing it with many games.
- 25. When is Dad's rest day?
  - A. On Saturday. B. On Sunday. C. The cricket day. D. The smiling day.
- 26. What kind of person is his Dad?
  - A. Caring but lonely. B. Funny but worried.
  - C. caring and patient. D.Funny and silent.



C

Ever since the invention of the e-reader came into being, book-lovers everywhere have been debating which is betterthe e-book or the traditional paper book. Can the prices of paper books compete with the low prices of e-books? Does the convenience of e-books compare with the feeling of a real book in your hands?

When I was young, I really loved reading paper books. With the rapid development of the technology,e-books have become very popular. As a result,I personally enjoy both with many good reasons.

1. E-books are more convenient to carry around.

If you're like me,before going on a vacation,the hardest part packing may be choosing what books to bring. Your suitcase can only hold some of the books you like. What if you finish those before your vacation is over?Or what if you get bored with them and want to read something else?With an e-reader,you never have to worry about these kinds of problems, which carries around thousands of books all on a device that weights than a pound.

2. E-books are more effectively to read.

Since e-books can show the words in different sizes and even read the books to us, it has the advantage for people who might have a hard time reading or people with poor eyesight. People can also choose how many words to display on one line or how much space there is between lines according to their personal preferences. This allows those with reading disabilities to read more effectively,

3. Paper books help with readers' understanding.

Though e-books may be easier and faster to read, studies show paper books are better for understanding. According to a study by James Madison University, readers are more likely to skim e-books than paper books, which leads to less understanding of the content. Paper books allow readers to read slowly and deeply which give readers more chances to think over and understand more.

4. Paper books help with readers' sleep.

Studies also show the light from some e-books causes sleeping problems. The bright screens of e-readers can cause people to take longer to fall asleep or, in some cases insomnia. Paper books don't cause these problems. So, if you' re a person who can't easily fall asleep or has problems with insomnia, paper books have the advantage.

In a word, both e-books and paper books have their advantages. So, as for the beginning question, "Which is better - the e-book or the traditional paper book? I don't think there's a ight answer. As for me, I say, why not both?

- 27. What can we learn from the passage?
  - A. E-books help readers solve the problem of packing by displaying more words on one line
  - B. E-books help readers with reading disabilities by showing more interesting storybooks
  - C. Paper books help readers understand more by giving readers more chances to think.
  - D. Paper books help readers with sleeping problems by wider space between lines.
- 28. What does the underlined word "insomnia" mean?
  - A. An inability to sleep. B. An inability to wake up.
  - C. An ability to sleep. D. An ability to wake up.
- 9. Which of the following will the writer mostly take on vacation?
  - A. Some paper books that are easier to finish.
  - B. One thick paper book to keep his vacation longer.
  - C.An e-reader to keep away from boring chatting
  - D.Both an e-reader and his favorite paper books.



D

Dogs have an amazing talent for understand human social behavior, and they can take actions upon human orders,but what if they are given instructions not by real humans but by humanoid robots that behave like humans? Will dogs obey the robot's orders?

At the International Conference on Human Robot Interaction2020. researchers at Yale University's Social Robotics Lab tested how dogs responded to instructions from robots. A group of 34 dogs participated in the experiment, and each dog was tested with either a speaker or a human-like robot in a room. After a brief introduction to the testing environment, the robot or speaker called the dog's name, using the same voice. Then the robot or speaker would give a "sit" order, which was the real test.

Results of the experiments showed that the dogs paid more attention to the robot than the speaker. Dogs obeyed the "sit order over 60% of the time when it came from the robot, but less than 20% of the time when it came from the speaker, even if they did look a bit confused about the whole thing at times,

While these results are certainly interesting, it's important to answer the question of whether dogs could respond to a social robot at all. The researchers were giving the dogs a great opportunity. For example, the dogs' owners were instructed to interact with the robot, talking to it and making eye contact, to help encourage the dogs to see the robot as friendly and make the anxiety less while also drawing attention to the robot. However, they, haven't discovered what factors (#) might increase or decrease that likelihood.

"Since dogs are very sensitive to human social cues (#xfã9), the robot being . humanoid or not may make a difference, lead researcher Meiying Qin said. "Yet, if a non-humanoid robot behaves like a dog or shows any social behaviors, dogs may also respond in a social manner.'

"Now that we have evidence that dogs do respond to social robots, the next step is to figure out what we haven't discovered yet," added Meiying Qin. 'Humanoid robot, which is one of the greatest invention in the 20h century, is the advanced representation of robot technique Some people may question the value of making social robots for pets. Dogs aren't the only animals that robots interact with, of course the larger idea is that by studying how dogs behave toward social robots relative to humans, it can help us understand bow social robots affect our own behavior, too.

30. Paragraph 2 is mainly about

A. how the test was performed B. what was found in the test

C. why the scientists did the test D. who took part in the test

31. The researcher later will probably focus on \_\_\_\_\_.

A.human orders given to dogs B.factor to affect dog's response

C.robot technique to develop D.social robots designed for pets

32. We can learn from the experiment that \_\_\_\_\_.

A.dogs seldom obey the order from a humanoid robot

B.dogs pay less attention to a mechanical-looking robot

C.dogs can pay more attention to owners' voice in the speaker

D.dogs can understand the social meanings from machines

33. The lead researcher Meiying Qin probably agrees that

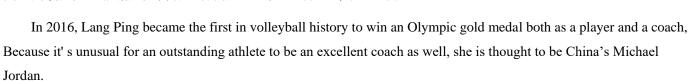
A.humanoid robots can influence humans' behaviors

B.it is worthless to design advanced robots for animals

C.robots will take the place of humans to look after pets

D.humans don't respond socially to non-humanoid robots

四、阅读短文,根据短文内容回答问题。(共10分,每小题2分)



Born from a poor family in Tianjin in 1960. she didn't get very much to eat. Life took a lucky turn in middle school. Since she enjoyed sports a lot, at the age of 13, she joined her school volleyball team. Volleyball suited h She became famous because of her powerful arm movement. hen in 1978. at just18. Lang joined China's first women's national volleyball team. She became the captain in 1984 for her good performance. The team fought on the world stage, winning the FIVB 1981 Women's World Cup and the World Championships of 1982.

After that, Lang Ping stayed on as an assistant (助理) coach. This was more of a challenge. She thinks being a coach is different from being a player. As a player, all you need to think about is producing your best performance on the court. But as a coach you have to consider the players, training, competition and even factors off the court that may help or harm the team," she once said in an interview.



She retired as a player in 1986. After a few years, she rejoined the Chinese team as a coach with a set of goals. First, to make China the leading Asian team in the world rankings. Second, to get a medal at the Rio Olympics. From these simple goals came great results.

Her story is now being told through a movie, Leap. with famous Chinese actress Gong Li playing the role of her. For the Chinese, she's much more than just a volleyball coach. Lang Ping's example will no doubt be a guiding light for years to come. "No matter what challenges you face, do your best," she has said. "Believe in the power of hard work. Success will surely belong to those who never give up.

It's because of her that the "women 's volleyball team spirit" is remembered by the nation. It's a mindset that made Lang a national hero-and China No.1 in the world rankings for Women's volleyball.

- 34. Why is Lang Ping thought to be China's Michael Jordan?
- 35. When did Lang Ping join China's first women 's national volleyball team?
- 36. What does Lang Ping think of being a coach?
- 37. How is her story being told to the world now?
- 38. What might be the title of this passage?
- 四、文段表达(共10分)
- 39. 请从下面两个题目中任选一题。在答题卡上填涂选择序号。根据中文和英文提示,完成一篇不少于 50 词的文段写作。请不要写出你的姓名和校名。

# 题目1

著名哲学家弗朗西斯·培根在《论读书》一文中写到:读书足以怡情,足以博彩,足以长才。

假如你是李华,是你校读书俱乐部成员。俱乐部要举办一次"我最爱的书籍"主题演讲比赛。请你用英文介绍 一下你最喜欢的一本书,你喜欢它的原因,以及读书带给你的益处。

提示词语: wonderful, inspiring, knowledge, benefit, improve

提示问题: What's your favorite book?

Why do you like it?

How does reading help you?

### 题目 2

"见贤思齐焉,见不贤而内自省也。"



在成长过程中,我们一定会受到身边榜样的影响。假如你是李华,你的笔友 Mike 想了解你的榜样的相关事情与你的想法。请你用英语给他回信。说说你的榜样是谁,简述你的榜样所做的那件/些事情影响了你,你从她身上学到了什么、

提示词语: hard-working, helpful, successful, admire, creative

提示问题: Who is your role model?

What did he\she do making him\her your role model?

What have you learned from him\her?

Dear Mike,
It's nice to hear from you.
Look forward to hearing from you again.
Yours,
Li Hua



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# 参考答案



一、单项填空(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。

### 1-3 BBC 4-6 ACD 7-9 AAB 10-12 CDD

二、完形填空(共8分,每小题1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。

#### 13-16 ABCB 17-20 CADD

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,选择最佳选项。(共 26 分,每小题 2 分)

21-23 ABD

24-26 CBC

27-29 CAD

30-33 ABDA

- 四、阅读短文,根据短文内容回答问题。(共10分,每小题2分)
- 34. Because it's so unusual for an outstanding athlete to be an excellent coach as well.
- 35. In 1978 /At just 18 (Lang joined China's first women's national volleyball team).
- 36. This was more of a challenge. /

She thinks being a coach is different from being a player./

(As a coach she has to consider the players, training, competition and even factors off the court that may help or harm the team.)

- 37. Through a movie / Leap.
- 38. Lang Ping, the National Hero / any other possible version
- 五、书面表达(共10分)
- 39. 请从下面两个题目中任选一题,在答题卡上填涂选择序号,根据中文和英文提示,完成一篇不少于 50 词的文段写作。请不要写出你的校名和姓名。

# 题目1参考范文:

#### My Favorite Book

I enjoy reading different kinds of books. "Harry Potter" is my favorite. Although the story is very long, it is attractive and amazing and I am interested in it. Harry was such a brave and clever boy that he dared to fight against powerful enemies. Harry taught me no matter what kinds of difficulties we will meet, we should be optimistic and strong in soul. Reading not only broadens my horizons but also inspires me when I'm in trouble.

题目 2 参考范文:

Dear Mike,

It's nice to hear from you.

My role model is my father because he sets a good example for me.

I still remember on a cold and snowy winter evening, my father came to pick me up. When we were walking across the road, suddenly, an old lady fell down on the ground because of the ice. There were many people walking past her, but no one stopped to help her. However, my father ran to her and helped her to stand up without thinking. Unluckily the old lady hurt her leg. My father sent her to the hospital at once. The old lady thanked him again and again. What my father did makes me believe in love and trust. I feel proud of being his daughter. I realized I should help the people who are in trouble whenever I can.

Look forward to hearing from you again.

Yours,

Li Hua

文段表达评分标准

说明: 先根据文章整体内容和语言表达确定档次, 然后在该档次内评出分数。

第一档: (10-9分)

完全符合题目要求,表达思想清楚,内容丰富。使用多种语法结构和丰富的词汇,语言通顺,语意连贯,具有逻辑性。允许有个别语言错误。

第二档: (8-6分)

符合题目要求,表达思想基本清楚,内容基本完整。语法结构和词汇满足文章需要,语言基本通顺,语意基本连贯。有一些语言错误,但不影响整体理解。

第三档: (5-4分)

部分内容符合题目要求,表达思想不清楚,内容不完整。语法结构和词汇错误较多,语言不通顺,影响整体理 解。

第四档: (3-1分)

与题目有关的内容不多,不能表达出自己的思想。只能简单拼凑一些词语,所写内容难以理解。

0分: 白卷或与题目毫不相关

