

房山区 2021-2022 学年度第一学期 (中学) 期末考试  
高三英语

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第一部分 知识运用 (共两节, 30 分)

第一节 (共 10 小题; 每小题 1.5 分, 共 15 分)

阅读下面短文, 掌握其大意, 从每题所给的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中, 选出最佳选项, 并在答题卡上将该项涂黑。

Xing Yifan is a university student who was diagnosed with amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS) about six months after birth.

Due to severe spinal deformity (畸形) caused by the illness, Xing, who weighs only 18 kilograms, has \_\_\_1\_\_\_ in doing routine tasks that most people take for granted. However, armed with a strong will, he worked hard to ensure that the \_\_\_2\_\_\_ would not hold him back. Since his muscles are too \_\_\_3\_\_\_ to support his body, he puts his head on a desk to read. He \_\_\_4\_\_\_ all the difficulties and was admitted to No. 1 Middle School in Jilin with the highest test scores in the school's history.

"I \_\_\_5\_\_\_ everything I've got to you. You determined early on that while the disease has made me \_\_\_6\_\_\_ the ability to walk and run, it wouldn't make me lose the \_\_\_7\_\_\_ opportunity. You have accompanied me through every class from primary school to high school. I know every day is \_\_\_8\_\_\_ for you, but you never give up." Xing said to his parents.

In Xing's mind, disease can hurt his body but can't \_\_\_9\_\_\_ his desire for knowledge and his confidence to serve the country. In 2021, Xing went to Beihang University with a score of 645 points in the college entrance examination.

\_\_\_10\_\_\_ can create miracles. Xing Yifan has shown the power of optimism and strength for people.

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| 1. A. anxiety | B. interest | C. difficulty | D. confidence |
| 2. A. weight  | B. disease  | C. pressure   | D. prospect   |
| 3. A. weak    | B. flexible | C. sensitive  | D. adaptable  |

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| 4. A. avoided  | B. ignored    | C. expected    | D. overcame    |
| 5. A. owe      | B. leave      | C. offer       | D. contribute  |
| 6. A. show     | B. reduce     | C. lose        | D. keep        |
| 7. A. job      | B. practice   | C. education   | D. promotion   |
| 8. A. exciting | B. surprising | C. frightening | D. challenging |
| 9. A. balance  | B. destroy    | C. control     | D. strengthen  |
| 10. A. Bravery | B. Effort     | C. Patience    | D. Imagination |

第二节 (共 10 小题; 每小题 1.5 分, 共 15 分)

阅读下列短文, 根据短文内容填空。在未给提示词的空白处仅填写 1 个恰当的单词, 在给出提示词的空白处用括号内所给词的正确形式填空。请在答题卡指定区域作答。

A

My father is a carpenter and he has passed that skill on to me. He taught me how to work with wood and make wood do what I wanted it to do. So far my father \_\_\_11\_\_\_ (build) dozens of the most beautiful pieces out of wood. He is making a picture frame \_\_\_12\_\_\_ one of his friends now. He spends hours on the pieces of wood everyday \_\_\_13\_\_\_ (make) it perfect. That is also what my father handed down to me—the attitude \_\_\_14\_\_\_ he has towards his work.

B

Now, the loss of nature carries a huge economic cost. If we want to resolve the climate crisis, reduce inequality, maintain the wealth of nations and feed a \_\_\_15\_\_\_ (grow) global population, we must protect, restore, and sustainably manage nature. It is no longer enough for businesses to be "less bad." \_\_\_16\_\_\_ we need is to be good, and we need to make up for the damage or we will put \_\_\_17\_\_\_ (we) in danger.

C

A super-sized earth pressure balance shield machine (盾构机) made in China is ready to be put into use. The shield machine, \_\_\_18\_\_\_ (name) "Jinxiu," rolled off the production line on Saturday. This shield machine is the \_\_\_19\_\_\_ (large) of its kind produced by China. With a total length of 135 meters and a weight of 3,000 tons, the machine \_\_\_20\_\_\_ (use) for the construction of the Jinxiu Tunnel in the future.

第二部分 阅读理解 (共两节, 38 分)

第一节 (共 14 小题; 每小题 2 分, 共 28 分)

阅读下列短文, 从每题所给的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中, 选出最佳选项, 并在答题卡上将该项涂黑。

A

Looking for a good book? We have the world's largest collection of expert book recommendations. The following are books that have been recommended over and over again, suggesting they are some of the most important books ever written.

**Atomic Habits by James Clear**

*Atomic Habits*, published in 2018, will reshape the way you think about progress and success, and give you the tools and strategies you need to transform your habits. If you're having trouble changing your habits, the problem is your system. Bad habits repeat themselves again and again because you have the wrong system for change. James Clear will help you get a proven system that can take you to new heights.

**The Looming Tower by Lawrence Wright**

*The Looming Tower* by Lawrence Wright was published in 2014. The book is the most detailed and thrilling account of the events that led to the destruction of the Twin Towers, based on five years of research and hundreds of interviews.

**Ammonite by Nicola Griffith**

*Ammonite*, Griffith's first science fiction, which was published in 1992, won the Lambda Award and the James Tiptree Jr Award. It tells us a thrilling story: A human expedition to the planet Jeep is nearly wiped out by a virus that kills all the men and most of the women. Some centuries later, Marghe is sent to test a vaccine on the people there. As she lives and moves among them, Marghe finds herself changed in unexpected ways.

**Walden by Henry David Thoreau**

First published in 1854, *Walden* details Thoreau's experiences over the course of two years, two months, and two days in a cabin he built near Walden Pond, in woodland owned by his friend Ralph Waldo Emerson, near Concord, Massachusetts. The book compresses the time into a single calendar year and uses passages of four seasons to symbolize human development.

21. Who wrote the book about the disaster of the Twin Towers?

- A. James Clear. B. Lawrence Wright.  
C. Nicola Griffith. D. Henry David Thoreau.
22. Which book is the best choice for the people who love science fictions?  
A. *Atomic Habits*. B. *The Looming Tower*.  
C. *Ammonite*. D. *Walden*.

23. According to the passage, the four books are all \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. about thrilling stories B. recommended by experts  
C. newly published books D. helpful in shaping your habits

B

The Importance of a Child's Gift

On the first day of fourth grade, my teacher, Mrs. Brown, told my class a story about her husband Rob, who is a brain cancer survivor. She talked about their journey through his treatment and recovery. After what Mrs. Brown experienced with Rob's illness, she decided to devote part of her life to helping people in similar situations. She told us about a local organization she was a part of called Be Head Strong (BHS), which works to support and comfort families with a member suffering from brain cancer. Her strength and attitude toward her situation inspired me and led me to realize some significant lessons about love and hope.

One day, when I was looking at the money that I had saved, I thought about the stories Mrs. Brown had told us, about Rob and all the other remarkable people she worked with through BHS. I decided that was where I wanted my money to go.

As the last day of school approached, I wrapped the heart-shaped box full of dollars and coins. After all the other kids had left on the last day of school, I handed Mrs. Brown the present. As she opened it, I told her that I wanted the money to go to BHS to help people like Rob. She broke into tears and hugged me tightly.

I was invited to BHS's annual fundraiser and auction (拍卖). The night's theme was hope and giving. The auctioneer told everyone the story of my gift to Mrs. Brown, the \$131.30. At the end, he asked, "How many of you are willing to do what a fourth grade girl did and donate \$131.30?" At that point nearly everyone in the room raised their bidding numbers. At that moment I realized that the money I had donated had become something bigger than that.

Inspired by Mrs. Brown, I continued my fundraising through the years, starting fundraisers and helping with BHS events. The joy that I found in this organization never came from any recognition that I received for my action. I gained belief and hope from the people that I met and worked with in BHS. These events and experiences have shown me what love can bring in bad situations. I want to spend much of my life volunteering.



and read it from wherever they are. They could also access more materials because libraries won't have to buy physical copies of books.

However, it would be a serious mistake to replace libraries with iPads. First, digital books and resources are associated with less learning and more problems than print resources. A study done on tablet and book reading found that people read 20-30% slower on iPads, remember 20% less information, and understand 10% less of what they read compared to people who read the same information in print. Additionally, staring too long at a screen has been shown to cause some health problems, including dizziness, dry eyes, headaches, shoulder and back pain and so on. We should not add to these problems by giving people, especially young people, more reasons to look at screens.

Second, it is incredibly narrow-minded to assume that the only service libraries offer is book lending. Libraries have more benefits, and many are only available if the library has a physical location. Some of these benefits include acting as a quiet study space, giving people a way to communicate with their neighbors, holding classes on a variety of topics, providing jobs and keeping the community connected. One neighborhood found that, after a local library instituted community events such as play times for kids and parents, job fairs for teenagers, and meeting spaces for senior citizens, over a third of residents reported feeling more connected to their community. Similarly, a survey conducted in 2015 found that nearly two-thirds of American adults feel that closing their local library would have a major impact on their community. People see libraries as a way to connect with others and get their questions answered and benefits iPads can't offer nearly as well or as easily.

While replacing libraries with iPads may seem like a simple solution, it would encourage people to spend even more time looking at digital screens, despite the issues surrounding them. It would also end access to many of the benefits of libraries that people have come to rely on. In many areas, libraries are such an important part of the community network that they could never be replaced by a simple object.

31. Digital reading supporters may agree that \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. the price is too high to maintain libraries
- B. iPads make people's learning less convenient
- C. printed books are more efficient than digital ones
- D. iPads encourage people to spend more time on line

32. The author supports his idea in Paragraph 3 by \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. listing figures and showing studying results
- B. highlighting the differences between the two media
- C. comparing reading efficiency through different media
- D. showing advantages and disadvantages of reading with iPads

33. What is the author's attitude towards the functions of public libraries?

- A. Unconcerned.
- B. Confused.
- C. Positive.
- D. Negative.

34. What is the best title of the passage?

- A. Why iPads Encourage People to Read?
- B. Should Public Libraries Be Shut Down?
- C. Will iPads Take the Place of Public Libraries?
- D. How Are iPads And Public Libraries Different?

第二节 (共 5 小题; 每小题 2 分, 共 10 分)

根据短文内容, 从短文后的七个选项中选出能填入空白处的最佳选项, 并在答题卡上将该项涂黑。选项中有两项为多余选项。

#### What Is Good Citizenship?

Good citizenship is generally defined as how a citizen performs a role to become a useful member of society. This involves duties and responsibilities that may be expressed through laws and regulations. \_\_\_\_\_ 35 \_\_\_\_\_

Citizenship, in its general sense, is being part of a community. \_\_\_\_\_ 36 \_\_\_\_\_ The factors toward improving lives and relationship of a community include doing volunteer work, initiating community programs, and participating in economic affairs.

A good citizen is an important part of a progressive state. As covered by the social contract theory, a government is established to manage interaction among citizens, define an individual's rights, enforce these rights, and make sure just compensation (补偿) is obtained when these rights are not obeyed. \_\_\_\_\_ 37 \_\_\_\_\_ The purpose of this social contract is to avoid chaos in a community, which is possible without good leadership. From this leadership arises good citizenship, allowing every citizen to expect others to respect for his or her legally demandable rights.

\_\_\_\_\_ 38 \_\_\_\_\_ The most basic characteristic is the moral duty to recognize the rights of others. Another important characteristic is the ability to listen to the views of others. These views may bring about solutions to problems of the community. A good citizen is also willing to

adapt to new situations. \_\_\_\_\_ 39 \_\_\_\_\_ Based on these factors, good citizenship is said to be related to both the intellectual and social skills of a citizen.

- A. There are many characteristics of good citizenship.
- B. Being a good citizen is important in improving the community.
- C. Apart from these characteristics, a good citizen knows and obeys the laws of the land.
- D. In turn, the citizens hand over to the government the powers that may limit some freedom.
- E. This may also involve your behaviors expressed through the recognition of right and wrong.
- F. As citizens, we care about others and being good members of our communities and our country.
- G. Good citizenship lies in the recognition that members of a community work together to improve their lives and their relationship with one another.

### 第三部分 书面表达 (共两节, 32 分)

第一节 (共 4 小题; 第 40、41 题各 2 分, 第 42 题 3 分, 第 43 题 5 分, 共 12 分)

阅读下面短文, 根据题目要求用英文回答问题。请在答题卡指定区域作答。

Do you ever wonder why the bakers can't help but smile as they cook tasty treats in your home's kitchen? From pre-heating the oven, mixing the dry and wet ingredients (原料), and up until the satisfying "ding" is heard, the baker can feel the atmosphere lighten up and the mood lifted.

Baking can be a form of treatment and empowerment. At first glance, grasping how baking makes you calm down and acts as a source of joy can seem a bit far-fetched. But bakers can see and feel more while they're baking. Its process is both a science and art. As they bake, they become more focused and hopeful that the effort they've poured paid off. This is the reason for their smiles. The beauty and satisfaction of baking can be further revealed when it is done.

Much like any hobby or a creative outlet, baking allows people to express their emotions and creativity. In every part of the world, cooking for someone is considered as a thoughtful gesture—whether you're welcoming someone in a home, showing a kind gesture, or expressing your gratitude. The desire to share your food with others is an excellent way to build a connection, showing selflessness and love.

It even becomes more heartfelt if you're serving the whole family. Nothing beats the

happiness of seeing your loved ones enjoy the baked treats you've worked hard to prepare.

- 40. According to the passage, how does the baker feel when the baking is done?
- 41. What is the reason for bakers' smiles?
- 42. Please decide which part is false in the following statement, then underline it and explain why.

***Baking helps people to express emotions and creativity while serving the whole family is the opposite.***

43. What are some other ways to help build connections with family members? (*In about 40 words*)

#### 第二节 (20 分)

假设你是红星中学高三学生李华。在你的英籍好友 Jim 的指导和帮助下, 你校的英文短剧获得了区英语戏剧大赛一等奖。请你给 Jim 写一封电子邮件, 内容包括:

- 1. 告知获奖情况;
- 2. 表达获奖心情;
- 3. 表达对他付出的感谢。

注意: 1. 词数 100 左右;  
2. 开头和结尾已给出, 不计入总词数。

Dear Jim,

Yours,

Li Hua

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