

八年级下册英语单元检测卷

Unit2 《Travelling》

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第一卷（选择题 共 60 分）

一、听力部分（共 20 小题；每小题 1 分，计 20 分）

I. 听下面 10 段对话。每段对话后有 1 个小题，从题中所给的 A、B、C 三个选项中选出最佳选项。

1. What place of interest does he want to visit?



2. How did the woman go to have the meeting?



3. Who waved (挥手) to the woman in the parade?



4. When will the woman meet her brother at the airport?



5. What does the man use the computer to do?

A. To search for information. B. To play chess.

C. To chat with her friends.

6. Where does the girl's father work now?

A. Germany.

B. America.

C. Australia.

7. Why hasn't Helen finished her Maths homework?

A. She isn't able to do it.

B. She is too busy.

C. She has forgotten to do it.

8. When will the plane take off?

A. 7:00.

B. 7:15.

C. 7:30.

9. What are the two people talking about?

A. Going walking

B. Having dinner

C. Shopping together

10. What does the woman mean?

- A. Buying some beautiful clothes will make baby smile.
- B. Dressing babies up like dolls will stop them crying.
- C. Showing lovely dolls may make babies stop crying.

II. 你将听到一段对话和两篇短文, 各听两遍。请选出你认为最合适的答案。

听下面一段对话, 回答第 11 至 12 小题。

11. How long did Kitty live in Sydney?

- A. For 5 years.
- B. For 4 years.
- C. For 7 years.

12. What does Kitty's father sell?

- A. Apples.
- B. Footballs.
- C. Computers.

听第一篇短文, 回答第 13 至 15 小题。选择正确答案, 完成信息记录表。

Travelling to London	
Season	We think <u>13</u> is the best season to visit England.
Transport	We did most of our sightseeing <u>14</u>
Food	We don't think the English food is very <u>15</u> .

13. A. spring B. summer C. autumn

14. A. on foot B. by bus C. by coach

15. A. delicious B. expensive C. bad

听第二篇短文, 回答第 16-20 小题。

16. How long has David's uncle lived in Shanghai?

- A. More than two years.
- B. More than twenty years.
- C. More than twelve years.

17. What did David's uncle tell David about?

- A. The changes in Shanghai.
- B. The future plan for Shanghai.
- C. Travelling in Shanghai.

18. What are the buildings like now in Shanghai?

- A. Small but bright.
- B. Dark and small.
- C. Tall and bright.

19. How do the people live in Shanghai?

- A. Hard.
- B. Comfortably.
- C. In a dream.

20. What is the right *attitude* (态度) towards the past?

- A. We should forget it.
- B. We should remember it.
- C. We should live in it.

二、单项选择(15分)

() 21. --What do you think of _____ article about nature?

--I love it. It's _____ useful one.

- A. an; a B. an; an C. the; a D. the; an
- () 22. Millie _____ her homework just now . But I _____ mine . I shouldn't watch TV first .
- A. has finished; haven't finished B. finished; don't finish
- C. finished; haven't finished D. has finished; didn't finish
- () 23. I must return the book to the library . I have _____ it for too long .
- A. borrowed B. bought C. kept D. had
- () 24. -- _____ has he taught in this school?
- Since 1998 .
- A. How often B. How long C. How soon D. How far
- () 25. I _____ taking photos when I saw Disney characters in Hong Kong Disneyland .
- A. can't stop B. can't help C. couldn't wait D. couldn't stop
- () 26. --- Where is Tom's father?
- He _____ Shanghai for a meeting . He _____ there since last Sunday .
- A. has gone to; has been to B. has gone to; has been in
- C. has gone to; has been D. has been to; has been
- () 27. It _____ ten years since we last _____ in Beijing .
- A. was, met B. has been, met C. was, meet D. is, meet
- () 28. ---Have you visited the Little Mermaid?
- Yes. I went to _____ two years ago .
- A. London B. Pisa C. Copenhagen D. New York
- () 29. Which of the sentences is **wrong**?
- A. He has bought a car since 2007 . B. He has had a car since 2007 .
- C. He hasn't bought a new car since 2007 D. It's ten years since he bought a car .
- () 30. --Have you _____ been to New York?-- No, _____ .
- A. ever, yet B. ever, never C. never, not D. never ,never
- () 31. Mike _____ take a bus to the office, but now he _____ walking there .
- A. is used to, is used to B. used to, used to
- C. is used to, used to D. used to, is used to
- () 32. ---We are going to Jiuzhaigou this summer. --- _____ .
- A. Have a good time B. Help yourselves
- C. I hope so . D. That's right.

- () 33. What was Black Beauty's mother's advice?
A. Do work well B. Don't bite or kick. C. Don't whinny. D. A & B
- () 34. What happened to George Gordon?
A. He was hurt. B. He died C. He fell off the horse. D. I don't know.
- () 35. What did Black Beauty look like?
A. He had one white foot and a pretty white star on his forehead.
B. He had one black foot and a pretty white star on his forehead.
C. He had two white feet and a pretty white star on his forehead.
D. He had two black feet and a pretty white star on his forehead.

三、完形填空 (15 分)

One hot afternoon, a poor farmer was digging his field. Suddenly, his spade(铲) hit something. It was a big metal 36, which was big enough to boil rice for more than one hundred people. "It does not seem to be of any use to me. I will dig 37. Maybe I will find something else," thought the farmer. He 38 to dig.

Feeling tired, he threw the spade into the pot and sat under a tree to 39. When he got up to leave, he could not 40 his eyes. There were one hundred spades in the pot. What a 41 pot!

After that, he put a 42 into the pot. Then he found one hundred mangoes in the pot. 43 that pot, he became a rich man. The King came to know of the pot, 44 he was very greedy(贪婪的). "I want to find out the 45 of the magical pot. If it is valuable, it should be 46," the King thought. So, at once, he ordered his men to bring the farmer and his pot.

The King 47 the pot and did not know what to do. He thought, "Let me see what is inside this pot that makes this pot so magical." He slipped (滑) and 48 inside the pot. After climbing up out of the magical pot, he was 49 to find that there were one hundred Kings.



All the Kings then 50 among themselves and died. This magical pot has killed the King himself!

36. A. bottle B. bowl C. plate D. pot
37. A. higher B. nearer C. deeper D. earlier
38. A. chose B. decided C. hoped D. continued
39. A. have a rest B. have a meeting C. have fun D. have a try
40. A. fix B. believe C. open D. close
41. A. exciting B. terrible C. magical D. beautiful
42. A. mango B. spade C. king D. man

43. A. In B. With C. Without D. By
44. A. but B. So C. or D. and
45. A. price B. secret C. cost D. wealth
46. A. the farmer's B. mine C. yours D. his
47. A. looked after B. looked for C. put away D. looked at
48. A. fell B. jumped C. joined D. felt
49. A. relaxed B. excited C. shocked D. bored
50. A. stayed B. competed C. discussed D. fought

四、阅读理解（10分）

A

	<p>There is a town near Suzhou . It is very interesting and beautiful . This is Luxiang, an old town .</p> <p>Luxiang was built in the Southern Song Dynasty(1127-1279) . There were many famous people living in the town at that time .</p> <p>There are around 30 old buildings of Ming and Qing(1644-1912) dynasties now . People live a simple life . Six Lanes(巷) in the town go to Taihu lake .</p> <p>Luxiang looks more beautiful in spring, with many tea trees and fruit gardens . This place is famous for the tea called Biluochun .</p>
	<p>The Egyptian pyramids were built around 2560 B . C The largest of them is the great pyramid of Khufu . The king, Khufu built it as his tomb .</p> <p>The Great Pyramid was considered a unique(独一无二的) building in the 19th century A . D . At that time, it was still the tallest in the world . According to scientific research, Khufu ordered his men to build it stone by stone . The biggest stone was 15 tons, and each stone was fixed so well .</p> <p>The Great Pyramid has four sides and each side is 230 . 4 meters long and 146 . 5 meters high . At that time, there were no modern machines or equipment (设备) , so how did the ancient Egyptians build it? To this day, it is still a mystery (谜) .</p>

51. Luxiang is famous for_____ .

- A. fruit gardens B. tea trees. C. Biluochun . D. six lanes .

52. Building the great pyramid is still a mystery now because_____ .

- A. each stone was fixed well.
- B. there were no modern machines or equipment then.
- C. it was made of stone.
- D. it was the tallest building in the world.

53. Which of the following is TRUE?

- A. Each stone of the Great Pyramid is 230. 4 meters long and 146. 5 meters wide.
- B. Luxiang is far away from Suzhou. .
- C. Luxiang looks more beautiful except spring.
- D. In the 19th century A. D, the Great Pyramid was special and unusual.

B

Delia was a young pianist. Her husband Joe was a talented young painter. They lived in a small flat in New York.

Each of them was taking lessons - Joe with a famous art teacher, and Delia with a great pianist from Germany. They were the best teachers, so lessons were expensive, more than they could really afford, but ...when you love your art, nothing's too much.

But soon, the money began to run out and they couldn't afford the lessons any more.

Then one day Delia came home and told Joe that she had met a man. The man's daughter, Sally, wanted to learn the piano — and he was going to pay her \$50 an hour.

"Delia," Joe said, "I'd be much happier if you kept up your lessons." Delia said that it didn't matter. She said, "When I've made some money, I'll start again. When you love your art, nothing's too much."

A few days later, Joe came home and proudly took \$200 from his pocket. "I met a man from Vermont," he said, "who bought one of my paintings. And he wants to buy more!"

Then, one day, Joe came home and saw that Delia's hand was burned. He asked her what had happened. "Oh," said Delia. "My student, Sally, asked me to pour some coffee for her. So I did - and I dropped the coffee and burned my hand."

Joe sat down and told Delia to sit down too. "Delia, what have you been doing the last two weeks?" he asked. She took a deep breath and started to cry. "Oh Joe — I couldn't get any students so I got a job in a coffee shop. And today I burned my hand with hot water. So I can't work any more. I'm sorry, Joe - but we'll still have money from the man in Vermont, won't we?"

Joe looked at her. "There's no man in Vermont," he said. "I haven't sold any paintings. I've been working in a drugstore (药店), and today someone came from the coffee shop to buy cream for a woman

who'd burned her hand. So when I saw you — well, I guessed. ”

They both laughed. “So we’ve told each other lies,” said Joe. “But when you love your art . . . ,”

Delia put her fingers to his lips (嘴唇). “No, Joe,” she said, “just ‘When you love ’”

54. How did Joe most probably feel when he first knew about Delia’s plan?

- A. Proud but a bit afraid. B. Excited but a bit angry.
C. Curious(好奇的) but a bit sad. D. Cheerful but a bit worried

55. What did Delia want to say in the end?

- A. When you love your art, you can’t tell lies.
B. When you love someone, you can’t tell lies.
C. When you love your art, nothing’s too much.
D. When you love someone, nothing’s too much.

56. Which of the following can best describe the coupled life?

- A. Full of joy B. Full of love. C. Full of lies D. Full of surprise

C

For his eleventh birthday, Lin was given a gift that would shape his life. On that day his father took him to the Children’s Activity Centre and said he could choose any course that interested him. There was just one requirement(要求): Lin would have to promise to study it for at least one year.

To that point Lin had had many hobbies, but none kept his interest for more than a week or two. His mum once gave him a bag of stamps to encourage stamp collecting. That hobby lasted a week. Then his father got him some paints hoping that Lin’s artistic side would shine through. Those paints were now under his bed, still unopened. This time Lin’s parents would let him decide.

Lin’s eyes moved down the noticeboard that listed all the courses on offer. He stopped at “Photography”. He liked the idea of taking beautiful pictures but the notice said that each student needed their own camera. Although Lin’s family weren’t poor, they weren’t rich either, and a camera cost a lot of money. He continued(继续) looking.

The next course to catch his eye was “Language Art”. He didn’t even know what that meant. His father explained that it taught people how to make public speeches(演讲). Lin, a shy boy, could think of nothing worse.

Then he saw it. “Cooking” sounded like something he’d like to do. It was inexpensive and convenient, it could be done alone and it was also creative(有创造力的).

Based on Lin’s hobby history, his dad had doubts, but he agreed. Much to his parents’ surprise, Lin kept

travel, busy, forty, beautiful, they

66. Sandy likes places of natural _____ like Mount Huang or Jiuzhaigou.
67. I have many hobbies, such as _____, playing ball games and so on.
68. My dad has gone to Shanghai on _____. He will come back tomorrow.
69. ---Did they have a great time yesterday?
---Yes, they enjoyed _____.
70. We organized a lot of activities to celebrate our school's _____ birthday last month.

C. 请根据句意从方框中选择合适的动词, 并用其适当时态填空, 使句子通顺。

teach, visit, go, write, marry

71. ---Do you have any plans for the May Day holiday, Amy?
---Yes. I _____ Guilin with my parents.
72. I can still speak some French now, for I _____ Chinese in France for several years.
73. She has lived here since Linda _____ Mike in 1999.
74. ---Liu Ming, is that our head teacher Miss Chen over there?
---It can't be her. She _____ to Nanjing for a meeting.
75. ---Has your father finished the report yet?
---Sorry, I don't know. He _____ it this morning.

六、句型转换 (5分)

76. The film started 10 minutes ago. (同义句)
The film has _____ for ten minutes.
77. I have been to Shanghai twice. (对划线部分提问)
_____ times have you been to Shanghai?
78. He went to school in a hurry without breakfast. (同义句)
He _____ school without having breakfast.
79. She's already returned from the USA. (改为一般疑问句)
_____ she returned from the USA _____?
80. The trip is very exciting. (改为感叹句)
_____ exciting trip it is!

七、根据课文内容或首字母提示填空 (每小题0.5分, 共5分)

A) Kitty and her parents visited Hong Kong Disneyland. They had a 81 time there. They went there by underground. Space Mountain moved at high 82. The best part of the day was the

83 of Disney characters. Next, they watched a 4-D film. It was like 84 because they could smell the apple pie and feel the wind.

81. 82. 83. 84.

B) Early in May a man took me to Squire Gordon's home, near the village of Birtwick. My new stable was large and c 85. There was a little fat grey pony next to me.

"How do you do? What's your name?" I said. He said, "My name is Merrylegs. I hope you are good-tempered. I don't like h 86 that bite."

He looked over at a tall chestnut horse. In the afternoon, when she went out, Merrylegs told me about her.

"That's Ginger," he said. "She bites. One day she bit James, the groom(马夫). She says no one was k 87 to her before. But James and John Manly, our grooms, are very good to us, and Squire Gordon doesn't whip his horses, s 88 I think she's going to like it here."

The next morning, John t 89 me for a ride.

On the way back we met the Squire and Mrs. Gordon.

The Squire asked John, "Well, John, what's the new horse like?" And John a 90, "Excellent, sir." Mrs. Gordon said, "He is a beauty. Let's call him Black Beauty."

85. 86. 87. 88. 89. 90.

八、阅读与回答问题(每小题1分,共5分)

It's helpful to think about the following before you take a trip.

Choose where you want to go. When people think to themselves, "I want to take a trip," usually they have a place in mind. Where is yours? Try to make it a specific (确切的) as possible. "London" is a lot easier to plan than "England".

Keep in mind weather conditions, kinds of activity for fun (beaches, culture, shopping). What clothes are right for you? What is needed there?

Choose when you want to go. This will be decided by a number of things, but mostly your plan.

How much time can you take off work?

Do you want to go during the off-season or while tourism is in high season? The off-season will offer discounts(打折), but it will also mean closed doors.

When it comes to weather, do you want to travel in winter or the rainy season? How about when it's hot?

And there is ticket price---if you're flying, when is it the cheapest to fly?

Book flights and hotels. Once you're exactly sure of where, when and how you want to go, book your

flight and hotel. For flights, book around two months out. And don't wait till the last minute for your hotels either—you don't want them to be booked or almost-booked (because then prices rise quickly)

Pack (装进, 收拾行李) light. No one has ever said to themselves while on vacation, "I'm so glad I packed all my things." Leave space for shopping and buying souvenirs. Moreover, travelling with lots of luggage (行李) restricts (限制, 约束) your movement and causes discomfort—you'll be moving around a lot, and it'll only be cumbersome (笨重的). Only pack what you need.

91. How many tips for travelling are mentioned (提及) in this passage?

92. What should you think about first before you take a trip according to the passage?

93. What should you do if you are sure of where, when and how you want to go?

94. Why should you travel with light luggage?

95. What's the passage mainly about? (自拟一句作答)

九、书面表达 (10 分)

假如你是 Kitty, 请根据提示给你的朋友 Amy 写一封邮件, 介绍你到扬州的旅行。

要求: 意思连贯、符合逻辑、不少于 80 词。

时间	寒假	交通	长途汽车
地点	扬州	车程	两个半小时
人物	我和父母		
事件	参观景点	中国园林: 个园(Ge Garden)、何园(He Garden)——欣赏美景, 拍照, 瘦西湖(Slender West Lake)——.....	
	其它活动	参观博物馆, 购物, 品尝美食	
感受	玩得开心	

Dear Amy,

How are you? We haven't seen each other for a long time. I miss you so much.

Hope to see you soon.

Yours,

Kitty

参考答案

听力材料:

1. W: Which country will you visit?

M: Denmark.

2. M: How was the meeting, Sandy?

W: The meeting was good, but the trip wasn't. I didn't sleep well on the train.

3. M: Today I saw many dancers in the parade in the street.

W: Me too. In the parade I saw Mickey Mouse wave to me.

4. M: Your brother is coming from New York. When will you meet him at the airport?

W: At a quarter to three this afternoon.

5. W: Do you play computer games every day?

M: No. I often use my computer to search for information.

6. M: I hear your father works in Paris.

W: No. That was five years ago. Since then he has worked in New York.

7. M: Have you finished your Maths homework, Helen?

W: Not yet. I really don't know how to do it.

8. M: Ladies and gentlemen, Flight seven three, three one, to Shanghai will take off in 15 minutes. Please get on board.

W: Oh, God! It's already seven o'clock. We must hurry up!

9. M: What about going walking after dinner this evening?

W: Well, I will go with you if you really want to, but I'm a little tired.

10. M: What can I do when my baby is crying?

W: A doll with beautiful clothes may help.

第二部分: 你将听到一段对话和两篇短文, 各听两遍。请选出你认为最合适的答案。

听下面一段对话, 回答第 11 至 12 小题。

M: Excuse me, Kitty! Where were you born?

W: I was born in Sydney.

M: How long did you live there?

W: I lived there until I was four years old. Then my family moved to Beijing.

M: What does your father do?

W: He sells computers.

M: Which place do you like better, Sydney or Beijing?

W: I can't remember the life in Sydney very well. I like living in Beijing a lot.

听下面一篇短文，回答第 13 至第 15 小题。选择正确答案，完成信息记录表。

听第 2 段材料完成信息记录表。

My friends and I spent a few weeks in London last year. We went in autumn. We think it's the best season to visit England. The weather is usually quite good and there aren't too many visitors in October. We did most of our sightseeing on foot. We went to look at the places that all visitors see. What we liked most was going to the theatre. We don't have the chance to see such wonderful plays at home. A lot of people say English food is very bad. We didn't think so. It's true that most of the restaurants are French, Italian or Chinese, but we had some very good meals.

听第 3 段材料，回答第 16-20 小题。

Hi! I'm David. My uncle has been working in Shanghai for more than 20 years. I visited him during the holiday. He has seen the city's changes. He told me that twenty years ago, the buildings were small and dark. People lived in small rooms and didn't have enough to eat. But China has developed quickly in recent years. The new buildings are tall and bright. More and more ring roads have appeared. Many people have moved into modern flats. The traffic is much better than before. Shanghai has successfully hosted the two thousand and ten World Expo. People are living more comfortably. China has made such great progress. I think it is very important to remember the past, live in the present and dream about the future.

Unit 2 参考答案:

一、听力 1-5 CCBCA 6-10 BABAC 11-15 BCCAC 16-20 BACBB

二、单项选择 21-25 CCCBD 26-30 CBCAB 31-35 DADBA

三、完形填空 36-40 DCDAB 41-45 CABDB 46-50 BDACD

四、阅读理解 51-53 CBD 54-56 CDB 57-60 CBCD

五、词汇

61-65 direct, except, couple, delicious, dead

66-70 beauty, travelling/traveling, business, themselves, fortieth

71-75 am going to visit/will visit, taught, married, has gone, was writing

六、句型转换 76-80 been on, How many, hurried to, Has yet, What an

七、短文填空

81-84 fantastic, speed, parade, magic 85-90 comfortable horses kind so took answered

八、阅读与回答问题

91. Five.

92. I should choose what I want to go.
93. I should book my flight and hotel.
94. Because travelling with heavy luggage restricts my movement and causes discomfort.
95. How to plan a trip. /What to do before taking a trip.

九、书面表达

Dear Amy,

How are you? We haven't seen each other for a long time. I miss you so much.

During the winter holiday, my parents and I paid a visit to Yangzhou/travelled to Yangzhou. It took us two and a half hours to get there by coach/take a coach there.

There are lots of places of interest to visit in Yangzhou, especially Chinese gardens. The next day, we visited Ge Garden and He Garden. In the gardens, we couldn't stop taking photos when we enjoyed the beautiful views. Moreover, we learned a lot about the history of the gardens by listening to the tour guide. On the third day, we went to Slender West Lake. We rowed boats on the lake and took a lot of photos there. On the fourth day, we visited museums and did some shopping. I bought a lot of presents for my friends and relatives. Later in the afternoon, we tasted some delicious food in the restaurants./we went to a Chinese restaurant and had a delicious meal. The food there is really nice.

We had a fantastic time in Yangzhou. I enjoyed this trip very much. I hope to visit it again some day.

Hope to see you soon.

Yours,

Kitty