

初三第二次适应性练习 英语试卷 2023 年 4 月

注意事项：1、答题前，考生务必将自己的姓名、考试号和班级写在答题卷上。
2、本试卷满分 100 分，考试时间 100 分钟。

第 I 卷（客观题 共 50 分）

一、单项选择 在 A、B、C、D 四个选项中，选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项，并在答题卡上将该项涂黑。（本大题共 14 小题，每小题 1 分，共 14 分）

- _____ that Tony missed the concert he had looked forward to!
A. What shame B. What a shame C. How shame D. How a shame
- You can never expect a 3-year-old kid to sit _____ the chat show.
A. on B. till C. between D. through
- Let's discuss _____ teenagers born in the 2010s are different from their parents.
A. how B. where C. what D. when
- We tried to calm down the couple without hurting the feeling of _____, but failed.
A. every B. either C. both D. neither
- The president promised he himself _____ the opening ceremony.
A. attended B. had attended C. would attend D. will attend
- Look! There's an island over there.
— Yes. It's too far away from the land. I think it must be _____ visited.
A. often B. always C. usually D. seldom
- How is your tour around the lake? Is it beautiful?
— It _____ be, but it is now seriously polluted.
A. should B. might C. must D. can
- I stayed up to finish my report last night and I feel very tired.
— Take a break. _____.
A. Better late than never B. Don't put all the eggs in one basket
C. Don't burn the candle at both ends D. The early bird catches the worm
- It is never _____ prepare for a wonderful life in senior high.
A. too late to B. late enough to C. too early to D. early enough to
- If you miss this chance, it must be years _____ you get another one.
A. since B. after C. until D. before
- It's said that the electric cars will make a valuable _____ to the environment.
A. direction B. contribution C. situation D. condition
- The police did not arrest the surgeon because they never doubted _____ the case.
A. that he had nothing to do with B. whether he had nothing to do with
C. that he had anything to do with D. if he had anything to do with

13. Give me the name of one of your relatives who can be _____ if you want to join us.
A. confirmed B. contacted C. communicated D. connected
14. — Sir, would you please spare me a few minutes? I have some questions about the survey.
— _____.
A. Sure, go ahead B. Never mind C. It's a pleasure D. Help yourself

二、完形填空 先通读下面的短文，掌握其大意，然后在每小题所给的四个选项中，选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项，并在答题卡上将该项涂黑。（本大题共 10 小题，每小题 1 分，共 10 分）

After ten years in the same company, I found my job was no longer fun. However, I didn't have the confidence to look for new jobs because of lack of experience. I felt ____15____.

A friend suggested another path — ____16____. I had toyed with the idea of studying for a master's degree but ____17____ stood in my way. Yet I found a course at London College of Communication, gave up my job and entered my college.

During the 18 months that followed, I began to flourish. Not only had I found the courage to take my ____18____ forward in a new, exciting direction, ____19____ the self-doubt that had followed me around like a shadow began to disappear gradually. My classmates and I treated each other as equals. Younger students thought my experience and knowledge were of great value when it came to group work. I made new friends and joined committees.

I also decided to move out of home. Living in student halls was a(n) ____20____. The hall life added to my sense of independence and, with it, confidence. I was ____21____ new things every day. Even making myself a meal or ____22____ my small living space felt rewarding.

Soon after completing my master's, I made my way back through the university gates — this time to ____23____. I am now a professor of the same course that I took. I look back on the person I was before and smile — she didn't yet know her ____24____.

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| 15. A. stuck | B. guilty | C. curious | D. drunk |
| 16. A. vocation | B. nomination | C. education | D. location |
| 17. A. self-doubt | B. family | C. job | D. experience |
| 18. A. knowledge | B. interest | C. belief | D. life |
| 19. A. so | B. but | C. and | D. as |
| 20. A. problem | B. experience | C. mess | D. failure |
| 21. A. copying | B. missing | C. learning | D. ordering |
| 22. A. keeping | B. imagining | C. growing | D. managing |
| 23. A. visit | B. teach | C. exercise | D. interview |
| 24. A. worth | B. decision | C. duty | D. career |

三、阅读理解 阅读下面的短文，然后根据短文内容，在每小题所给的四个选项中选出最佳选项，并在答题卡上将该项涂黑。（本大题共 13 小题，每小题 2 分，共 26 分）

A

Drug Facts Active ingredient <i>(in each caplet)</i> Acetaminophen 500 mg.....Pain reliever/fever reducer	Drug Facts (continued) Stop use and ask a doctor if ■ pain gets worse or lasts more than 10 days ■ fever gets worse or lasts more than 3 days ■ new symptoms occur ■ redness or swelling is present These could be signs of a serious condition.				
Uses ■ temporarily relieves minor aches and pains due to: ■ the common cold ■ headache ■ minor pain of arthritis ■ backache ■ muscular aches ■ toothache ■ premenstrual and menstrual cramps ■ temporarily reduces fever	If pregnant or breast-feeding , ask a health professional before use. Keep out of reach of children. Overdose warning: In case of overdose, get medical help or contact a Poison Control Center right away (1-800-222-1222). Quick medical attention is critical for adults as well as for children even if you do not notice any signs or symptoms.				
Warnings Liver warning: This product contains acetaminophen. Severe liver damage may occur if you take ■ more than 4,000 mg of acetaminophen in 24 hours ■ with other drugs containing acetaminophen ■ 3 or more alcoholic drinks every day while using this product Allergy alert: Acetaminophen may cause severe skin reactions. Symptoms may include: ■ skin reddening ■ blisters ■ rash If a skin reaction occurs, stop use and seek medical help right away. Do not use ■ with any other drug containing acetaminophen (prescription or nonprescription). If you are not sure whether a drug contains acetaminophen, ask a doctor or pharmacist. ■ if you have ever had an allergic reaction to this product or any of its ingredients Ask a doctor before use if you have liver disease Ask a doctor or pharmacist before use if you are taking the blood thinning drug warfarin	Directions ■ do not take more than directed (see overdose warning) <table border="1"> <tr> <td>adults and children 12 years and over</td> <td> ■ take 2 caplets every 6 hours while symptoms last ■ do not take more than 6 caplets in 24 hours, unless directed by a doctor ■ do not use for more than 10 days unless directed by a doctor </td> </tr> <tr> <td>children under 12 years</td> <td>ask a doctor</td> </tr> </table> Other information ■ store at 20-25°C (68-77°F) Inactive ingredients camauba wax, corn starch*, croscarmellose sodium*, hypromellose, polyethylene glycol, povidone, pregelatinized starch, sodium starch glycolate*, stearic acid *may contain one or more of these ingredients Questions or comments? 1-800-719-9260	adults and children 12 years and over	■ take 2 caplets every 6 hours while symptoms last ■ do not take more than 6 caplets in 24 hours, unless directed by a doctor ■ do not use for more than 10 days unless directed by a doctor	children under 12 years	ask a doctor
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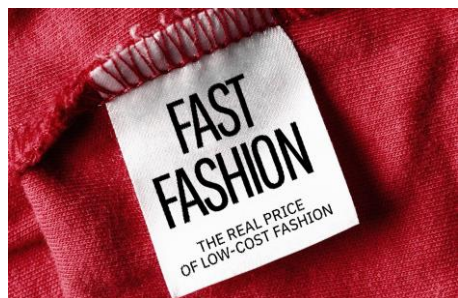
25. The picture above is a(n) _____.
 A. instruction B. suggestion C. notice D. advertisement
26. How many caplets can a 12-year-old boy take one day if he doesn't ask a doctor?
 A. 2. B. 4. C. 6. D. 8.
27. What can be learned about the drug?
 A. We must put it in the fridge.
 B. We can not use it to treat backache.
 C. We can use it without asking a doctor if we have liver disease.
 D. We must stop using it and ask a doctor if fever lasts over three days.

B

If you're like many teens, you probably spend a great deal of your money on clothes. But when the COVID-19 pandemic hit, clothing sales fell. Now holiday sales might tempt you with deals on the latest styles. Yet many of these bargains (便宜货) have hidden costs for the environment — and your wallet.

“Fast fashion” refers to how the clothing industry quickly produces lots of cheap clothes and gets them to stores every few weeks. The practice lets shoppers buy new styles all the time. And clothes prices are low. But many of these clothes

quickly wear out or go out of style. Their price tags also don't include all of the clothes'



environmental costs.

“The problem starts with how we think about fashion,” says Kirsi Niinimäki. She’s a fashion, textile and design researcher. “Everyone nowadays owns too many clothes. And we use them a really short time and then dispose of them,” she says. Even if something stays in your closet for years, you might only end up wearing it some 40 times.

Kirsi was part of a team that looked at many studies on the environmental costs of the fashion industry. They found that this industry caused 8 to 10 percent of the global emissions of carbon dioxide, a greenhouse gas. The industry is also responsible (有责任的) for about one-fifth of the world’s industrial water pollution. And people produce more than 92 million metric tons of textile and clothing waste each year, the team found. Its report appeared in the April issue of *Nature Reviews*.

Fashion is a global industry, as Pietra Rivoli learned. She’s an economist at Georgetown University. Rivoli bought a cotton T-shirt in Florida. The tag said it was made in China. But, she learned, the factory had gotten most of its cotton from Texas. Used or unwanted T-shirts are often popular in Africa. There, people sold them for reuse. She wrote about her findings in *The Travels of a T-Shirt in the Global Economy*.

The journey of your own clothes from fiber to finished products comes with environmental costs. Scientists and engineers have been working on ways to limit some of these influences.

28. The underlined phrase “dispose of” means “_____”.

- A. own B. wear C. reuse D. throw away

29. Which of the following statements is **TRUE**?

- A. The fashion industry wastes resources and increases the greenhouse effects.
B. The fashion industry has caused about 50% of the world’s industrial water pollution.
C. The fashion industry isn’t responsible for the global emissions of a greenhouse gas.
D. People produce less than 92 million metric tons of unwanted or used clothes each year.

30. What may be discussed in the following paragraph?

- A. Reasons why the fashion industry causes great harm to the environment.
B. The importance of reducing the environmental costs of the fashion industry.
C. Methods of reducing the environmental costs of the fashion industry.
D. Pietra Rivoli’s new findings in *The Travels of a T-Shirt in the Global Economy*.

C

Buck’s first day in the frozen Northland was terrible. Every hour there was filled with shock and frightening surprise. Here was neither peace, nor rest, nor a moment’s safety—only endless noise and movement. At every moment life itself was in danger, because these dogs and men were not town dogs and men. They knew only the law of club and tooth.

Buck had never seen dogs fight like these dogs: they were like wolves. He learnt this from his friend, Curly. She tried to make friends with a big dog. But without warning, the dog jumped on Curly. Curly’s face was torn open from eye to mouth. And the fight did not finish then. More dogs ran up and made a circle around the fight, watching silently. Curly tried to attack the dog who had bitten her. He bit her a second time, and jumped away. When Curly tried to attack again, he knocked her backwards. And she fell on the ground. Curly never stood up, and this was what the other dogs were waiting for. In a moment, she was under a crowd of dogs. Then Francois and

other men with clubs jumped in among the dogs. Soon the dogs were chased away. But Curly lay dead in the snow, her body torn almost to pieces. Curly's death often came back to Buck in his dreams. He understood that once a dog was down on the ground, he was dead.

That night Buck discovered a problem. Where was he going to sleep? He found Francois was in the tent. Buck followed him quietly. But when he went in and wanted to sleep in the corner, Francois shouted angrily and beat him with a club. Buck ran out and walked around the tent, very, very cold, wondering what to do. Suddenly, the snow under his feet fell in, and he felt something move. He jumped back, waiting for the attack, but heard only a friendly bark. There, in a warm hole under the snow, was Billee. So he knew what he could do. ▲. He slept well, although his dreams were bad.

In the north, Buck was learning the law of club and tooth. He learnt to eat any food — anything that he could get his teeth into. He learnt to break the ice on water holes with his feet when he wanted to drink. He learnt to travel through the forest and kill for meat with wild dogs. He was stronger, and could see and smell better than ever before. It was easy for him to learn to fight like a wolf, because it was in his blood.

31. Curly's death made Buck realize _____ in the north.
 ①how terrible the new life was ②the secret of winning a friend
 ③how dangerous the men were ④the importance of fighting like wolves
 A. ①② B. ②③ C. ①④ D. ③④
32. Which of the following can be put in ▲.
 A. Buck slept outside the tent silently
 B. Buck lay on the snow and finally fell asleep
 C. Buck ran into the tent secretly and rested in the corner
 D. Buck dug himself a hole and soon was warm and asleep
33. What's the best title for the passage?
 A. The way to be wild. B. A cold world for dogs.
 C. The terrible days. D. A clever dog.

D

When it comes to a meaningful life, we might think of love, happiness and health. A life filled with meaning is what most of us want for ourselves. Then, what makes a meaningful life?

Many researchers agree that a meaningful life comes down to three factors (因素): having long-term goals, believing that one's life matters, and feeling that one's life fits together and "makes sense".

But we believe there is more to consider. Sometimes life enables us to experience small moments of beauty. When people are open to appreciating (欣赏) such experiences, these moments may improve how they see their own life. We call this experiential appreciation (EA). EA is about the person feeling connected to events and being able to appreciate the value within the connection. It shows the discovery of and admiration for life's beauty.

We recently set out to better understand EA in studies. We were interested in whether EA was also tied to general judgment (评价) of meaning in life. If so, it could be a factor for meaningfulness.

In the first study, we had people rate (评估) their support for different methods of reducing

stress. We found that people who managed stress by focusing on their appreciation for life's beauty also reported experiencing life as highly meaningful.

In the next study, we asked people to rate the degree to which they agreed with different statements, such as "I appreciate the beauty of life" and "I appreciate little things in life", as well as other statements that related to the three factors. Our results showed that the more people reported that they were appreciating life, the more they felt their life was valuable.

In the following studies, we further looked at the connection between EA and meaningfulness. For example, we found that people who were asked to look back on the most meaningful event of the past week generally reported high EA in those moments.

All the results proved our guess true. But putting it into practice can be difficult. Our fast-paced lifestyles fill the day with goals. We try to get the highest output both at work and in spare time. This focus on future outcomes makes it all too easy to miss what is happening right now. We should slow down and let life surprise us.

34. You were probably in the EA condition when _____.
 - A. you made a travel plan for the coming holiday
 - B. you hurried to serve the customers in the store
 - C. you practiced hard to become the best violinist
 - D. you stopped to admire the roses by the roadside
35. What can we learn from the studies mentioned in the passage?
 - A. Thinking back to the past weakens our sense of meaning.
 - B. Enjoying small things can influence our attitude toward life.
 - C. Proper stress management is the key to living a satisfying life.
 - D. Good judgment on beauty improves connections among people.
36. What does the last paragraph mainly tell us?
 - A. It is easier for results-driven people to achieve success.
 - B. We often turn a blind eye to the present moment.
 - C. A fast-paced lifestyle helps us reach our goals.
 - D. Future life will bring us many more surprises.
37. Why did the author write this passage?
 - A. To explain how to discover beauty in life.
 - B. To discuss what the true meaning of life is.
 - C. To introduce a new factor for a meaningful life.
 - D. To compare different factors for meaningfulness.

第 II 卷（主观题 共 50 分）

四、词汇运用（本大题共 8 小题，每小题 1 分，共 8 分）

(A) 根据句意和汉语注释，在答题卡对应题号的横线上，写出单词的正确形式。

38. Nearly 10% of the Earth's _____(表层) is covered by ice.
39. To be honest, I've never found a diet that really _____(奏效).
40. The world-famous group I like best will have a new song _____(录制).
41. Zoe was still only half _____(醒着的) when I brought her a cup of coffee.

(B) 根据句意，在答题卡对应题号的横线上，写出括号内所给单词的适当形式。

42. Breathing _____(heavy), Leo stopped and sat down to rest.

43. Ivan has a _____(live) mind in everything than his playmates.

44. The free trade _____(agree) were finally reached during a meeting at the UN.

45. Kids should be taught where to go into _____(hide) if an earthquake happens.

五、动词填空 用括号内所给动词的适当形式填空，并将答案写在答题卡对应题号的横线上。（本大题共 8 小题，每小题 1 分，共 8 分）

46. — Please pour me a cup of tea.

— Tea? I thought you _____(prefer) hot chocolate.

47. — What's the noise? It nearly drives me mad.

— Oh, more than one engineer _____(test) the machine over there.

48. Listening to music is good for your mind and your body also _____(relax).

49. — Linda, what would you like to make for our party?

— A delicious pancake. In fact, I _____(finish) making it.

50. _____(connect) the village with the outside world, a new road will be built soon.

51. Development in areas of natural beauty _____(control) in the next few years.

52. — Daniel, do you think the rain forests will disappear one day?

— Unless humans _____(stop) from cutting down trees from now on.

53. — Please tell us what really happened.

— Oh, I _____(not pay) attention, and I hit a parked car.

六、阅读填空 先通读下面的短文，然后根据短文内容，在文章后表格的空格内填入一个最恰当的单词。所填单词必须写在答题卡对应题号的横线上。每个空格只能填一个单词。（本大题共 5 小题，每空 1 分，共 5 分）

To live better in the fast-developing new world, we need to develop many kinds of skills. Some, like ICT skills and knowledge of the digital world are well taught in schools. But some other basic skills are not paid much attention to. These skills are also important because employers may ask you questions about them in interviews. So it's a good idea to think about how good you are at these skills.

Imagination

In the age of technology, it is no longer enough to keep on making the same products. Employers need people who can come up with new ways and new ideas. They may ask you to think of some improvements.

Problem solving

Employers need workers with abilities to see problems before they happen. More importantly, they should come up with creative solutions. Imagine you are organizing a social event. Think of some problems that you could probably face. Can you think of new ways to solve them?

Communication

Workers will have to be good communicators. They will have to be able to discuss key problems with other workers. Also they need to write in a clear way without too many words. After all, people need to communicate with each other in quite different ways in the new world.

Critical analysis (批判性分析)

Workers should be able to tell if some information is true or false. Imagine you are asked to use the Internet to find out some information about a famous person. Can you check the information by searching different websites?

Decision making

Workers need to have a growing amount of responsibility. It is important to make decisions on what to do and not to do in different situations.

Title: Some basic skills		
Introduction	Developing many kinds of skills is <u>54</u> in the world.	
Skills	Imagination	We'd better come up with ways to improve the products.
	Problem solving	It's of <u>55</u> that we can find new ways to deal with the problems.
	Communication	We need to talk about important problems with others and write <u>56</u> with few words as well.
	Critical analysis	When we search the Internet, we are <u>57</u> to have the ability to tell the information.
	Decision making	A strong <u>58</u> of responsibility is important for us to make decisions.

七、完成句子 按所给的汉语，用英语完成下列句子，并将答案写在答题卡对应题号的横线上。（本大题共 6 小题，每小题 1.5 分，共 9 分）

59. 我的经验意味着我比对手有很多优势。

My experience meant that I _____ my opponent.

60. 如何回复这些投诉信值得三思。

How to reply to these complaint letters _____.

61. 他们还未决定何时给获胜者们颁发奖牌。

They have not decided when _____ the medals.

62. ChatGPT 引起大众的关注有多久了？

How long _____ the public?

63. 除非你控制好情绪，否则我们不会开展这项计划。

We _____ you control your moods well.

64. 杨紫琼在影片中成功塑造了一个母亲的角色，因此获得了奥斯卡最佳女主角。

Michelle Yeoh played _____ in the film that she won the Oscar for Best Actress.

八、书面表达（本大题共 20 分）

生活中充满美好的事物，需要品味，更值得分享。相信你也有想和我们一起分享的东西，比如：趣事、美食、电影、电视、旅游……，请你以“_____ I'd like to share with you”为题写一篇短文，来参加我们的征文比赛吧！内容须包括：介绍一个你想分享的东西，说说你分享的理由。

注意事项：

1. 短文须自拟，要求语句通顺、意思连贯、符合题意；
2. 词数在 100 个左右；
3. 短文中不得使用真实的个人及学校信息；
4. 短文必须写在答题卡指定的位置。