

江苏省天一中学 2023-2024 学年第一学期期中考试

高一英语学科

第一部分 听力(共两节, 满分 30 分)

做题时, 先将答案标在试卷上。录音内容结束后, 你将有两分钟的时间将试卷上的答案转涂到答题卡上。

第一节(共 5 小题;每小题 1.5 分, 满分 7.5 分)

听下面 5 段对话。每段对话后有一个小题, 从题中所给的 A、B、C 三个选项中选出最佳选项。听完每段对话后, 你都有 10 秒钟的时间来回答有关小题和阅读下一小题。每段对话仅读一遍。

1. What will the boy do first?

A. Play football. B. Go to the cinema. C. Finish his homework.

2. Where is the necklace now?

A. In the kitchen. B. In the bedroom. C. In the sitting room.

3. What is the woman probably related to Henry?

A. His wife. B. His boss. C. His colleague.

4. What is the woman going to do next?

A. Go to the restaurant. B. Type the document. C. See a dentist.

5. What does the man mean?

A. He missed the TV program.

B. He doesn't like the program at all.

C. He experiences a power failure every night.

第二节(共 15 小题;每小题 1.5 分, 满分 22.5 分)

听下面 5 段对话或独白。每段对话或独白后有几个小题, 从题中所给的 A、B、C 三个选项中选出最佳选项。听每段对话或独白前, 你将有时间阅读各个小题, 每小题 5 秒钟;听完后, 各小题将给出 5 秒钟的作答时间。每段对话或独白读两遍。

听第 6 段材料, 回答第 6、7 题。

6. How much did the flowers cost according to the man?

A. 35 dollars. B. Too much money. C. Little but worth it.

7. What does the man think of the woman?

A. Considerate. B. Special. C. Meaningful.

听下面一段对话, 回答第 8 至 9 题。

8. What's wrong with the woman's room?
A. It's a little dark. B. It's smelly. C. It's not quiet.
9. What is the woman's final decision?
A. Moving to another room.
B. Checking in another hotel.
C. Waiting for a non-smoking room.

听下面一段对话，回答第 10 至 12 题。

10. Whom does the woman choose jewelry for?
A. Herself. B. Her friend. C. Her mother.
11. What does the woman want to buy?
A. A ring of size 6 and a long necklace.
B. A ring of size 7 and a short necklace.
C. A ring of size 7 and a long necklace.
12. What do we know about the necklace?
A. It's cheaper than the ring.
B. Its price depends on its quality.
C. The longer one is more expensive than the shorter one.

听下面一段对话，回答以下 13 至 16 题。

13. When can people enjoy the art exhibition?
A. On Monday. B. On Tuesday. C. On Thursday.
14. How does this year's ballet performance differ from that of last year?
A. Admission is free.
B. It will be at the theater. ?
C. There will be two performances.
15. Where will the mask party be held?
A. In the piazza. B. In the concert hall. C. In the theater.
16. How much is a family ticket for The Little Prince?
A. \$8. B. \$10. C. \$15.

听下面一段独白，回答 17 至 20 题。

17. Who usually reads the morning announcements?
A. Mr. McKinney. B. Timmy. C. Principal Johnson.

18. When is the last day of school?

A. May 20th. B. Next Wednesday. C. One month from today.

19. For what does the speaker apologize?

A. The computers. B. The homework. C. The library hours.

20. What will take place on Saturday afternoon?

A. A softball game. B. A baseball game. C. A basketball game.

第二部分：阅读理解(共 20 小题，每小题 2.5 分，满分 50 分)

第一节(共 15 小题,每小题 2.5 分,满分 37.5 分)

阅读下列材料，从每题所给的四个选项(A、B、C 和 D)中，选出最佳选项，并在答题纸上将该选项标号涂黑。

A

City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks

Park Services Division Park Film Office

PARK ACTIVITY MONITOR

Salary-\$21.17 per hour

Job Location

Travel and work in any location within the City of Los Angeles Recreation and Parks

Job Description

Park Activity Monitor is a part-time, on-call, as needed position. Park Activity Monitors are responsible for overseeing (监督) film production companies, students, press, and non-profit organizations that have been issued a permit (许可证) to film at the City of Los Angeles Recreation and Parks.

Job Activities

ensuring rules are being followed

foreseeing safety issues or unusual conditions

preventing damage by users

providing gate and traffic monitoring

communicating with event organizers, city personnel and other monitors

checking and determining acceptability of completed work after activities

Required Skills

Applicants must be professional, polite, and dependable, and customer service focused. Must work with large groups and have excellent written and spoken communication skills, Monitors must be able to work independently

with little of ne direct instruction.

Qualifications (资格)

Applicants must have a high school diploma and be at least 18 years of age

A valid California Class C Driver License

Must be able to physically function in poor working conditions out of doors, have good hearing and ability to stand and walk for long periods

How to Apply

Send a resume (简历) to darin.nakamura@lacity.org, lesley.garcia@lacity.org and nicole.robottom@lacity.org or by mail to Park Film Office, 4730 Crystal Springs Drive, Los Angeles, CA 90027.

1. What do we learn about the job?

- A. It pays by the day.
- B. It is a weekend job.
- C. It is limited to a park
- D. It may be done at any time.

2. Which of the following is an activity the Monitor should do?

- A. Stopping users causing damage.
- B. Giving permits to film companies.
- C. Helping with the making of rules
- D. Ensuring traffic safety during filming.

3. What should an applicant be able to do?

- A. Have great reading skills.
- B. Direct large `groups easily.
- C. Have good communication skills.
- D. Drive with confidence from experience.

B

In university I had a part-time job at a shop that sold doughnuts and coffee. Situated on a block where several buses stopped, it served the people who had a few minutes to wait for their bus.

Every afternoon around four o'clock, a group of schoolchildren would burst into the shop, and business would come to a stop. Adults would glance in, see the crowd and pass on. But I didn't mind if the children waited for their bus inside. Sometimes I would hand out a bus fare when a ticket went missing — always repaid the next day. On snowy days I would give away some doughnuts. I would lock the door at closing time, and we waited in the warm shop until their bus finally arrived.

I enjoyed my young friends, but it never occurred to me that I played an important role in their lives — until one afternoon when a man came and asked if I was the girl working on weekends around four o'clock. He identified himself as the father of two of my favorites.

“I want you to know I appreciate what you do for my children. I worry about them taking two buses to get home. It means a lot that they can wait here and you keep an eye on them. When they are with the doughnut lady, I know they are safe,” I told him it wasn't a big deal, and that I enjoyed the kids.

So I was the Doughnut Lady. I not only received a title, but became a landmark.

Now I think about all the people who keep an eye on my own children. They become, well, Doughnut Ladies. Like the men at the skating rink (滑冰场) who let my boys ring home. Or the bus driver who drove my daughter to her stop at the end of the route at night but wouldn't leave until I arrived to pick her up. Or that nice police officer who took pity on my boys walking home in the rain when I was at work — even though the phone rang all the next day with calls from curious neighbors. “Was that a police car I saw at your house last night?”

That wasn't a police car. That was a Doughnut Lady.

4. According to the passage, the author sometimes _____ .

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| A. Sold bus tickets to the children. | B. Did business with the children's help. |
| C. Provided schoolchildren with warm shelters. | D. Called the children's parents to pick them up. |

5. By saying “... it wasn't a big deal,” (in paragraph 4) the author meant that _____ .

- A. She hadn't done anything very significant.
- B. She hadn't made a lot of money from the children.
- C. She hadn't spent plenty of time with the children.
- D. She hadn't found it hard to get along with the children.

6. According to the author, those who _____ are Doughnut Ladies.

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| A. work in the doughnut store for a while | B. are always ready to extend a helping hand |
| C. provide free doughnut store for the door | D. are curious about the happenings around |

7. What does the passage suggest?

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| A. Taking responsibility is a virtue. | B. Devotion co-exists with reward. |
| C. Running a business requires skills. | D. Acts of kindness are never too small. |

C

Jace Tunnell, the founder of Nurdle I troll and Reserve Director at the University of Texas Marine Science Institute, is listening to the same question often.

“I hear every day, somebody says, ‘What is a nurdle?’” he said.

Tunnell explained nurdles are tiny balls of plastic that are typically used to make almost every plastic item we use, so they’re everywhere! He said nurdles are usually spilled (溢出) during transport from cargo ships or railroad cars. “These things would be out here for hundreds of years if we’re not picking them up,” Tunnell said while on a recent Nurdle Patrol cleanup along Galveston Bay.

Since 2018, Nurdle Patrol has grown to thousands of volunteers worldwide. Many people -volunteer with Nurdle Patrol and work for the Galveston Bay Foundation. Nurdle Patrol groups upload their findings to the nonprofit’s website map. It’s marked in colors to show where the highest concentration of nurdles is found.

“They look natural, and birds think that they’re food,” Tunnell said, “Birds, fish, sea turtles and other sea animals can eat nurdles and finally die from hunger because of a false sensation of fullness and lack of nutrition.”

I ended up finding 123 nurdles in 10 minutes. That’s high concentration,” Tunnell said about a recent cleanup. “I plan to take those to an elected official and say, ‘Look, these are what I found on our beaches here. We need to do something about this.’ So, it kind of puts in motion change that can happen.”

Nurdle Patrol has sent out hundreds of kits (工具包) globally, many to schools and volunteer organizations, with information about gathering nurdles and reporting the findings safely. Anyone can request a kit through their website.

8. What do we know about the nurdle?

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| A. It is easily broken down. | B. It is a small piece of plastic. |
| C. It was invented by Tunnell. | D. It is mainly used to make ships. |

9. What do Tunnell’s words in paragraph 5 mainly stress?

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| A. The unique look of nurdles. | B. The number of nurdles in the sea. |
| C. Nurdles’ harm to sea animals’ food. | D. Nurdles’ impact on sea animals. |

10. What does Tunnell want to do?

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| A. Draw a map of nurdles’ concentration. | B. Call the government’s attention to nurdles. |
| C. Organize more cleanups along the beaches. | D. Share his findings on Nurdle Patrol’s website. |

11. What is the best title for the text?

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| A. Group surveys the level of pollution in the sea | B. Group takes action to reduce the use of plastics |
| C. Group tries to deal with pollutant harming wildlife | D. Group looks for volunteers for its beach cleanups |

D

A recent survey found children would rather be online influencers than astronauts. It made headlines and led to

plenty of complaints about “kids these days”. Is influencing a promising career path? The lifestyles we see advertised on social media are enticing, but under the shining appearance lie uncertain income, pay inequality, disability and mental health issues.

Successful influencers will be the first to claim that anyone can make it in the industry. However, social media economy experts uncovered a huge income gap between successful influencers and everyone else. For most people trying to become an influencer, their passion projects of content creation often become free work for brands.

Most influencers are self-employed, often experiencing inconsistent income and a lack of protection that comes with long-term employment. The risks of self-employment are increased in the influencer industry by an absence of industry standards and little pay transparency(透明度). Influencers are often forced to assess their own value and determine fees for their work. As a result, content creators often undervalue their own creative labour, and many end up working for free.

Influencers are also often at the mercy of algorithms (运算法则) — the behind-the-scenes computer programs that determine which posts are shown, in which order, to users. Platforms share little detail about their algorithms, yet they finally determine who and what gains visibility and influence on social media, the threat of invisibility is a constant source of insecurity for influencers, who are under constant pressure to feed platforms with content. If they don't, they may be “punished” by the algorithm-having posts hidden or displayed lower down on search results.

Constant online presence leads to one of the most common issues in the influencer industry: mental health concerns. Influencers can connect to their platform workspaces and audience at any time of day or night, which can lead to them overworking. Coupled with the fear of online criticism, it contributes to mental and physical health issues.

Although becoming an influencer may look appealing to more and more people, the industry's dark underside needs to be made visible and improved through enhanced employment regulation and industry-led cultural change.

12. What does the underlined word “enticing” in paragraph 1 mean?

- A. Imaginative B. Similar C. Traditional D. Attractive

13. What might lead to many influencers undervaluing their creative work?

- A. Their belief in winning through quantity.
B. Money paid by the industry is often hidden.
C. Their eagerness to make their work visible online.
D. There're few employment opportunities in the industry.

14. Why do the influencers feel stressed according to paragraph 4?

- A. They are often punished by platforms.
- B. They have little knowledge of platform algorithm.
- C. They find it difficult to create new content constantly.
- D. They have to work out the order of posts to be displayed.

15. What is the author's purpose in writing this text?

- A. To describe the life of self-employed content creators.
- B. To stress the importance of visibility in the online world.
- C. To reveal relationships between platforms and influencers.
- D. To show the dark side of working as an online content creator.

第二节(共 5 小题;每小题 2.5 分,满分 12.5 分)

阅读下面短文,从短文后的选项中选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项。选项中有两项为多余选项。

Fear of missing out or FOMO is characterized by “a desire to stay continually connected with what others are doing”.

Researchers have found that FOMO leads us to check social media more frequently, leading to a negative cycle that can be hard to break. 16 Your mood will be easily influenced by others and your life starts to be controlled by the outside world. However, the situation can be improved if you take the following advice.

17 Try to reduce our screen time, focus on building your own path to success and do what you like. Live in the moment, you will find nothing is missing out in our life!

It is common to post on social media to keep a record of the fun things you do. 18 If this is the case, you may try to keep a personal journal of your best memories, either online or on paper. Keeping a journal can help you to shift your focus from public approval to private appreciation of the things that make your life great.

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You may find yourself seeking a greater connection when you are feeling depressed or anxious, and this is healthy. Feelings of loneliness are actually our brain's way of telling us that we want to seek out greater connections with others and increase our sense of belonging. 20 Talking with families, making plans with a good friend, or creating a group outing that can help you to shake that feeling that you are missing out.

- A. You actually can't miss anything.
- B. Especially the young are addicted to the social media.
- C. Rather than focusing on what you lack, try noticing what you have.
- D. This shift can sometimes help you to get out of the cycle of FOMO.

- E. As a result, it will lead to feelings of depression, loneliness, and boredom.
- F. However, you may find yourself noticing too much about people's opinion on your experiences online.
- G. Rather than connect with people on social media, why not arrange to meet up with someone in person?

第三部分 语言运用(共两节，满分 30 分)

第一节(共 15 小题;每小题 1 分，满分 15 分)

阅读下面短文，从每题所给的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项。

Whether it is a relaxing walk or a power one, taking a walk usually only lasts a small duration of time. This was not the 21 for Tom Turcich, though.

On April 2, 2015, Tom decided to walk around the world by himself. It wasn't a 22 thought. His childhood friend died 23 at the age of 17 due to a jet ski accident. 24 by how short life was, he was fueled by a strong 25 to live every day to its fullest.

Tom's walk 26 as a lone journey. But quickly, he found himself missing 27 on the road. And so, while making a stop in Austin, Texas, he 28 Savannah, a rescue dog. Since then, the pair have been making their way across borders, continents and seas, 29 25,000 miles in all.

Traveling always has some ups and downs. Tom 30 numerous unexpected delays along the way. He was 31 due to severe weather in Panama and became very ill in Scotland. Also, he had no 32 but to wait out pandemic (疫情) lockdowns in many countries. But on the 33 side, he met many kind people and 34 the beauty of nature in different parts of the world.

Tom 35 something few people have succeeded in, which helped him gain a much larger understanding of the world.

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| A. routine | B. case | C. reason | D. intention |
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| A. novel | B. wise | C. simple | D. sudden |
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| A. unexpectedly | B. instantly | C. eventually | D. undoubtedly |
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| A. Torn | B. Moved | C. Struck | D. Surprised |
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| A. enthusiasm | B. desire | C. pride | D. curiosity |
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- A. started B. progressed C. proved D. remained
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- A. neighborhood B. childhood C. citizenship D. companionship
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- A. found B. spotted C. adopted D. saved
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- A. covering B. measuring C. occupying D. equaling
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- A. responded B. accepted C. experienced D. ignored
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- A. blown away B. carried away C. backed up D. held up
- 32.
- A. responsibility B. option C. right D. opportunity
- 33.
- A. bright B. invisible C. moral D. rough
- 34.
- A. missed B. enjoyed C. recalled D. preserved
- 35.
- A. discovered B. renewed C. suffered D. challenged

第二节 (共 10 小题: 每小题 1.5 分, 满分 15 分)

阅读下面短文, 在空白处填入 1 个适当的单词或括号内单词的正确形式。

Is It the Pig from Angry Birds?

An ancient clay pig statue has become 36 hot topic, for it looked exactly like Green Pig, a main character in Angry Birds, a popular mobile game. The artwork 37 (discover) under the ruins of an ancient settlement 38 (date) back nearly 5,000 years in south-western China.

Archaeologists(考古学家) found the tiny pig statue 39 (accident) while digging in the remains of a small ancient community outside Guanghan in Sichuan province.

The village was situated about eight kilometres outside Sanxingdui, a Bronze Age kingdom. 40 likely came into being around 5,000 years ago, and the pig statue is thought to be 3,200 years old. The pig statue has been described 41 “cute, vivid and delicate” by the researchers, who say it represents the advanced

standards of the region's prehistoric residents.

Chinese Internet users expressed their amazement. On Weibo, one person expressed his 42 (admire) excitedly: "It is the pig from Angry Birds!" Another commenter joked: "The pig in Angry Birds. You have infringed (侵犯) the copyright."

The research team claimed 43 (find) tracks of continuous human activity on this site from 5,000 years ago to the 44 (dynasty) of Ming and Qing. Officials plan to dig 7,000 square metres of the site, which is officially named Guanghan Joint Ruins. By the end of June, they 45 (dig) 4,500 square metres.

第四部分 基础知识(共三节, 满分 25 分)

第一节 单词拼写(共 10 小题;每小题 1 分, 满分 10 分)

46. Universities should be about the _____ (获得) of knowledge, wisdom, and understanding. (根据汉语提示单词拼写)

47. The top one third of all high school g _____ are entitled to an education at California State University. (根据首字母单词拼写)

48. The _____ (日程安排) for the talks has been agreed, but the location is still in dispute. (根据汉语提示单词拼写)

49. Just to give you an example of his g _____ he gave me his old car and wouldn't take any money for it. (根据首字母单词拼写)

50. The 2023 Nobel Prize goes to Katalin Karikó and Drew Weissman in r _____ of their achievement in the field of physiology and medicine. (根据首字母单词拼写)

51. The chances are you haven't fully decided what you want from your career at the moment, in which case you're _____ (绝对地) not cut out to be a boss yet! (根据汉语提示单词拼写)

52. Having a sense of humour is very important because it can help ease the t _____ between people. (根据首字母单词拼写)

53. The youngest child of the family tends to be outgoing, _____ (有冒险精神的), optimistic, creative and less ambitious than others in the family. (根据汉语提示单词拼写)

54. The museum has been equipped with special f _____ for blind and partially sighted visitors. (根据首字母单词拼写)

55. See to it that the frame is _____ (牢固地) fixed to the ground with nails and bolts. (根据汉语提示单词拼写)

第二节 单句语法填空(共 10 小题;每小题 1 分, 满分 10 分)

56. We are all for your proposal that the discussion of the methods to be used in research _____ (put) off till next

Friday.(所给词的适当形式填空)

57. The reputation (名声) of public high schools is usually measured by the number of students _____ high schools send to the best universities.(用适当的词填空)

58. The engineer and his son held frequent meetings _____ (concern) technical problems. (所给词的适当形式填空)

59. This word _____ (origin) from a Latin word and the original meaning is quite different from what it is today. (所给词的适当形式填空)

60. I think we'd better take the subway instead of driving tomorrow to avoid _____ (stick) in the rush hour traffic. (所给词的适当形式填空)

61. English is a “fixed word order” language _____ each phrase has a fixed position.(用适当的词填空)

62. I was so angry that I avoided her during school all day, and I still don't feel like _____ (respond) to any of her online messages. (所给词的适当形式填空)

63. One day in the future, you will find yourself _____ (grow) into a well-rounded individual. (所给词的适当形式填空)

64. Though badly _____ (fright), she remained outwardly composed. (所给词的适当形式填空)

65. Why can't you realize the part _____ they have played in our life?(用适当的词填空)

第三节 选词填空(共 10 小题;每小题 0.5 分, 满分 5 分)

选择方框中的短语, 并用其适当形式填空(有弱项多余)

take advantage of lay out shoot up think through pick up the pieces
in the wrong on the rocks in full measure hang over guard against live up to

66. Now India is opening its markets and participating in the world economy _____ .

67. I need to have a chance to get my head together and _____ everything.

68. There's still a big question mark _____ him about his future with the team.

69. The buildings in this area are _____ in an orderly fashion.

70. He said he would try his best to _____ the praise and make Chinese culture known to the world.

71. _____ the two-day holiday, he basked in the spring sunshine with his family.

72. The value of the painting by the French artist _____ over the past few years.

73. He realized he was _____ and promised to turn over a new leaf.

74. You must wash your hands when preparing food to _____ spreading disease.

75. I need some time to _____ of my life after the accident.

第五部分 应用文写作(满分 15 分)

76. 假如你是李华，收到外国好友 Tom 的来信，他们学校将举办外国歌曲欣赏活动，他负责中国板块，想请你提供建议。请回复邮件，内容包括：

1. 提供建议；

2. 表达期待。

注意：

1. 写作词数应为 80 左右；

2. 请按如下格式在答题卡的相应位置作答。

Dear Tom,

Yours,

Li Hua