

2023—2024 学年度第一学期高二年级阶段检测（二）

英 语

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 woman do?
A. Go out for dinner. B. Work on an article. C. See a movie with Johnson.
2. What does the woman like best?
A. Drawing. B. Shopping. C. Jogging.
3. When does the man want to arrive in Washington?
A. By 9:00 am. B. By 8:30 am. C. By 7:30 am.
4. Which photocopier does the man want to buy?
A. The X40. B. The BT100. C. The RX200.
5. What are the speakers probably talking about?
A. An opera. B. A concert. C. A movie.

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 does the man feel about going to the party?
A. Worried. B. Excited. C. Surprised.
7. What does the woman suggest the man do?
A. Talk with Joan.
B. Avoid saying stupid words.
C. Begin a talk with the weather.

听第 7 段材料，回答第 8、9 题。

8. What happened on the man's way to the hotel?
A. The coach ran out of oil.
B. The coach had a breakdown.
C. He waited for one hour on the way.
9. Why did the man want to change the room?
A. His room was very dirty.
B. His room was very small.
C. The guests upstairs were noisy.

听第 8 段材料，回答第 10 至 12 题。

10. Why does the woman say the man is impossible?

- A. He is seriously ill.
 - B. He didn't see the bills.
 - C. They can't afford to go out.
11. How much is the telephone bill?
- A. \$ 90. B. \$ 70. C. \$ 80.
12. What will the woman do next?
- A. Turn up the heat. B. Go to the movies. C. Call the telephone office.

听第 9 段材料，回答第 13 至 16 题。

13. What is the woman's trouble?
- A. She failed in an exam.
- B. She can't concentrate in class.
- C. She is still confused about the task.
14. What is the man busy with at school?
- A. Preparing a play. B. Setting up a club. C. Going to parties.
15. What day is it today?
- A. Sunday. B. Friday. C. Saturday.
16. Why does the man decide to take part in the race?
- A. To support the woman.
- B. To support people suffering from cancer.
- C. To collect material for his cancer research.

听第 10 段材料，回答第 17 至 20 题。

17. Who is the speaker most likely talking to?
- A. New employees. B. Patients. C. Tourists.
18. Where is the health center?
- A. On Tye Road.
- B. Next to a small garden.
- C. In the main building.
19. What does the speaker say about the swimming pool?
- A. It's free of charge.
- B. It's open all day long.
- C. It's in the leisure center.
20. Why does the speaker recommend Jenny's Restaurant?
- A. It saves time.
- B. Its service is quite good.
- C. It has good and cheap food.

第二部分 阅读（共两节，满分 50 分）

第一节（共 15 小题；每小题 2.5 分，满分 37.5 分）

阅读下列短文，从每题所给的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中选出最佳选项。

A

Guidelines for Poster Presentations

Date: Friday 28 October

Time: 13.00-14.20 (Presenters are required to be by their posters by 12.55 sharp.)

Poster Session Format

- The poster session is a self-explanatory exhibit where the presenter(s) is/are available for one-on-one discussion.
- All the in-person poster presentations will take place simultaneously (同时进行的). See below for specific details of online poster presentations.

Poster design and Layout

- Each poster should measure about 90×120cm (36×48 inches).
- The texts and illustrations should be readable from 150cm (about 5 feet) away.
- Posters can be hand-written or printed in colour/black and white.

Set-up and Removal

- Posters will be displayed by fixing them on boards/walls provided. You will be given the necessary tools to carry out this task.
- Presenters are required to hang their posters during the lunch break (12:00-13:00) on Friday 28 October and remove them after the session (14:20).
- Presenters are responsible for the set-up and removal of their own posters. Staff will also be in the poster area to assist you.
- Each poster presentation will be numbered in the programme schedule. Poster numbers will also be shown on the display boards. Make sure the poster is fixed under the correct number.
- Playing of loud audio or video clips is not allowed, keeping in mind the noise level in the hall.

For online poster presentations:

- Once your poster is ready, take a good picture of it and send it to us at least one week before the conference. We'll take a print out of this and display it like the other posters. This will help the audience in the Hall in Chennai to look at them before they can log into your presentation at the assigned time.
- During poster presentation whoever would like to interact with you will log into your session. This will be for the entire duration of the presentation with brief explanations and Q&A interspersed (穿插) with each other. Participants can move around to other poster presentations during this period, both online and in-person.

1. According to the guidelines, the posters have to be _____.
 - A. handwritten on paper in black and white
 - B. hung on the walls of a specific area in the hall
 - C. easily recognizable from five meters away
 - D. numbered by an on-site staff member
2. Which of the following is a specific requirement for online poster presenters?
 - A. They should remain online for the entire 100 minutes.
 - B. They should get ready for presentation at exactly 12:55.
 - C. They need to send an e-version of their posters to the organizer.
 - D. They will be required to give explanations or answer questions.
3. The passage is meant for _____.
 - A. people who have unsolved questions to consult about
 - B. people who are interested in visiting an exhibition
 - C. people who are skilled at making good posters
 - D. people who want to exhibit their posters

B

If I have a goal in life, it isn't to be driving a Rolls-Royce. It's to be giving away more than \$1,000,000 a year and having an impact on people's lives. I have the success today because I always had to work for what I wanted. I grew up accustomed to risks and disappointments, so I was used to moving forward, no matter what.

In 2008, I went to Los Angeles where I tried to get hired as an agent, an analyst and a financial broker. Unfortunately, all these doors slammed in my face. The world's economy was in a bad state, so I knew I would have to **do a little spinning of my own**.

Youth involves a certain innocence but also perseverance. The word "can't" wasn't in my vocabulary. I partnered with a friend buying distressed multifamily properties around Houston. Even though we were enthusiastic and backed with start-up sums, I didn't make a deal work. My friend moved on to other projects. Alone, I put all my money into the next real-estate project. I put the time in, I dreamed it, but once again the deal fell through. Two months later, though, the deal came back around. That was when the path opened, luck changed, and I was ready to form my own company. I haven't looked back. Only ahead.

I'm now able to give back to communities and causes. I donate about \$500,000 a year, much of that going to research to cure rare diseases. We also support a lot of services for disadvantaged children in Houston and other places.

I have always been someone who can see the big picture and have never been distracted by things that get in the way. There are lessons to be learned, and the biggest of those is to keep going. You may have to change the path, but always keep that vision in front of you.

4. Which of the following about the author is true?

- A. He donated a lot of money to improve his company's image.
- B. He often encountered difficulties in the process of growing up.
- C. He started his own company together with a friend.
- D. He changed jobs several times while in Los Angeles.

5. By saying “**do a little spinning of my own**” in the second paragraph, the author probably means he would_____.

- A. look for a part-time job independently
- B. make his contributions to the economy
- C. give in to the disappointing reality
- D. be self-employed to develop his career

6. Which quality of the author is not shown in the passage?

- A. Perseverance.
- B. Optimism.
- C. Innocence.
- D. Kindness.

7. Which one is probably the best title of the passage?

- A. Saying No to “Turning Back”
- B. Tips for a Successful Business
- C. Jumping over Economic Downturns
- D. A Life-time Pursuit of Dream

C

Cognitive Processing Therapy(CPT), a long-term psychological therapy, is a specific type of cognitive behavioral therapy which reduces post-traumatic stress disorder(创伤后应激障碍) symptoms after natural disasters. Typically, CPT is delivered over 12 sessions to help patients learn how to modify negative attitudes and practices related to their trauma. The goal is that the patient then creates a new, more positive view and understanding of the traumatic event, which reduces on-going negative effects on the patient's current life. It specifically focuses on the core trauma themes of safety, trust, power and control, etc.

Delivered both individually and in structured group sessions, it allows for multiple different paths to receive effective treatments. In some studies, it has shown to be helpful in cases where medicine alone has not worked. Because CPT focuses on retraining thoughts and

behaviors to form practical strategies that can be applied to everyday life. Compared to other talk-therapies, it has been especially successful, because it can be completed in a brief period of time, allowing for a lower patient dropout rate. It also enhances brain connectivity, which lessens long-term impacts of trauma. This increased connectivity is why cognitive behavioral therapy is often argued to be more effective than medicine.

On the other hand, there are also multiple disadvantages to CPT. Due to its structured nature, it may not be suitable for people with more complex mental health needs or learning difficulties. Additionally, since it involves facing up to emotions and fears, patients may experience initial periods of additional anxiety or discomfort. Some therapists also argue that because it only addresses current problems and specific issues it does not address possible fundamental causes of mental health conditions, and because it focuses on the individual's capacity to change themselves it does not address wider system problems that have a significant impact on a patient's health and well-being.

However, focusing mainly on post-natural disasters, regardless of pre-disaster health, CPT has been repeatedly proven to be a rather successful treatment approach. Although there have not been studies generalizing CPT for children, it is an effective treatment for adults. The clear effectiveness of CPT demonstrates the importance of patient-specific therapies that are unique to the experiences of individual patients.

8. According to the passage, CPT is intended to help patients _____.

- A. learn how to modify various negative attitudes and practices
- B. cultivate a positive view and understanding of the traumatic events
- C. minimize on-going negative effects on their previous and current life
- D. focus on the core trauma themes of safety, trust, power, control, etc.

9. Compared with other talk-therapies, what feature contributes to the effectiveness of CPT?

- A. Its multiple treating assignments.
- B. Its applicable strategies in daily life.
- C. Its higher treatment fulfillment.
- D. Its brain connectivity enhancement.

10. What can we infer from the last paragraph?

- A. Post-disaster health is not taken into consideration in the CPT.
- B. CPT proves to be the most successful treatment approach so far.
- C. More researches might be conducted into the effectiveness of CPT in children.
- D. CPT addresses the fundamental causes of patients' mental health conditions.

11. What is the main idea of this passage?

- A. The application of Cognitive Processing Therapy.
- B. An introduction to a long-term psychological therapy.
- C. A breakthrough in the psychological medical field.
- D. The limitations of Cognitive Processing Therapy.

D

Financial regulations in Britain have imposed a rather unusual rule on the bosses of big banks. Starting next year, any guaranteed bonus of top executives could be delayed 10 years if their banks are under investigation for wrongdoing. The main purpose of this “clawback” rule is to hold bankers responsible for harmful risk-taking and to restore public trust in financial institution. Yet officials also hope for a much larger benefit: more long-term decision-making not only by banks but also by all corporations, to build a stronger economy for future generations.

“Short-termism” or the desire for quick profits, has worsened in publicly traded companies, says the Bank of England’s top economist, Andrew Haldane. He quotes a giant of classical economics, Alfred Marshall, in describing this financial impatience as acting like “Children who pick the strawberries out of their pudding to eat them at once” rather than putting them aside to be eaten last.

The average time for holding a stock in both the United States and Britain, he notes, has dropped from seven

years to seven months in recent decades. Transient (短期的) investors, who demand high quarterly profits from companies, can hold back a firm's efforts to invest in long-term research or to build up customer loyalty. This has been called "quarterly capitalism".

In addition, new digital technologies have allowed more rapid trading of equities (股票), quicker use of information, and thus shortens attention spans in financial markets. "There seems to be an advantage of short-term thinking at the expense of long-term investing," said Commissioner Daniel Gallagher of the US Securities and Exchange Commission in speech this week.

In the US, the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 has pushed most public companies to delay performance bonuses for senior executives by about a year, slightly helping reduce "short-termism." In its latest survey of CEO pay, The Wall Street Journal finds that "a substantial part" of executive pay is now tied to performance.

Much more could be done to encourage "long-termism," such as changes in the tax code and quicker disclosure (披露) of stock acquisitions. In France, shareholders who hold onto a company investment for at least two years can sometimes earn more voting rights in a company.

Within companies, the right compensation design can provide motivation for executives to think beyond their own time at the company and on behalf of all shareholders. Britain's new rule is a reminder to bankers that society has an interest in their performance, not just for the short term but for the long term.

12. One reason for imposing the new rule is the regulations _____.

- A. enhance banker's sense of responsibility
- B. help corporations achieve larger profits
- C. build a new system of financial regulation
- D. guarantee the bonuses of top executives

13. What can be learned about "Short-termism" from the passage?

- A. Children always pursue short-term profits by eating strawberries first.
- B. The influence of it on the companies can be negative in the long run.
- C. It will bring high profits for the company, thus keeping its customers.
- D. Digital technology acts as a dominant contributor to its worsening.

14. The US and France examples in paragraph 5 and 6 are used to illustrate _____.

- A. the obstacles to preventing "short-termism"
- B. the significance of long-term thinking
- C. the approaches to promoting "long-termism"
- D. the popularity of short-term thinking

15. Which of the following would be the best title for the text?

- A. Failure of Quarterly Capitalism
- B. Patience as a Corporate Virtue
- C. Decisiveness Required of Top Executives
- D. Frustration of Risk-taking Bankers

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。

Dispose of Your Credit Card Without Burying It

Disposing of unwanted items in our lives often means simply throwing them into the garbage or recycling bin — or, if they're still useful, giving them away. It's different with old credit cards, which should be destroyed so nobody can use them fraudulently (欺诈地). 16 Here's how to get rid of an old card.

First, contact the issuer

If closing the account is your goal, you'll have to call the number on the back of your card and ask to do so. If your card is a rewards card, remember to first redeem points or cash back. Change any automatic payments to a different card, and be sure to pay the final card bill.

Cut up plastic cards

Sharp scissors and smart trimming will do the job here. "We recommend that consumers cut through the EMV chip, then further cut the card a few times along the short side, and dispose of the sections in more than one trash bag," says Sarah Grano, a spokeswoman for the American Bankers Association. 17

Send back metal cards

18 Contact your issuer. Typically, you can mail it back for disposal. "For example, when American Express sends a replacement card, it also sends an addressed return envelope to mail back an old metal card for destruction," says Heather Norton, spokeswoman for American Express.

Check back on your account

Don't obsess about identity theft of an old credit card. You generally won't be responsible for fraudulent charges anyway. 19 It's a good idea to check your account statement to make sure there's been no fraud.

Closing an account can hurt you

Closing a credit card account can lower your credit rating. That's because credit scores consider your "credit utilization ratio", or how much of your available credit you're using. And when you close an account, you have less available credit. 20 Closing an old card decreases the average age of your accounts.

- A. It could be worth closing the account anyway.
- B. Scores also consider the length of time you've had the card open.
- C. Or feed cards into a machine designed to handle them.
- D. Take care with debit cards and other plastic where fraud means you might be missing money.
- E. But how to destroy a payment card properly is not obvious, especially with new metal credit cards.
- F. Destroying a metal card by yourself is harder and potentially dangerous.
- G. Skip this step if you're simply replacing an expired card or one that has been compromised.

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。

Stephanie rescued Flynn from an animal centre in 2014 after she was found as a puppy wandering the streets alone. "She was super shy and sweet, and absolutely ____21____ of men," Stephanie recalled. "We ____22____ and she overcame her unpleasant experience."

But in May 2020, six-year-old Flynn suddenly ____23____ her back when she jumped on Stephanie's bed and landed ____24____ "She became paralysed and her two back legs stopped working," Stephanie said.

Flynn had to have emergency ____25____ and a month of recovery before she could put one paw in front of the other again. "Quite a few people told me to ____26____ and said she'd be a lot of work, but I never would. I had ____27____ and I knew God would help her," Stephanie said.

One year on, their roles ____28____ when Stephanie was diagnosed with a cancer in September 2021. Flynn became ____29____ from Stephanie and refused to leave her side until she got better. "Flynn was my biggest ____30____. I couldn't have got through it without her," Stephanie said. "She ____31____ me every day. When I am tired or unwell, I think about how she ____32____. She never quit. We've been through all the highs and lows of life together."

Seven-year-old Flynn's ____33____ doesn't just inspire Stephanie, but lots of strangers too. Stephanie is ____34____ to her supportive family for helping her through her own health ____35____, and to all of Flynn's social media followers.

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| 21. A. tolerant | B. frightened | C. critical | D. ignorant |
| 22. A. bonded | B. followed | C. discriminated | D. failed |
| 23. A. trembled | B. stretched | C. lowered | D. broke |
| 24. A. skillfully | B. cautiously | C. awkwardly | D. ultimately |
| 25. A. power | B. surgery | C. conference | D. supplies |

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| 26. A. take her in | B. pick her up | C. put her down | D. show her around |
| 27. A. faith | B. courage | C. mercy | D. regret |
| 28. A. disappeared | B. extended | C. conflicted | D. exchanged |
| 29. A. withdrawn | B. inseparable | C. different | D. invisible |
| 30. A. decision | B. mistake | C. possibility | D. support |
| 31. A. believes | B. inspires | C. amazes | D. carries |
| 32. A. pushed on | B. took responsibility | C. gave away | D. made trouble |
| 33. A. ambition | B. hardship | C. confidence | D. positiveness |
| 34. A. sensitive | B. committed | C. grateful | D. compared |
| 35. A. plans | B. battles | C. warning | D. education |

第二节（共 10 小题；每小题 0.5 分，满分 5 分）

36. The regulations state that any form of discrimination is strictly p_____ (禁止) within the organization. (根据中英文提示单词拼写)
37. The r_____ (抗, 耐) of the material to extreme temperatures makes it suitable for aerospace applications. (根据中英文提示单词拼写)
38. He is an a_____ (业余) photographer who enjoys capturing beautiful landscapes in his free time. (根据中英文提示单词拼写)
39. Building healthy habits requires _____ (一致, 始终如一) in practicing them daily. (根据汉语提示单词拼写)
40. The business world is highly c_____ (竞争), with companies constantly striving to outperform their rivals and gain a larger market share. (根据中英文提示单词拼写)
41. Believe in yourself and stay m_____ (激励, 激发), for greatness awaits those who persevere. (根据中英文提示单词拼写)
42. Helping others and making a positive impact on their lives can be an incredibly _____ (奖励, 回报) experience that fills your heart with joy. (根据汉语提示单词拼写)
43. The hiker found himself t_____ (困住, 落入险境) in the forest, desperately searching for a way out. (根据中英文提示单词拼写)
44. The child _____ (打算, 意图) broke the vase while playing, feeling regretful for the accident. (根据汉语提示单词拼写)
45. The conference was attended by p_____ (专家, 专业人士) from various industries, exchanging knowledge and insights. (根据中英文提示单词拼写)

第三节（共 10 小题；每小题 1 分，满分 10 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。

The “Spring Fair”, featuring diverse Chinese cultural activities, _____46_____ (hold) on Sunday at the Garden of Serenity, a traditional Chinese garden in Santa Lucija, Malta.

The fair, jointly _____47_____ (organize) by the China Cultural Centre in Malta and the Santa Lucija local council, offered the guests the opportunity to indulge in Chinese tea and cuisine, experience the art of calligraphy, _____48_____ even try on Han Chinese clothing.

The event’s highlight was the performances by members from the Malta School of Wushu-Longgui, who showcased amazing dragon dances and martial arts, attracting many audiences. Tai Chi performance, traditional Chinese folk music, and popular songs also gained loud cheers and _____49_____ (applaud).

At the opening ceremony, Charmaine St John, mayor of Santa Lucija, said that the Garden of Serenity is “_____50_____ symbol of friendship between Malta and China.” She noted that cultural integration has always been a proposition (主张) of the Maltese government, and _____51_____ cooperation between the two sides should be based on _____52_____ (equal) and mutual benefit in order to be sustainable.

One of the _____53_____ (participate), 12-year-old Nathan Zammit, wrote his name in Chinese characters _____54_____ a brush at the booth of the Confucius Institute at the University of Malta. He was excited _____55_____ (experience) calligraphy and showed admiration for Chinese culture, despite not having visited China.

第四部分 写作（共两节，满分 40 分）

第一节（满分 15 分）

56. 假设你是李华，你的外国好友 Jack 对中国象棋（Chinese chess）很感兴趣，得知上周五你校举行了一次中国象棋比赛，想了解相关情况，请你写封回信，介绍这次比赛。内容包括：

1. 参赛选手情况；2. 比赛过程；3. 个人感受。

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 Jack,

Yours,

Li Hua

第二节（满分 25 分）

57. 阅读下面材料，根据其内容和所给段落开头语续写两段，使之构成一篇完整的短文。

Different sports filled my days in my youth. I dreamed of a big win some day, with a big trophy (奖杯). I was skillful and fast, or so I thought. However, I soon learned my skills seemed quite weak because the bigger, stronger boys seemed to occupy every corner of the playground. Once I was in the 100-yard hurdles, the only recognition I received for my performance was two bloody knees.

In college, I took a swim competition, dreaming of the glory! It turned out I achieved nothing. As an older adult, I still maintained an active lifestyle. In 2010 I signed up for a stair-climbing challenge to raise money for fighting against lung cancer. My father had died of the same disease, so this was a meaningful cause for me. Then, in 2019, the organization offered an even more challenging climb option: the vertical (垂直的) mile. So I would have three hours to climb up and down twenty-eight floors fifteen times, plus three more.

I trained hard. When the challenge started, I felt confident. But soon my legs started feeling heavy. What was worse, I began experiencing leg cramps (抽筋). My progress slowed dramatically and I quickly fell behind. When I came down after finishing lap 14, it was past the time limit, so my big win had escaped once again.

Soon after the climb, I struggled to experience the sense of self-satisfaction. And I had, after all, set a goal for myself to prove what I was made of, what I had inside me. And what I had inside me was, “Nice try, but you didn’t make it.” So, a year later, at age 62 and after numerous workouts, I was back. Like last year, I was well ahead after an hour and I again started feeling some discomfort in my legs. I heard myself cry out loud, “Oh, no not again!” I finally stopped and sat down on the stairs, feeling quite depressed and wondering if my dream was over. A few climbers stopped to offer help. I was touched, but embarrassed to accept. Except for one climber. An angel climber, really.

Jessica, who I happened to know, was a salesman’s friend when I bought new running shoes at his store. And without that connection, she might have climbed past me as I sat on those steps, my legs shaking. But all those things did happen, and Jessica stopped to help.

注意：

1. 续写词数应为 150 左右。
2. 请按如下格式在答题卡的相应位置作答。

When she saw I was cramping, she offered me some sports drinks containing electrolytes (电解质).

The cramps in my legs finally started to go away.

听力答案 1-5 BACBA 6-10 ACBCC 11-15 ACCAB 16-20 BABBC

