

2017 年全国大学生英语竞赛 A 类初赛试题详解

Part I Listening Comprehension (30 marks)

Section A (5 marks)

1. 【答案】D

【解析】对话中女士提到有整整两个货架上的商品都在打折促销。男士最后说 This sweater is nice, 说明对话发生在卖衣服的店里。

【录音原文】

W: Hi! Welcome to Angie's. Can I help you find something or are you just looking?

M: I'm not sure. Aren't you having a sale right now?

W: Everything on these two racks over here is on sale.

M: Thanks. This sweater is nice. But it looks a little big. Do you have this in a smaller size?

2. 【答案】B

【解析】对话最后男士说道, We're having it this Saturday evening at 8:00 at my house. 表明派对在周六晚八点举行。

【录音原文】

M: Hey, Lisa, will you be busy this weekend?

W: Hi! What's up?

M: This weekend I'm having a birthday party for Ted. I'd like you to come.

W: I'd love to. When is it?

M: We're having it this Saturday evening at 8:00 at my house. We're going to order a pizza and play some games. Then whoever wants to stay longer can hang out and watch a video.

3. 【答案】B

【解析】对话中男士问女士今年假期有什么计划, 女士回答道, 今年还没有, 但 I'm planning to travel to Argentina for a month next summer. 表明她准备明年去阿根廷旅行一个月。

【录音原文】

M: Have you got any holiday plans this year?

W: Not this year, but I'm planning to travel to Argentina for a month next summer.

M: Wow, sounds great! So will you be touring around the country or something?

W: Yeah. I'll be flying to the capital and then I'll be traveling around the country by bus.

4. 【答案】B

【解析】对话中男士提出, I'm going to do some voluntary work. 表明他出国几年是为了做志愿者工作。

【录音原文】

M: I've decided to go abroad for a few years.

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W:Really?

M:Yes, I'm going to do some voluntary work.Teaching English, probably.

W:So where are you going?

M:Ethiopia.I'm going with an organization called Voluntary Service Overseas.

5.【答案】A

【解析】对话中女士在解释为什么她的工作很棒时提到, it doesn't start till lunchtime, so I don't have to get up early. 表明这份工作每天开始的时间很晚。

【录音原文】

M:Hi, Zadie! How's the new job?

W:Well, it's not bad. I suppose. I mean, the starting time's great.

M:What do you mean?

W:Well, it doesn't start till lunchtime, so I don't have to get up early.You know how I hate getting up early! And now I needn't set my alarm clock before I go to sleep at night.

Section B (10 marks)

Conversation One

【答案与解析】

6.T 对话中采访者问到观众们应该对 Timber Creek Lodge 抱有怎样的期待时, Mark 回答“It's a showcase of adventure, high stress and how people work in close proximity of each other”, 即这档节目展示了一系列冒险、高压力和人们如何在彼此接近的环境下工作。故该说法正确。

7.F 当采访者问到 Mark 是怎么决定要主演一档真人秀节目时, Mark 回答道他过去的 10 年都在从事娱乐和模特事业, 但他一直都知道自己想尝试探险旅游方面的工作。故他并没有当过电视节目制作人, 该说法错误。

8.T 对于一些负面评价及网上攻击, Mark 表示“it's unfortunate that some people feel like they have the voice to insult some of us. ...but there is a sadness that comes with those who feel as if they can bully us.”通过“unfortunate”“sadness”等字眼可知本题说法正确。

9.F 在提到观众的反应时, Mark 的总体评价是“To be honest, the response has been great”以及“people love the show”。故该说法错误。

10.F 访谈的最后采访者问到 Mark 对节目剪辑有没有异议, Mark 的回答是“I think the edit is fair”。故该说法错误。

【录音原文】

Interviewer:We got the opportunity to catch up with one star of the show, Mark Milburn, to find out a little bit more about the new series, the reaction he's had from those watching and more...What can new viewers expect from Timber Creek Lodge?

Mark Milburn:It's a showcase of adventure, high stress and how people work in close proximity of each other.We also deal with miscommunication.There's also a lot of humility and modesty and therefore I think it's a show that people can connect to on a real personal level. An example of when things don't work well is early on the show when Jamie, the manager and I butt heads. He has a very different managing style from what I'm used to, as he liked to micro-manage me, so it was a really

challenging relationship. We didn't succeed in our relationship, but in the end the guests had a great time so that's all that matters.

Interviewer: How did you come about making the decision to star on a reality show?

Mark Milburn: I've been in the entertainment and modeling business for 10 years now, and I always knew I wanted to work in adventure tourism. When the opportunity came up to be a mountain host, I didn't really care if it was for a reality show because the job sounded fun and amazing.

Interviewer: How have you found the response from viewers to date?

Mark Milburn: To be honest, the response has been great. However, something I do want to highlight is some of the negative responses and the enormity of internet bullying that comes with it. We chose to take risks in our lives and play out these characters and relationships for people and it's unfortunate that some people feel like they have the voice to insult some of us. Don't get me wrong, people love the show, but there is a sadness that comes with those who feel as if they can bully us.

Interviewer: Are there any moments of the show you look back on and wish you could change?

Mark Milburn: I don't believe in regrets so I wouldn't want to change anything. I do, however, have moments in which I wish we had communicated better as a team and delivered differently. The experience taught us so much and we walked away as stronger and better people, which I think is an amazing thing to accomplish.

Interviewer: A lot of people who star on reality TV have a lot to say about the edit they receive-do you think you've received a fair edit?

Mark Milburn: I think the edits do test you. A reality show is all about an algorithm and fitting into the algorithm. You'll never know the full story of what's been going on. We would be around each other for 20 hours a day and the crew would only see three hours of it. However, if you look at it with a grain of salt, you'll see we had a great time. I think the edit is fair, but you only see 45 minutes of it. There is so much that people don't know, and that leads to interpretation on both the show and on us.

Conversation Two

【答案与解析】

11.A 对话开头 David 提到 "It's maybe sometime in the 19th century, because they're all wearing old-fashioned clothes, you know, hats and big dresses", 说明他是通过画中人物的服饰特点判断出年代的。故选 A。

12.B David 问到背景中是否出现了建筑, Maria 说没有, 只有一些树, 故 B 项符合。

13.D Maria 问画面中出现了几人, David 回答: "Five adults, one child, and a baby". 故 D 选项正确。

14.A David 在描述画面中的人物时提到 "There's just one man, and he's reading a newspaper". 说明画面中唯一的男人在看报纸, 故选 A。

15.C 对话中 David 提到一个奇怪 (strange) 的点 "it's sort of like an old woman...she looks like a ghost or something", 是画面最左边一个像鬼魂似的老女人, 故选 C。

【录音原文】

David: OK, so we've got to describe our pictures to each other, who start...

Maria: Go ahead, you start.

David: OK, well, we can see a group of people sitting on a bus. It's not in the present day. It's maybe sometime in the 19th century, because they're all wearing old-fashioned clothes, you know, hats and big dresses...

Maria: And where do you think the place is?

David:It's probably London—the adverts on the bus are in English, in any case, and it's in a town. I mean, these look like city people, not country people.

Maria:So can you see any buildings in the background?

David:Well, no, there are trees—I think it's a park, actually, and there's a horse which is pulling a smart black carriage, hmm.and I think it's raining, not sure, but anyway, two of the people who are sitting on the bus are carrying umbrellas.

Maria:So how many people are there?

David:Five adults, one child, and a baby.There's just one man, and he's reading a newspaper—he looks like a rich banker or something and he's wearing a smart suit and a top hat.The woman who's sitting on the far left is a young mother with the baby in her arms and the child—a little girl—sitting next to her, and they seem to be quite poor, and then the woman who's sitting next to them, she looks quite rich—the dress she's wearing looks expensive, and then next to her is the rich banker, and next to him another young woman who's dressed all in white—perhaps it's a nurse's uniform or something, and then finally there's a young woman who's getting on the bus and she's holding a white box—I think it's a hat box.

Maria:Are any of these people talking to each other?

David:No, no, they're all just sitting there staring out of the window or reading the paper or whatever. Oh, that's strange—there's something right on the far left of the picture and it's sort of like an old woman who's sitting next to the young mother, but it's impossible because that's where the front wall of the bus is. I don't know...she looks like a ghost or something.I didn't even notice her at first...

Maria:So you think it's a ghost?

David:I don't know.Maybe the artist was going to paint a woman then changed his mind.

Maria:Hmm, sounds strange. Right, well, my picture's similar. It also shows some people on a bus...

Section C (5 marks)

16. 【答案】B

【解析】该部分提到冰岛的科学家们通过钻探火山研究一个相当有趣的潜在能源，可知 B 选项正确。

【录音原文】

Scientists in Iceland are looking into a rather intriguing potential energy source by drilling deep into a volcano.They've reached nearly five kilometres down and are close to creating the hottest borehole ever drilled.They believe they may be able to harvest energy from it, as our science correspondent Rebecca Morelle reports.In the south of Iceland, geologists are heading into the unknown.Inside a giant rig, a drill has been operating for 24 hours a day since August.

17. 【答案】B

【解析】该部分开头提到在乌干达安全部队和新的武装团伙之间的冲突中，有 55 人丧生，该武装试图在乌干达西部建立一个独立的国家，可知 B 选项正确。

【录音原文】

Police in Uganda say 55 people have been killed in clashes between the security forces and the new armed group fighting to create a separate state in the west of the country. They've arrested a local tribal king. Charles Wesley Mumbere, known as the king of Rwenzururu is accused of inciting violence after militiamen reportedly attacked a police post in his hometown of Kasese.

18. 【答案】C

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【解析】该部分提到彭斯称当选总统正在进行一系列的行政命令，以便有序地向新的医疗保健系统过渡。可知 C 选项正确。

【录音原文】

The Republican vice president-elect, Mike Pence, has said the process of repealing ObamaCare would begin on Donald Trump's first day in office. After meeting with Republican congressional leaders, Mr. Pence said the president-elect was working on a series of executive orders to allow for an orderly transition to a new healthcare system. But he gave few details.

19. 【答案】A

【解析】该部分开头提到嘉莉·费雪的心脏病发作时她在一架跨太平洋的航班上（on a transatlantic flight），可知 A 选项正确。

【录音原文】

The American film star Carrie Fisher who played princess Leia in the Star Wars film has died aged at 60 days after suffering a heart attack on a transatlantic flight. Fellow passengers on the plane from London to California said she stopped breathing for several minutes and she'd been in intensive care in a Los Angeles hospital since then.

20. 【答案】B

【解析】该部分开头提到欧洲最大的通缉犯、恐怖分子嫌疑人阿尼斯已在意大利被击毙，可知 B 选项正确。

【录音原文】

Europe's most wanted terrorist suspect Anis Amri has been shot dead in Italy. The radical Islamist smashed through a Berlin Christmas market in a hijacked lorry on Monday, killing 12 people. His life ended in a shoot-out in a Milan suburb when he was stopped for a routine identity check. Police officers returned fire when he pulled a gun. Chancellor Merkel has asked for a detailed analysis of the case and has promised new security measures.

Section D (10 marks)

【答案与解析】

21. purchase

22. wealthy

23. semi-detached

24. fatalities

25. compulsory

【录音原文】

It was in the 1930s that the motor car industry took off. Until then it was only the rich who could afford to purchase such a superfluous luxury item and to lay out for the uniformed chauffeur to go with it. By 1939, however, it was possible for the less wealthy to buy a four-seater saloon for somewhere in the region of £100. This changed the shape of towns, causing suburbs of semi-detached houses with parking spaces and garages to proliferate. It also meant a significant number of people being run over in motoring accidents, as by 1940 there were a million cars on the roads of Britain. Nowadays the fatalities are half what they were then, with twenty times more cars on the road. The minimum age for drivers, then as now, was 17. Testing began in 1935, the same year as speed limits in built-up areas and pedestrian crossing were introduced. Dipped headlights were made compulsory in 1937, and rear-view mirrors, surprisingly late, in 1941. Road deaths continued to soar, however, because of blackout conditions during the Second World War.

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Summary

【答案与解析】

26.developing

（根据录音中的“Why is it so difficult to solve the unemployment problems of the developing world”可知，该段录音的话题是发展中国家失业问题难以解决的原因。因此填 developing，表示“发展中的”。）

27.cities

（根据录音中的“This problem is made worse in cities by the drift of people from country areas to escape the poverty of rural life”可知，随着农村人口为了脱离贫困涌入城市，人口增长的压力在城市中更为显著。因此填 cities。）

28.bad manpower planning

（根据录音中的“Then there are problems of bad manpower planning”可知，人力规划不合理也是原因之一。因此填 bad manpower planning。）

29.production

（根据录音中的“The point here is that the manpower plan has not been matched to the production plan”可知，问题在于人力规划与生产规划的不匹配。因此填 production。）

30.capital-intensive

（根据录音中的“However, the major reason for many countries failing to solve the unemployment problem has been their governments' preference for large-scale capital-intensive projects which use up scarce resources and have little impact on unemployment”可知，许多国家未能解决失业问题的主要原因是他们的政府偏爱大规模的资本密集型项目，这些项目耗尽了稀缺的资源，对于解决就业毫无帮助。因此填 capital-intensive，表示“资本密集的；投资密集的”。）

【录音原文】

Why is it so difficult to solve the unemployment problems of the developing world? There are three main reasons. Firstly, there is the constant pressure of a rapidly rising population. This problem is made worse in cities by the drift of people from country areas to escape the poverty of rural life. Then there are problems of bad manpower planning. For example, a feature of unemployment in the developing world is the educated unemployed—the lawyers or arts graduates who have been trained at great expense for jobs which do not exist. The point here is that the manpower plan has not been matched to the production plan. However, the major reason for many countries failing to solve the unemployment problem has been their governments' preference for large-scale capital-intensive projects which use up scarce resources and have little impact on unemployment. In fact, by destroying local craft-based industry, such projects may even create further unemployment.

Part II Vocabulary&Grammar (15 marks)

31.【答案】A

【解析】句意：我建议 Emily 马上住院，但她当时却坚持称自己感觉还好。advise 后接 that 从句，通常要用虚拟语气（should+动词原形），故 B 项错误。insist 后接 that 从句有两种情况。如果表示“坚持要；一定要”，从句所指的一般是尚未实现的事实，此时谓语通常也用虚拟语气（should+动词原形），而且引导词 that 一般不省略（尤其是当已经省略 should 时）。而表示“坚称；坚持认为”，从句所指的通常是已经发生的事或已存在的状态，谓语一般用陈述语气，引导词 that 可省略。结合上下文可知，这里的 insist 表示 Emily 坚持认为自己健康状态良好，故 A 选项正确。

32.【答案】A

【解析】句意：就像电视上报道的那样，上个周末天气真的很热。由 as 引导的方式状语从句，主从句的主语相同或从句的主语是 it 且谓语中含有 be 时，常省略从句的主语和 be，故 A 正确。B 选项和 C 选项都缺少连接词，D 选项从句缺少谓语动词。

33. 【答案】D

【解析】句意：由于刻板印象是基于某些偏见的、标准化的和简单化的群体观念，它们并非源于客观事实，而是主观的、通常经不起检验的想法。derive from 是固定搭配，表示“源自；由……衍生的”，故排除 A 和 C。distorted 扭曲的；畸形的。

34. 【答案】A

【解析】句意：来自以色列、日本、韩国和美国的一个国际社会学家小组决定，世界各地的小学都将向儿童教授本质上相同的科目。essentially 本质上。hopefully 有希望地。exclusively 仅仅；排外地。flexibly 灵活地。

35. 【答案】B

【解析】句意：人们对于白日梦的态度正在经历着的改变就像对夜间做梦的态度所经历的改变那样。much in the same way that 后跟一个完整句子为方式状语从句的固定搭配。

36. 【答案】C

【解析】句意：他们带上了冰斧，以防他们需要在冰面上凿除台阶。in case 假使；以防。as long as 只要。as though 好像；仿佛。in time 及时；适时。

37. 【答案】C

【解析】句意：Hank 不仅不待见 June 张着嘴嚼东西的方式，也讨厌看见她把湿毛巾乱扔在浴室地板上。此题考查 not only...but also 的倒装句型。由 despise 和 dislike 两个谓语动词可知 not only...but also 连接的是两个独立的分句，因此逗号后的句子应该保留主语 he，故排除 A 和 B。而两个分句在时态上应该是一致的，由 despise 前面的助动词形态 did 可知，dislike 应该也用一般过去时，故知 C 正确。

38. 【答案】D

【解析】句意：我感觉有人站在我身后但我不敢回头看。turn round 转身。turn over 移交；翻过来，翻身。turn back 折回，往回走。turn up 出现；发生；调高。

39. 【答案】C

【解析】句意：“太好啦，那我们可以出门活动活动。”“明天有什么特殊活动吗？”“是呀，河边会举行室外现场音乐会。”结合上下文理解，可以通过排除法选 C。

40. 【答案】A

【解析】句意：“我想联系 Jim，可他电话一直是忙线。”“真的吗？我今天早上才跟他通过电话。”“对啊，我刚刚给他打电话来着，老打不通。”get through 接通电话。结合上下文理解，可以通过排除法选 A。

41. 【答案】B

【解析】句意：“恐怕这肉已经变质了……我忘了把它放到冰箱里去。”“糟糕。那现在我们吃什么呢。”That's too bad 那可太糟糕了。It is not possible 这不可能。No way 不行；不会吧。Who did that 谁干的。结合上下文语境可知选 B。

42. 【答案】A

【解析】句意：众议院的成员必须年满 25 岁、公民身份 7 年以上、并且是该国居民才能进入国会。今天，众议院由 435 名成员组成。is composed of 和 comprise of 都可以表示“由……组成”。consist of 组成。

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incorporate 吸收；合并。B、C 两项都是错误的用法，而 D 项不符合句意，故选 A。

43.【答案】B

【解析】句意：《仙后》因其风格生动、内容丰富而成为一部佳作，讲述了十二种骑士的美德。remarkable 非凡的；值得注意的。protruding 突出的；伸出的。exceeding 超越的；非常的；过度的。supernatural 超自然的；不可思议的。

44.【答案】C

【解析】句意：受到英国海洋霸权的鼓舞，特别是移民潮的影响，英国殖民主义者在 18 世纪末和 19 世纪初期加紧向加拿大、澳大利亚和新西兰扩张。encourage 鼓舞。embody 体现。instigate 怂恿；煽动。impose 强加；征税。

45.【答案】B

【解析】句意：尽管人们打网球的历史已经延续了好几个世纪，但是现代的网球运动 19 世纪末起源于英格兰。wherefore 理由；因此。thereby 从而，因此。

Part III Cloze (10 marks)

【答案与解析】

46.dwarfed

（根据上下文和括号中的 dwarf 一词，可知如今论人口规模，伦敦在东京面前可是小巫见大巫。be dwarfed by 相形见绌。）

47.phenomenal

（根据上下文和括号中的 phenomenon 一词可知，东京规模的惊人增长是由于周边乡村人口向城市迁移这一单一原因。因此填 phenomenal，表示“现象级的；显著的；非凡的”。）

48.globe

（根据上下文和单词开头提示 gl-可知，农村向城市的人口流动在世界许多城市里都十分常见。scores of 大量的；几十个。around the globe 在全球。）

49.predicts

（根据上下文和单词开头提示 pre-可知，联合国人口部门预计，从明年开始，世界上的城市居民人口会首次超过农村居民人口，最大的增长将见于百万级大城市中。）

50.inhabitants

（根据上下文和单词开头提示 pre-可知，城市居民产生的食品需要对土地和水资源造成了破坏性，对木材和纸张的需要也造成了森林资源的压力。因此填 inhabitants，表示“居民”。）

51.demand

（根据上下文和单词开头提示 dem-可知，要在保护现有资源的基础上满足发展中国家提高生活品质的需求，唯一选择就是采用一种新的城市生活方式。因此填 demand，表示“需求”。）

52.partly

（根据上下文和括号中的 part 一词可知，这意味着一些城市至少需要部分地满足自己的粮食需要。）

53.approaches

（根据上文中提到的“new ways to green the megacities”和单词开头提示 appr-可知，此处应填 ways 的同义

词 approaches。)

54.supply/support

(结合上下文可知, 该段主要介绍一些替代性能源和资源供给的方式。因此填 supply 或 support, 表示“供给”或“支持”。)

55.installation

(根据上下文和单词开头提示 inst-可知, 上海政府为用于安装十万户屋顶太阳能玻璃的项目拨款, 故填 installation, 表示“安装; 装置”。subsidize 资助; 补助。)

Part IV Reading Comprehension (35 marks)

Section A (5 marks)

【答案与解析】

56.ongoing

(由第一小点后第一段“‘There's a temptation to regard exercise as a means to looking good on vacation, rather than as an ongoing strategy for health and well-being’”可知, 把运动作为假期前瘦身的应急手段而不是为了健康和福祉的一个持续战略, 这种想法很具有诱惑力。因此填 ongoing, 表示“进行中的”。)

57.exercise regime

(由第二小点后的第二段“‘a common trap during hectic business trips is failing to schedule and prioritize your adapted exercise regime before you leave’”可知, 在繁忙的商务旅行中, 一个常见的陷阱是没有在出发之前安排和优先考虑你已经适应了锻炼制度。因此填 exercise regime, 表示“运动管理体制; 锻炼方法”。)

58.skip ropes

(由第三小点后第一段“‘Sometimes there simply won't be an opportunity to access a gym.If so, there is an extensive range of portable exercise equipment, from simple skip ropes to more sophisticated gadgets—such as the magnetic tension mini-bike’”可知, 没有机会进入健身房的时候, 还有一系列广泛的便携式运动器材, 从简单的跳绳到更尖端的小玩意, 如磁性张力的迷你自行车。因此填 skip ropes, 表示“跳绳”。)

59.overindulge

(由第四小点标题“‘Don't overindulge in business dinners’”可知, 不要在商旅晚餐中胡吃海塞。因此填 overindulge, 表示“过分放任; 过分纵情”。)

60.fitness options

(由文章最后一句“‘His hotel reflects a growing trend within the hospitality industry to provide high-quality, bespoke fitness options’”可知, 餐饮业越来越趋向于提供高级的、量身定做的健身选择。因此填 fitness options。)

Section B(10marks)

【答案与解析】

61.F 横线后的内容是一个面孔严肃的法国人对丹宁(牛仔面料)的感慨, 通过排除法可以选 F。Yves Saint Laurent 是当代法国时尚设计师, 同名品牌 YSL 创始人。

62.C 第三段横线后讲述了丹宁从欧陆传入美国、受到多位总统青睐的“历史”, 及其在美国社会语境下的文化蕴含, 因此 C 项符合。

63.B 第四段介绍了 Emma McClendon 关于丹宁时尚的书以及柏林墙倒塌后丹宁在东德的风靡, 与 B 项中二战的时间节点相符合。

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64.D 第五段横线后提到丹宁起源的秘密，与 D 项开头发明丹宁的动机相呼应。

65.A 文章末段给出了许多与传说有出入的证据，说明丹宁的营销中充满了谎言，故选 A。hokum 胡扯；空话。

Section C (10 marks)

【答案与解析】

66.Many brightly colored fiberglass cows/Painted statues of cow.

(由文章第二句“At some point on Monday morning you might come face to face with a brightly colored fiberglass cow...then you might see another, and another”可知，这场活动的展品是一些各色的玻璃纤维制作的牛。)

67.Walter Knapp.

(由第五段开头“For the idea of the cow as art object, we must thank Zurich window-dresser Waller Knapp”，可知这一创意来自苏黎世的橱窗陈列师 Waller Knapp。)

68.They are sold/auctioned to raise money for charity.

(由倒数第六段第二句“Then, at the end of the show, instead of puzzling over what to do with hundreds of life-size fiberglass cows, which aren't a novelty anymore, Cow Parade auctions them for charity”，可知展览结束后这些作品会参与慈善拍卖。)

69.She designed a reclining cow to reflect the sponsor's promotion of "home from home" with a built-in couch and standard lamp.

(由倒数第四段可知，Clare Waddle 在 An Udder Cowch 中采用的爱丁堡偶尔会见到的那些斜倚着的牛的造型，及其内部沙发椅和落地灯的设计，折射出 Omni Centre 想要营造的“宾至如归感”的寄托。)

70.He believes it is a great antidote to the over-seriousness of some contemporary art.

(由最后一段开头“he believes it's a great antidote to the over-seriousness of some contemporary art”，可知 Demarco 认为该作品中的幽默对于当代艺术中那种过度的严肃感来说是一种解药。)

Section D (10 marks)

【答案与解析】

71.inner world

(由文章第一段末尾“It is not only a means of communication, but also a means of expressing a person's inner world in an aesthetic sense”可知，书法不仅是一种交际手段，而且是一种表达个人内心世界的审美手段。故填 inner world，表示“内心世界”。)

72.literary talent

(由文章第二段第二句“It was the essential whereby a candidate could manifest his literary talent in the Imperial Examination, for it gave a first impression to the examiners”可知，书法在科举考试中作为一个人文学天赋的体现具有关键作用，因为它给考官留下了第一印象。)

73.Speed

(由文章倒数第三段末尾“Calligraphers of seal character stress a slender font even speed and strength, and even thick lines and strokes”可知，印章字的书法家强调细长的字体，均匀的速度和力度，相同粗细的线条和笔触。)

74.promote well being

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（由第三段末尾“Thus it can be compared with Qigong, which also can mould and improve a person's temper and promote well being”可知，在培养和提升气质和健康方面，它的作用可以和气功相比。）

75.neater and delicate

（由文章倒数第二段开头“The new calligraphy appeared to be nearer and delicate, turning the round style into a flat one”可知，东汉的新书法显得更为紧凑而精致，风格从圆润转变为平直。）

Part V Translation (15 marks)

Section A (5 marks)

76.【参考译文】

电子书服务提供商掌阅在其发布的数字阅读报告中指出，中学生和大学生喜欢阅读电子书，平均每年读 18 本电子书。北京、上海和深圳是人们愿意把时间和金钱花在电子书上的前三名的城市，其每年的市场收入突破了 14 亿美元大关。报告称，68%的数字阅读用户为 25 岁以下的年轻人。不过，职场人士更愿意为电子书花费时间和金钱。报告显示，工作 10 年的读者平均每天阅读电子书 51 分钟，年消费金额 145 元。相比之下，大学生平均每天阅读电子书 36 分钟，年消费金额为 72 元。

Section B (10 marks)

【答案与解析】

77.A year ago, the world's governments agreed on an ambitious sustainable development agenda for the next 15 years. (agree on 通常表示“（两人以上）就……取得一致意见”，其主语大都为复数形式，宾语也只能是“事项”名词。)

78.People want food and shelter; education and health care and more job opportunities.

（题中“住所”可结合语境译为 shelter“避难所、收容所”更为合适。）

79.Realizing a better tomorrow will require integrated responses to interconnected challenges.

（本句“全面应对”翻译时使用了词性转换，把动词翻译为名词 integrated responses。）

80.Goal 16 addresses democracy directly:it calls for inclusive societies and accountable institutions.

（题中“第十六个目标”可翻译为 Goal 16；括号中提示的 inclusive 和 accountable 分别对应“包容性的”和“接受问责的”。)

81.Human development is more likely to take hold if people are given a real say in their own governance, and a chance to share in the fruits of progress.

（governance 意为“管理；统治；支配”，因此可以把“关乎自身的治理”意译为 one's own governance。take hold 指（制度、想法等）固定，落实，还可以后面接 of 意为“把握住……”。)

Part VI Error Correction (10 marks)

【答案与解析】

82.created→creates

（结合原文时态，这里应该用一般现在时。）

83.display→displaying

（display 与 footage 是主谓关系，应用现在分词做后置定语修饰 footage。）

84.a→an

(athletic 为元音音标开头的单词，前面的不定代词用 an。)

85.basing→based

(be based on 是固定搭配，表示“基于；建立在……的基础上”。)

86.series ∧ static→of

(a series of 是固定搭配，表示“一系列的”。)

87.applying→applied

(apply 与 technique 是动宾关系用过去分词做后置定语。)

88.incline→inclination

(and 并列的两个成分应该是相同词性，根据上下文可知应把 incline 改成名词形式。)

89.like→as 或删除 such

(such as 和单独的 like 都可以表示“例如”。)

90.√

91.第二个 for→to

(with access to 是固定搭配，表示“有……的使用权限”。)

Part VII IQ Test (5 marks)

92.【答案】D

【解析】D 中的图形是唯一一个图案交叉部分与原图案形状不同的。

93.【答案】D

【解析】BARBIT 这几个字母可以重新排列组合为 RABBIT (兔子)。

94.【答案】(c)

【解析】(a) 说法与题目中“When green is not Y, blue is Z”不相符。根据题目条件，如果“red is not X”，则“green is not Y”，则“blue is Z”，故 (b) 说法错误。排除法选 (c)。

95.【答案】-6

【解析】观察可知， $8-5=2+1$ ， $35-32=1+2$ ， $32-28=3+1$ 。即每行第一列的数字减去第二列的数字所得的结果等于第三列的个位和十位数字之和。 $? = 4 - (2+8) = -6$

96.【答案】24

【解析】对于站在北极点的爱斯基摩人来说，任何一个方向都是南边。如果要沿直线返回他的冰屋 (igloo) 的话，他在来时往北走了多远，他就需要往南走多远。

Part VIII Writing (30 marks)

I (10 marks)

【参考范文】

The table introduces the five airports in London from four aspects: distance from downtown, passenger flow, history and runways.

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Heathrow and Gatwick, obviously, are the major two among them, not only the oldest (88 and 84 years) but also with 2 runways and can accommodate the most passengers. However, the distance from downtown to Heathrow is less than half of that to Gatwick, while the passenger of Heathrow doubles.

Luton is the farthest from downtown (56 km) whereas the City Airport is the nearest and has the smallest amount of passengers. Stanstead Airport, at last, seems mediocre in every aspect.

II (20 marks)

【参考范文】

School bullying is a universal phenomenon, in the forms of physical, verbal, emotional and cyber bullying. The behavioral violence is observable but the potential traumas are hard to identify and cure. The experience can have along-term impact on people involved, whether you are the bullying, the bullied or one of the on-lookers. The idea that school bullying can lead to depression and suicide can be supported by a sea of heart-breaking cases.

School kids, especially, are at a formative stage, immature, impressionable and much more vulnerable. That is why people make a big deal out of school bullying—to protect our children from further social disorder and criminal activity. But it is never easy to eliminate school bullying. Sometimes it happens off campus and out of school hours. Nowadays internet provides space for cyber bullying, where the offender feels free from real-life morality.

But that doesn't mean we should yield to such crime. Instead, we should start to fight the demons in our heart. We should never be the abuser in any sense, nor silent audience. Teach our children to pluck up courage by showing instead of telling.

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Part I Listening Comprehension (30 marks)

Section A (5 marks)

1. 【答案】D

【解析】录音中女士问路时，男士为其指路并说道 "Actually, we're having a sale on music videos and DVDs this month". 由此可知有廉价销售活动的是音乐录影带和 DVD，故选 D。

【录音原文】

W: Where is the music video section?

M: Just a moment, sir. Ah, yes. When you get to the bottom of the stairs, you'll be in the camera section. Turn left and go straight. You'll see the stereos and TVs. Go past the electronic goods, and the CDs and videos are on the right. Actually, we're having a sale on music videos and DVDs this month.

W: Okay, I'll take a look. Thanks. Um...left at the bottom of the stairs, past the TVs, CDs on the right.

M: Right, you can't miss them

2. 【答案】A

【解析】录音中男士说自己去了演唱会并得到了一些纪念品，在女士发问时，男士说 "I got a set list and a couple of pics from one of the guys in 'Drive A' ". 由此可知男士得到的纪念品是 Drive A 乐队的歌单。故选 A。

【录音原文】

W: Hi, Sam, how are you doing?

M: Great. I just got back from a concert. It was so much fun!

W: That's cool. What band did you go to see?

M: It was a co-headlining show between "My Chemical Romance" and "The Used". A newer band called "Drive A" opened for them. It was pretty amazing. The music was great and I got some neat souvenirs while I was there.

W: Oh, yeah?

M: I got a set list and a couple of pics from one of the guys in "Drive A" and they all signed my CD. A couple of the guys from "My Chemical Romance" signed my ticket, too.

3. 【答案】A

【解析】录音中男士想要了解活期存款都包括哪些服务，女士回答说 "A checking account comes with a free checkbook and you can use your ATM card anywhere in the world."，同时 "The checking account has a rate of 2.4%. And there is a \$5,000 minimum deposit." 以及 "There are no fees."。由此可知，开通活期存款可以获得一本支票簿，自由使用 ATM 卡，利率是 2.4%，最低开户存款额为 5000 美元且不收取额外费用。故选 A

【录音原文】

W: Hello. Welcome to the Bank of Chicago. How can I help you?

M: Yes. I would like to open a checking account if I can. But first I'd like to know what is included with a checking account.

W: A checking account comes with a free checkbook and you can use your ATM card anywhere in the world.

M: What are your interest rates for checking accounts?

W: The checking account has a rate of 2.4%. And there is a \$5,000 minimum deposit.

M: Are there any fees with this account?

W: No. There are no fees.

4. 【答案】B

【解析】录音中男士劝女士上秤测量并说 "It seems you've put on quite a bit since last month."，然后问起女士的饮食和运动情况。由此可推测这个对话可能发生在诊所。故选 B

【录音原文】

M: Now, Mrs. Jones, if you could just step onto the scales... Hmm. It seems you've put on quite a bit since last month. Have you been following the diet sheet I gave you?

W: Yes... Well, most of the time I have. But I do get really hungry late in the evening sometimes, and I just have to have an extra snack before bedtime.

M: Late snacks, huh? What kind of snacks?

W: Cookies usually. And just a small packet... usually.

M: Right. And what about exercise? Have you been exercising properly?

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W: Well, I wanted to, but the weather's been so bad these past few weeks

5. 【答案】D

【解析】录音中女士提到自己电脑上有一个 word 文档打不开了，在描述了具体情况后男士回答 "I'm not sure what's wrong"。由此可知打不开文档的原因还不能确定，需要再检查。故选 D。

【录音原文】

W: Hi, Arthur, sorry to bother you. I've been having a problem with my computer. I know you're an engineer so I thought you might be able to help me.

M: I see. What's the problem?

W: I have a file that I can't open.

M: What type of file is it?

W: It's a Word document I've been working on. I need to finish it by tomorrow.

M: Were you able to open it before, on the computer you're using now? Do you think your computer might have a virus?

W: Yes, I was working on it last night and everything was fine, but this morning I couldn't open it. I also checked and there weren't any viruses.

M: OK, I'm not sure what's wrong. If it's possible, email the file to me and I'll see if I can get it to open.

Section B (10 marks)

Conversation One

【答案与解析】

6.F 录音中提到 "The Longevity Project is an eye opening book based on one of a kind study..." 由此可知书是基于研究而写，因此应该是先进行了研究再出的书。故该判断错误。

7.T 录音中 Howard Friedman 提到 "...it's the first scientific study that followed people from when they were children...throughout their whole lives"。由此可知这是第一场追踪人的一生研究。故该判断正确。

8.T 录音中在采访者问到展现人们活得长的最好指标时，Howard Friedman 提到 "the best, most consistent predictor was actually conscientiousness."。故该判断正确。

9.F 录音中采访者问到 "Carefree folks live longer than worrywarts" 是对还是错时，Howard Friedman 反问采访者，最终在采访者回答 "It's false" 时表示了肯定。由此可知这一论断是错误的。故该判断错误。

10.T 录音中提到 "The people who were committed to their careers, worked hard, stayed involved and succeeded in their careers actually stayed healthy and lived long." 由此可知工作努力、事业成功的人更健康、更长寿。故该判断正确。

【录音原文】

Interviewer: Who doesn't want to live forever? The Longevity Project is an eye-opening book based on one of a kind study, following 1500 people over eight decades. This book changes everything we thought about how to live a long, productive life. We're joined now by Doctor Howard Friedman.

Howard Friedman: Thank you!

Interviewer: This is just remarkable. Howard, first of all, tell us a bit about the study.

Howard Friedman: Well, this is really a breakthrough study, because it's the first scientific study that followed people from when they were children—and that back in 1921—throughout their whole lives, when they went through adolescence, as they went through young adulthood, as they got married, had their own children, went into their careers, aged, to see why some people thrived, lived long, stayed healthy. Other people kind of fell off the healthy path and succumbed and died before their time.

Interviewer: But to have that body of information, is there a best indicator that really shows why people live long?
Howard Friedman: The best, most consistent predictor was actually conscientiousness. So, a conscientious person is someone who is dependable, and organized, prudent. They think they had their persistence. When they start something, they stick to it. That...it might sound like he's a boring person, these are boring people.

Interviewer: No, no.

Howard Friedman: We knew, if you have those qualities, you tend to have more opportunities. You have opportunities to do really cool, fun stuff.

Interviewer: All right, well, let's have a little "True and False" here, because that will help us get the message across a little bit more. "Carefree folks live longer than worrywarts." True or false?

Howard Friedman: What do you think?

Interviewer: I think it's a little good to worry.

Howard Friedman: It is.

Interviewer: So it's false.

Howard Friedman: Yeah, right. We found, in fact, that you always have to take it easy, don't work so hard, and distress yourself. We felt people didn't work themselves to death; they really worked themselves to life. The people who were committed to their careers, worked hard, stayed involved and succeeded in their careers actually stayed healthy and lived long.

Conversation Two

【答案与解析】

11.B 录音中男士提到“I think for me it's that self-exploration...”由此可知男士开始长跑的原因是为了实现自我探索。故选 B。

12.C 录音中男士提到“I had got interested in running through Nordic ski racing...”由此可知男士是在参加了北欧滑雪比赛时开始对跑步产生兴趣。故选 C。

13.D 录音中男士提到“The furthest distance I've run is 165.7 miles in 24 hours.”由此可知男士 24 小时内跑过的最远距离是 165.7 英里。故选 D。

14.B 录音中男士提到自己在这场最长的长跑中尽量不休息, “And the only times I did stop were to go to the bathroom, basically, and even eating is done on the run.”由此可知男士在这场长跑中停下过, 而且边跑边吃东西。故选 B。

15.A 录音中在采访者问起男士什么时候决定“从不喜欢跑步的人变成想要参加世界上最困难的比赛的人”时, 男士提到“I think it was probably after my first 50 miler, after my first ultra-marathon.”由此可知男士是在跑完第一次超长距离马拉松后才有了这个想法。故选 A。

【录音原文】

Interviewer: So what propels you to be able to do some of these things, running the distances? You know a lot of people wouldn't even dream of it.

Scott Jurek: I think for me it's that self-exploration, the idea of there's something out there and the desire to see what my body, what my mind and down to what my spirit can do.

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Interviewer: Were you always a runner? I mean, how did this start?

Scott Jurek: For me, I actually used to hate running. I grew up hunting and fishing in northern Minnesota, and that was where I got connected with the outdoors. And I had got interested in running through Nordic ski racing and I had to get ready for the... basically, the snow season by doing some running on the ski trails.

Interviewer: You obviously do this competitively. What's the furthest distance you've ever run?

Scott Jurek: The furthest distance I've run is 165.7 miles in 24 hours.

Interviewer: So tell me how that works. Are you taking breaks or what are you doing?

Scott Jurek: So the more time I take breaks... the clock is always going, so the idea is to continue running throughout and as much as you can, because you only get 24 hours. And the only times I did stop were to go to the bathroom, basically, and even eating is done on the run.

Interviewer: Have you heard about the medical aspects of this? What have you been told?

Scott Jurek: Well, I think it helps...I'm actually a physical therapist and so I know a little bit about the body. But you know is it healthy to go that far in that amount of time? You know, it's hard to say, but the human body was built for endurance. If you look at our ancestors and what they did...I mean, even think of my great grandparents and what they did for work out in the fields, and I think maybe our perception of what is normal has changed over the years. And I like to always refer to what people used to do.

Interviewer: You talk about exploration and maybe to some extent exploring what the body can do, but at some point, you made the decision to say, "I'm gonna go from someone who didn't like to run to racing in the hardest, presumably, running competitions in the world." Was there a moment when that happened for you and you said, "I can actually do this"?

Scott Jurek: I think it was probably after my first 50-miler, after my first ultra-marathon. I'd run a marathon and then a month later decided to do this 50-mile race. A buddy of mine, Dusty Olson, said "you've got to try this out."

Section C (5 marks)

16. 【答案】B

【解析】新闻中提到“Volkswagen has admitted between 2009 and 2015 vehicles were fitted with illegal software to disguise high levels of pollution.”由此可知大众汽车公司曾经安装过非法软件来掩盖其高水平的污染。故选 B。

【录音原文】

Volkswagen has pleaded guilty in an American court to 3 criminal charges linked to the diesel emission scandal. The plea is part of a deal with the US Justice Department. Volkswagen has admitted between 2009 and 2015 vehicles were fitted with illegal software to disguise high levels of pollution.

17. 【答案】A

【解析】新闻中提到“US Department of Homeland Security Secretary John Kelly traveled to Guatemala City for a series of meetings with senior officials there.”由此可知 John Kelly 在危地马拉城参加了一系列与高级官员的见面会。故选 A。

【录音原文】

US Department of Homeland Security Secretary John Kelly traveled to Guatemala City for a series of meetings with senior officials there. He met with President Jimmy Morales, Minister of Government Francisco Rivas, Minister of Foreign Affairs Carlos Raul Morales, as well as the commissioner of National Civil Police, the First vice minister for security and the director of migration. Secretary Kelly met with US Ambassador

Todd Robinson and the Deputy Chief of Mission, and he observed the Government of Guatemala reception process for DHS repatriation flights. He also had a working lunch with Department of Homeland Security in-country and regional employees.

18.【答案】B

【解析】新闻中提到“Russia has been observing a day of mourning after a military plane crashed on Sunday in which all 92 people on board were killed.”由此可知这场飞机坠毁事故中有 92 人死亡。故选 B。

【录音原文】

Russia has been observing a day of mourning after a military plane crashed on Sunday in which all 92 people on board were killed. Prayers have been said in the country's Orthodox churches and a makeshift shrine has been set up in Moscow outside the headquarters of the Alexandra of music and dance Ensemble which lost many of its members.

19.【答案】B

【解析】新闻中提到美国对纳米比亚伸出援手, “USAID...is rolling out \$2.2 million dollars for drought assistance activities to help malnourished HIV patients, pregnant and lactating women...”由此可知这些行动的潜在接受者包括营养不良的艾滋病患者、哺乳期孕妇等。故选 B。

【录音原文】

Drought-related water and food shortages are posing a risk to many in Namibia, and the US government is providing help. Through the United States Agency for International Development, or US AID, the US will purchase eight water tanker trucks and promote community and school sanitation valued at \$1.6 million dollars. Additionally, USAID, with funding from the US President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief, known as PEPFAR, is rolling out \$2.2 million dollars for drought assistance activities to help malnourished HIV patients, pregnant and lactating women, orphans, and vulnerable children in food-insecure districts in Namibia with a high HIV burden.

20.【答案】A

【解析】新闻中提到的是牙买加民族英雄式的雷鬼歌手 Bob Marley, 并围绕着“Now some previously lost recordings of Reggae's first global superstar have been uncovered in a London hotel.”展开讨论。由此可知该新闻主题是“在伦敦发现了一些先前未曾发现过的 Bob Marley 的唱片”。故选 A。

【录音原文】

36 years after his death, Bob Marley is still revered as a national hero in Jamaica and admired by music fans the world over. Now some previously lost recordings of Reggae's first global superstar have been uncovered in a London hotel. The restored material features many tracks like Jammin and No, Woman No Cry. 13 master tapes with original live recordings of concerts in Paris and London in the 1970s were found in a basement. They were found by Martin Nichols, a recording engineer at White House Studios in the west of England. James asked him what state the tapes were in when he first saw them. “Oh, frankly, they were appalling. I almost didn't have the heart to tell the boys how bad they were because they were obviously so eager to get something off them. They'd obviously been drenched in water at some point...”

Section D (10 marks)

【答案与解析】

21. drowning sailors

22. previously imagined

23. much more probable

24.superiority

25.remarkable

【录音原文】

Dolphins are regarded as the friendliest creatures in the sea and stories of them helping drowning sailors have been common since Roman times. The more we learn about dolphins, the more we realize that their society is more complex than people previously imagined. They look after other dolphins when they are ill, care for pregnant mothers and protect the weakest in the community, as we do. Some scientists have suggested that dolphins have a language but it is much more probable that they communicate with each other without needing words. Could any of these mammals be more intelligent than man? Certainly, the most common argument in favor of man's superiority over them that we can kill them more easily than they can kill us is the least satisfactory. On the contrary, the more we discover about these remarkable creatures, the less we appear superior when we destroy them.

Summary

【答案与解析】

26.consistency

(录音中提到“Reliability is a measure of consistency.”, 因此该处答案为 consistency。)

27.unreliable

(录音中提到若同一份问卷每次用于同一个人群中产生的结果不同时, “the questionnaire is unreliable.”, 因此该处答案为 unreliable。)

28.truth

(录音中提到“Validity is a measure of truth.”, 因此该处答案为 truth。)

29.invalid

(录音中提到“It is possible for a questionnaire to be highly reliable yet invalid, like a clock which is always ten minutes slow.”, 因此该处答案为 invalid。)

30.Independent measures

(录音中提到“We can assess how valid our questionnaire is by comparing its results with an independent measure.”, 由此可知独立方式可以测定问卷是否有效。因此该处答案为 Independent measures。)

【录音原文】

Reliability and validity are key concepts in any form of enquiry. Reliability is a measure of consistency. For example, if a clock is sometimes fast and sometimes slow, it is unreliable. If a questionnaire produces different results for the same group of people each time it is used, then the questionnaire is unreliable. Validity is a measure of truth. It is possible for a questionnaire to be highly reliable yet invalid, like a clock which is always ten minutes slow. In contrast, a clock which is always right provides a valid and reliable measure of time. Similarly, a questionnaire which really measures what it claims to measure is a valid questionnaire. We can assess how valid our questionnaire is by comparing its results with an independent measure. For instance, if we ask people how often they visit their local theatre and then check the results against ticket sales, we will know how valid our questionnaire is. However often independent measures are themselves unreliable and of low validity. Furthermore in many cases there are no independent measures. In other words, a “true” answer (so) does not exist.

Part II Vocabulary & Grammar (15 marks)

31.【答案】C

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【解析】句意：要是他当初按照医生的话躺下就好了，不然他现在也不会受这么大的痛苦。该句中从句的动作与过去事实相反，而主句的动作与现在的事实不符，则从句结构应为“If+主语+had done”，主句结构为“主语+would/might/should/could d...”故选 C。

32. 【答案】B

【解析】句意：当他们在花园里野餐时，他们不仅带来了零食，还带了扑克牌来娱乐。在“not only...but also...”结构中，not only 置于句首时，其引导的句子应倒装。故选 B。

33. 【答案】A

【解析】句意：他所做的工作不符合他的受雇条件。compatible 一致的。collaborate 合作 compulsory 义务的。conspicuous 显著的。故选 A。

34. 【答案】C

【解析】句意：他说他有新证据，但拒绝再深入地详细描述。elaborate 详细描述。admonish 告诫。acknowledge 承认。confess 坦白。故选 A。

35. 【答案】B

【解析】句意：一我必须现在就要续借这本书吗？一当然。实际上，你昨天就该这么做了。该对话中回答是对过去的虚拟，表示与过去事实相反的情况，根据句意，应当使用结构“should have done.”故选 B。

36. 【答案】B

【解析】句意：当欧洲人到达现在是美洲的地方时，那里只有印第安人。该句的时间状语从句中，宾语是一个名词性从句，由 what 引导，what 在句中做主语。故选 B。

37. 【答案】A

【解析】句意：由于我家长的慷慨，我才能完成我的学业。我最感激的就是我的家长。该句是强调句，结构为“it is...that...”。第一个逗号后是修饰“parents”的非限制性定语从句，根据句意可判断此处表示“所属”，用 whose 最佳。故选 A。

38. 【答案】A

【解析】对话中 Harry 在提议去看恐怖片时，Elizabeth 表示她更喜欢浪漫电影。而后文 Elizabeth 有些惊讶地说“Really?”并询问 Harry 喜欢看什么种类的电影。根据情景可推测 Harry 很可能不喜欢浪漫电影，且表现令 Elizabeth 吃惊。A 项最符合情景。

39. 【答案】C

【解析】对话中 Diana 提议去野餐，后文 Diana 提意见“为什么不在肯德基买些炸鸡再去莫里公园呢？”由此可推测 Doug 很有可能询问了 Diana 关于带什么食物的意见。C 项最符合情景。

40. 【答案】A

【解析】对话中 Ms.Zellinger 想要和 Joseph Abernathy 通话，但接线员表示他目前不在。后文接线员表示“他应该会在下午三点左右回来”。由此可知 Ms.Zellinger 应该询问了 Joseph 回来的可能时间。A 项最符合情景。

41. 【答案】D

【解析】1812 年战争发生于美国和英国之间。故选 D。

42. 【答案】C

【解析】句意：美国人在五月最后一个周一庆祝美国阵亡将士纪念日，以纪念那些为国捐躯的人。美国阵亡将士纪念日定于五月最后一个周一，目的是纪念各战争中为国献身的美军官兵。故选 C。

43. 【答案】B.

【解析】句意：落基山脉被认为是“大陆的脊椎”，同时被认为是一座年轻的山脉，和欧洲的阿尔卑斯山、亚洲的喜马拉雅山、南美的安第斯山脉同龄。be regarded as 被当做是……。be believed in 被相信是。be taken for 被误认为……。be honored by 被誉为……。故选 B。

44. 【答案】C

【解析】句意：美国政府被划分为三个部分，每个部分都有自己的权力。这种制度被称为“相互制衡”。美国的立法权、行政权和司法权分别由议会、政府、法院独立行使，同时又相互制约，保持权力均衡。这种原则被称为“相互制衡”（checks and balances）。故选 C。

45. 【答案】C

【解析】句意：在文学领域，包含代表观点或展开道德教育的事件或角色的故事被称为寓言。寓言是通过假托手法或拟人手法说明某个道理或教训的文学体裁。allegory 寓言。sonnet 十四行诗。prose 散文。allusion 典故。故选 C。

Part III Cloze (10 marks)

【答案与解析】

46.spend

（此处意为“花费空闲时间试图追溯家系”。根据文意与字母提示可推测该词为 spend.因此该空填入 spend。）

47.with

（此处意为“拥有参与过美国历史的祖先的人”，表示所属关系应使用介词 with。因此该空填入 with。）

48.slavery

（根据文意可推断该处意为“奴隶制度”，应使用 slave 的另一个名词形式 slavery。因此该空填入 slavery。）

49.which

（逗号后为修饰 television miniseries 的非限制性定语从句，只能用 which 引导。因此该空填入 which。）

50.biggest

（根据后文“any television program had ever had”以及定冠词 the 可判断应使用最高级形式。因此该空填入 biggest。）

51.interested

（根据文意与字母提示可推测此处表达的是“人们对某个观点有兴趣”，根据该空所处短语结构可判断该词应为 interested。因此该空填入 interested。）

52.contributed

（根据文意可知该句表现了互联网对系谱学流行起来的作用，即“有助于系谱学的流行”，可使用 contribute

一词。本句为现在完成时。因此该空填入 contributed。）

53.access

(access a website 意为“访问一个网站”，为固定搭配。因此该空填入 access。)

54.rewarding

(此处句意为“系谱学必定有所收获”，修饰的是“genealogy”这一事物，故应使用 reward 的形容词形式 rewarding。因此该空填入 rewarding。)

55.reviewing

(此处 after 为介词，后面接动词时应使用动词的-ing 形式。因此该空填入 reviewing。)

Part IV Reading Comprehension (35 marks)

Section A (5 marks)

【答案与解析】

56.Spices

(文章第一段提到“Indian food is well-known for being spicy.It always uses spices...”由此可知印度菜里会频繁使用香辛料。因此该空填入 Spices。)

57.sour cream

(文章第二段提到奥地利从整个大陆引入食物与烹饪创意，比如“sour cream from the Slavs, paprika from Hungary, noodle dishes from Italy.”由此可知，酸奶油是从斯拉夫人那里引进的。因此该空填入 sour cream。)

58.Bulls

(文章第二段提到奥地利人不喜欢杀公牛，因为“They felt it wasteful to keep them and feed them while they grew up but did no useful work.”奥地利人认为喂养公牛是一种浪费，并且公牛做不了有用工作，即公牛没有用。因此该空填入 Bulls。)

59.climate

(文章第三段提到“Swedish cooking was in the past restricted by its climate which limited the supply of fresh food to a few months of the year.”由此可知过去的瑞典烹饪受气候的限制很大。因此该空填入 climate。)

60.Soups

(文章最后一段提到“Soups play an important part in the diet of a Polish family.”汤在波兰家庭的食谱中很重要。因此该空填入 Soups。)

Section B (10 marks)

【答案与解析】

61.F 文章第一段以 BMW 在微信投入的广告为例引出话题，后文又说到“这也是一个营销总监们试图找到在新电子平台上接触客户的合适方法的例……”，由此可推测该空应该围绕 BMW 投放广告的例子来讨论。F 项最符合语境。

62.G 根据“它已成为广告产业的支柱”一句，以及后文提到的“social network”，可推测文章第三段第一句应与“社交网络平台”有关。G 项意为“不久前社交媒体营销还只是品牌经理让夏日实习生处理的东西”，与本段第二句形成对比并谈到了社交媒体，最符合语境。

63.B 文章第四段第二句说明“广告可以精准投放，而其他类似的媒体做不到这一点”。据此可推测该段首句应与社交媒体营销的优点有关。B 项意为“广告商喜欢社交媒体平台，因为平台能够收集用户年龄、消

费模式与兴趣等多项数据”，点明了社交媒体的优点，并且这些优点可以用于第二句提到的“精准投放”，最符合语境。

64.C 文章倒数第二段围绕着“社交平台上的商业”展开讨论，指出投放在社交平台上的广告可以方便地让用户购买物品。C 项意为“这样经过微调过的定位意味着广告与电子商务的差别模糊了”，承接上一段主题，并与下段主题连贯，最符合语境。

65.E 文章最后一段以 Lowe 公司的活动为例，说明了广告商们现在会准备一个广告的不同版本，针对不同的客户子群体进行精准投放。E 项意为“为了最大程度地在社交媒体上精准定位用户，广告商们正对他们的广告活动做出重大改变”，与例子中提到的“campaign”照应，而 Lowe 公司的广告也是精准定位客户子群体的例子，最符合语境。

Section C (10 marks)

【答案与解析】

66.They get their water via an immense network of dams, aqueducts, pipelines and wells.

（文章第五段第一句提到“California's great cities get their water via an immense network of dams, aqueducts, pipelines and wells that is one of the engineering wonders of the world.”。由此可知加州的大城市通过沉浸式大坝网络、沟渠、管道和井获取水资源。）

67.Almost 150 miles from an artificial lake in Yosemite National Park.

（根据关键词 San Francisco 定位至文章第六段。该段提到“Even the city of San Francisco...its supply being carried almost 150 miles from an artificial lake in Yosemite National Park.”。由此可知旧金山的水资源供应来自于 150 英里之外的约塞米蒂国家公园的人工湖。）

68.The problem of getting water from outside their state.

（文章倒数第五段提到“As if dry summers and growing needs were not enough problems already, Californians also have problems getting water from outside their state.”。由此可知除了干旱的夏季和种植需要，加州人也很难从州之外的地方获得水资源。）

69.\$65 million.

（根据关键词 Mono Lake 定位至文章倒数第四段。该段提到“California's State Legislature voted \$65 million to find alternatives to save Mono Lake from evaporating in the desert sun of Eastern California.”。由此可知为了拯救莫诺湖，加州州立法机构投入了 6500 万美元。）

70.Some serious unattractive lifestyle changes.

（根据关键词 political analysts 定位至文章倒数第二段。该段提到“political analysts predict that it will require many years and some serious and unattractive lifestyle changes to resolve”。要解决这场“水资源战争”，需要很多年，以及一些严肃、不受欢迎的生活习惯改变。）

Section D (10 marks)

【答案与解析】

71.accounting for

（文章第二段提到“...and today, tea remains firmly anchored as Britain's favorite drink, accounting for over two fifths of all the drink consumed in Britain except for water.”因此该空填 accounting for。）

72.sell tea

（文章第四段第二句提到“It was in 1657 that Thomas Garway, the owner of a coffee house, sold the first tea in London”。Thomas Garway 是英国第一个卖茶的人。因此该空填 sell tea。）

73.expensive

（文章第五段以具体数字对比说明了茶的价格，第六段开头提到“*For a century and a half, tea remained an expensive drink*”。由此可知几百年前英国的茶十分贵重。因此该空填 *expensive*。）

74. (the) nobility

（文章第六段提到“*...but as a social drink outside the workplace, tea was reserved for the nobility and for the growing middle classes.*”因此该空填 *nobility* 或 *the nobility*。）

75.at any time

（文章最后一段第一句提到“*Today, tea can be drunk at any time of day.*”因此该空填 *at any time*。）

Part V Translation (15 marks)

Section A (5 marks)

76.【参考译文】

随着越来越多 5 岁以下儿童成为超重或肥胖，减肥机构正在中国国内遍地开花，目的是帮助人们减肥。一些减肥训练营承诺，能帮助有体重问题的儿童在 3 个月内减重 5 至 15 公斤。根据世界卫生组织 10 月发布的一份报告，全球 5 岁以下的超重和肥胖儿童已达 4200 万人，他们中的大多数居住在发展中国家。这份报告展示，发展中国家这个群体的增长率比发达国家高出 30%。

Section B (10 marks)

【答案与解析】

77.Entrepreneurs hope the hi-tech bike-sharing boom will make them rich while simultaneously transforming China's traffic-clogged cities.

（bike-sharing 自行车共享。boom 繁荣。simultaneously 同时地。traffic-clogged 交通拥堵的。）

78.In the southern Chinese city of Shenzhen, more than 500 bicycles for hire have been found dumped in huge piles on the streets, according to reports.

（dump in huge piles 成堆丢弃。for hire 供出租。according to reports 在翻译时可放在句末。由于过去发生的动作对现在产生了影响，因此用现在完成时。）

79.Users can rent bikes with a smartphone app and then park them wherever they choose.

（wherever 此处引导地点状语从句，意为“在……的任何（所有）地方”。此外，wherever 还可以引导让步状语从句，表示“不管在（到）哪里”，相当于 *no matter where*。如：*Wherever he goes, I'll go.* 不管他到哪里，我也去。）

80.The sharing economy is taking off in China, where ride-sharing and apartment-sharing are becoming more and more common.

（take off 起飞。形容地点的非限制性定语从句用 *where* 引导。）

81.In order to win customers, bike-renting companies have been locked in fierce competitions.

（be locked in 被困在……。fierce 激烈的。由于自行车公司的竞争从过去到现在一直存在，因此该句翻译应采用现在完成时。）

Part VI Error Correction (10 marks)

【答案与解析】

82.spend→spending

（此处“spend power”被用作主语，因此 spend 应使用其动名词形式 spending。）

83.by→with

（provide...with...意为“给……提供……”，为固定结构。）

84.is→was

（根据 once 可推测描述的是过去的情况，is 应改为其过去式 was。）

85.economy→economic

（economic growth 意为“经济增长”，为固定搭配。）

86.less→more

（人们对威胁的恐惧正在增长。根据句意可知，由于恐惧增长，威胁必然是增加而不是减少的。）

87.删除 in

（that 引导的定语从句修饰 possibility，不需要加介词。）

88.an→a

（universal 发音以辅音开头，故不定冠词应使用 a。）

89.giving→given

（“无条件的政府支付报酬”应该是“被给予”公民，应该用被动语态。）

90.√

91.month→monthly

（month 为名词。monthly 为形容词，意为“每月一次的”，修饰 income。）

Part VII IQ Test (5 marks)

92.【答案】A

【解析】A 项中的左右两部分图案与其他选项中的两部分图案均成镜面对称。

93.【答案】A

【解析】每一行中的前两个数字之和都等于两个数字之积。

94.【答案】E

【解析】PEACH 变换为 HCAEP 的过程是把字母从后到前重新排列，因此数字列也应从后到前重新排列。

95.【答案】AUTOMATIC

96.【答案】slipper; boot; sandal

【解析】拖鞋、靴子、凉鞋均属于鞋类。

Part VIII Writing (30 marks)

I (10 marks)

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According to the chart, from 2003 and 2004 to 2013 and 2014, the primary funding sources of international students in the U.S. have changed. Among the sources of funding, personal and family ranks first both in number of students and its ratio. U.S. college or university ranks the second in both aspects. Other sources, including foreign government or university, current employer and so on, occupy only a small part. After ten years, the total number of international students has greatly increased. However, the percentage of the top two sources have both dropped a little, though the number still increases greatly. The sources of foreign government or university and current employer both increased in the two aspects, especially the former, while fewer students are choosing other sources. All in all, the major source of funding is still personal and family.

II (20 marks)

【参考范文】

According to a newly-amended Ministry of Education regulation, college students who have started their studies can apply for leave for several semesters to start their business and their period of schooling can be extended. In my view, this regulation is beneficial in the following aspects.

First, this regulation will offer students a chance to learn from practice. Not all students are adept at academic knowledge. For those who are better at learning from practice, this regulation can provide them with a chance. Second, it can help students know the society in advance. All students will eventually enter the society. If they can leave to experience before graduation, they'll have a deeper understanding about the society and adapt to the society more quickly after graduation. Last, students can leave themselves a way open for retreat. Those who fail in their business can still return to college for further study in order to enhance their skills. Thus they can have a bold fight in their business.

In conclusion, this regulation is a help for students. All students have different paths in their lives, so colleges should give them a chance to choose where they go.