

2023 年同等学力人员申请硕士学位英语水平全国统一考试试题

Part I Listening Comprehension (20 minutes, 15 points)

Section A

Directions In this section, you will hear nine short conversations between two speakers. At the end of each conversation, a question will be asked about what was said. Both the conversation and the question will be read only once. Choose the best answer from the four choices marked A, B, C and D by marking the corresponding letter on the ANSWER SHEET with a single line through the center.

Example: You will hear:

You will read:

A. At the office. B. In the waiting room.

C. At the airport. D. In a restaurant

Sample [A] [B] [C] [D]

From the conversation we know that the two speakers are talking about ordering food. This is most likely to have taken place in a restaurant. Therefore, restaurant is the best answer.

You should choose D on the ANSWER SHEET and mark it with a single line through the center.

1. A. To the park. B. Downtown.
C. To the bar. D. To the show.
2. A. Go and see Karen. B. Go to the art gallery.
C. Tell Karen he's fine. D. Ask Karen for advice.
3. A. The game has been put off. B. The game hasn't started yet.
C. She wants to know who is winning. D. The game is almost over now.
4. A. At a hotel. B. In a tent.
C. In a house. D. On a boat.
5. A. 15 dollars. B. 4 dollars.
C. 11 dollars. D. 26 dollars.
6. A. Because it's really effective B. Because it doesn't work.
C. Because it has harmful side effects. D. Because it only works temporarily.
7. A. About three hours. B. Twenty or thirty minutes.
C. Less than an hour and a half. D. Just under two hours.
8. A. They are very expensive. B. They are very easy.

C. They are given by a strict teacher. D. They are very rewarding.

9. A. A shop assistant. B. Her neighbor.

C. A policeman. D. Her colleague.

Section B

Directions In this section, you will first hear a conversation and then a talk. At the end of the conversation and the talk, you will hear some questions. All of them will be read only once.

After you hear a question, you must choose the best answer from the four choices marked A, B,

C and D by marking the corresponding letter **ANSWER SHEET** with a single line

through the center.

Questions 10 to 12 are based on the conversation you have just heard.

10. A. He has to finish writing a paper. B. He must talk with Professor

Lawrence.

C. He has to take a math test. D. He's going to a conference.

11. A. Science. B. History.

C. Maths. D. Literature.

12. A. Teach him how to write a poem. B. Help him with his maths.

- C. Walk with him to the library. D. Review the last exam with him.

Questions 13 to 15 are based on the talk you have just heard.

13. A. Two. B. Three C. Four D. Five.

14. A. Make sure there are good locks on all the windows and doors.

- B. Talk to other people who rent apartments in the same building.

- C. Walk around the apartment for dangerous signs.

- D. Check the water and electricity to see if they are working.

15. A. Read the lease carefully and sign it.

- B. Deposit some money in a bank.

- C. Sign the contract and pay a security deposit.

- D. Ask the landlord for a damage deposit.

Part II Vocabulary (15 minutes, 15 points)

Section A

Directions In this section there are fifteen sentences, each with one word or phrase underlined. Choose the one from the four choices marked A, B, C and D that best keeps

the meaning of the sentence. Then mark the corresponding letter ~~ANSWER~~ the SHEET with a single line through the center.

16. The temperatures are somewhat lower than the average temperature in May this year.

- A. rather B. very C. a little D. less

17. He must not allow this unusual barrier to stop him from fighting against the enemy.

- A. interior B. obstacle C. interruption D. interference

18. Next semester, Susan must take three compulsory courses.

- A. formal B. voluntary C. practical D. required

19. Should either of these situations occur, wrong control actions might be taken and a potential accident sequence initiated.

- A. imported B. installed C. started D. interviewed

20. Now about half of the women who work in social welfare are part-time, as compared to 38% in the private sector.

- A. guarantee B. farewell C. well-off D. well-being

21. It is not clear whether the increase in reports is stemmed from greater human activity or is simply the result of more surveys.

A. flows B. comes C. derives D. originates

22. This is the sort of case in which judges must exercise the arbitrary power described a moment ago.

A. avail B. use C. have D. display

23. Recent studies have posed the question as to whether there is a link between film violence and real violence.

A. supposed B. poised C. aroused D. raised

24. Floods have undermined the foundation of the ancient bridge.

A. weakened B. reached C. spoiled D. covered

25. A frequently cited example of the endangered species is the panda.

A. worried B. neglected C. reduced D. mentioned

26. Some psychologists argue that ~~the~~ ~~idea~~ idea “spare the rod and spoil the child” is not rational.

A. helpful B. kind C. sensible D. effective

27. Providing first-class service is one of the tactics the airline adopts to attract passengers.

A. methods B. attitudes C. thoughts D. solutions

28. Before you decide on a vocation, it might be a good idea to consult a few good friends.

A. career B. holiday C. plan D. research

29. The police are trying to get back the stolen statue.

A. detain B. retrieve C. track D. detect

30. Because of adverse weather conditions, the travelers stopped to camp.

A. local B. unfamiliar C. good D. unfavorable

Section B

Directions In this section there are fifteen incomplete sentences. For each sentence there are four choices marked A, B, C and D. Choose the one that best completes the sentence. Then mark the corresponding letter ~~ANSWER~~ SHEET with a single line through the center.

31. These last 22 years have really been amazing, every prediction we' ve made about improvements have all _____.

A. come over B. come down C. come along D. come true

32. Anyone breaking the rules will be asked to leave _____.

A. at the spot B. on the spot C. for the spot D. in the spot

33. Mary succeeded in living _____ her extraordinary reputation.

A. up to B. up C. down D. on

34. Other guests at yesterday's opening, which was broadcast _____ by the radio station, included the Governor and the Mayor.

A. alive B. live C. lively D. living

35. The manager was told when he was _____ that his was a pressure job.

A. appointed B. pointed C. assigned D. disappointed

36. Her husband is interested in designing electronic _____.

A. management B. safety C. devices D. routine

37. Gestures are an important means to _____ messages.

A. convey B. study C. exploit D. keep

38. _____ preparations were being made for the Prime Minister's official visit to the four foreign countries.

A. Wise B. Elaborate C. Optional D. Neutral

39. This local evening paper has a _____ of twenty-five thousand.
- A. number B. contribution C. circulation D. celebration
40. Susan loves chocolate so much that she can hardly resist its _____.
- A. sight B. brand C. variety D. temptation
41. On the local market, _____ fruits and vegetables are now commonly sold.
- A. exotic B. enough C. limited D. famous
42. After a few months, the immigrants became _____ to the new environment.
- A. confident B. sick C. happy D. accustomed
43. If your _____ lively pets become passive, they might be ill.
- A. traditionally B. rarely C. normally D. continually
44. Speech is the _____ ability possessed only by human beings.
- A. unique B. average C. collective D. single
45. John seldom drinks coffee because he doesn' t _____ the taste.
- A. stand for B. care about C. cope with D. care for

Part II Reading Comprehension (40 minutes, 25 points)

Directions There are five passages in this part. Each passage is followed by five questions or unfinished statements. For each of them there are four choices marked A, B, C and D. Choose the best one and mark the corresponding letter ~~ANSER~~ the SHEET with a single line through the center.

Passage 1

Americans usually consider themselves a friendly people. Their friendships, however, tend to be shorter and more casual than friendships among people from other cultures. It is not uncommon for Americans to have only one close friend during their lifetime, and consider other "friends" to be just social acquaintances. This attitude probably has something to do with American mobility and the fact that Americans do not like to be dependent on other people. They tend to "compartmentalize(划分) friendships, having "friends at work", "friends on the softball team", "family friends", etc. Because the United States is a highly active society, full of movement and change, people always seem to be on the go. In this highly charged atmosphere, Americans can sometimes seem brusque (无礼的) or impatient. They want to get to know you as quickly as possible and then move on to something else. Sometimes, early on, they will ask you questions that you may feel are very personal. No insult is intended; the questions usually grow out of their genuine interest or curiosity, and their impatience to get to the heart of the matter. And the same goes for you. If you do not understand certain American behavior or you want to know more about them, do not hesitate to ask

them questions about themselves. Americans are usually eager to explain all about their country or anything “American” in which you may be interested. So much that you may become tired of listening. It doesn’t matter because Americans tend to be uncomfortable with silence during a conversation. They would rather talk about the weather or the latest sports scores, for example, than deal with silence. On the other hand, don’t expect Americans to be knowledgeable about international geography or world affairs, unless those subjects directly involve the United States. Because the United States is not surrounded by many other nations, some Americans tend to ignore the rest of the world.

46. The general topic of the passage is _____.

- A. American culture
- B. American society
- C. Americans’ activities
- D. Americans’ personality

47. Which of the following statements is NOT TRUE according to the passage?

- A. Americans do not like to depend on other people.
- B. Friendships among Americans tend to be casual.
- C. Americans know a lot about international affairs.
- D. Americans always seem to be on the go.

48. The phrase “highly charged” (paragraph 2) most probably means _____.

- A. extremely free
- B. highly responsible
- C. very cheerful
- D. full of mobility and change

49. It can be inferred from the passage that _____.

- A. Americans want to participate in all kinds of activities
- B. Americans' character is affected by their social and geographical environments.
- C. Americans do not know how to deal with silence
- D. Curiosity is characteristic of Americans

50. According to the passage, Americans tend to ignore the rest of the world because _____.

- A. they are not interested in other countries
- B. they are too proud of themselves
- C. their country does not have many neighboring nations
- D. they are too busy to learn about other countries

Passage 2

Want a glimpse of the future of health care? Take a look at the way the various networks of people involved in patient care are being connected to one another, and how this new connectivity is being exploited to deliver medicine to the patient -- no matter where he or she may be.

Online doctors offering advice based on standardized symptoms are the most obvious example. Increasingly, however, remote diagnosis (telemedicine) will be based on real physiological data from the actual patient. A group from the University of Kentucky has shown that by using an off-the-shelf (现成的) PDA (personal data assistance) such as

a Palm Pilot plus a mobile phone, it is perfectly feasible to transmit a patient's vital signs over the telephone. With this kind of equipment in a first-aid kit, the cry asking whether there was a doctor in the house could well be a thing of the past.

Other medical technology groups are working on applying telemedicine to rural care.

And at least one team wants to use telemedicine as a tool for disaster response especially after earthquakes. Overall, the trend is towards providing global access to medical data and expertise.

But there is one problem. Bandwidth is the limiting factor for transmitting complex medical images around the world—CT scans being one of the biggest bandwidth consumers. Communications satellites may be able to cope with the short-term needs during disasters such as earthquakes, wars or famines. But medicine is looking towards both the second-generation Internet and third-generation mobile phones for the future of distributed medical intelligence.

Doctors have met to discuss computer-based tools for medical diagnosis, training and telemedicine. With the falling price of broadband communications, the new technologies should usher in an era when telemedicine and the sharing of medical information, expert opinion and diagnosis are common.

51. The basis of remote diagnosis will be _____.

- A. standardized symptoms of a patient
- B. personal data assistance
- C. transmitted complex medical images
- D. real physiological data from a patient

52. The sentence "the cry asking whether there was a doctor in the house could well be a thing of the past" means _____.
- A. now people probably would not ask if there is a doctor in the house
 - B. patients used to cry and ask if there was a doctor in the house
 - C. in the past people often cried and asked if there was a doctor in the house
 - D. patients are now still asking if there is a doctor in the house
53. All the following statements are true EXCEPT that _____.
- A. it is now feasible to transmit a patient's vital signs over telephone
 - B. flood is not among the disasters mentioned in the passage
 - C. the trend in applying telemedicine is toward providing global access to medical data
 - D. telemedicine is being used by many medical teams as a tool for disaster response
54. The word "problem" in the fourth paragraph refers to the fact that _____.
- A. there are not enough mobile phones for distributing medical intelligence
 - B. CT scans are one of the biggest bandwidth consumers
 - C. bandwidth is not adequate to transmit complex medical images around the world
 - D. communications satellites can only cope with the short-term needs during disasters
55. A proper title for the passage may be _____.
- A. Improvement in Communications
 - B. The Online Doctor Is In
 - C. Application of Telemedicine
 - D. How to Make Remote Diagnosis

Passage 3

Pictures in the British papers this week of Prince William, Prince Charles's 18-year-old son, cleaning toilets overseas, have led to a surge of 利他主义 (Raleigh International, the charity that organized his trip, has seen inquiries about voluntary work abroad rise by 30%. But the image of idealistic youth that William presents no longer reflects the reality of the volunteer force. It's getting older and older.

Voluntary Service Overseas (VSO) has about 2023 volunteers in the field around the world. After a dip in interest in the mid-1990s, applications to work abroad are at record levels. Last year 7,645 people submitted applications, and 920 successfully negotiated the VSO selection process and were sent abroad. When the organization was founded in 1959, the average volunteer was in his early 20s. Now, the average age is 35, and set to rise further.

Partly, that is because there are more older people who want to do VSO. More people take early retirement; more, says the chief executive of VSO, "still feel that they have more to give and are in good health". And the demands of the African and Asian countries where most of the volunteers go are changing, too. Their educational standards have risen over the past couple of decades, so they want people with more qualifications, skills and experience.

BESO (British Executive Service Overseas) recruits executives and businessmen with at least 15 years' experience for short contract work overseas. It organizes 500 placements (工作安顿) a year, and at the moment supply is surpassing demand. A

BESO spokesman said that the organization is "limited by funding rather than a lack of volunteers".

Enthusiastic but unqualified students do not impress as much as they once did alongside accountants, managers and doctors. The typical volunteer, these days, has been in full-time employment for at least five years and is highly qualified. And the profession which provides the biggest portion of volunteers is ~~educators~~ ^{educators} and school inspectors as well as classroom teachers.

56. According to the passage, the volunteers _____.

- A. are getting older and older
- B. are becoming fewer
- C. are inexperienced and unqualified
- D. are mostly students

57. All the statements are true about Prince William EXCEPT that _____.

- A. his trip has triggered a surge of altruism
- B. his trip was organized by a government institution
- C. he presents the image of idealistic youth
- D. he is not a representative volunteer in age

58. From the second paragraph we can know that _____.

- A. the number of applications to work abroad declined in the mid-1990s
- B. the average volunteer now is not much older than forty years ago
- C. of those who have submitted applications a majority have been chosen and sent abroad

D. there were more applications to work aboard in the early 1990s than in the late 1990s

59. There are more older people who want to do VSO because _____.

I. more people take early retirement

II. more older people feel they are in good health

III. the foreign countries where the volunteers go want people with more qualifications, skills and experience

A. II only B. I only C. I, II and III D. I and II

60. According to the last paragraph, the typical volunteer now may be _____.

A. an enthusiastic but unqualified young student

B. a highly qualified headmaster or teacher

C. an executive or businessman with at least 15 years' experience

D. a well-experienced accountant, manager, or doctor

Passage 4

With only about 1 000 pandas left in the world, China is desperately trying to clone the animal and save the endangered species. That's a move similar to what a Texas A&M University researcher has been undertaking for the past five years in a project called "Noah's Ark".

Dr. Duane Kraemer, a professor in Texas A&M's College of Veterinary Medicine and a pioneer in embryo(胚胎) transfer work and related procedures, said he salutes the

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