2024-2025学年牛津版英语初三上学期期末自测试卷 及解答参考

一、听力部分(本大题有20小题,每小题1分,共20分)

1、听力材料:

W:Hi,John.How was your history test last week?

M:It was quite challenging. The questions were quite detailed and it covered a lot of topics from the semester.

Q:What can we infer about John's feelings about the history test?

A:John felt the test was challenging and detailed.

B:John found the test easy and straightforward.

C:John was disappointed with the test.

D:John was surprised by the test questions.

Answer:A

Explanation: The word "challenging" and the mention of "detailed questions" indicate that John found the test difficult and comprehensive.

2、听力材料:

W:Have you finished reading the novel we were assigned for our English class?

M:Not quite.I started it last night, but I got really engrossed in the

story and lost track of time.

Q:What can we infer about the student's experience with the novel?

A:The student found the novel boring and didn't read it.

B:The student started reading the novel but didn't finish it.

C:The student finished reading the novel and enjoyed it.

D:The student didn't have time to read the novel because of other assignments.

Answer:C

Explanation: The phrase "got really engrossed in the story" suggests that the student was so absorbed in reading the novel that they lost track of time, indicating they enjoyed the book.

3 You are going to listen to a conversation between two students, Alex and Emily, discussing their weekend plans. Listen carefully and answer the question.

Question: What activity does Emily plan to do on Saturday afternoon?

A)Go to a museum.

B)Visit a friend.

C)Take a walk in the park.

Answer:C)Take a walk in the park.

Explanation: The answer can be found in the part of the conversation where Emily mentions, "I'm thinking of taking a walk in the park this Saturday afternoon."

4. Listen to a short dialogue between a teacher and a student, discussing the student's upcoming science project. Answer the question after listening. Question: What advice does the teacher give to the student regarding the

science project?

A)Choose a topic that interests you.

B)Make sure to do extensive research.

C)Focus on a project that will be easy to complete.

Answer:A)Choose a topic that interests you.

Explanation: The teacher's advice is clearly stated when they say, "I would recommend choosing a topic that really interests you, as it will make the project more enjoyable and easier to work on."

5. You are listening to a conversation between a student and a teacher.

Student:Professor,I've been struggling with the concept of complex sentences.Can you explain it to me again?

Teacher:Sure,a complex sentence is a sentence that has at least one independent clause and one or more dependent clauses. The independent clause can stand alone as a sentence, while the dependent clause cannot.

Question: What is the teacher's definition of a complex sentence?

A)A sentence with only one independent clause.

B)A sentence with no dependent clauses.

C)A sentence that has at least one independent clause and one or more dependent clauses.

D)A sentence that cannot stand alone.

Answer:C

Explanation:The teacher defines a complex sentence as having at least one independent clause and one or more dependent clauses.

6. You are listening to a weather report on the radio.

Weather Reporter: The heavy rain that we've been experiencing over the past few days is expected to continue into the evening. However, there is a chance of a brief respite in the rain starting around midnight.

Question: What is the weather forecast for the evening?

A)Clear skies.

B)Heavy rain continuing.

C)A brief respite in the rain.

D)No rain expected.

Answer:B

Explanation: The weather report states that heavy rain is expected to continue into the evening, which is option B.

7. What does the man suggest doing?

A.Going to the movies.

B.Having dinner at a restaurant.

C.Staying home and cooking.

D. Visiting friends.

Answer: C. Staying home and cooking.

Explanation:In the dialogue,the man suggests that they should stay in and cook something special instead of going out,as it would be more economical and fun. This indicates that he prefers to stay home and cook, making option C the correct answer.

8. Where is the woman going on her vacation?

A.To the mountains.

B.To the beach.

C.To the city.

D.To the countryside.

Answer:B.To the beach.

Explanation: The woman mentions that she has always wanted to relax by the sea and is planning to spend her vacation at a beach resort. Therefore, the correct answer is B, indicating that she is going to the beach for her vacation.

9. You are listening to a conversation between two students discussing their weekend plans.

A.What is the first activity the students plan to do?

B.Where do the students plan to go for the weekend?

Listen to the conversation and choose the correct answer from the options provided.

Answer: A. What is the first activity the students plan to do?

1.goto the movies

2.visit a museum

3.go hiking

4.attend a concert

Correct Answer:1.go to the movies

Explanation:In the conversation,one of the students mentions that they

are planning to go to the movies first thing in the morning.

10. You are listening to a radio show where the host is discussing the

benefits of exercise.

A.According to the host, what is one of the main benefits of regular

exercise?

B.What is the recommended amount of exercise per week for a healthy

lifestyle?

Listen to the show and choose the correct answer from the options provided.

Answer: A. According to the host, what is one of the main benefits of regular

exercise?

1.improved concentration

2.increased risk of injury

3.reduced sleep quality

4.decreased immune system

Correct Answer: 1. improved concentration

Explanation: The host in the radio show emphasizes that regular exercise

can significantly improve concentration and cognitive function.

11. What is the main topic of the discussion between the student and the

teacher?

A)Planning the logistics of the school trip.

Answer:A)

·Explanation: The conversation centers around organizing transportation, timing, and activities for the upcoming school trip to the museum.

- 12. According to the teacher, what activity will NOT be included in the school trip?
- A)Guided tour of the museum exhibits.
- B)Workshop on historical artifacts.
- C)Picnic lunch in the museum courtyard.
- D)Evening concert at the museum.

Answer:D)

· Explanation: The teacher mentions all activities except for an evening concert, which indicates it will not be part of the planned trip.

Please remember,in an actual listening test, students would hear the recording and then respond based on what they've heard. Here, the context has been described through written text for clarity.

13. You are listening to a conversation between two students, Alice and Bob. They are discussing their school project.

Question: What is the main topic of their conversation?

A.Their favorite subjects.

B.The progress of their school project.

C.Their weekend plans.

Answer:B

Explanation:In the conversation,Alice and Bob talk about the progress they have made on their school project,so the main topic is the progress of their school project.

14.You are listening to a weather forecast.The weatherman is discussing the forecast for the next three days.

Question:On which day will it be sunny?

A.Tomorrow.

B.The day after tomorrow.

C.The day after the day after tomorrow.

Answer:A

Explanation: According to the weather forecast, it will be sunny tomorrow. The other two days have different weather conditions mentioned, so the correct answer is tomorrow.

15. You will hear:

Man:I can't find my passport.I think I left it in the taxi.

Woman: That's terrible! What should we do?

Man:I guess we'll have to go back to the hotel and check there first. Woman:Alright,let's hurry. The flight is leaving in two hours.

Question: Where does the man think he left his passport?

A.In the taxi.

B.At the airport.

C.In the hotel.

D.On the plane.

Answer: A.In the taxi.

Explanation: The man believes he left his passport in the taxi, as he says, "I

think I left it in the taxi."This indicates that the correct answer is A.

16. You will hear:

Narrator:Listen to the following conversation between a customer and a shop assistant.

Customer:Excuse me,I bought this sweater here yesterday,but it doesn't fit me properly.Can I exchange it for a different size?

Shop Assistant:Of course, sir. Do you have the receipt with you?

Customer: Yes, here it is.

Shop Assistant: Thankyou. We can certainly help you with the exchange. Would you like to try on some sizes now?

Question: What does the shop assistant ask the customer for?

A.The reason for the return.

B.The receipt.

C.The size of the sweater.

D.The customer's preference for color.

Answer:B.The receipt.

Explanation: The shop assistant asks the customer, "Do you have the receipt with you?" which means the shop assistant is requesting the receipt to process the exchange. Therefore, the correct answer is B.

17. You are listening to a conversation between a student and a teacher in a school library. The student is looking for help with a research project.

Student: "Excuse me,Mr. Smith,can you help me find some books on the

history of the Renaissance?"

Teacher: "Of course,I'd be happy to help.Have you already checked the

non-fiction section?"

Student: "Yes, but I'm not sure where the history books are."

Teacher: "Follow me, they're usually on the second floor. Just look for the signs that say 'History'."

Question: Where are the history books located?

A)On the first floor

B)On the second floor

C)In the non-fiction section

D)Near the library entrance

Answer:B

Explanation: The teacher tells the student, "Follow me, they're usually on the second floor," indicating that the history books are on the second floor.

18.In this next listening section, you will hear a short interview on a local radio show. The host is interviewing a local author about their new book.

Host: "Welcome back to 'Books and Bytes.' Today, we have with us the author of 'The Time Capsule Mystery, 'Sarah Johnson. Sarah, can you tell us a bit about your new book?"

Author: "Certainly.' The Time Capsule Mystery' is a young adult novel that follows a group of friends who discover an old time capsule in their school. The story is filled with adventure and a touch of mystery."

Question: What genre does the author's new book fall into?

A)Romance

B)Science Fiction

C)Young Adult Fiction

D)Mystery Thriller

Answer:C

Explanation: The author explicitly states, "The Time Capsule Mystery is a young adult novel," which places the book in the genre of Young Adult Fiction.

19. What does the speaker suggest doing after school today?

A.Going to the library

B.Playing basketball

C. Watching a movie

Answer:B.Playing basketball

Explanation:In the dialogue,the speaker mentions that since the weather is nice,they would like to go play basketball after school. This indicates that the correct answer is option B.

20 . How does the other person respond to the suggestion?

A.They agree enthusiastically.

B.They decline politely.

C.They suggest an alternative activity.

Answer: A. They agree enthusiastically.

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