

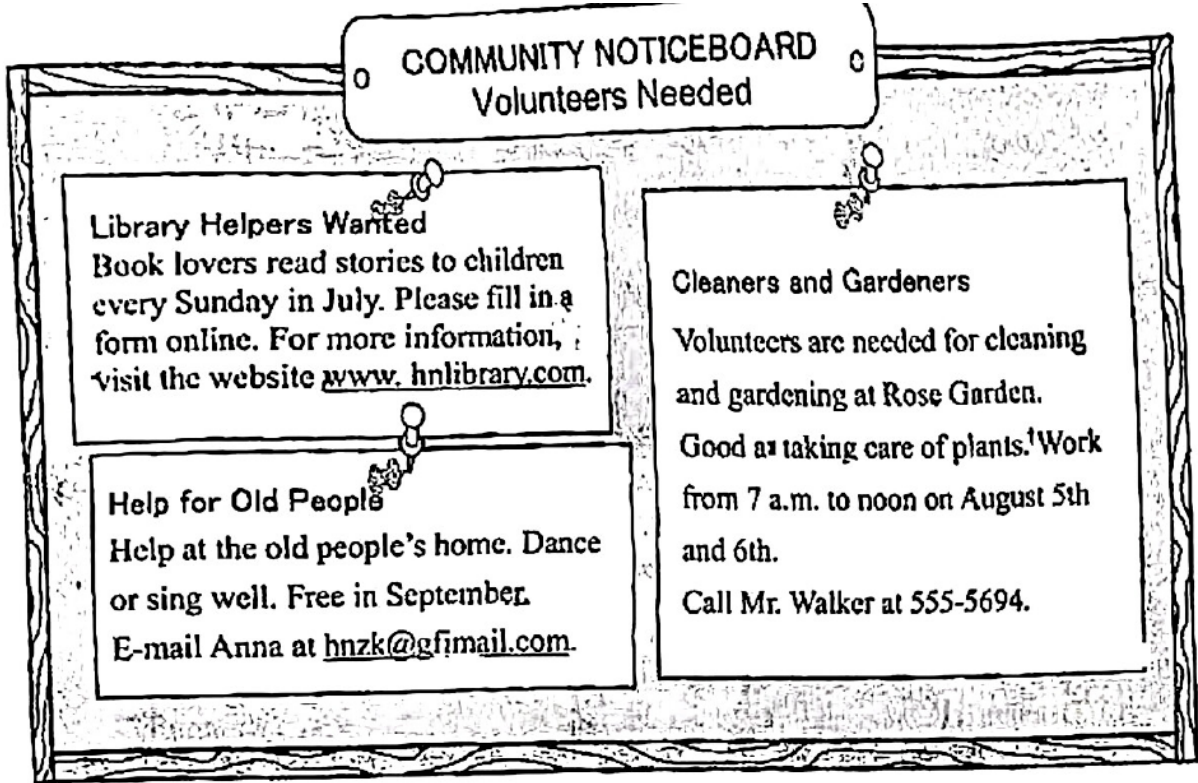
2024 年娄底市初中学业水平考试

英语

第二部分 阅读理解(共两节, 满分 30 分)

第一节(共 11 小题; 每小题 2 分, 满分 22 分)

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C. They lay eggs like fish.

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Headphones are helpful. Many kids use them. But headphones can be harmful, too. They can cause hearing loss if the volume(音量) is too loud. Studies show that one out of every ten kids in the United States has some hearing loss. The cause is loud noise.



Do you know how we hear? There are cells(细胞) inside the ears that help us hear. We can't see them with our eyes. "We call them hair cells," Jackie Clark said. "They look like hairs standing up." Clark is a scientist at the University of Texas. She studies noises and ears. Sound cannot be seen, but it can make the hair cells move back and forward. Think of the wind in the leaves.

Loud noises can damage(损伤) these cells. And once the cells are damaged, they don't grow back. Sometimes, there's tinnitus. "It's like someone is playing a note on the flute (长笛) for a long time," Clark says. It shows we're losing hearing. Tinnitus is not only harmful to our ears; also it can make us feel uneasy. That's why it's necessary to protect our ears.

How can we protect our ears? We'd better keep the volume low when we use our headphones. We should be able to hear sounds around us. And other people shouldn't hear noise from our headphones. "If I can hear what you're listening to when you're wearing your headphones," Clark says, "it's too loud." To protect our ears, keep our headphones at about half volume.

28. What can we know about hair cells?
- A. They help us hear.
 - B. They look like hairs lying down.
 - C. They can be seen clearly with our eyes.
29. What does the underlined word "tinnitus" mean in paragraph 3?
- A. A musical voice.
 - B. A kind of instrument.
 - C. Ringing in ears.
30. What's the main purpose of the last paragraph?
- A. To give advice.
 - B. To show problems.
 - C. To explain reasons.
31. What's the main idea of the passage?
- A. Before listening to music, choose a good headphone.
 - B. When using a headphone, keep the volume low.
 - C. After using a headphone, check your ears.

第二节 (共4小题; 每小题2分, 满分8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。选项中有一项为多余选项。

What can you do when you don't want to do homework? You know it has to be done, but it's the last thing you want to do. How can you deal with the problem? _____.

Set goals (目标) for yourself. Your goals don't have to be big. In fact, the smaller, the better. Start by setting goals you can reach easily

Make a plan and write it down. _____ Because something about the written words makes it harder to forget. Once you write it down, it's easier to carry it out.

_____ 34 _____ Do it first because it needs a fresh mind. You often dislike it if you find your homework difficult. But if you try your best and finish it, you'll have a sense of achievement.

Use rewards (奖励) to mark your progress. If you have completed part of your homework, you could take a break. _____ Or you could even "allow" yourself to go to a movie on Friday.

Ask your parents for help. If you don't ask, your parents will never know what trouble you have. So they won't be able to give you helpful advice.

These suggestions above could work on you. Try them out. It's time to take action now.

- A. How can you make a plan?
 B. Do difficult homework first.
 C. Why should you write it down?
 D. Here is some advice to help you.
 E. You could also eat something you like.

第三部分 语言运用 (共两节, 满分 25 分)

第一节 (共 10 小题; 每小题 1.5 分, 满分 15 分)

阅读下面短文, 从短文后各题所给的 A、B、C 三个选项中, 选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项。

As a child, I was quite active. I was running around and getting hurt almost every day. My mom was 36. A neighbor advised me to learn to fish. I liked the _____, but my mom said no. She thought it was 384 go get close to any body of water.

At last, my mom got another idea. Every day, she made me sit at the desk and 79 for an hour. I hated reading and cried a lot. Then, my a school teacher, came to help. He led me to my desk and told me to _____ one book. "Read just twenty pages. If you still feel bored after that, just put it down and caroose another one," he said.

I started with The Emperor's New Clothes. After I read twenty _____ as my uncle suggested, I was rolling (打滚) on the floor laughing. What a stupid emperor! Next, I read more books. As time went on, I was able to a understand the stories. So I started reading longer and more serious books. I fell in love with Journey to the West. My mom said I should spend more time playing outside. But I didn't want to _____, the book.

To this day, I make time to read every day. If you haven't yet experienced the fun of reading, take my uncle's advice and find the "钙" books. They'll give you enjoyment, teach you something new, and even change your life.

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| 36. A. bored | B. surprised | C. worried |
| 37. A. idea | B. rule | C. truth |
| 38. A. helpful | B. dangerous | C. necessary |
| 39. A. draw | B. write | C. read |
| 40. A. uncle | B. father | C. neighbor |
| 41. A. describe | B. pick | C. borrow |
| 42. A. words | B. lines | C. pages |
| 43. A. hardly | B. easily | C. wrongly |
| 44. A. put down | B. give away | C. look through |
| 45. A. long | B. serious | C. right |

第二节 (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。

I work at a most popular restaurant in my hometown. I love working here as a member of a fantastic team. People here are very 46 (friendly and hard-working).

I started by washing dishes when I was only 18. I worked hard, and soon became _____waiter. Simon, who was head chef(主厨) then, began to show _____(I) how to cook. I loved it so much and I 49./(go) to college to learn more. When Simon left the restaurant, I became head chef. At the time all the food was traditional. The quality(品质) was good, but I wanted to do something different, so I decided _____ (have) a different menu.

Now we serve food from all over the country. There are many markets and food shops here. I can _____ usual) find any ingredient (配料) I need. I use a lot of natural food. Some people think it is not so delicious, _____ I don't agree. Well-prepared natural food has a F^ (good) taste than fast food. Our food is healthy and most customers love it. We use the best meat and the freshest vegetables. At the weekend we play many _____ (kind) of music. There's also a special menu 55 children on Saturdays and that's when we serve traditional food.

第四部分 综合技能(共两节, 满分 25 分)

第一节 (共 5 小题; 每小题 2 分, 满分 10 分)

阅读下面短文, 根据短文内容回答问题或翻译画线部分。

"Though I was born with half a left arm, I don't think I'm unlucky," said Ms Yang, a 35-year-old woman from a small village in Hunan. She's a successful Xiang embroidery (湘绣) artist. Now she runs a Xiang embroidery store.

She lived a hard life for many years. Luckily, her whole family supported her. After college she applied for(申请) over 200 jobs but was turned down again and again. She tried to start her own business but failed with all her money lost. Then she turned to Xiang embroidery.

Ms Yang's interest in Xiang embroidery began when she was a child. She learned some of the basics from a neighbor. After running the store, she took many training courses, including a three-year course at Tsinghua University. She kept developing her skills, saying that her disability wouldn't stop her. In 2014, her business finally started making money. Then she tried to do something for society.

Xiang embroidery has a history of over 2,000 years. As Xiang embroidery is one of the four best-known styles (风格) of embroidery in China, she hopes to spread its culture and make more people learn about it. By offering free lessons, Ms Yang helps lots of people, including many disabled ones.

Ms Yang's story is encouraging. It shows how important strong wills and interests are. When we face difficulties, we should never give up. Just as a saying goes, "Where there is a will, there is a way."

56. Where is Ms Yang from?

57. How long is the history of Xiang embroidery?

58. How does Ms Yang help people?

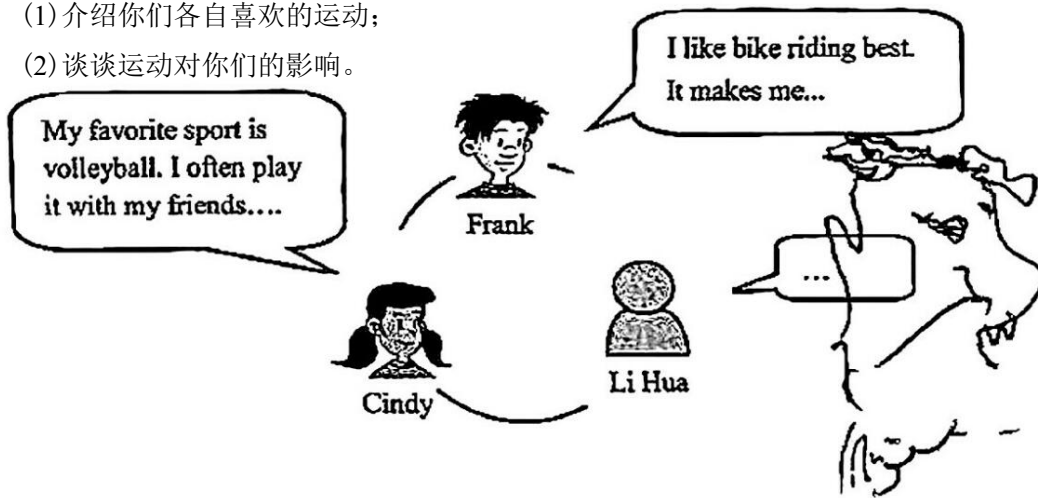
59. Do you want to learn Xiang embroidery this summer holiday? Why or why not?

60. 将短文中画线句子翻译成中文。

第二节 (满分 15 分)

英语课上老师要求以“Sports make us better”为话题开展三人一组的讨论。假定你是李华，将代表小组在全班发言，请根据以下信息写一篇英文发言稿。内容包括：

- (1) 介绍你们各自喜欢的运动；
- (2) 谈谈运动对你们的影响。



注意：

- (1) 文中不得出现人名和校名等真实信息；
- (2) 写作词数为 80 左右，开头和结尾已给出，不计入总词数。

Hello, everyone. I'm Li Hua from Group. One. _____

That's all. Thank you.

英语参考答案

第一部分 听力 (满分 20 分)

BCABC BBBCACACBA CBACA

第二部分 阅读理解(满分 30 分)

【A 篇】 A C C

【B 篇】 A B B C

【C 篇】 A C A B

【5 选 4】 D C B E

第三部分 语言运用(共两节, 满分 25 分)

【完型填空】 C A B C A B C B A C

【语法填空】

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59. 【示例一】 Yes, I want to learn Xiang embroidery this summer holiday, because it is a traditional Chinese craft with a long history, and learning it can help me understand Chinese culture better.

【示例二】 No, I don't want to learn Xiang embroidery this summer holiday, because I'm not interested in embroidery, and I want to spend my summer holiday doing other activities.

解释: 这是一个开放性问题, 学生可根据自己的想法回答(。如果想学, 可以强调湘绣的文化价值和历史意义; 如果不想学, 可以说明自己对刺绣不感兴趣, 想利用暑假做其他活动。注意, 回答时需要用自己的话来表达, 并符合英语语法规范。

60. 当我们面对困难时, 我们应该永不放弃

【作文提示】 难度不大, 但很容易犯错误: 只写一个人(没有仔细审题!)

答案及解析

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COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD

Volunteers Needed

Library Helpers Wanted

Book lovers read stories to children every Sunday in July. Please fill in a form online. For more information, visit the website www.hnlibrary.com.

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Help for Old People

Help at the old people's home Dance or sing well. Free in September. E-mail Anna at hnzk@gfmail.com.

Cleaners and Gardeners

Volunteers are needed for cleaning and gardening at Rose Garden. Good at taking care of plants. Work from 7 a. m. to noon on August 5th and 6th.

Call Mr. Walker at 555-5694.

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【答案】1. A 2. C 3. C

【解析】

【导语】本文是社区公告板上招募志愿者的广告，需要图书馆助手、老年人之家的帮手以及花园清洁和园艺志愿者。

细节理解题。根据第一框中“For more information, visit the website www.hnlibrary.com.”可知,你可以通过访问其网站得到更多关于图书馆志愿者的信息。故选 A。

【2 题详解】

细节理解题。根据第二框中“Help at the old people's home. Dance or sing well. Free in September.”可知,9月份有空的志愿者可以去老人之家帮忙。故选 C。

【3 题详解】

细节理解题。根据第三框中“Volunteers are needed for cleaning and gardening at Rose Garden. Good at taking care of plants.”可知,如果你想去玫瑰园做志愿者,你应该擅长照顾植物。故选 C。

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A. Art.

B. Health.

C. Nature.

【答案】4. A 5. B 6. B 7. C

【解析】

【导语】本文主要介绍了海豚的三个特点。

【4题详解】

细节理解题。根据 “They sleep with one eye open to stay safe.” 可知,海豚睡觉时睁着一只眼睛是为了保证安全。故选 A。

【5题详解】

细节理解题。根据 “They are also warm-blooded and have to go to the surface of the water to get air into their lungs.” 可知,海豚是温血动物。故选 B。

【6题详解】

细节理解题。根据 “They use different sounds to talk to each other.” 可知,海豚通过使用不同的声音互相交谈。故选 B。

【7题详解】

推理判断题。通读全文可知,本文主要介绍了海豚的三个特点,故推测这篇文章可能选自杂志的自然界版块。故选 C。

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