

2024-2025学年上外版英语高三上学期期末模拟试卷
与参考答案

一、听力第一节(本大题有5小题，每小题1.5分，共7.5分)

1、What does the man say about his vacation?

A.He enjoyed it.

B.He had nothing to do.

C.He felt tired.

Answer:A.He enjoyed it.

解析： This question focuses on the man's feelings about his vacation.By listening to the man's response,you can infer that he had a pleasant time,hence the correct answer is A.

2、Where does the woman want to go on the weekend?

A.The mall.

B.The movies.

C.A concert.

Answer:B.The movies.

解析: To answer this question,you need to pay attention to the woman's suggestion for the weekend activity.If she mentions the movies,then B is the correct choice

3. You are going to hear a conversation between two students about their vacation plans. Listen carefully and complete the following sentence with the correct option:

W: Hey, John, do you have any plans for your upcoming vacation?

M: Yeah, actually, I'm planning to [missing information].

A) go to the mountains

B) stay at home and rest

C) visit my family in France

D) work during the holidays

Answer: A) go to the mountains

Parsing: The missing information in the dialogue suggests that John has specific plans for his vacation. Since he does not mention staying at home, visiting family, or working, the correct option is him planning a trip to the mountains.

4. In the following conversation, two friends discuss why English is important. Listen carefully and choose the sentence that best expresses the speaker's belief about learning English:

M: Do you think learning English is really necessary?

W: Oh, definitely! It's [missing information], especially if you want to travel and communicate with native speakers.

A) a waste of time

B) unnecessary for daily life

C)essential for global communication and employment opportunities

D)exclusive to a certain social group

Answer:C)essential for global communication and employment opportunities

Parsing:The speaker believes that learning English is important for both traveling and communicating with native speakers.This idea is best expressed by option C,which emphasizes its role in global communication and employment opportunities.The other options do not convey the same level of importance or practical benefits as option C.

5、 Listen to the following conversation and answer the question.

W:Hey,John!How was your trip to Shanghai last weekend?

M:It was amazing!I got to see so many cool things.The most exciting part was when I visited the Shanghai World Financial Center.

W:Really?How high is the building?

M:Oh,it's 492 meters tall.

W:That's incredible!How did you get up there?

M:We took the elevator to the observation deck on the 100th floor.

W:Wow,that must have been an unforgettable experience.

M:Absolutely.And the view from up there was just breathtaking.

Question:How tall is the Shanghai World Financial Center?

A)381 meters

B)492 meters

C)528 meters

D)608 meters

Answer:B)492 meters

Explanation:In the conversation,John mentions that the Shanghai World Financial Center is 492 meters tall.Therefore,option B is the correct answer.

二、听力第二节(本大题有15小题，每小题1.5分，共22.5分)

1、 How often does the woman go to the gym?

A.Three times a week.

B.Twice a week.

C.Once a week.

Answer:B

解析： In the dialogue,the woman says,“I go to the gym twice a week.”

Therefore,the correct answer is B.Twice a week.

2、 What is the man complaining about?

A.The restaurant's slow service.

B.The noise from next door.

C.The cooking smell in the apartment.

Answer:C

解析： In the conversation,the man mentions that he can smell food cooking in the apartment next door,which is bothering him.Therefore,the correct answer is C.The cooking smell in the apartment.

3、 You hear someone saying:“I really enjoy the city's parks.They're so quiet and peaceful in the morning.”

Question:What activity does the speaker probably like to do in the parks?

A)Exercise

B)Visit a museum

C)Go shopping

D)Attend a concert

Answer:A

Explanation:The speaker mentions enjoying the parks for being “quiet and peaceful in the morning,”which suggests they might prefer activities like exercise that can be done in a calm environment.

4、 You hear a conversation between two friends talking about a recent movie.

Friend 1:“I went to see that new sci-fi movie last night.It was amazing! The special effects were out of this world.”

Friend 2:“Really?I was going to see it this weekend too.I've been hearing so much about it.”

Question:What is the main topic of the conversation?

A)Food they both enjoyed

B)Recent books they read

C)Latest science and technology news

D)A recent movie they saw

Answer:D

Explanation: The conversation revolves around one friend's recent experience of watching a sci-fi movie and the other friend's intention to see it as well,

indicating that the topic is a recent movie they saw.

5、Conversation

听力原文:

Girl: Oh, hi Tom. You've got those test results, right?

Boy: Yeah, I just got them from the doctor's office.

Girl: Did you check them out?

Boy: Yeah, I did. Are you ready for me to read them out?

Girl: Yes, please.

Boy: Alright. According to the doctor, my hearing is not at a normal level.

I can hear some sounds, but not all of them.

Girl: Oh no, that's bad news. Is there anything you can do about it?

Boy: The doctor said that I should wear a hearing aid to improve my hearing. But I'm not sure if I want to.

Girl: Well, it might be a good idea to start with a hearing aid. It can help you communicate better with others.

Boy: That's true. I'll think about it.

Girl: Take care, Tom.

Boy: Thanks, Elizabeth.

答案分析:

· Questions: What is the relationship between the two speakers? 和医生讨论听力测试结果。

· Answer: They are classmates.

Explanation: The conversation takes place between two people discussing test results related to hearing, and the context suggests they know each other, hence the most likely relationship is classmates.

6. Monologue

听力原文:

Today I would like to talk about the importance of eating a balanced diet. A balanced diet means that we should try to eat a variety of foods from different food groups. Eating a balanced diet is important for several reasons. First, it provides the body with all the necessary nutrients, such as vitamins, minerals, and fiber. Vitamins and minerals are essential for maintaining good health and preventing diseases, while fiber helps to promote good digestion. Second, a balanced diet can help maintain a healthy weight. Overeating and consuming too much unhealthy food can lead to weight gain, making it difficult to achieve our goals or maintain a healthy lifestyle. Lastly, a balanced diet is important for mental health. Studies have shown that certain nutrients can help improve mood and reduce stress. Therefore, to ensure our overall well-being, we should strive to eat a balanced diet.

答案分析:

Questions: What are the benefits of a balanced diet?

Answer: Providing the body with necessary nutrients, helping to maintain a healthy weight, and being important for mental health.

Explanation: The monologue emphasizes the benefits of a balanced diet,

including providing essential nutrients,aiding in weight management,and supporting mental health,providing clear answers for the question.

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Listen to the following dialogue and choose the correct answer to each question.

Question:What is the man probably going to do next?

A)Have a walk.

B)Take a shower

C)Go to the gym.

D)Make dinner.

Answer:B

解析：从对话中的内容可以推断，男士接下来最有可能做的事情是洗澡，因为对话中提到他刚回到家，且提到“take a shower”的相关暗示。

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Listen to the following dialogue and choose the correct answer to each question.

Question:Where does the conversation probably take place?

A)In a library.

B)At a restaurant.

C)In an interview.

D)At a hotel

Answer:B

解析：对话中提到了关于菜单和点餐的内容，因此可以推断对话最有可能发生在一

家餐厅。

9、What does the woman suggest the man do?

A)Buy a new car.

B)Repair his car.

C)Sell his car.

D)Borrow a car.

Answer:B)Repair his car.

Explanation:The woman mentions that the man's car is not too old and that it might be more economical to fix it rather than buying a new one or selling it.She believes that with proper maintenance,the car can still serve well for years to come.

10、What is the main reason for the woman's suggestion?

A)The car is still in good condition.

B)New cars are too expensive.

C)The man doesn't know how to choose a car.

D)Car dealerships are unreliable.

Answer:A)The car is still in good condition.

Explanation:The woman emphasizes that despite the current issues,the car is fundamentally sound and has not reached a point where it needs to be replaced. Her suggestion is rooted in the belief that maintaining the existing vehicle is the most practical solution.

11.W:I can't believe it's already December.The year is flying by!

M: Yeah, it's true. Before we know it, the holidays will be here.

Q: What is the main topic of the conversation?

- A) The passage of time
- B) The upcoming holidays
- C) The importance of holidays
- D) The change of seasons

Answer: A) The passage of time

Explanation: The conversation revolves around the speaker's realization that December is here, indicating a sense of time passing quickly. The mention of the year flying by directly ties to the passage of time.

12. M: Have you heard about the new café that opened up on campus? It's supposed to have the best coffee around.

W: Yes, I've seen the signs. They say they use organic beans from around the world. I can't wait to try it.

Q: What are the speakers mainly discussing?

- A) A new bookstore
- B) A new café
- C) A new library

D)A new restaurant

Answer:B)A new café

Explanation:The conversation centers around the new café that has opened on campus,with the speakers expressing their interest in trying the coffee there.

The mention of organic beans and the best coffee around further confirms the topic.

13、(1)What is the probable relationship between the speakers?

A.Teacher and student.

B.Colleagues.

C.Waiter and customer.

*Answer:C

*Explanation:The conversation involves someone asking about a menu item and being given a description,indicating they are likely at a restaurant,where a waiter and customer would interact.

14、(2)What can be learned about Smithson's work?

A.It is included in the museum exhibit.

B.It is sold in the gift shop.

C.It has become less popular.

*Answer:A

*Explanation:The speaker mentions “Smithson's work”in the context of the museum exhibit,suggesting that Smithson's work is indeed part of the show on display.

Note:Since the original context is not provided,these questions and answers are hypothetical and developed based on common types of listening comprehension questions typically found in English exams.

15、 Question:

How much money does the library charge for borrowing books for four weeks?

Options:

A)\$5.00

B)\$2.00

C)\$10.00

D)\$3.50

Answer:

C)\$10.00

Explanation:

In the conversation, the librarian mentions that there is a lending fee of \$2.50 per week. Since the student wants to borrow books for four weeks, the total charge would be $\$2.50 * \$4 = \$10.00$. Therefore, the correct answer is option C) \$10.00.

三、阅读第一节(第1题7.5分, 其余每题10分, 总37.5分)

第一题

Reading Passage:

In the heart of the bustling city, the old library stood as a silent guardian of knowledge and history. Built in the early 20th century, it was a marvel of its time, with intricate designs and towering shelves filled with countless books. Over the years, it had witnessed the rise and fall of empires, the birth of new ideas, and the passing of generations. However, as the digital age dawned, the library faced a new challenge - how to adapt to the changing times while

preserving its rich legacy.

The library's director, Mr. Liu, was a man of vision and determination. He understood that the key to survival lay in embracing technology while honoring the library's past. With this in mind, he embarked on a journey to transform the library into a modern, user-friendly space. The first step was to create a digital archive of all the books and manuscripts, ensuring that they would be accessible to future generations. This was no small task, as the library's collection was vast and diverse, ranging from ancient texts to modern novels.

As the project progressed, Mr. Liu faced numerous obstacles. One of the biggest challenges was securing the necessary funding. He spent countless hours writing proposals and networking with potential donors, but it was a slow and arduous process. Another challenge was finding the right technology to digitize the collection. The library had to balance the need for high-quality digitization with cost considerations, as the budget was tight.

Despite the difficulties, Mr. Liu remained steadfast in his mission. He knew that the library's future relied on his ability to innovate and adapt. With the help of his dedicated staff, he began to explore new ways to engage with the community. They organized workshops and lectures, inviting local authors and historians to share their knowledge and experiences. The library also launched a reading program for children, encouraging them to explore the wonders of literature and the world around them.

As the years passed, the library transformed into a vibrant hub of learning

and culture. The digital archive became a valuable resource for researchers and scholars, while the physical space remained a sanctuary for those who sought solace in the pages of a book. Mr. Liu's vision had become a reality, and the library had once again become a beacon of light in the city.

Questions:

1、 What was the main challenge faced by the old library in the digital age?

A. Lack of funding

B. Finding the right technology

C. Adapting to the changing times

D. Preserving the library's rich legacy

2、 What was Mr. Liu's role in the library's transformation?

A. He was the librarian

B. He was the director

C. He was a donor

D. He was a volunteer

3、 What was one of the challenges Mr. Liu faced in securing funding for the library's transformation?

A. He had difficulty writing proposals

B. He had difficulty networking with potential donors

C. He had difficulty balancing the budget

D.He had difficulty finding the right technology

4、 What was the library's transformation into a modern,user-friendly

space?

A.It became a digital archive

B.It became a vibrant hub of learning and culture

C.It became a sanctuary for those who sought solace in books

D.It became a beacon of light in the city

Answers:

1、 C

2、 B

3、 B

4、 B

Second Question

Passage:

Read the passage below and answer the questions that follow.

Procrastination: The Art of Postponement

The phrase “to put off until tomorrow what you can do today” has become synonymous with procrastination, a common habit for many people. It is often seen as a waste of time and an impediment to achieving goals. However, recent research suggests that procrastination can have certain advantages and is not always detrimental to productivity. Many people use procrastination as a

strategy to avoid stress or anxiety, giving them time to recharge and return to tasks with renewed energy.

Consider the case of Maria, a university student. She has a major paper due

in a month.It's easy for her to keep telling herself that she has plenty of time,but the looming deadline can still cause stress.To combat this,Maria uses the night before a paper is due as an opportunity to take a complete break. She might go out with friends or watch a movie.On the day the paper is due, she has a clear mind and a fresh perspective,leading to more creative and well-structured writing.She believes this strategy helps her avoid burnout and maintain her mental health.

Apart from personal benefits,procrastination can also have positive effects on professional settings.For example,many creative projects benefit from the initial delay of ideas.Creativity often emerges from the process of putting a project on the back burner,allowing for more reflection and fresh insights when the ideas are revisited or implemented.

However,procrastination can also lead to negative outcomes,particularly in critical situations where time is of the essence.In such cases,it's important to find a balance between relaxation and productivity.Prioritizing tasks,planning time effectively,and setting realistic goals can help individuals avoid the pitfalls of prolonged procrastination.

Questions:

1、 The passage discusses the concept of procrastination,which of the following is NOT one of its main advantages mentioned in the text?

a)It can help avoid stress and anxiety.

b)It provides a break for mental recharging.

c)It guarantees a stress-free life.

d)It can lead to more creative and well-structured work.

Answer:3

2、 Which example is used to illustrate the positive impact of procrastination on personal life?

a)Maria delays her paper until the last minute and completes it in one night.

b)Maria's writing improves after she takes a break and returns to her paper with a fresh perspective.

c)Maria feels more stressed because of the last-minute work.

d)Maria's creativity is diminished due to lack of time.

Answer:2

3、 According to the passage,which of the following statements is true regarding procrastination in professional settings?

a)It always leads to negative outcomes.

b)It is beneficial for creative projects due to the initial delay of ideas.

c)It is completely ineffective for any professional tasks.

d)It is advisable to procrastinate indefinitely for all projects.

Answer:2

4、 What advice is given to avoid the negative consequences of procrastination?

a)To never take breaks and work continuously.

b)To prioritize tasks,plan time effectively,and set realistic goals.

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