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第 1 卷

一. 参考题库(共 25 题)

1. Now a lot of new technologies can _____ problems in industry.

- A. be applied to solve
- B. be applied to solving
- C. apply to solve
- D. apply to solving

2. 以下是几个国际节日的简要介绍：

A. Wharfedale Festival of Performing Arts West Yorkshire, the United Kingdom



Young people are invited to compete in this art festival with classes covering speech, guitar, dance, poetry and short story writing, and so on. The previous year's winners are invited back to perform again at a special concert. With a long and well-known history behind it, this well-attended competition is a kind of forerunner of popular television talent contests such as Pop Idol.

B. Sydney Writers' Festival Sydney, Australia



Held at Sydney's Wharf 4/5, the annual Sydney Writers' Festival is the biggest literary event of its kind in Australia and one of the biggest book fairs in the world. Attracting a mix of authors, poets, editors, publishers and book lovers, this is a great event at which people can look through thousands of titles while enjoying workshops, book reading and seminars.

C. Flipside Festival Singapore



As part of the Singapore Arts Festival Outreach Programme, Flipside aims to reach a much wider audience with three weeks of lively, fun street performances. Flipside promises to bring out the adventurous side of you with a combination of physical theatre and mind games as well as free outdoor performances such as music performances from local singers.

D. Hay Festival Hay on Wye, the United Kingdom



The little market town, Hay, has a population of 1500 and no fewer than 39 bookshops. It bills itself as the world's first and most distinguished book town, and is, therefore, a perfect place for a literary festival. The festival is a celebration of great writing. There are events including film screenings and musical concerts and the bookshops remain open throughout.

E. Bergen International Festival Bergen, Norway



Founded in 1953, the Bergen International Festival presents an impressive cast of outstanding international artists in the fields of music, ballet, opera and other performing arts. More than 120 events take place in late May to early June, which is a time of beautiful spring weather. The main festival venue is the Grieg Hall while the smallest and most unusual is an old trolley bus with seating for just 33 people.

F. Nuits Sonores Lyon, France



Held each May, this relatively new festival brings together some of the biggest club DJs from around the world. The focus is on electronic dance music, but it also embraces all musical forms ranging from hip hop to jazz. For those that want to see daylight hours after a hard night clubbing, there is a wide variety of cultural events during the day ranging from special festival food programmes to films.

下面是几个人物的简要介绍，请匹配他们会感兴趣的节日。

1. Martin, a famous writer, likes to find as many chances as possible to attend literary events around the world. Martin hopes to make friends with editors and book lovers.
2. Kelly is crazy about music, especially electronic dance music. She would like to go to a festival where she can enjoy different musical forms. She also has a strong interest in films.
3. As an outgoing girl, Victoria is very fond of performing arts. She hopes to take part in some performing art festivals to challenge and improve herself, and as a way to prepare for future television talent contests.
4. Simon is in search of a festival in North Europe with a long history where he can appreciate great international performing arts, especially ballet and opera.
5. Chris is a university student who majors in music. He'd like to watch some local street music performances. He is also very interested in physical theatre and mind games.

3. The teacher stressed again that the students should not _____ any important details while retelling the story.

- A. bring out
- B. let out
- C. leave out
- D. make out

4. In April last year, thousands of holiday-makers in Europe remained _____ abroad due to the volcanic ash cloud.

- A. sticking
- B. stuck
- C. to be stuck
- D. to have stuck

5. The living room is clean and tidy, with a dining table already _____ for a meal to be cooked.

- A. laid
- B. laying
- C. to lay
- D. being laid

6. In Stockholm, the Swedish Academy has chosen the British author Doris Lessing for the 2007 Nobel Prize in Literature.

The selection of Doris Lessing for a Nobel was popular among the hundreds of journalists gathered for the announcement in Stockholm.

Permanent Secretary of the Swedish Academy Horace Engdahl said with skepticism, fire and visionary power Lessing has subjected a divided civilization to scrutiny.

Doris Lessing was born in 1919 in Persia - modern-day Iran - to British parents, moving as a child with her family to southern Rhodesia, now Zimbabwe, where she stayed in school only to the age of 14.

A year after moving to London, she published her first novel in 1950. *The Grass is Singing* examines unbridgeable racial conflict in colonial Africa through the eyes of a white farmer's wife and her black servant.

A member of the British Communist Party during the 1950s and a campaigner against nuclear arms and South African apartheid, Lessing was for years banned from that country and from Rhodesia.

Her literary breakthrough came in 1962 with publication of *The Golden Notebook*, seen by many, though not necessarily Lessing, as a pioneering work of modern feminism. A disjointed study of the mind of the main character, Anna Wulf, the novel explores her thoughts about Africa, politics and communism, relationships with men and sex, and Jungian analysis and dream interpretation.

Lessing's themes shifted to psychology in her works from the 1960s, and by the 1970s she was fascinated with the Islamic mystic tradition of Sufism. Her turn toward science fiction with *the Canopus* series in the early 1980s was not warmly received by traditionalist critics, but she has continued to win new readers and numerous literary awards, including the David Cohen British Literary Prize and the Companion of Honour from the Royal Society of Literature, both in 2001.

Following the announcement, the Horace Engdahl told VOA why he was personally so pleased with Lessing's selection.

"She is one of the truly great writers - of novels, short stories, fiction and non-fiction," Engdahl said. "She is one of the few writers who have had the courage to uphold the principle of equality between the male and female experience, and she has given the impulse to numbers of other women writers. And she is really the mother of a school that is one of the most important in our contemporary literature."

At 87, Doris Lessing is the oldest Nobel Literature laureate since the first prizes were awarded in 1901. Each Nobel Prize is this year accompanied by a check for approximately \$1.4 million.

【小题 1】 How old was Doris Lessing when she published her first novel?

- A. 14
- B. 26
- C. 31
- D. 50

【小题 2】 Which of the following about *The Grass is Singing* is true?

- A. It is mainly about racial conflict between the whites and the blacks in the US.
- B. The main characters are a white farmer's wife and her black servant.
- C. It was published in Africa.
- D. It was Doris Lessing's most famous novel.

【小题 3】 We can infer from the passage that _____.

- A. Journalists are very interested in the election of Doris Lessing's for Nobel Prize.
- B. Doris Lessing regard *The Golden Notes* as a pioneering work of feminism.
- C. Doris Lessing has written about many different subjects.
- D. Many writers have the courage to stick to the equality between the male and female experience.

【小题 4】 The underlined word *school* in the last but one paragraph means _____.

- A. institution for educating children
- B. college or university
- C. department of a university
- D. group of writers, thinkers

【小题 5】 Which of the following can be the best title of this passage?

- A. Doris Lessing wins Nobel Prize for literature.
- B. The greatest British female writer.
- C. The oldest Nobel Prize winner.
- D. 2007 Nobel Prize announced in Stockholm.

7.

1. 只有愿意发挥想象，你才能读得进这本书。

_____ if you are willing to use your imagination will you be able to become
_____ in this book.

2. 值得称赞的是, 史密斯先生愿意无私帮助我们完成计划.

To his _____, Mr. Smith _____ offered to help us with the project.

3. 我们应该乐观向上, 永远对生活保持一种积极的态度。

We should be _____ and always keep a
_____ towards life.

4. 她指责比尔对她说谎, 但这无法让其他人相信。

She _____ Bill of _____ to her, but failed to _____ others of it.

5. 这个公司为顾客提供各式服务。

This company _____ a _____ of services _____ its customers.

6. 在某人受伤时, 懂得急救知识能发挥重要的作用。

It is a _____ of first aid _____ can make a real _____ when someone is hurt.

7. 只有专心工作才能进步。

One must concentrate _____ his work in order to _____ progress.

8. 出生于北京的一个工人家庭, 她 5 岁就开始打乒乓球。

_____ into a worker's family in Beijing, she began to play table tennis _____ the age of five.

8. So loudly _____ that every one of the class could hear him.

A. did he speak

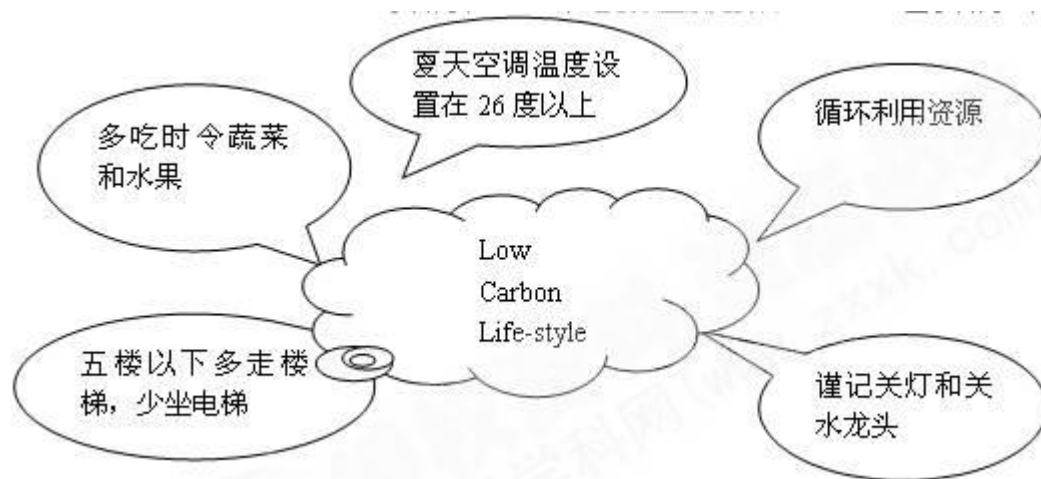
B. did he spoke

C. spoke he

D. he spoke

9. 基础写作

假设你是学校学生会的一员, 为了保护我们的地球家园, 你发出了低碳生活的倡议, 并制作了如下图的海报。



请根据海报内容及以下要点写一份倡议书。

[写作内容]

1. 低碳生活在节约资源, 保护环境起着越来越重要的作用。
2. 我们可以养成这些低碳生活习惯。
3. 提出呼吁。

[写作要求]

只能使用 5 个句子表达全部内容。文章的开头和结尾已经给出, 不计入总句数。

[评分标准]

句子结构准确, 信息内容完整, 篇章结构连贯。

10. Many people think teachers give pupils too __1__ homework. They say that it is __2__ (necessary) for children to work at home in their free time. __3__, they argue that most teachers do not properly plan the homework tasks they give to pupils. The results are __4__ pupils have to repeat tasks which they have already done at school. Recently in Greece many parents complained about the difficult homework __5__ (give) to their children. The parents said that most of the homework was useless, and they wanted to stop it. Spain and Turkey are two countries which __6__ (stop) homework recently. In Denmark, Germany and several other countries in Europe, teachers cannot set homework at weekends. In Holland, teachers allow pupils to stay at school to do their homework. The children are free to help one __7__. Similar arrangement also exists in some British schools.

Most people agree that homework is not fair. A pupil who can do his homework in a quiet and comfortable room is in a much __8__ (good) position than a pupil who does his homework in a small, noisy room with the television __9__. Some parents are ready to help their children with their homework. But other parents even take __10__ interest at all in their children's homework

11. 用下列单词的正确形式填空：

1. We went to a beautiful town and spent a/an _____ (forget) day.
2. I have no _____ (inform) about where he has gone.
3. The composer is also a _____ (gift) pianist.
4. When Susan fell off her cycle , her only _____ (injure) was a twisted ankle.
5. The fireman _____ (brave) went into the burning house.
6. Try to make some _____ (adjust) of your differences so that you can work together without quarrels.
7. This ancient book contains _____ (describe) of China.
8. The new book is full of _____ (challenge) ideas.
9. It causes a lot of _____ (convenience) when the buses don't come.
10. How can you _____ (tolerance) all that noise while you are working?
12. Could I speak to _____ is in charge of International Sales, please?

- A. anyone
- B. someone
- C. whoever
- D. no matter who

13. The school rules state that no child shall be allowed out of the school during the day, _____ accompanied by an adult.

- A. once
- B. when
- C. if
- D. unless

14. In America, drivers' education is part of the regular high school curriculum. Every student in his or her second year of high school is required to take a class in driver's education. However, unlike other courses, it is not given during the regular school year. Instead it is a summer course.

The course is divided up into two parts: class time for learning laws and regulations and driving time to practice driving. Class time is not unlike any other class. The students have a text from which they study the basic laws they must know to pass the written driving test that is given to anyone wanting to get a driver's license.

Driving time is a chance for the students to get behind the wheel (steering wheel) and practice starting steering, backing up, parking, switching lanes, turning corners, and all the other maneuvers (操作) required to drive a car. Each student is required to drive a total of six hours. The students are divided up into groups of four. The students and the instructor go out driving for two hour blocks of time. Thus, each student gets half an hour driving time per outing. The instructor and "driver" sit in the front seats and the other three students sit in the back.

Drivers Ed cars are unlike other cars in which they have two sets of brakes, one on the driver's side and one on the other side where the instructor sits. Thus, if the student driver should run into difficulties the instructor can take over. The car also has another special feature. On the top of the car is a sign that reads: STUDENT DRIVER. That lets

nearby drivers know that they should use extra caution because the student driver is a beginning driver, not very experienced and prone to driving slowly.

After the student has passed the driver's education course and reached the appropriate age to drive (this age differs in every state but in most cases the person must be 16 years old), they can go to a designated state office to take their driver's test, which is made up of an eye examination, a written test, and a road test. The person must pass all three tests in order to be given a driver's license. If the person did well in his or her driver's education class, he or she will pass the test with flying colors and get a driver's license.

【小题 1】 Which of the following is the best title for this passage?

- A. Driving Classes.
- B. Driving Learning.
- C. Driving Course.
- D. Driving Experience.

【小题 2】 In America, the driver's course mentioned above _____.

- A. is considered as part of the advanced education
- B. is given to any student wanting to get a driver's license
- C. is carried on at the same time as other courses
- D. is offered to all the students of Grade 2 in high schools

【小题 3】 To prevent accidents, a drivers Ed car _____.

- A. has a sign inside it
- B. has two sets of brakes
- C. is big enough to hold five persons
- D. can't run very fast

【小题 4】 Which of the following does not agree with the requirements for the students wanting to get their driver's license?

- A. They must be 16 years of age.
- B. They should go to have their driver's test.
- C. They must have their eyes examined.
- D. They ought to do well in their driver's course.

【小题 5】 In the last sentence, "with flying colors" means _____.

- A. happily
- B. successfully
- C. colorfully
- D. quickly

15.---What do you think made her so upset?

---_____ her hometown.

- A. As she missed

B. Missed

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