

2010-2023 历年上海市十校高三第二次联考 英语试卷

第 1 卷

一. 参考题库(共 20 题)

1. Write an English composition in 120-150 words according to the instructions given below in Chinese.



大洋彼岸有“虎妈”蔡美儿 (Amy Chua)，中国内地现在则“流行”“鹰爸”。2012 年农历新年，来自南京的何列胜逼迫其四岁的儿子“裸跑弟”多多在零下 13°C 的清晨暴雪中裸跑，事后还声言自己的极端训练卓有成效。请结合此类案例，谈谈你本人对儿童教育的看法。你的文章必须包括：

1. 对某一个案例的简要描述；
2. 你对这种极端教育的看法；

3. 你的儿童教育观以及你为什么持有这种观点；

2. In his lecture, the professor referred to the belief, in contrast to all other countries, _____ the elderly are wise, _____ is particularly dominant in the Chinese culture.

- A. that; one that
- B. that; that
- C. which, which
- D. that; one

3. Some people claim _____ the rumor that some Egyptians are planning a 100,000 people anti-government protest.

- A. to overhear
- B. to have overheard
- C. having overheard
- D. to be overheard

4.—What a beautiful girl your daughter is!

—_____.

- A. So she is and so are you
- B. So is she and so are you
- C. So she is and so you are
- D. So she is and so you are

5. To make it up to his unpleasant experiences in hospital, the man drank a little more _____.

- A. than good health
- B. than was good for his health
- C. than his health was
- D. than that his health was

6. Read the passage carefully. Then answer the questions or complete the statements in the fewest possible words.

Hidden deep in our subconscious is an idyllic (牧歌般的, 田园诗式的) vision. We see ourselves on a long trip that spans the continent. We are traveling by train. Out the windows, we drink in the passing scene of cars on nearby highways, of children waving at a crossing, of cattle grazing on a distant hillside, of smoke pouring from a power plant, of row upon row of corn and wheat, of flatlands and valleys, of mountains and rolling hillsides, of city skylines and village halls. But uppermost in our minds is the final destination. On a certain day at a certain hour, we will pull into the station. Bands will be playing and flags waving. Once we get there, so many wonderful dreams will come true and the pieces of our lives will fit together like a completed jigsaw puzzle. How restlessly we pace the aisles, damning the minutes for hanging around—waiting, waiting, waiting for the station. “When we reach the station, that

will be it!” we cry. “When I’m 18. ”; “When I buy a new 450SL Mercedes Benz!”; “When I put the last kid through college. ”; “When I paid off the mortgage!”; “When I get a promotion. ”; “When I reach the age of retirement, I shall live happily ever after!” Sooner or later, we must realize there is no station, no one place to arrive at once and for all. The true joy of life is the trip. The station is only a dream. It constantly outdistances us. “Relish (享受) the moment” is a good motto, especially when coupled with Psalm 180: 24: “This is the day which the Lord hath made; we will rejoice and be glad in it. ” It isn’t the burdens of today that drive men mad, it is the regrets over yesterday and fear of tomorrow. Regret and fear are twin thieves who rob us of today. So stop pacing the aisles and counting the miles. Instead, climb more mountains, eat more ice cream, go barefoot more often, swim more rivers, watch more sunsets, laugh more, cry less. Life must be lived as we go along. The station will come soon enough.

(Note: Answer the questions or complete the statements in NO MORE THAN TWELVE WORDS.)

【小题 1】 What does the author of this passage compare life to?

_____.

【小题 2】 Hidden in the uppermost part of our minds

is _____.

【小题 3】 Life is made dull and boring

by _____.

【小题 4】 According to the author, what is the true meaning of life?

_____.

7. Some people believe that they would be better off ___ more adaptive activities in their leisure time, such as establishing relationships and teaching their children.

- A. doing
- B. to do
- C. having done
- D. to be doing

8. For each blank in the following passage there are four words or phrases marked A, B, C and D. Fill in each blank with the word or phrase that best fits the context.

Sometimes people come into your life and you know right away that they were meant to be there, to serve some sort of 1, teach you a lesson, or to help you figure out who you are or who you want to become. You 2 know who these people maybe (possibly your roommate, neighbor, co-worker, long lost friend, lover, or even a complete stranger) , but when you lock eyes with them, you know at that very moment they will affect your life in some 3 way.

And sometimes things happen to you that may seem horrible, painful, and unfair at first, but 4 you find that without overcoming those obstacles you would have never realized your potential, strength, willpower, or heart.

Everything happens for a reason. Nothing happens 5 or by means of good luck.

Illness, injury, love, lost moments of true greatness and sheer stupidity all occur to test the limits of your soul. 6 these small tests whatever they may be, life would be like a smoothly paved, straight, flat road to nowhere. It would be safe and comfortable, but dull and utterly 7. The people you meet who affect your life, and the success and downfalls you experience, help to create who you are and who you become.

Even the 8 experiences can be learned from. In fact, they are probably the most poignant and important ones. If someone hurts you, 9 you, or breaks your heart, forgive them, for they have helped you learn about trust and the importance of being cautious when you open your heart. If someone loves you, love them back 10, not only because they love you, but because in a way, they are teaching you to love and how to open your 11 and eyes to things.

Make every day count. 12 every moment and take from those moments everything that you possibly can for you may never be able to experience it again. Talk to people that you have never talked to before, and actually listen. Let yourself fall in love, break free, and set your sightshigh. Hold your head up because you have 13right to. Tell yourself you are a great individual and believe in yourself, for if you don't believe in yourself, it will be hard for others to believe in you. You can make of your life anything you wish. Create your own life and then go out and live it with absolutely no 14.

Most importantly, if you LOVE someone, tell him or her, for you never know what tomorrow may have 15. And learn a lesson in life each day that you live.

That's the story of life.

【小題 1】

- A. people
- B. purpose
- C. intention
- D. advantage

【小題 2】

- A. already
- B. sometimes
- C. should
- D. never

【小題 3】

- A. limited
- B. strange

- C. other
- D. profound

【小题 4】

- A. in reflection
- B. in reality
- C. in addition
- D. in a way

【小题 5】

- A. on purpose
- B. by any chance
- C. by accident
- D. on principle

【小题 6】

- A. Despite
- B. With
- C. For all
- D. Without

【小题 7】

- A. bored
- B. pointless
- C. undeserved
- D. meaningful

【小题 8】

- A. good
- B. different
- C. bad
- D. pleasant

【小题 9】

- A. betrays
- B. loves
- C. appreciates
- D. understands

【小题 10】

- A. in turn
- B. moderately
- C. unconditionally
- D. in a way

【小题 11】

- A. mouth
- B. mind
- C. heart
- D. emotion

【小题 12】

- A. Comprehend
- B. Appreciate
- C. Expect
- D. Evaluate

【小题 13】

- A. every
- B. each
- C. proper
- D. exact

【小题 14】

- A. ambition
- B. hatred
- C. belief
- D. regrets

【小题 15】

- A. in the future
- B. in stock
- C. in store
- D. in pursuit

9. Read the following text and choose the most suitable heading from A-F for each paragraph. There is one extra heading which you do not need.

- A. Don't overlook talented people around you
- B. Seize the opportunity when it comes up
- C. Stay humble
- D. Find the system that works for your style
- E. Keep Honest Forever
- F. Work hard

【小题 1】 _____

Lin (Jeremy Shu-How Lin) got to start for the Knicks because they had to start him. They had too many injuries. Baron Davis was gone. The other point guards were out. Carmelo Anthony was injured. Amare Stoudemire had to leave the team because of a family death. Lin could have squandered the opportunity and we would have never have noticed. But he made the most of it. You never know when opportunities are going to arise in life. Often, they're when you least expect them. Make the most of them. Don't waste them.

【小题 2】 _____

Lin isn't Michael Jordan or Kobe Bryant. He's not a pure scorer. He's a passer and distributor – who can also score very well. It didn't work for him in Golden State or Houston – where he was before landing at the Knicks. But Mike D'Antoni's system at the Knicks has been perfect for him to show off his strengths. You've got to do your best to understand what your strengths are and then ensure that you're in a system (a job or organization or industry) that is a good fit for those strengths. Otherwise, people overlook the talents you bring to the table.

【小题 3】 _____

You probably manage people at your own company today. Are you sure you don't have a Jeremy Lin living among you now? How do you know that "Mike" couldn't do amazing things if you gave him a new project to run with? How do you know "Sarah" isn't the right person to take the open job in London that you've been talking over with your colleagues? We put people around us in boxes. He's from Harvard. He's Asian-American. Not sure he can play. How many assumptions have you made about talent around you? Don't be like the General Managers in Golden State and Houston, and let talent slip through your fingers. With all their money, scouts (球探), and testing, they didn't have a clue what they had in their hands. Do you know what your people (or even yourself) are really capable of? Take off the blinders of assumptions you wear when you look at the world.

【小题 4】 _____

If you one day are lucky enough to have newspapers want to put you on the cover in order to sell more, don't let it get to your head. It's been remarkable watching how

humble Lin remains through all this media craze. It makes his teammates and fans love him that much more.

【小題 5】 _____

Lin couldn't have seized his opportunity if he hadn't worked like crazy for years perfecting his skills. There are no short cuts to hard work. Success is a by product of that. If you've got a Tiger Mom who's always pushed you to work hard, great. If not, let your conscience be your own Tiger Mom! Get up early, stay up late. Nobody gave Lin any free passes. Why should you get any? You can only control what you control and that means you've got to work harder than anyone else you know.

10. It is not until May, 2013 ___ the online consultation comes to an end ___ the draft will be officially in force.

- A. when; that
- B. that; that
- C. that; when
- D. before; that

11. Complete the following passage by using the words in the box. Each word can only be used once. Note that there is one word more than you need.

A. best-selling B. influenced C. tragic D. canceled

AB. in peace

AC. used to AD. given BC. focus BD. comeback C D. concentration

A year ago, at the annual pre-Grammy party, Whitney Houston, the great diva (女歌手), walked on stage and closed the evening with a brilliant performance.

Last Saturday, Houston was once again the 1 of the showcase before the Grammys, but her presence was a posthumous (死后的) one.

Earlier that day, pop music's former queen was found dead in her hotel room. She was 48.

This, no doubt, is sad news to the whole music industry and her fans all over the world, 2 what a legendary life and remarkable career that she once had.

At her peak, Houston was the golden girl of the music world. From the mid-1980s to the late 1990s, she was one of the world's 3 artists. She strongly impressed the audiences with effortless, powerful and peerless vocals.

Besides multi-million record sales, Houston made countless hits such as The Greatest Love of All, I Have Nothing, and the mostly famous I Will Always Love You.

She also 4 a generation of younger singers, from Christina Aguilera to Mariah Carey.

But by the end of her career, it was a 5 fall for this superstar. Houston has been addicted to drugs. Her album sales plummeted and the hits stopped coming. Her once calm and peaceful image was shattered by a wild manner and unusual public appearances, and her once natural voice became rough and hoarse, unable to hit the high notes as she 6.

"The biggest devil is me. I'm either my best friend or my worst enemy," Houston told the ABC in an interview in 2002.

In 2009, Houston staged what seemed to be a successful 7 with the album I Look To You, which debuted on top of the charts.

But hoarse voice, 8 concerts, and continuous illness—Houston’s comeback trail wasn’t smooth at all. In an interview with Oprah Winfrey in 2009, Houston confessed: “It (show business) is too much. So much to try to live up to, to try to be, and I wanted out. ”

Now that Houston has finally taken a break from all the chaos, may she rest 9.

12.—Please go on with your demonstration.

—But where was I?

—Well, you _____ the two chemicals together.

- A. tried to mix
- B. were trying to mix
- C. were trying mixed
- D. had tried to mix

13. Translate the following sentences into English, using the words given in the brackets

1. 她把毕生奉献于教育。 (devote)
2. 今天中国足球队败北的消息占据了各主要媒体。 (dominate)
3. 这个计划虽然听上去不错, 但我担心它能否付诸实施。 (concern v.)
4. 有些年轻人错误地以为他们享有富裕生活是理所当然的。 (take...for granted)
5. 凡是到过漓江的游客莫不对它的美景印象至深, 两岸青山, 清水缓流。 (impress)

14. The rise of multinational corporations (跨国公司), global marketing, new communications technologies, and shrinking cultural differences have led to an unparalleled increase in global public relations or PR.

Surprisingly, since modern PR was largely an American invention, America’s relations is being threatened by PR efforts in other countries. Ten years ago, for example, the world’s top five public relations agencies were American-owned. In 1991, only one was. The British in particular are becoming more sophisticated and creative. A recent survey found that more than half of all British companies include PR as part of their corporate (公司的) planning activities, compared to about one-third of U. S. companies. It may not be long before London replaces New York as the capital of PR.

Why is America lagging behind in the global PR race? First, Americans as a whole tend to be fairly provincial and take more of an interest in local affairs. Knowledge of world geography, for example, has never been strong in this country. Secondly, Americans lag behind their European and Asian counterparts (相对应的人) in

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