宜昌市 2020 届高三年级 3 月线上统一调研考试

英语试题

本试卷共 150 分 考试用时 120 分钟

注意事项:

- 1. 本试卷分第Ⅰ卷(选择题)和第Ⅱ卷(非选择题)两部分。
- 2. 答题前,考生务必将自己的姓名、准考证号填写在本试卷相应的位置。
- 3. 全部答案在答题卡上完成,答在本试卷上无效。
- 4. 考试结束后,将本试卷和答题卡一并交回。

第I卷

第一部分 听力(共两节,满分30分)

第一节(共5小题;每小题1.5分,满分7.5分)

听下面 5 段对话。每段对话后有一个小题,从题中所给的 A、B、C 三个选项中选出最佳选项,并标在试卷的相应位置。听完每段对话后,你都有 10 秒钟的时间来回答有关小题和阅读下一小题。每段对话仅读一遍。

1. What does the woman think about her mother?

A. Warm-hearted.

B. Critical.

C. Generous.

2. What are the speakers going to do probably?

A. Eat breakfast.

B. Walk around the town.

C. Work in the restaurant.

3. Why did the man come to Los Angeles?

A. He grew up there.

B. His father worked there.

C. He went to college there.

4. What does the woman ask the man to do?

A. Have fun on the beach.

B. Throw away the garbage.

C. Do community work.

5. What's the possible relationship between the speakers?

A. Husband and wife.

B. Co-workers.

C. Friends.

第二节 (共15小题;每小题1.5分,满分22.5分)

听下面 5 段对话或独白。每段对话或独白后有几个小题,从题中所给的 A、B、C 三个选项中选出最佳选项,并标在试卷的相应位置。听每段对话或独白前,你将有时间阅读各个小题,每小题 5 秒钟;听完后,各小题将给出 5 秒钟的作答时间。每段对话或独白读两遍。

听第6段材料,回答第6、7题。

6. What happened to the car when the girl drove it last time?

A. The headlights were broken.

B. The gas was used up.

C. It fell into a hole.

7. When does the girl promise to be home?

A. At 8:30 p.m.

B. At 8:00 p.m.

C. At 7:30 p.m.

听第7段材料,回答第8、9题。

8. What is the woman satisfied with in her career now?

A. The position.

B. The salary.

C. The environment.

9. What will the woman do for her big dream?

A. Change a job.

B. Stop working to study.

C. Go to a night school.

听第8段材料,回答第10至12题。

10. What will the woman bring the man tomorrow?

A. A book.

B. A DVD.

C. A movie ticket.

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- 11. What will they check on the Internet?
 - A. What movies are on these days.
 - B. The price of the movie ticket.
 - C. The show time of the movie.
- 12. Why do they choose to watch the movie on Thursday?
 - A. It's the first day when the movie is on.
 - B. They can leave school early on that day.
 - C. They have no classes on that day.

听第9段材料,回答第13至16题。

- 13. What does the woman say she is doing at the beginning?
 - A. Having a survey on family life.
 - B. Selling life insurance.
 - C. Having a street interview.
- 14. What can we know about the man?
 - A. He is unmarried.
- B. He has two children.
- C. He is ill.

- 15. How does the woman convince the man?
 - A. By explaining the family protection plan.
 - B. By lowering the insurance fee.
 - C. By providing a special offer.
- 16. What happened at last?
 - A. The man didn't buy the insurance.
 - B. The man began to show interest in the insurance.
 - C. The man promise to think it over.

听第 10 段材料,回答第 17 至 20 题。

- 17. Where dose Isobel Bowdery come from?
- A. America.

C. South Africa.

- 18. When did the terror attack happen?
 - A. On Friday.
- B. On Saturday.
- C. On Sunday.
- 19. What did she think when the shooting began?
 - A. She must die there.
- B. It was part of the show.
- C. It was a ridiculous trick.

- 20. How did Isobel Bowdery survive?
 - A. A man covered her head. B. She pretended to be dead.
- C. She hid under a chair.

第二部分: 阅读理解(共20小题,每小题2分,满分40分)

第一节(共15小题,每小题2分,满分30分)

阅读下列材料,从每题所给的四个选项(A、B、C和D)中,选出最佳选项,并在答题纸上将该选项 标号涂黑。

Watch the films and you may feel the urge to set your foot to other parts of the world.

The Lord of the Rings

The story is about Frodo, his friends and their adventurous journey through Middle Earth. Filmed in about 150 locations all over New Zealand, this traveling movie shows its beauty. From the rolling hills of Matamata to the volcanic region of Mt Ruapehu. The director of the movie Peter Jackson first read the novel on a train going from Wellington to Auckland when he was just seventeen.

Indiana Jones. The Complete Adventure Collection

Indiana Jones and travel are inseparable. The Egypt scenes in Raiders of the Lost Ark were filmed in Tunisia. Temple of Doom was filmed mostly in Sri Lanka and Macau. The Last Crusade was filmed in Italy, Spain and Jordan. Unlike the other, Kingdom of the Crystal Skull was filmed almost entirely in the United States.

Romancing the Stone and jewel of the Nile

This movie series focuses on a romance writer Joan and her adventures with a soldier of fortune named Jack. In Romancing the stone Joan goes to Colombia to save her sister who was kidnapped(绑架). Romancing the stone's scenes were shot mostly in Mexico. For Jewel of the Nile, the scenes were mostly shot in France and Morocco.

The Talented Mr. Ripley

Tom Ripley is a working class young man. He is asked to go to Italy to convince a wealthy businessman's son to come home, but is lost in the luxurious(奢侈) life and kills the wealthy son because his dignity is hurt by him deeply. He leads a happy life under the wealthy son's name and travels around the world until one day he is awoken by his conscience. This travel movie starts in New York and heads to the fictional resort of Mongibello.

- 21. What do we know about The Lord of the Rings according to paragraph 2?
 - A. The movie is the best one made in New Zealand.
 - B. The movie was shot from Wellington to Auckland.
 - C. The novel caught the director's attention while he was traveling.
 - D. The novel encouraged a 17-year-old boy to travel in New Zealand.
- 22. If you are interested in Sri Lanka, which film would you probably watch?
 - A. The last Crusade.

- B. Temple of Doom.
- C. Raiders of the lost Ark.
- D. Kingdom of the Crystal Skull.
- 23. What can be inferred from The Talented Mr. Ripley?
 - A. Tom Ripley saves his own soul while traveling.
 - B. Tom Ripley lives a luxurious life by working hard.
 - C. Tom Ripley just goes sightseeing in Rome and Naples.
 - D. Tom Ripley owns a large amount of fortune on his own.

В

Almost everyone labels me an optimist. But even optimists can temporarily lose hope. This was the case for me on a particularly cold and gloomy January day. I felt depressed by the painful challenges I was dealing with in my personal life. Marriage, health, and financial struggles had joined forces to create a tornado of emotion that threatened to crush my spirit. I felt angry. The weather seemed to reflect my mood----the gray sky blocked even a single ray of sunlight.

About midway through the day, I left work to get some lunch. Still feeling negative, I noticed that the sun had come out for a brief moment. I began to think about my negative attitude and remind myself that I was responsible for choosing my state of mind. Even as I consciously reminded myself of this truth, I felt incapable of making the shift.

As I stopped at a red light, I looked at the car directly in front of mine. The personalized license plate caught my eye---it read "Sunout". This brought an immediate smile to my face. It felt like a reminder that the sun was shining after all. But then my eyes moved to the car that was perfectly parallel to the Sunout vehicle. The license plate on that car read "Complainer". This brought more than a smile to my face as I laughed out loudly! Seeing the two very opposite license plates at that exact moment in time, I felt my spirits and mood lift as I made the conscious decision to choose a positive attitude.

I shared my story with several co-workers who responded with warm laughter. I learned that day that when we are feeling too discouraged to bring ourselves out of a state of negativity, relief is just near!

- 24. What can we infer from Paragraph 1?
 - A. The writer had problems at school.
 - B. The writer was going to be laid off.
 - C. The writer was in low spirits that day.

- D. The writer couldn't meet the work challenges.
- 25. What do the underlined words "the shift" in paragraph 2 mean?
 - A. Changing her job.

B. Moving her car.

C. Making a choice.

- D. Changing her mood.
- 26. Why did the writer smile when she saw the two license plates?
 - A. Because they helped her make an informed choice.
 - B. Because they showed personality of car owners.
 - C. Because they were what she was looking for.
 - D. Because they reflected the truth of life.
- 27. What Chinese idiom can you think of after reading the story?
 - A. Time waits for no man.

B. Life is just like a mirror.

C. Great minds think alike.

D. Laughter is the best medicine.

C

College for \$1 a day? If it sounds too good to be true, it's not. Walmart, the largest private sector employer in the U.S., announced a new plan to pay for college for its 1.4 million employees.

Walmart will offer all full-time, part-time and salaried Walmart staff an opportunity to attend college for \$1 a day for the study of their college program. Walmart will cover the full cost ---- beyond financial aid ---- of tuition, fees and books. According to personal finance comparison site Make Lemonade, there are more than 44 million borrowers who collectively owe more than \$1.4 trillion of student loan debt. With this program, Walmart wants to ensure that its staff can earn a college degree without being involved in student loan debt.

Walmart has partnered with three non-profit universities where its employees can earn a degree online while working. Walmart staff are qualified to apply once they have worked at Walmart for at least 90 days. Walmart expects that all Walmart staff who apply will be accepted. If an employee leaves the company before completing a degree, the employee does not have to pay back any costs to Walmart, but will no longer have his/her education subsidized(被资助).

Currently, Walmart will only cover Associate's and Bachelor's degrees in business and supply chain management since they are "parts of a broader approach to preparing the workforce to succeed today and into the future."

"Investing in the personal and professional success of our staff is vital to Walmart's future success," said Greg Forman, CEO of Walmart U.S., in a statement. "We know training and learning opportunities enable the staff to deliver for customers while growing and advancing in their career."

Walmart is partnering with Guild Education, a leading education benefits platform, which will provide academic counselors to help Walmart staff with everything from the application process to choosing the right degree. According to *The Washington Post*, Walmart expects as many as 68,000 staff members to join the program in the first five years.

- 28. What does Make Lemonade expose to us?
 - A. Walmart helps employees out of student loan debt.
 - B. Millions of students are under the weight of debt.
 - C. 44 million students have paid off their debts.
 - D. \$1.4 trillion has been donated to students.
- 29. What does Walmart expect its employees to do?
 - A. Apply for a top university.
 - B. Pay back the education fees.
 - C. Gain a degree while working.

- D. Offer good service to its customers.
- 30. What does Greg Forman think of the new plan?
 - A. It is a waste of time and money.
 - B. It could bring benefits to Walmart.
 - C. It aims to make contributions to society.
 - D. It stops employees from learning further.
- 31. What's the best title of the text?
 - A. Walmart offers employees college for \$1 a day.
 - B. Guide Education helps Walmart win attention.
 - C. Walmart first turns impossible to possible.
 - D. 68,000 Walmart employees have a college degree.

D

A study confirmed that the cracks found on Mars's surface last year by the Curiosity Rover are evidence of ancient lakes that likely dried up about 3.5 billion years ago. The new study provides further evidence of what the climate on the Red Planet may have been like in its ancient past.

The study, published online in *Geology*, proved that cracks on Mars's surface previously photographed by Curiosity are dry mud cracks which could have only been formed when wet ground was exposed to the air. This conclusion was based on an analysis of a single area of rock known as "Old Soaker."

Researchers used the Curiosity rover and information from its many tools including the Mars Hand Lens Imager, ChemCam Laser-Induced Breakdown Spectrometer (LIBS) and the Alpha Particle X-Ray Spectrometer (APXS) to study both the physical appearance and the chemistry of the rock, which is described as no bigger than a coffee table.

The analysis showed that cracks on the rocks were formed by exposure to air, rather than heat or the flow of water. In addition, the shape of the cracks suggests it experienced a single drying event on the planet, rather than getting wet and drying over repeatedly. The position of the cracks, closer to the center of the ancient lake rather than alongside it, also suggests that the lake levels changed often, rising and falling over time.

"The mud cracks are exciting because they help us to understand this ancient lake system," lead study author Nathaniel Stein, a geologist at the California Institute of Technology in Pasadena, said, referring to the ancient lake system on the planet.

Scientists have known of the existence of ancient water on Mars for years. A 2015 NASA study that measured water in Mars's atmosphere suggested that ancient oceans may once have had more water than our own Arctic Ocean. However, because the planet has less gravity and a thinner atmosphere than Earth, this water evaporated(蒸发) into space over the course of several billion years.

- 32. What is the Curiosity Rover?
 - A. An organization.
- B. A scientist.
- C. A planet.
- D. A machine.

- 33. What do we know about the discovery on Mars?
 - A. The cracks are near the center of an ancient lake.
 - B. Mars was getting wet and drying more than once.
 - C. The lake level on Mars seldom changes over time.
 - D. The cracks on the rocks were formed by water flow.
- 34. What can we infer from the last paragraph?
 - A. Ancient water still exists on Mars now.
 - B. The gravity on Mars is stronger than that on Earth.
 - C. The atmosphere on Earth is thicker than that on Mars.

- D. The ancient Arctic Ocean had more water than it has now.
- 35. What is the text mainly about?

A. Water on Mars.

B. A trip to Mars.

C. A study on Mars.

D. Cracks on Mars.

第二节 (共5小题;每小题2分,满分10分)

根据短文内容,从短文后的选项中选出能填入空白处的最佳选项。选项中有两项为多余选项。

Everyone needs a break, and vacations are not meant for serious study. ___36 ___ The holiday is coming up so this is the perfect time to discuss some great English language literature to take on a long train journey.

Before getting into the recommendations, you need to determine your English reading comprehension level. If you're at the beginner level, there are two options: reading a children's book or reading a book that you've read in Chinese translation. ___37___ If you're at the intermediate level, popular books like pop fiction, mysteries and thrillers are good options. For advanced readers, science fiction, classic works of literature or contemporary prize winners (Nobel, Pulitzer) are good options.

___38___ When I pick up a book I like, even though the first few chapters are really hard to get through, I will try to get accustomed to the language the author uses. Generally, after the first few chapters, things get a lot easier, especially if I get involved in the story.

Another great way to keep yourself motivated is to find a friend interested in reading the same book. You can make goals you both want to achieve. ___39___

Some quick recommendations: Harry Potter, start with the first book and go on from there; the Narnia series; anything by US writer Michael Crichton; and if you like horror, US writer Stephen King is always unusual and fun. ___40___Happy reading!

- A. If you pick a book which is so challenging, it will be too stressful.
- B. The most important thing is to pick a book that you're really interested in.
- C. You may also share your feeling about the book with your family.
- D. You should just find a topic or author that you're interested in, and the rest will go from there.
- E. You can also discuss plot lines or vocabulary issues with each other by SMS or e-mail.
- F. Instead, they're a great way to take a break and enjoy a good book.
- G. This will help you get over any unfamiliar words or phrases, since you're already familiar with the story.

第三部分:英语知识运用(共两节,满分45分)

第一节:完形填空(共20小题;每小题1.5分,满分30分)

阅读下面的短文,从短文后各题所给的四个选项(A、B、C 和 D)中,选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项,并在答题卡上将该项涂黑。

When I search my mind for who has made an impact on my life, my father steps out first. To be honest, my father is not an <u>41</u> dad because he can be defined as a workaholic without <u>42</u>. I had a memory that he has been <u>43</u> like a machine for days and nights. As a famous teacher and the boss of a training institute, his schedule is filled up with <u>44</u> to give and decisions to <u>45</u> on management. It was he who left me weeping alone <u>46</u> a locked door when I was 5 years old. In adolescent years, I rarely <u>47</u> his words on anything. When I grew up, I still find it <u>48</u> to communicate with him.

While I believe I won't <u>49</u> my dad in some parts, I deeply understand him and even feel <u>50</u> about him. He was <u>51</u> for 7 years into high school because of the Cultural Revolution, but later his diligence and <u>52</u> brought him a diploma of a key university, a job in a big city and his enterprise. His single-parent <u>53</u> and his childhood with his grandparents hold him back from taking the father's <u>54</u> in the best way and

showing his love to his son. <u>55</u>, I do know he loves me so much.

After I failed the college entrance exam, he <u>56</u> me to take it easy, and encouraged me to be confident and <u>57</u>. In that summer, he got up early in spare mornings, took a walk with me in the park, telling me his story of fighting against <u>58</u>. During the Spring Festival when he stood at the window, <u>59</u> me lighting fireworks outside, smiling, I said to myself it was such a wonderful moment. It was the first time we had been so <u>60</u> to each other.

41. A. honored	B. energetic	C. ideal	D. outstanding
42. A. doubt	B. hesitation	C. freedom	D. permission
43. A. fighting	B. talking	C. training	D. operating
44. A. lectures	B. performances	C. instructions	D. invitation
45. A. take	B. make	C. practice	D. share
46. A. inside	B. behind	C. under	D. beneath
47. A. heard	B. believed	C. followed	D. received
48. A. interesting	B. tough	C. indifferent	D. smooth
49. A. forgive	B. accept	C. avoid	D. forget
50. A. confident	B. particular	C. passionate	D. sympathetic
51. A. delayed	B. opposed	C. admitted	D. refused
52. A. courage	B. wealth	C. perseverance	D. personality
53. A. poverty	B. reality	C. challenge	D. background
54. A. step	B. role	C. authority	D. advice
55. A. Therefore	B. Moreover	C. Otherwise	D. However
56. A. accompanied	B. ordered	C. advised	D. comforted
57. A. calm	B. content	C. optimistic	D. responsible
58. A. fate	B. examination	C. competition	D. outcome
59. A. catching	B. watching	C. keeping	D. picturing
60. A. devoted	B. attached	C. close	D. faithful

第 II 卷(满分 50 分)

第二节(共10小题:每小题1.5分,满分15分)

阅读下面材料,在空白处填入适当的内容或括号内单词的正确形式。

Hanshan Temple in Suzhou, built in the Liang Dynasty, is a cultural relic of Jiangsu province, <u>61</u> lies on the site of the ancient canal. With many places of interest and units of <u>62</u> (history) and cultural relics, it has long been one of the most popular scenic <u>63</u> (spot) <u>that have attracted millions of tourists.</u>

The poem of "Mooring to the Maple Bridge at Night" by Zhang Ji is <u>64</u> widely loved that it has made the <u>65</u> (active) of listening to the bell tolls of the Hanshan Temple <u>66</u> the New Year's Eve so popular.

The Maple Bridge and the Jiangchun Bridge stretch over the ancient canal and are elegant in shape. <u>67</u> (enjoy) the sights of hills, waters and fields outside the city of Suzhou from the bridges always makes people lose

themselves in the 68 (amaze) beauty.

The old Maple Bridge Town was a flourishing market place in Tang Dynasty. With simple and elegant buildings 69 (decorate) with few jewels, with streets in front and rivers behind and with prosperous commerce, the town is an old place that 70 (combine) tourism, enjoyment and shopping as one.

第四部分写作(共两节,满分35分)

第一节 短文改错(共10小题;每小题1分,满分10分)

假定英语课上老师要求同桌之间交换修改作文,请你修改你同桌写的以下作文。文中共有 10 处语言错误,每句中最多有两赴,每处错误仅涉及一个单词的增加、删除或修改。

增加: 在缺词处加一个漏字符号(^),并在其下面写出该加的词。

删除: 把多余的词用斜线(\)划掉。

修改: 在错的词下划一横线,并在该词下面写出修改后的词。

注意: 1. 每处错误及其修改均限一词。

2. 只允许修改 10 处, 多者(从第 11 处起)不计分。

Mary will never forget the first time she see him. He suddenly turned up in her class one day, wore sunglasses. Word quickly got around which he was from New York. For some reason he sat besides Mary. Mary felt pleased, because there were many empty seat in the room. But she quickly realized that it was probable because she sat in the last row. Though he wanted to escape attention, but he was wrong. Nothing could stop the other students watch him by turning around. Of course every time they turned around look at him, they had to look at Mary, it made her feel like a star.

第二节:书面表达 (满分 25 分)

假定你是高三学生李华,你的美国笔友 John 听说你校因新型冠状病毒肺炎(COVID-19)推迟开学并实行网上教学,想了解相关情况,请你给他回信,内容包括:

- 1. 线上教学情况;
- 2. 你的感想。

注意: 1.词数: 100 左右;

- 2.可适当增加细节,以使行文连贯;
- 3.开头和结尾已为你写好,不计入总词数。

Dear John,

I'm really gratefu	ıl for your great concern	about me when	we are still in	an awful situation	because of the
outbreak of COVID-19)				

Yours,

Li Hua