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例:How much is the shirt?					
A. \pounds 19. 15. B. \pounds 9. 18.	C. £9. 15.				
答案 是 C.					
1. How does the man probably get to work? A. By bus. B. By car.	C On fact				
A. By bus.B. By car.2. What's the probable relationship between the two speaked	ers?				
A. Teacher and student. B. Doctor and patient.	C. Mother and son.				
3. How does the man feel about his high school life?					
A. Puzzling. B. Exciting.	C. Disappointing.				
4. What are the speakers talking about?	The Court is the second but here the				
A. Different greetings. B. Japanese culture. 5. What does the woman mean?	C. Good manners.				
A. She doesn't like the new manager.					
B. The new manager went to Shanghai.					
C. She hasn't met the new manager yet.					
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5日5秒钟的作者的问。每夜外佔或强占侯两 <u>题。</u> 听第6段材料,回答第6、7题。					
6. Where does the conversation take place?					
A. At a store. B. At a post office.	C. At an insurance office.				
7. Why did the man pay 20 more dollars?	A. It is bight flyings				
A. To buy some clothes. B. To post a package.	C. To insure a package.				
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听第7段材料,回答第8、9题。 8. What was wrong with the man? C. He forgot to pay the fare. B. He felt terrible. A. He took a wrong bus. 9. Where will the man get off the bus? B. At the next stop. C. At Hilton Hotel. A. At the Fifth Avenue. 听第8段材料,回答第10至12题。 10. What is the man doing? C. Exchanging a phone card. B. Charging a mobile phone. A. Buying a phone card. 11. How much does the local call cost per minute? B. 20 cents. C. 2 cents. A. 5 dollars. 12. What does the woman suggest the man do at last? C. Keep the card himself. B. Buy a prepaid card. A. Insert the card in. 听第9段材料,回答第13至16题。 13. Why does the man make the phone call? C. To check out. A. To check in. B. To book a room. 14. What does the man's wife think of the honeymoon room? B. It's too small. C. It's too expensive. A. It's too big. 15. What does the man most expect to have in the room? B. An air conditioner. C. A bathroom. A. A color TV set. 16. How much will the man pay at last? B. \$260. C. \$280. A. \$240. 听第10段材料,回答第17至20题。 17. What will Shania be? A. A technician. C. A secretary. B. A manager. 18. What did Shania major in? A. Computer science. B. Communications. C. Educational technology. 19. Why is a reception scheduled for November 2? A. To entertain Shania herself. B. To honor excellent workers. C. To welcome new employees. 20. What is the speaker doing? A. Giving staff tasks. B. Conducting an interview. C. Introducing a new employee. 第二部分 阅读理解(共两节,满分40分) 第一节 (共15小题;每小题2分,满分30分) 阅读下列短文,从每题所给的A、B、C和D四个选项中,选出最佳选项。 A · maile If you're new to San Francisco, paying the city a visit, or simply looking for a new playground for you and your dog, here are four of the finest dog parks in San Francisco. ◆Corona Heights Dog Park

Often visited by residents from all over the city because of its nearness to the Randall Museum, Corona Heights Dog Park offers pets and owners breathtaking views, after a steep hillside climb, and a fenced dog area that allows dogs to let loose without a leash (狗链). Owners will also enjoy the playground, tennis courts and basketball courts.

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英语(二) 第2页(共8页)

Dolores Dog Park

The grounds of Dolores Park once served as camps for those who were left homeless by the 1906 earthquake, but now often visited by crowds of Mission District people. Four-legged friends can also wander about carefree off-leash while making friends with other members of the doggie community.

Pine Lake Dog Park

Noteworthy for its place as a rest stop for hundreds of species of birds to fly to and from warmer climates, Pine Lake Park is also prized by city dogs and their owners for their nice hiking paths, picturesque lake suited for swimming, and an off-leash area on the park's west end that lets dogs run free.

Buena Vista Dog Park

At 146 years young, Buena Vista Park is San Francisco's oldest park. Dogs and owners with plus energy will love burning it on this park's steep paths and winding staircases. Dog owners should have good control over their dogs, as it's quite easy for dogs to get separated when going through Buena Vista's many twists and turns.

21. Why do dog owners take their pets to Dolores Dog rank:				
A. To let them socialize.	B. To give them rescue lessons.			
C. To help them lose weight.	D. To increase their physical activities.			
22. Which dog park is popular with bird	lovers?			
A. Corona Heights Dog Park.	B. Dolores Dog Park.			
C. Pine Lake Dog Park.	D. Buena Vista Dog Park.			
23. What is special about Buena Vista De	og Park?			
A. It is suitable for swimming.	B. It is close to a museum.			
C. Dogs must be on a leash.	D. Dogs can go climbing.			
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When Gitanjali Rao shared how she likes "finding solutions to real problems", it was hard to imagine this dynamic 11-year-old girl could settle a problem that has escaped scientists for years. In just three months, Rao came up with a device (装置) that can replace the costly and lengthy tests currently used to reliably determine lead levels in our fresh water. Inspired by the current litigation (诉讼) in Flint, Michigan, a case of water pollution from 2014 to 2015, Rao designed a new testing system that resulted in her being named America's Top Young Scientist for 2017.

Rao had been following the water problem for about two years. She was amazed by the number of people affected by lead pollution in water and wanted to do something to change this. Gitanjali spent months trying to convince local high schools and colleges to give her lab time to continue her experiment. At home, Gitanjali worked on her project in the "science room" she asked her parents to create for her. Rao has created a device that uses three parts: a cartridge, a Bluetooth reader and an app. To put it simply, the cartridge contains carbon nanotubes (纳米管) that react to lead. This reaction is then registered by the Bluetooth reader, which sends a signal to a mobile app that can tell you immediately if your water is safe to drink.

Rao appropriately named the device Tethys after the Greek goddess of fresh water, and is hoping to make a little improvement to get the device on the market. While we may not be aware of any lead pollution present in our aging pipelines, lead poisoning can cause delays in physical and mental development. With Rao believing that the "purpose of science is to make a difference", her incredible invention could make a difference to millions of people in the United States.

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英语(二) 第3页(共8页)

- 24. What do we know about Rao's device?
 - A. It's cheap and quick. C. It's expensive and reliable.

B. It's cheap and inaccurate.

D. It's portable and time-consuming.

25. What made Rao have the idea of designing the device?

A. Her parents' suggestions.

B. The name of the Greek goddess.

C. Her interest in settling real problems.

D. The water pollution litigation in Flint.

26. What do the carbon nanotubes function as?

A. Sending immediate signals.

B. Recording the reaction results.

C. Detecting the presence of lead.

D. Showing the water quality results.

27. What does the author think of Rao's invention?

A. It will lead Rao to make a fortune.

B. It will help millions of Americans drink safe water.

C. It will promote the development of science in America.

D. It will soon settle the lead-polluted problem thoroughly. C

Imagine jet-setting from Tokyo to Paris, enjoying first-class travel, a four-course dinner and a city tour-all without leaving the ground. This is the future of air travel according to Japanese company First Airlines, which has used the power of virtual reality to create dream vacations.

Passengers avoid the costly airport transfer, the baggage fees or busy airport terminal (航站 楼)-and instead enjoy the privileges of business or first-class travel and an expensive tour of Paris-all while remaining motionless in Tokyo. As well as Paris, First Airlines also offers the virtual destinations of New York, Rome and Hawaii.

After boarding, guests can settle down for the two-hour flight on their advanced Airbus seat-surrounded by decoration that is modelled on the inside of an aircraft, for maximum realism. There is flight service and VR, foods, music for every destination. Passengers will be served a delicious meal by air stewards, alongside drinks and other desserts. The menu depends on the destination of choice-Manhattan clam chowder and cheesecake for New York and salmon tartar and onion soup for Paris. After landing at the destination, guests can enjoy a 360-degree tour of the destination-all thanks to projection (投影) mapping and video.

It makes for a supposedly stress-free vacation, perfect for those whose ability to travel abroad is limited by cost or health. Virtual reality is becoming increasingly present everywhere at all times in the world of travel-allowing travelers to appreciate the wonders of the world, all 一一位已经投票,任心: 腰肉的肉小肉,并分子了; without leaving their house.

At just 4,980 yen (\$46) for business class and 5,980 yen (\$56) for first class-these twohour flights are far more affordable than their real-life flights. Tokyo citizens eager to experience First Airlines can book a trip on the website, with reservations currently being taken until May 2018.

28. What can we learn about the future of air travel from Tokyo to Paris?

A. It is high-flying. C. It is power-wasting.

B. It is money-saving. D. It is time-consuming.

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英语(二) 第4页(共8页)

29. When can passengers enjoy the beauty of	the destination? and the second s
A. Upon arrival.	B. During the flight.
C. After boarding the plane.	D. On getting off the plane.
30. The flight is perfect for travelers who	Tel 44 H of 19 H is the more couch add more
A. do little physical exercise	B. work under great pressure
C. desire to travel a long distance	D. have health or money troubles
31. What can be the best title for the text?	ate and (a the second of the expected to be time
A. A Scientific Fantasy	B. The Power of Virtual Reality
C. Japan's Virtual Air Travel Abroad	D. Appreciation of the Global Wonders
C. Jupun C	D

As the parent of a 7-year-old boy, sometimes I feel like "no" is my most frequently said word. But if I look honestly at the big picture of my daily vocabulary, I probably would conclude that it actually contains too much "yes". Saying yes means opening myself up to new experiences, inviting new or deeper relationships. But too much "yes" leaves any of us feeling anxious, overcommited (过分受约束的) and powerless to set and maintain boundaries in our lives.

This had been on my mind when The Book of No: 365 Ways to Say It and Mean It—and Stop People-Pleasing Forever came across my desk. The new edition of this decade-old book by psychologist Susan Newman is a must-read book for those of us who struggle to say "no" with authenticity, confidence and kindness.

Newman calls people who feel forced to say yes all their way through life "people-pleasers". The chief symptoms of this condition include associating helping others with your self-respect, holding expectations that you will care for others and feeling unwilling to state your own needs when a request comes your way. For people-pleasers, "yes is the path of least resistance and the way to avoid damaging your relationship with the asker," Newman writes.

The book offers brief dialogues for hundreds of scenarios in which "no" is the right answer, for reasons ranging from time management to financial pressures to emotional boundaries. Newman considers what came about among friends, at work, within families and in parenting. Reading through the scenarios, I realized they have some things in common—things that immediately started helping me improve my "no" skills.

Do you think this book might be helpful to you? It's OK if the answer is "no", but I do highly recommend it for your Positive Reading List shelf.

32. Why does the author include his own personal experience in Paragraph 1?

A. To blame himself. B. To show how to guide kids.

C. To tell his likes and dislikes. D. To help recommend a book.

33. What is mainly talked about in Paragraph 3?

A. How to deal with a request.

B. Why askers turn to others for a favor.

C. Why people-pleasers say "yes" too often.

D. How to strengthen relationships with askers.

34. What does the underlined word "scenarios" probably mean?

A. Occasions. B. Processes. C. Adventures.

D. Stories.

35. What does the author advise us to do? A. Give no response to any demand.

B. Learn to say "no" in a positive way.

C. Keep open all channels of communication.

D. Say "yes" constantly without feeling guilty.

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英语(二) 第5页(共8页)

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。

Caregivers care for someone with an illness, injury or disability. Caregiving can be rewarding, but it can also be challenging. <u>36</u> Women especially are at risk for the harmful health effects of caregiver stress. These health problems may include stress and anxiety. There are ways to manage caregiver stress.

The first thing to do is learn ways to better help your loved one. <u>37</u> To find these classes, ask your doctor or call your local Area Agency on Aging.

Take time out to meditate (冥想) or reflect. Spending 10 to 20 minutes twice a day to "clear your head" can work wonders when you're feeling overburdened. Some caregivers learn meditation techniques from classes or books on the subject, while others simply take time out to quietly reflect. 38

Exercising is another good way to help mind and body recover. It's one of the best-known techniques for reducing stress and keeping healthy. A quick walk several times each week gives you significant health benefits. 39 Your library may offer exercise DVDs. Invite a friend over to join you.

40 Nursing a garden, watching a favorite TV show, or reading an article that interests you. Your favorite hobby can help "center" you and remind you that you still have a life outside of caregiving. You must make some time—even for 10—to take care of yourself.

- A. Stress from caregiving is common.
- B. Try to do something you enjoy every day.
- C. You'd better keep a journal of your thoughts and feelings.
- D. Find caregiving resources in your community to help you.
- E. Whichever way you choose, it's important that you focus on clearing your mind.
- F. There are many good indoor choices, too, from walking in place to yoga or tai chi.
- G. Some hospitals offer classes that can teach you how to care for someone with an injury or illness.

第三部分 语言知识运用(共两节,满分45分)

第一节 (共 20 小题;每小题 1.5 分,满分 30 分)

阅读下面短文,从短文后各题所给的 A、B、C 和 D 四个选项中,选出可以填入空白处的最佳选项。

Experts say boredom is good for kids. It forces them to be creative, <u>41</u> their imaginations, and helps them discover new things. A(n) <u>42</u> in point is 13-year-old Luke Thill from Dubuque, Iowa.

Luke was <u>43</u> of playing video games and riding his bike, so he decided to build a tiny house in his backyard instead. He made money from cutting lawns (草坪) and <u>44</u> exchanged some services, such as gaining the help of an electrical engineer <u>45</u> sweeping his garage. Luke also <u>46</u> spare materials from his grandmother's house and other <u>47</u> materials from his neighbors for some of the windows and the door.

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英语(二) 第6页(共8页)

The 89-square-foot home cost \$1,500 to build and ______ 18 months. Inside there's a kitchenette, a back sitting room, a table and a mounted (镶嵌的) TV, and an upstairs bedroom can be easily ______ by stairway.

Although Luke did the <u>50</u> and learned how to do all the work, he had his father's <u>51</u> throughout the project. Greg Thill was very happy that his son learned to stay on <u>52</u> and deal with grown-ups. <u>53</u>, he had some simple rules when Luke <u>54</u> the house: "You <u>55</u> the money. You build it. And you own it."

Luke is now in love with <u>56</u>. He has a YouTube channel and hopes to <u>57</u> other kids to start building. <u>58</u>, he wants to build a bigger tiny house to live in, but for now, he <u>59</u> in his new home a few nights a week, does homework there, and uses it to take a <u>60</u> from his twin brother.

41. A. changes	B. ignores	C. improves	D. weakens
42. A. method	B. explanation	C. procedure	D. case
43. A. tired	B. fond	C. confident	D. guilty
44. A. thus	B. even	C. still	D. anyhow
45. A. in exchange for	B. in praise for	C. in support of	D. in place of
46. A. updated	B. ordered	C. removed	D. used
47. A. recycled	B. cheap	C. new	D. raw
48. A. spent	B. took	C. saved	D. wasted
49. A. supported	B. accessed	C. held	D. landed
50. A. research	B. housework	C. experiment	D. discovery
51. A. permission	B. help	C. control	D. order
52. A. credit	B. business	C. budget	D. duty
53. A. Therefore	B. Besides	C. Rather	D. However
54. A. finished	B. decorated	C. started	D. painted
55. A. borrow	B. donate	C. raise	D. distribute
56. A. books	B. videos	C. riding	D. building
57. A. inspire	B. press	C. command	D. warn
58. A. Luckily	B. Eventually	C. Frequently	D. Strangely
59. A. brings out	B. leaves out	C. hangs out	D. puts out
60. A. ride	B. risk	C. chance	D. break

第二节 (共10小题;每小题1.5分,满分15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。

Roofs and windows of buildings aren't the only surfaces that can be used to produce solar power. In China, <u>61</u> (construct) has begun of the country's first solar highway, in which solar panels are placed underneath transparent concrete.

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英语(二) 第7页(共8页)

The solar highway is a 2 km stretch (一段) of road <u>62</u> (lie) on the Jinan City Expressway, and it's divided into three layers. The see-through concrete protects a set of solar panels of two <u>63</u> (size). Beneath the solar panels <u>64</u> (be) a layer that separates them from the damp ground.

The road <u>65</u> (it) has already been completed, and now it's only a matter of connecting the grid (输电网), <u>66</u> is expected to be finished by the end of the year alongside the completion of the Jinan Expressway's south section.

This isn't the first solar road China has worked on. Earlier this year, the Qilu Transportation Development Group, also handling the Jinan Expressway solar road, <u>67</u> (build) a 160-meterlong solar road in <u>68</u> city of Jinan. It has the ability of heating up to keep the highway clear <u>69</u> snow and ice, and is able to <u>70</u> (wireless) charge electric vehicles. The new solar highway is expected to one day be equipped with the same features.

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)

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修改:在错的词下划一横线,并在该词下面写出修改后的词。

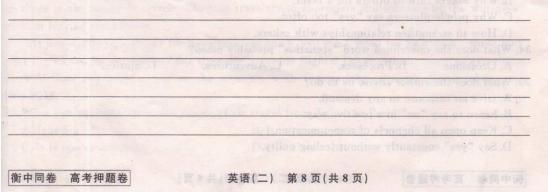
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2. 只允许修改 10 处,多者(从第 11 处起)不计分。

People always say that we lack of the eyes of realizing the beauty in life. I can't agree complete. Last Friday, I woke up very early and decide to take a walk. In the square there many senior citizens were dancing, I found several elders bury in feeding birds. Without many cars, I realized the city looked so clean but beautiful. Some coffee shops were decorated pretty well, which attracted our eyes. The whole city was covered with green trees, making it green city. At this moment, I found the city was so interested. How I regret ignore its beauty before! 第二节 书面表达(满分 25 分)

假定你是李华,打算去澳大利亚参加游学夏令营活动(tour-and-learn summer camp)。请给你的澳大利亚笔友 John 写一封电子邮件,告知参加目的和所需帮助。 注意:1.词数 100 左右;

2. 可以适当增加细节,以使行文连贯。



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第二节

Dear John,

I'm writing to tell you that 1 will fly to your country to take part in the tour-and-learn summer camp during my winter holidays. Through the trip, I hope to learn more about the customs and history of your country and develop my ability to survive independently. What's more, it is a good chance to practice my spoken English.

However, what I'm concerned about is that I may have difficulty communicating with the locals. After all, there exist some cultural differences between China and Australia. In addition, the climate and foods there may disagree with me. I, d appreciate it if y_{\circ} u could give me some advice.

Looking forward to your early reply.

Yours truly Li Hua

听力录音文稿

Text 1

W: If I were you, I would take a bus to work. Driving during rush hours is terrible!M: But you can't imagine how crowded the bus is when it arrives at my stop.

Text 2

M: You missed all your classes yesterday and you didn't even call. What's the matter?

W: Sorry, Mr Darriek, I couldn't come. I hurt my hand and had to see a doctor.

Text 3

W: How have you found your high school life during this past month?

M: Everything is new and interesting. High school life is more colorful than I expected. Text 4

M: Most people around the world now greet each other by shaking hands, but some cultures use other greetings, such as the Japanese.

W: Yes. I had a meeting today with a woman from Japan and she wouldn't stop bowing! Text 5

M: Hi, Linda! Have you met our new manager?

W: I just came back from Shanghai this morning.

Text 6

- M: Nice to see you, but could I mail this package by EMS?
- W: So where do you want to send it?
- M: Beijing, China. And I want to make it arrive as soon as possible.
- W: But what's in the package?
- M: some clothes.
- W: Sure. It can be sent by EMS.
- M: How long does it take to reach China?
- W: About a week. Please fill out this form.
- M: Done. How much does it cost if I insure it?
- W: 20 more dollars.
- M: Yeah. I'll do it.

Text 7

- M: Excuse me. Does this bus go to Fifth Avenue?
- W: I'm afraid not-
- M: Oh, I got on the wrong bus. Can I get off here?
- W: No. You have to wait until the next stop.
- M: It's too bad.
- W: Sir, maybe you can get off at the Hilton Hotel after three stops. Then you can walk there.
- M: Would you please remind me to get off?
- W: Sure. But now please pay the fare.
- M: I'm so worried that I forgot it. Here is the fare.
- W: Thank you.

Text 8

- W: Hi, can I help you?
- M: Hi, I want to buy a local mobile phone card.
- W: OK, can I see your mobile phone?
- M: Here it is. Do you have any cards for this mobile phone?
- W: Yes. Don't worry. But how long will you stay here?
- M: A week. But why?
- W: We sell different mobile phone cards which charge based on how long you will use it. I suggest

you have this one.

M: How much does it cost?

W: Five dollars. It is cheap. And for calls, international ones charge 20 cents per minute, while local ones are 2 cents per minute.

M: That sounds nice. I'll take it. Can you help me insert the card in?

W: Here it is. And here is your own card. Please keep it yourself.

M: But how can I pay for calls I make?

W: If you want to make it easier, you can buy a prepaid phone card and pay for it now.

M: Sure.

Text 9

W: Sky Hotel. Reservation Desk. Can I help you?

M: I'm calling from New York. I'd like to reserve a room in your hotel.

W: What kind of room would you like, sir? We have single rooms, double rooms, honeymoon suites and business suites.

M: A honeymoon room, please.

W: OK. I have to check if there is a room available.

M: Oh, please wait a moment. My wife told me it isn't cost-effective. So a double room, please.

W: Well, we have double rooms available.

M: Is there a color TV set in the room? I'm a film lover.

W: Yes. You will have all air conditioner, a bathroom a telephone.

M: Sounds great. I'll take it.

W: A double room on the sunny side is 140 dollars per night, and one on the shady side is 120 dollars per night.

M: I think I'11 take the one on the sunny side then.

W: How long will you stay here?

M: I won't be arriving until 11: 00 tomorrow. I'll stay here for two days.

W: I know.

Text 10

I'm happy to let you know that Shania Herzog has accepted our job offer and will join the team as a quality evaluation manager on November 1. So, if you see a new face on November 1, let Shania know that you are excited about her joining our team. Do look for an opportunity to greet Shania.

Shania's degree is in computer science from the University of Chicago. She is experienced in both communication and education technology. Additionally, Shania is a qualified software tester. She has worked in quality evaluation at two other technology companies over the past six years since graduating from college. We are convinced that she will add another layer of success to our quality efforts.

In her spare time. Shania is a mom who loves cooking and trying out new recipes. She is also a big fan of and traveling the world, both near and far, looking for new experiences \cdot

Shania will join the team in the quality evaluation office on the producing floor. A reception is scheduled for November 2 to welcome Shania and three other new employees who are starting that week. Please join us at 4: 30 pm. I appreciate you joining me in providing a warm welcome for them.