

## Test for Unit 1 (A)

年级: \_\_\_\_\_ 班级: \_\_\_\_\_ 姓名: \_\_\_\_\_

### Part 1 Listening (共 25 分)

#### I. Listening comprehension

##### A. Listen and choose the right picture. (5 分)



A



B



C



D



E



F

1. C 2. A 3. B 4. F 5. D

##### B. Listen to the dialogue and choose the best answer to the question you hear. (8 分)

- ( D ) 6. A. A teacher. B. A pilot. C. A nurse. D. A doctor.  
 ( B ) 7. A. By bus. B. By underground. C. By car. D. On foot.  
 ( C ) 8. A. 3 yuan. B. 4 yuan. C. 10 yuan. D. 12 yuan.  
 ( D ) 9. A. Volleyball. B. Football. C. Basketball. D. Tennis.  
 ( A ) 10. A. Rainy. B. Hot. C. Sunny. D. Windy.  
 ( B ) 11. A. Father and daughter. B. Teacher and student.  
 C. Waiter and customer. D. Doctor and patient.  
 ( A ) 12. A. She doesn't need the man's help. B. The luggage is too heavy for her.  
 C. She hopes the man will help her. D. The luggage belongs to her.  
 ( C ) 13. A. The house here is too old.  
 B. It's more expensive.  
 C. There is one more room in the new house.  
 D. The new house is cheaper.

##### C. Listen to the passage and tell whether the following statements are true or false. (6 分)

- ( T ) 14. Students in our school have performed lots of music dramas.  
 ( F ) 15. The teachers helped play the background music for the drama.  
 ( T ) 16. The writer played oboe (双簧管) in this year's music drama.  
 ( F ) 17. The students practiced playing the music every Monday morning.  
 ( T ) 18. The music drama turned out well although the writer was nervous.  
 ( T ) 19. This passages tells about the writer's first time as a member of a music drama.

##### D. Listen to the passage and complete the sentences. (6 分)

- 20-21. Unlike pop songs, we can find lots of poetry in Chinese folk songs.  
 22-23. Chinese folk songs express the feelings, the emotions, and the hopes of people about being in love or how hard it is.  
 24-25. A forum of folk songs is held every year to spread Chinese folk music.

### Part 2 Phonetics, Vocabulary and Grammar (共 35 分)

#### II. Choose the best answer. (15 分)

- ( B ) 26. Which of the following underlined parts is different from the others in pronunciation?  
 A. though B. think C. clothes D. those  
 ( C ) 27. Peter is an engineer. He works for a big company.  
 A. / B. a C. an D. the  
 ( A ) 28. His computer works even faster than mine.  
 A. mine B. my C. me D. myself  
 ( C ) 29. Amy got badly ill. She has to stay in hospital for another two weeks.  
 A. the other B. the others C. another D. other  
 ( A ) 30. Lily and Frank went to the concert, but neither of them enjoyed the performance.  
 A. neither B. none C. both D. all  
 ( B ) 31. The boy's room is as beautiful as his sister's because he puts some pictures on the wall.  
 A. more beautiful B. beautiful  
 C. most beautiful D. the most beautiful  
 ( D ) 32. The little girl found back her confidence through singing.  
 A. on B. to C. at D. through  
 ( C ) 33. You shouldn't put your finger into the fan, boy. It's too dangerous.  
 A. should B. needn't C. mustn't D. may



- ( A ) 34. Chinese pianist Langlang \_\_\_\_\_ a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame in April, 2024.  
A. received B. has received C. receives D. receive
- ( D ) 35. It's cold outside. You'd better \_\_\_\_\_ out.  
A. go B. not to go C. to go D. not go
- ( B ) 36. The woman thief did not tell the truth \_\_\_\_\_ the police found the lost bicycle.  
A. If B. until C. since D. while
- ( D ) 37. — \_\_\_\_\_ will you be able to finish the project? — In three days.  
A. How long B. How often C. How old D. How soon
- ( A ) 38. Steven practices \_\_\_\_\_ the guitar every day to get ready for the Art Festival.  
A. playing B. play C. played D. plays
- ( C ) 39. \_\_\_\_\_ good advice you've just given me!  
A. What a B. What a C. What D. How
- ( B ) 40. — I think the musical *Cats* is the best musical I have ever watched.  
\_\_\_\_\_.  
A. I don't think B. I think so, too C. I hope so D. I hope not

### III. Complete the following passage with the words in the box. Each can only be used once. (5分)

A. slowly B. notice C. goals D. creative E. sad F. store

For many middle school students, learning to play a musical instrument can be one of the most rewarding experiences. It not only gives you a way to express yourself in a 41 \_\_\_\_\_ way but also helps you build important life skills.

Choosing the right instrument is the first step. It's important to choose an instrument that you feel a connection with, whether it's the piano, guitar, violin, or drums. Visiting a music 42 \_\_\_\_\_ or trying out different instruments at school can help you decide which one feels right.

Once you pick your instrument, regular practice is crucial. Practicing a little bit every day works better than long periods now and then. Begin with short daily practices and 43 \_\_\_\_\_ increase the time as you feel more at ease. Keep in mind that improvement takes time, so be patient with yourself.

Learning an instrument helps you become disciplined and persistent. As you get better at reading music and playing techniques, you'll 44 \_\_\_\_\_ improvements in your focus and memory. Playing with others in a band or orchestra also teaches you how to work as a team



and communicate effectively.

Most importantly, enjoy learning and playing music. Celebrate when you achieve small 45 \_\_\_\_\_, like mastering a tough song. Making music can bring you much happiness, help you relax, and give you pleasure for your whole life.

41. D 42. F 43. A 44. B 45. C

### IV. Complete the sentences with the given words in their proper forms. (5分)

46. My classmates are all friendly and I can learn a lot from them. (they)
47. Tomorrow my family will hold a party for my mother's fortieth birthday. (forty)
48. The famous musician is going to hold a concert in our city next month. (music)
49. She appears to be very quiet, yet actually she is quite outgoing. (actual)
50. It would be impossible for us to finish the work in such a short time. (possible)

### V. Rewrite the following sentences as required. (10分)

51. Lindong's Grandpa put on his glasses to read the newspaper. (改为否定句)

Lindong's Grandpa didn't put on his glasses to read the newspaper.

52. It would be nice to have a music club in our school. (改为一般疑问句)

Would it be nice to have a music club in our school?

53. We are going to watch a musical next weekend. (对画线部分提问)

What are you going to do next weekend?

54. I'm interested in learning new languages. My sister is interested in learning new languages. (合并为一句)

Both my sister and I are interested in learning new languages.

55. with their classmates, plan, they, this Sunday, to go hiking (连词成句)

They plan to go hiking with their classmates this Sunday.

## Part 3 Reading and Writing (共40分)

### VI. Reading comprehension (共24分)

#### A. Choose the best answer. (6分)

Music is an important part of my life. Recently, it's been my pleasure to listen to many different kinds of English-language music. What kind of music do you like best? Jazz, country or rock?

I like country music best because it is easy to learn. It first became popular in the southern part of the United States in the 1920s. Country





music is like a kind of American-style pop music.

Listening to English-language songs can cultivate (培养) our knowledge of the English language. I always take notes about the lyrics while listening to English-language songs. For example, my favorite song is Taylor Swift's *Sweeter Than Fiction*, which was first released in 2013. The song is about the rise-to-fame story of Paul Potts, who won *Britain's Got Talent* in 2007. Its lyrics are very inspiring (鼓舞人心的). I wrote them down to **motivate** myself. By listening to this song, I can remind myself to follow my dreams. If I never give up, they will come true some day. I once copied the lyrics of the song *Dream It Possible* and sent them to one of my best friends who had failed an important exam. I believe everyone can benefit from listening to music.

When I'm listening to music, I write down new words, remember their pronunciations and spell them over and over again. In this way, I have expanded my vocabulary. More importantly, listening to English-language music has further developed my interest in learning English. It has helped me a lot.

- ( B ) 56. Country music became popular in America in the \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. 1910s      B. 1920s      C. 1930s      D. 1940s
- ( A ) 57. Why does the writer like country music best?  
A. Because it's not difficult to learn.  
B. Because it is like a kind of British pop music.  
C. Because its lyrics are very interesting.  
D. Because it's written by English musician.
- ( B ) 58. Which is NOT true about the author's favorite song?  
A. It is sung by Taylor Swift.      B. It was written by Paul Potts.  
C. The song was released in 2013.      D. Its lyrics are inspiring.
- ( C ) 59. What does the underlined word "motivate" mean in Paragraph 3?  
A. 打击      B. 抵制      C. 激励      D. 回忆
- ( D ) 60. The author expanded his/her vocabulary by the following **except** \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. writing down new words      B. remembering their pronunciations  
C. spelling them repeatedly      D. developing interest
- ( C ) 61. What's the best title of the passage?  
A. Country Music      B. Music Is Important  
C. Learn English Through Music      D. Learn Music Through English

**B. Choose the best answer and complete the passage. (6分)**

My little brother Bobby falls in love with cartoons these days. When he watches his

favourite cartoon shows, it becomes really \_\_\_\_\_ 62 \_\_\_\_\_ to get him to leave from his seat. After watching his favourite shows, he tells the characters (角色) and stories to me. He \_\_\_\_\_ 63 \_\_\_\_\_ asks me to watch them with him. When watching cartoon, he doesn't cry or ask for anything, because he concentrates on them. \_\_\_\_\_ 64 \_\_\_\_\_ do kids love cartoons so much? Let us find out.

First, most of the cartoon shows are quite popular \_\_\_\_\_ 65 \_\_\_\_\_ they help children to learn many things. They can bring funny and interesting things to kids. Second, the color, voice, and the story of their favourite characters can attract the children's interest. The sound effects (音效) of the cartoon play an important role. Kids can always sing the songs of their favourite cartoon shows. Third, cartoons create (创造) a \_\_\_\_\_ 66 \_\_\_\_\_ for kids. These have nothing to do with the problems of real life. Children love the super powers that the cartoon characters have. Also, the main cartoon characters can always \_\_\_\_\_ 67 \_\_\_\_\_ all problems and the good people can beat the bad ones. Most of the stories always have a happy ending.

- ( B ) 62. A. different      B. difficult      C. easy      D. interesting  
( D ) 63. A. seldom      B. especially      C. almost      D. even  
( C ) 64. A. What      B. When      C. Why      D. How  
( A ) 65. A. because      B. until      C. although      D. before  
( C ) 66. A. picture      B. home      C. world      D. film  
( B ) 67. A. invent      B. solve      C. achieve      D. attend

**C. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. (6分)**

There are so many expressions in American English that sounds pleasant, but they don't mean what they seem.

"Face the music" is a good example. When someone says he has to "face the music", it doesn't mean he is going to a \_\_\_\_\_ 68 \_\_\_\_\_ to listen to the music. "Face the music" means to accept and deal with the punishment of an action.

Americans often use the word "face" in this way. For example, "I can't face another night of camping. It's cold and rainy." or "In life, you must face your fears." This usage of "face" is very \_\_\_\_\_ 69 \_\_\_\_\_. But now, let's go back to facing the music.

Imagine a friend asks you to take care of her beautiful red car. She gives you the keys and says, "Thanks so much for \_\_\_\_\_ 70 \_\_\_\_\_ my car while I'm away. But please do not drive it. It is an extremely fast car." But you don't listen. You want to show off to some friends. So you drive it around town one night. Unluckily, you lose \_\_\_\_\_ 71 \_\_\_\_\_ of the car and crash





- ( B ) 36. Nina \_\_\_\_\_ as a singer in a famous band since she left college.  
A. worked      B. has worked      C. will work      D. works
- ( C ) 37. People \_\_\_\_\_ think the Earth was flat. It was amazing!  
A. is used to      B. are used to      C. used to      D. use to
- ( C ) 38. Lu Lei tried her best, \_\_\_\_\_ she still didn't pass the final examination.  
A. and      B. or      C. but      D. for
- ( D ) 39. This video shows you \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. what does the river look like      B. how does the river look like  
C. how the river looks like      D. what the river looks like
- ( A ) 40. \_\_\_\_\_ awful weather it is! It has been raining for nearly a month.  
A. What      B. What a      C. What an      D. How

III. Complete the following passage with the words in the box. Each can only be used once. (5分)

A. voices      B. attracts      C. other      D. started      E. lost      F. won

A World of Musicians

Music has the power to touch our souls, and musicians are the magicians who create this magic. There are many kinds of musicians in the world. Take the young violinist, for example. She 41 playing at a very early age, practicing for hours every day. Her hard work paid off when she 42 a local music competition, bringing tears of joy to her parents' eyes.



On the 43 side of the city, a street musician plays his guitar with passion. His music may not be as refined as the concert hall performers, but it has a raw and genuine charm that 44 passersby. They drop coins into his open case, not just for the music but also for the spirit he brings to the street.

Musicians, whether famous or unknown, all share a common love for music. They use their instruments or 45 to tell stories, express emotions, and connect with people on a deep level. Their melodies can comfort a troubled heart, light excitement at a party, or add a solemn touch to a grand occasion.

41. D      42. F      43. C      44. B      45. A

IV. Complete the sentences with the given words in their proper forms. (5分)

46. The beauty of the city consists in its magnificent buildings. (beautiful)  
47. Many people enjoy music because it makes them feel relaxed. (relax)

48. To be honest, he is the shyest boy I've ever seen. (shy)  
49. The ship crossed the Channel, riding smoothly over the waves. (smooth)  
50. I have no choice but to take the physical examination. (choose)

V. Rewrite the following sentences as required. (10分)

51. The singer brought music and joy to the whole family. (改为一般疑问句)  
Did the singer bring music and joy to the whole family?
52. They used to live in a small flat before they had their own house. (改为否定句)  
They didn't use to live in a small flat before they had their own house.
53. I would like to recommend the song Hey, Jude to all of you. (对画线部分提问)  
Which song would you like to recommend to all of us?
54. Why not go to the concert with me tonight? (保持句义不变)  
What about going to the concert with me tonight?
55. three months, Alice, in Britain, have to, will, for, stay (连词成句)  
Alice will have to stay in Britain for three months.


Part 3 Reading and Writing (共40分)

VI. Reading comprehension (共24分)

A. Choose the best answer. (6分)

Read the diary of a sailor.

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Day 1	Finally, we are on our way! We spent many days preparing, loading supplies and fixing the ship — <u>it felt like we would never actually leave</u> . But now we are out on the ocean. Soon we will arrive in the Canary Islands!	
Day 12	The sailors are becoming more and more excited. The ocean seems vast. The waves are bigger than any I have seen before, and there aren't many seabirds here.	
Day 25	I have been at sea now for more than three weeks, and things are starting to change. We do our duties on the ship, but some of us are getting worried. The sun is hot and shines down on our heads. I heard that there is less food and water on the ship than we expected. I wonder about the other two ships sailing with us. Do they have more supplies? Are the sailors on those ships worried, too?	



## Test for Unit 2(A)

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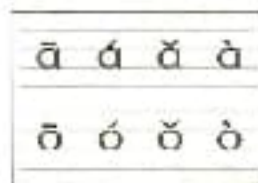
### Part 1 Listening (共 25 分)

#### I. Listening comprehension

##### A. Listen and choose the right picture. (5 分)



A



B



C



D



E



F

1. **E** 2. **D** 3. **B** 4. **A** 5. **F**

##### B. Listen to the dialogue and choose the best answer to the question you hear. (8 分)

- ( **C** ) 6. A. To make more friends. B. To travel more easily.  
C. To communicate with others. D. To get better grades.
- ( **B** ) 7. A. English. B. Spanish. C. French. D. Chinese.
- ( **B** ) 8. A. By texting only. B. By texting or calling.  
C. By writing letters. D. In person only.
- ( **C** ) 9. A. They are a waste of time. B. They are confusing.  
C. They are helpful. D. They are not necessary.
- ( **A** ) 10. A. By 5 p. m. B. By 6 p. m. C. By 7 p. m. D. By 8 p. m.
- ( **B** ) 11. A. By reading aloud. B. By joining a debate club.  
C. By watching TV shows. D. By talking to strangers.
- ( **A** ) 12. A. She has to study for an exam. B. She's not invited.  
C. She's not feeling well. D. She has other plans.
- ( **D** ) 13. A. At home. B. At a restaurant.  
C. At school. D. At the airport.

##### C. Listen to the passage and tell whether the following statements are true or false. (6 分)

- ( **F** ) 14. Emojis are large pictures to make chatting more interesting.
- ( **T** ) 15. When we can't find the right words, emojis help us express our feelings.
- ( **F** ) 16. A thumbs-up can show that we are happy.
- ( **F** ) 17. Using emojis is difficult but funny.
- ( **F** ) 18. We should use as many emojis as possible to make our messages friendly.
- ( **T** ) 19. Emojis can help us connect with our friends and family in a playful way.

##### D. Listen to the passage and complete the sentences. (6 分)

20. English is not only a subject in school but also a tool that can help us in many ways.
21. To learn English well, we need to practice/practise listening, speaking, reading, and writing.
- 22-23. We can start by listening to English songs or watching movies with subtitles.
24. Remember, every great speaker was once a beginner.
25. Learning English opens doors to new adventures.

### Part 2 Phonetics, Vocabulary and Grammar (共 35 分)

#### II. Choose the best answer. (15 分)

- ( **C** ) 26. Which of the following underlined parts is different in pronunciation from the others?  
A. communicate B. uniform C. uncomfortable D. use
- ( **C** ) 27. Let's go shopping this weekend, \_\_\_\_\_?  
A. will you B. do you C. shall we D. will us
- ( **D** ) 28. My brother walked into the house \_\_\_\_\_ than usual, so that he wouldn't wake my dad up.  
A. loudly B. more loudly C. quietly D. more quietly
- ( **D** ) 29. Angel has just gone to the bank. I'm not sure \_\_\_\_\_ she will come back.  
A. how long B. how often C. how fast D. how soon
- ( **B** ) 30. In order to play football together, let's do our homework as \_\_\_\_\_ as we can.  
A. quick B. quickly C. more quickly D. most quickly
- ( **A** ) 31. — Alice's very kind. \_\_\_\_\_ I stay with her, \_\_\_\_\_ I like her.  
— I think so.  
A. The longer; the more B. The longer; the most  
C. The longest; the most D. The longest; the more



站). It's the f 71 time such a large-scale hollow (空心的) artificial (人造的) mountain has been b 72 in China. Locals fondly say they've "watched these mountains g 73 up" over the nine years it took to construct them.

68. what 69. cover 70. even 71. first  
72. built 73. grow

D. Answer the following questions. (6分)

Zhang Guimei is a legend in China's education sector. Since the past 16 years, she has helped over 2,000 girls from poor rural areas. She founded a free girls-only senior high school to help them pursue higher education and change their lives.

On Friday, *She and Her Girls*, a 23-episode TV series based on Zhang's real-life story, concluded its initial broadcast on China Central Television's CCTV-1 and will continue to be available on the streaming site Ten cent Video.

The TV series was launched in June 2020, spanning three years for script writing, filming, and post production, aiming to recreate Zhang's unwavering determination and dedication on screen.

Still serving as the principal of Huaping Senior High School for Girls in Huaping county in Southwest China's Yunnan province, Zhang, 67, has maintained a routine of singing with students, engaging in fitness exercises with them, and having a brief conversation every morning, according to Director Fei Zhenxiang.

"She is not in good health and has many chores to handle. Therefore, we utilized the 30 to 60-minute break after the morning routine to converse with her, enabling us to hear stories about the high school," Fei recalled about how they collected valuable information.

74. How many girls from poverty-stricken rural areas has Zhang Guimei helped?

Over 2,000.

75. How did Zhang Guimei change the lives of these girls?

By founding a free girls-only senior high school in Yunnan province.

76. The TV series wasn't launched in June 2020, was it?

Yes, it was.

77. What school is Zhang Guimei currently the principal of?

Huaping Senior High School for Girls in Huaping county in Southwest China's Yunnan province.

78. What is Zhang Guimei's health condition?

She is not in good health.



79. If you had the opportunity to have a face-to-face conversation with Zhang Guimei, what would you ask her?

I would ask her about the biggest challenges she has faced in her educational career and how she overcame them. I would also inquire about her perspectives on education and life, as well as her hopes and plans for the future.

VII. Writing. (16分)

A. Translate the following sentences into English. (6分)

80. 理解文化差异能帮助我们有效地与别人沟通。

Understanding cultural differences can help us communicate with others effectively.

81. 这次的博物馆之旅是一次令人难忘的经历。

The trip to the museum is an unforgettable experience.

82. 我因为迟到向我的朋友道了歉。

I apologised/apologized to my friend for being late.

B. Guided writing. (10分)

83. Write in at least 60 words about the topic "The importance of communication at school". (以“在学校里交流的重要性”为题,写一篇不少于60个词的短文,标点符号不占格。)

Suggested questions:

1. Do you usually communicate with others at school?

2. How do you communicate with them?

3. What benefits does communication bring to you?

**The importance of communication at school**

Communication is very important in our school life, for both academic success and personal growth. I often communicate with teachers and classmates through discussions, group projects, and digital platforms. This helps me understand subjects better. For example, during group assignments, we share ideas and learn from each other, leading to a deeper understanding of the topic. Additionally, communication enhances my social skills. Interacting with diverse peers teaches me empathy and effective collaboration. It also strengthens my relationship with teachers, allowing me to seek guidance confidently. Overall, communication at school prepares me for future challenges by fostering understanding, cooperation, and personal development.



completely unaware and took a sip of water. As I lifted the glass, the spider fell into my mouth. I immediately spat it out, choking (噎住) and coughing. Everyone around me burst into laughter, and I felt my face turning bright red.

I felt like everyone was staring at me, and I wanted to disappear. However, as I looked around, I noticed that my family members were not only laughing but also concerned. My aunt quickly handed me a glass of water, and my uncle patted me on the back, trying to help me recover from the choking.

I realized that the situation was not as bad as I thought. My family were simply enjoying the unexpected moment. I took a deep breath and tried to laugh along with them. After a few minutes, I was able to joke about the incident with my cousin. We both laughed about how he had managed to surprise me so effectively. The embarrassment subsided (平息), and I felt relieved that I had been able to handle the situation with humor.

( B ) 56. What event did the writer attend?

- A. A birthday party                      B. A family reunion  
C. A work conference                      D. A school reunion

( A ) 57. What prank did the writer's cousin play on him?

- A. He hid a toy spider in the writer's glass of water.  
B. He put a fake bug in the writer's food.  
C. He switched the writer's drink with a different one.  
D. He told a joke that made the writer laugh too hard.

( B ) 58. How did the writer feel after the prank?

- A. Excited                      B. Embarrassed                      C. Sad                      D. Confused

( B ) 59. What actions did the writer's family take to help him?

- A. They ignored the situation.  
B. They laughed and offered support.  
C. They scolded (责备) the cousin for the prank.  
D. They left the room to give him a chance to calm down.

( C ) 60. What lesson did the writer learn from this experience?

- A. To always keep away from pranks.  
B. That embarrassment is something to be avoided at all costs.  
C. To maintain a sense of humor when dealing with embarrassment.  
D. That family reunions are not enjoyable.

( B ) 61. What is the best title for this article?

- A. An unforgettable birthday                      B. An embarrassing experience  
C. A boring trip                      D. Don't eat outside

B. Choose the best answer and complete the passage. (6分)

China's first AAA-level video game, Black Myth: Wukong, has taken the global gaming industry by storm. This cross-industry breakthrough, a 62 of gaming and cultural tourism, shows the richness of traditional Chinese culture. It also paves the way for



a new 63 tourism trend (趋势) in the digital age. A list of filming locations released by the game's creators shows that Black Myth: Wukong selected 36 sites across China as in-game backdrops (背景). Notably, Shanxi Province in northern China 64, with 27 of its locations featured in the game. The cultural influence of the game caused local tourism searches on Chinese tourism site Ctrip to increase by three times on the 65 day, August 20, compared to the previous day. Zhang Qing, the director of promotion and publicity at the Culture and Tourism Department of Shanxi Province (山西文旅), said that they had established contact with the game's creators years ago during the development stage and had many exchanges. The game uses a style beloved 66 modern youth to pass on historical culture, tell Chinese stories, and truly bring cultural heritage (遗产) to life. This not only showcases the rich cultural heritage of Shanxi but also offers a chance to promote its tourism. By 67 tourism strategies (策略) based on games, Shanxi is bringing its rich cultural heritage back to life and attention from both domestic and international tourists.

- ( C ) 62. A. plan                      B. method                      C. mix                      D. purpose  
( A ) 63. A. cultural                      B. natural                      C. tradition                      D. environmental  
( B ) 64. A. turns out                      B. stands out                      C. comes in                      D. shows up  
( B ) 65. A. other                      B. first                      C. one                      D. another  
( D ) 66. A. for                      B. in                      C. with                      D. by  
( A ) 67. A. developing                      B. producing                      C. selling                      D. writing

C. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. (6分)

I think good communication is one of the most important skills anyone can have. Whether you're a kid like me or a grown-up, being able to communicate clearly makes everything e 68 and helps avoid lots of frustration and misunderstandings.

Good communication has also helped me make and keep friends. I've found that clearly expressing my t 69 and feelings, and listening when my friends do the same, prevent arguments and hurt feelings. We're able to resolve conflicts (解决冲突) t 70 open and honest discussion. It's easy to misunderstand each other when communicating poorly,



## Test for Unit 3(A)

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### Part 1 Listening (共 25 分)

#### I. Listening comprehension

##### A. Listen and choose the right picture. (5分)



A



B



C



D



E



F

1. A 2. D 3. E 4. F 5. C

##### B. Listen to the dialogue and choose the best answer to the question you hear. (8分)

- ( B ) 6. A. Don't turn left. B. Don't leave about rubbish.  
C. Don't drive a car. D. Don't have a picnic.
- ( C ) 7. A. An astronaut. B. A secretary. C. An architect. D. A professor.
- ( C ) 8. A. 24. B. 30. C. 54. D. 58.
- ( B ) 9. A. The man. B. The woman.  
C. Both the man and the woman. D. Neither the man nor the woman.
- ( C ) 10. A. In England. B. In America. C. In New Zealand. D. In China.
- ( D ) 11. A. In a restaurant. B. In a bakery.  
C. At a furniture shop. D. At a house estate agency.
- ( A ) 12. A. Spring. B. Summer. C. Autumn. D. Winter.
- ( B ) 13. A. A broken arm. B. A broken leg.  
C. A broken hand. D. A broken head.

##### C. Listen to the passage and tell whether the following statements are true or false. (6分)

- ( T ) 14. Mr and Mrs Black went to the cinema last night.

- ( T ) 15. They went there with their ten-month-old son.  
( F ) 16. The office worker stopped them because they didn't buy tickets.  
( F ) 17. Both Mr and Mrs Black enjoyed the film very much.  
( F ) 18. Forty minutes later, Mr Black wanted to leave alone.  
( F ) 19. They wanted to wake up their son and give him something to eat.

##### D. Listen to the passage and complete the sentences. (6分)

20. David's sister works in a clothes factory in Hangzhou.  
21. David hears Hangzhou is a modern and beautiful city.  
22. His sister has worked in Hangzhou since she left the middle school.  
23. David thinks more and more people prefer to take bullet trains.  
24. He will leave for Hangzhou in half a month.  
25. David's parents will go to Hangzhou with him.

### Part 2 Phonetics, Vocabulary and Grammar (共 35 分)

#### II. Choose the best answer. (15分)

- ( D ) 26. Which of the following underlined part is different from the others in pronunciation?  
A. nod B. contest C. shock D. nobody
- ( C ) 27. This is my CD player, and \_\_\_\_\_ is on the table over there.  
A. you B. your C. yours D. yourself
- ( A ) 28. A terrible shooting accident hit the American city Las Vegas \_\_\_\_\_ October 1st, 2017.  
A. on B. in C. of D. at
- ( D ) 29. I hope it \_\_\_\_\_ tomorrow.  
A. not snow B. not to snow C. doesn't snow D. won't snow
- ( B ) 30. — Which would you like, a cup of tea or a glass of milk?  
— \_\_\_\_\_, I think I will just have a glass of water.  
A. Both B. Neither C. None D. Either
- ( C ) 31. They invited us \_\_\_\_\_ on a picnic with them in the summer holiday.  
A. went B. go C. to go D. going
- ( D ) 32. — You look so happy!  
— Jack says I am pretty. \_\_\_\_\_ has ever told me that before.  
A. Somebody B. Anybody C. Everybody D. Nobody



interest and praise them for the things you like about them. People naturally like to make friends with the people who understand and enjoy them.

It's also important to remember that you should always be yourself. Sometimes when you focus on "keeping friends", you might begin to do things or act in some ways that aren't normally part of your personality. Moreover, if your friend is unfriendly to you, that doesn't mean you should become hurtful to other people. If keeping a friendship means you have to become someone who you aren't, \_\_\_\_\_.

- ( B ) 56. When you have a different opinion with your friends, you should \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. go to your parents for help      B. tell them how you're feeling  
 C. keep away from them for days      D. keep quiet and have a good rest
- ( D ) 57. People usually like to make friends with the people who \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. change their interest      B. find a different group of friends  
 C. smile and laugh at them      D. understand and enjoy them
- ( A ) 58. According to the passage, it is good for keeping friends to \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. praise and enjoy your friends      B. tell your friends that you hate them  
 C. buy presents for your friends      D. seldom talk to them
- ( A ) 59. The passage is mainly about \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. friendship      B. feelings      C. personalities      D. kindness
- ( D ) 60. The last paragraph tells us that \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. we should be impolite to friends  
 B. it's important to have good personalities  
 C. we should change ourselves to make friends  
 D. people shouldn't lose themselves to keep friendship
- ( B ) 61. Which of the following can be put in the blank of the last paragraph?  
 A. it is a lifelong friendship      B. the friendship isn't worth keeping  
 C. it is a kind of strong relationship      D. you shouldn't give up

**B. Choose the best answer and complete the passage. (6分)**

Willard Franklin came to my class half a year ago. But since the first day, he locked himself in his world and \_\_\_\_\_ 62 \_\_\_\_\_ spoke to others. As his teacher, I tried to start a talk with him but \_\_\_\_\_ 63 \_\_\_\_\_. It seemed as if he just didn't want to break his silence.

Before the Christmas, we got the news of the yearly collection of money for the poor in our school. "Christmas is a season of giving." I told my students, "By giving a little money, you will help buy some toys, food and clothing for these students in \_\_\_\_\_ 64 \_\_\_\_\_.



The collection will start tomorrow."

The next morning, however, I found that almost \_\_\_\_\_ 65 \_\_\_\_\_ forgot the matter except Willard. He came up to my desk with his head down. He put two coins into the small box. "I don't need milk for lunch," he said \_\_\_\_\_ 66 \_\_\_\_\_.

After school I couldn't help sharing what had happened in the morning with our headmaster, Mr. Brown. I believe Willard may be ready to become a part of our class. "I am glad to hear that," he nodded. "And I just got a list of the poor families in our school who need help most. Here take a look."

As I sat down to read, I found Willard Franklin was at the top of the list. At that moment, I started to know Willard for the first time—a cold face with a \_\_\_\_\_ 67 \_\_\_\_\_ heart.

- ( A ) 62. A. never      B. always      C. often      D. seldom  
 ( C ) 63. A. forgot      B. changed      C. failed      D. stopped  
 ( D ) 64. A. danger      B. hope      C. hospital      D. need  
 ( D ) 65. A. somebody      B. nobody      C. anybody      D. everybody  
 ( B ) 66. A. badly      B. softly      C. sadly      D. bravely  
 ( C ) 67. A. broken      B. angry      C. warm      D. confident

**C. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. (6分)**

Once upon a time, there was a shepherd (牧羊人). He raised dozens of sheep. He tended (照料) the sheep in the daytime and kept them in the sheepfold at night.



One morning, the shepherd found that one sheep was missing. His neighbour \_\_\_\_\_ 68 \_\_\_\_\_ him check the sheepfold. "There is a hole in the wall of your sheepfold. A wolf went in \_\_\_\_\_ 69 \_\_\_\_\_ the hole and took the sheep away at night. You should mend the sheepfold quickly and fill up the hole," the neighbour said.

The shepherd replied, "I have already lost the sheep. It is no \_\_\_\_\_ 70 \_\_\_\_\_ mending the sheepfold."

The next morning, the shepherd found that a \_\_\_\_\_ 71 \_\_\_\_\_ sheep was missing. The neighbor said, "Aren't you going to mend the sheepfold now?"

The shepherd filled up the hole \_\_\_\_\_ 72 \_\_\_\_\_ at once. After that, none of his sheep was taken away by the wolf.

If there is a \_\_\_\_\_ 73 \_\_\_\_\_, we should correct it as soon as possible. In this way, we can avoid more losses.

68. helped      69. through      70. use      71. another  
 72. carefully      73. mistake



into a stop-sign. Bang! When your friend returns, you must tell her what you have done and "face the music". The "music" here is the result of the actions. It could mean losing her friendship or having to pay for r 72 to her car. Whatever the music is, you must face it.

There are other American expressions that mean the s 73 thing as "face the music". To "take your medicine" means to accept the results from something bad you have done. And if someone says, "You made your bed. Now lie in it.", he means you created a bad situation and now you will experience the results, or as we say in spoken American English, you must deal with it!

68. concert 69. common 70. watching 71. control  
72. repair(s) 73. same

D. Answer the following questions. (6分)

Jack Johnson is one of the most popular song writers in the world. He was born on May 18, 1975 in Hawaii, America. Being the son of a famous surfer, Jack naturally has an interest in surfing. Most of his life lessons were learned in the water. At the age of 17, Jack entered the world's most famous surfing competition. Everyone thought Jack would become a professional surfer like his father. Unluckily, one month later, he had a deadly accident while surfing and was seriously hurt.

Life is like a revolving( 旋转的 ) door. When it closes, it also opens. Jack started to practice playing the guitar and writing songs when he was staying in hospital. At first, his father thought Jack only did it for fun, but soon he was surprised at the great progress his son had made. When studying in the university, Jack didn't stop practicing his guitar skills. He played the guitar for school parties. He wrote songs and sang for his teachers and friends. They liked his songs. Later Jack had lots of concerts and became popular all over the world.

Jack's songs are more like folk music, featuring a guitar and a beautiful voice. When listening to his songs, people feel like lying on the beach enjoying the warm sunshine.

Jack is a talent, though he himself says he is just a surfer who loves music. His songs hold the secret of his success; No matter what happens in our lives, we should accept it and do the best.

74. Where was Jack Johnson born?

In Hawaii, America.

75. When did Jack have a deadly accident?

At the age of 17.



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76. Jack began to play the guitar and write songs in hospital, didn't he?

Yes, he did.

77. What did Jack do to practice his guitar skills in the university?

He played the guitar for school parties and wrote songs and sang for his teachers and friends.

78. How do people feel when listening to Jack's songs?

They feel like lying on the beach enjoying the warm sunshine.

79. What does the writer want to tell us through Jack's story?

Whatever happens in our lives, we have to accept it and do the best we can. (Any reasonable answer is OK.)

VII. Writing. (16分)

A. Translate the following sentences into English. (6分)

80. 我的音乐老师建议用音乐来帮助我。

My music teacher advised me to use music to help me.

81. 中国民歌“茉莉花”因其美妙的旋律而闻名世界。

The Chinese folk song *Jasmine Flower* became world-famous because of its beautiful melody.

82. 通过唱歌,我学会了如何更冷静和更自信。

I have learned how to be calmer and more confident through singing.

B. Guided writing. (10分)

83. Write in at least 60 words about the topic "My favourite music". (以“我最喜欢的音乐”为题,写一篇不少于60个词的短文,标点符号不占格。)

Suggested questions:

1. What kind of music do you like best?
2. Why do you like it? (Please give at least 2 reasons.)

Among different types of music, I like pop music best. First of all, pop music is full of energy and makes me feel easy and relaxed. It is lively and easy to remember. Whenever I listen to it, all my stress and worries seem to go away. In addition, singing and playing pop music connect me with my friends. By sharing our favourite pop songs or music, we can understand each other better and develop closer friendship.

Pop music makes us live a colourful life. That's why I love it so much.



## Test for Unit 1(B)

年级: \_\_\_\_\_ 班级: \_\_\_\_\_ 姓名: \_\_\_\_\_

### Part 1 Listening (共 25 分)

#### I. Listening comprehension

##### A. Listen and choose the right picture. (5 分)



1. **E** 2. **A** 3. **D** 4. **F** 5. **B**

##### B. Listen to the dialogue and choose the best answer to the question you hear. (8 分)

- ( **B** ) 6. A. Once a week. B. Twice a week. C. Twice a month. D. Once a month.  
 ( **C** ) 7. A. In the restaurant. B. At the hotel.  
 C. At the travel agency. D. In the shop.  
 ( **D** ) 8. A. Happy. B. Sleepy. C. Sad. D. relaxed.  
 ( **A** ) 9. A. Some CDs. B. Some food. C. Some drinks. D. Some candles.  
 ( **B** ) 10. A. For 30 minutes. B. For 35 minutes. C. For 40 minutes. D. For 45 minutes.  
 ( **D** ) 11. A. Going for a walk. B. Going to the movies.  
 C. Staying at home. D. Having a picnic.  
 ( **C** ) 12. A. Because the school is near her home.  
 B. Because she doesn't like the boss.  
 C. Because she prefers to stay with children.  
 D. Because she gets more money in a school.  
 ( **A** ) 13. A. Amy is a quiet girl. B. Amy can sing pop songs.  
 C. Eric likes rock music. D. Rock music makes Eric excited.

##### C. Listen to the passage and tell whether the following statements are true or false. (6 分)

- ( **T** ) 14. The three o'clock train to New York would leave an hour later that day.  
 ( **F** ) 15. They had to go to a nearby shopping center to wait.  
 ( **F** ) 16. The train was moving slowly into the station when they arrived.

( **T** ) 17. All three men tried to catch up with the moving train.

( **F** ) 18. The man kept running, but still failed at last.

( **T** ) 19. In fact, the two friends came to see the man off.

##### D. Listen to the passage and complete the sentences. (6 分)

- 20-21. Sally wants to **do business**. If she is rich, she will do many things for her family.  
 22-23. Joe will use this money to open his **own shop** and buy some new houses.  
 24. Anna will put three million in the bank and **spend** two million.  
 25. Jack wants to be the King of the island and **invite** his friends to his island.

### Part 2 Phonetics, Vocabulary and Grammar (共 35 分)

#### II. Choose the best answer. (15 分)

- ( **B** ) 26. Which of the following underlined parts is different from the others in pronunciation?  
 A. fashion B. usually C. shallow D. traditional  
 ( **D** ) 27. \_\_\_\_\_ Yellow River is the second longest river in China.  
 A. / B. A C. An D. The  
 ( **A** ) 28. They had great fun \_\_\_\_\_ Chinese New Year's Eve.  
 A. on B. in C. at D. of  
 ( **C** ) 29. Maggie is doing very well in her new school, so there is \_\_\_\_\_ to worry about.  
 A. something B. anything C. nothing D. everything  
 ( **D** ) 30. With the teacher's help, the girl works even \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. hard B. more hardly C. hardly D. harder  
 ( **C** ) 31. If we touch glass, we feel \_\_\_\_\_ and cold.  
 A. beautifully B. smoothly C. smooth D. well  
 ( **A** ) 32. After hiking for the whole afternoon, Simon \_\_\_\_\_ to have a rest.  
 A. stopped B. stops C. has stopped D. stop  
 ( **A** ) 33. Not only the students but also the teacher \_\_\_\_\_ to take an active part in sports.  
 A. decides B. is decided C. decide D. are decided  
 ( **B** ) 34. My teacher always encourages us \_\_\_\_\_ new subjects beyond our textbooks.  
 A. explore B. to explore C. exploring D. explored  
 ( **B** ) 35. You \_\_\_\_\_ help us with our group task because we can manage it by ourselves.  
 A. needed B. don't need to C. needn't to D. not need to



Day 38	I am wondering if this will be my last voyage (航行). The food is almost running out. There is very little water. All around us, the ocean stretches forever, with no land in sight. If we turn back, we probably will not make it. I watch the captain, hoping he'll say something to make us feel better, but he is silent. I have seen him out on the deck at night, looking at the stars and using his strange device. He writes a lot of notes. Is he counting supplies?
Day 46	The food and water are almost gone. I think of my mother and my sisters in Spain. How will they manage if I die out here on the open sea?

- ( A ) 56. What does the underlined sentence mean?  
A. They had worked for a long time. B. They would not leave.  
C. They just put some supplies on the ship. D. They would never return.
- ( B ) 57. How does the writer feel on the first day of the voyage?  
A. Unsure. B. Excited. C. Surprised. D. Confused.
- ( C ) 58. Which day does the writer start to worry?  
A. Day 1. B. Day 12. C. Day 25. D. Day 38.
- ( C ) 59. How many ships are sailing on this voyage?  
A. One. B. Two. C. Three. D. Four.
- ( D ) 60. The writer becomes very worried because of the followings EXCEPT \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. We don't have enough food and water  
B. The sun is hot and beats down on our heads  
C. We have been at sea for more than three weeks  
D. The captain doesn't say anything to make us feel better
- ( D ) 61. We can read this story in \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. *Science and Technology* B. *Daily Life*  
C. *World News* D. *Unforgettable Experiences*

**B. Choose the best answer and complete the passage. (6分)**

You have waited 45 minutes for the valuable 10 minutes' break between classes. But when the next-class bell rings, you can't believe how 62 time has passed.

If you are familiar with this scene, you'll know how time flies when you are having fun. Now scientists have thought over a reason why this is the case.

Scans (扫描仪) have shown that brain activity patterns 63 depending on how



we focus on a task. When we feel 64, we focus more on how time is passing. And this makes our brains think the clock is ticking more slowly.

In an experiment carried out by a French laboratory, 12 volunteers watched an image while researchers monitored their brain activity.

The volunteers were told to first focus on 65 an image was shown, then on the colour of the image, and thirdly, on both duration and colour. The results showed that the 66 was more active when the volunteers paid attention to more subjects.

It is believed that when the brain focuses on many aspects of a task, it has to spread its resources, and pays 67 attention to the clock. Therefore, time passes without us really noticing it, and seems to go quickly. If the brain is not so active, it concentrates its full energies on monitoring the passing of time. As a result, time seems to go slowly.

Next time you feel bored in class, perhaps you should pay more attention to what the teacher is saying!

- ( B ) 62. A. slowly B. quickly C. terribly D. foolishly  
( A ) 63. A. change B. develop C. grow D. stop  
( B ) 64. A. interested B. bored C. excited D. active  
( C ) 65. A. how often B. how soon C. how long D. how fast  
( D ) 66. A. time B. experiment C. clock D. brain  
( D ) 67. A. much B. more C. some D. less

**C. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. (6分)**

A growing number of young people are now turning to the past for fashion advice. If you look 68 around your city, you might see "hanfu" or "Han clothing", the traditional clothing of the Han people, which dates back about two thousand years ago. In a report by Tmall, more than 2 million sets of hanfu were s 69 in 2019. The number of hanfu buyers was much more than the year before.

The average age of buyers was 21, with about 52% between 19 and 24 years old.

But why has this traditional clothing become p 70 among young Chinese people? Some of them think it is beautiful. Some young people like hanfu because of the culture behind it. Some fans have started to bring the traditional clothing to f 71 countries. She reported on a Bilibili vlogger who wore hanfu took part in an international exhibition last summer. She received praise (赞美) from tourists who came from many different c 72.





"Many Chinese people are taking a liking to hanfu, as it helps them build their sense of national belonging (归属感)," said Zhang Yiwu, a teacher of Peking University.

I'm very h 73 to see that more and more people have become interested in this kind of clothing.

68. carefully 69. sold 70. popular 71. foreign

72. countries 73. happy

D. Answer the following questions. (6分)

Once upon a time, there was a saint (圣人). In his final years, someone asked him about his teacher from whom he had learned all his wisdom, so the saint told him three stories:

One day, I visited a village. It was late and no one was outside. At last, I saw a man who was trying to make a hole in a wall. I asked him if I could find a place to stay. He replied that I could stay with him if I didn't mind staying with a thief. I stayed with him for a month. Every night, he would go out to "work". Many times, he would come back with nothing. However, he never lost hope and said, "Tomorrow I will try again." In the past years, there were many moments when I became so hopeless that I just wanted to give up what I was doing. And then suddenly, I would think of the words of the thief.

There was another day when I was walking along the bank of a river. I saw a dog who was very thirsty and wanted to drink water from the river. However, he was afraid of his own image in the water. He looked into the river, barked and then ran away. He did this several times. Finally, he succeeded in taking a drink from the river despite his fears.

I met a little boy the other day in a small town. He was carrying a lighted (点燃的) candle with him. I asked him, "Did you light the candle by yourself?" He said yes. I asked him again, "Then can you tell me where the light came from?" The boy laughed. He blew out the candle and asked me, "You see, I just put out the candle. Could you tell me where the light has gone?" I couldn't answer and he told me, "It has returned to where it came from." Since then, I have dropped all my conceit (自大).



I have had no teachers, but it doesn't mean that I have nowhere to learn the wisdom of life.

74. How long did the saint stay with the first man he met?

For a month.

75. What was the "work" of the first man?

Stealing (things).

76. Why couldn't the dog drink the water from the river at first?

Because he was afraid of his own image in the water.

77. How did the boy answer the saint's question?

He blew out the candle and asked the saint where the light had gone.

78. The saint couldn't answer the boy's question, could he?

No, he couldn't.

79. What does this article teach us?

We can learn the wisdom of life everywhere in our life. (Any reasonable answer is OK.)

VII. Writing. (16分)

A. Translate the following sentences into English. (6分)

80. 爱因斯坦不仅是一个著名的物理学家,而且是一个音乐家。

Einstein was not only a famous physicist but also a musician.

81. 这首歌被广泛使用于许多世界各地的体育赛事。

This song is widely used in many sports events around the world.

82. 我想要告诉全世界音乐能带来什么魔力。

I want to tell the world what magic music can do.

B. Guided writing. (10分)

83. Write in at least 60 words about the topic "A song I want to recommend". (以“我想推荐的一首歌”为题,写一篇不少于60个词的短文,标点符号不占格。)

Suggested questions:

1. What's the name of the song?
2. What's the song about? / Who sang the song?
3. Why do you want to recommend this song?

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A song I want to recommend is "You Raise Me Up". It was sung by a famous singing group called Westlife. The lyrics are about how to be brave in face of difficulty. The song tells us that when we're feeling down, there's always something that can lift us up. I highly recommend this song because it has a beautiful melody and inspiring lyrics. The harmonious voices of Westlife blend perfectly, creating a soothing yet powerful sound. Whenever I listen to it, it makes me feel full of hope. It's like a ray of sunshine on a cloudy day, brightening my mood and giving me strength.



- ( B ) 32. — How does Kitty usually go to school?  
— She \_\_\_\_\_ take the bus, but now she \_\_\_\_\_ there to keep healthy.  
A. used to; is used to walk      B. used to; is used to walking  
C. was used to; is used to walk      D. was used to, is used to walking
- ( A ) 33. Not only the students but also the teacher \_\_\_\_\_ good at music.  
A. is      B. are      C. has      D. have
- ( C ) 34. — How can we become a good learner?  
— The \_\_\_\_\_ you learn, the better you will learn.  
A. wise      B. the wisest  
C. more wisely      D. the most wisely
- ( D ) 35. — I think Helen is the best communicator in our class.  
— Yes, she smiles \_\_\_\_\_ of all. +V: dazhixuexi  
A. sweetly      B. more sweetly  
C. the most sweet      D. the most sweetly
- ( B ) 36. As New Year came near, the children became more and more \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. exciting      B. excited      C. excite      D. excitement
- ( A ) 37. Yiming did badly at the school sports meeting. I did even \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. worse      B. worst      C. more bad      D. more badly
- ( A ) 38. If you spend \_\_\_\_\_ more minutes on your English every day, you will be better at English.  
A. a few      B. few      C. a little      D. little
- ( C ) 39. Would you mind \_\_\_\_\_ outside for a moment?  
A. wait      B. to wait      C. waiting      D. waited
- ( C ) 40. — I'm sorry I made a mistake. \_\_\_\_\_ Nobody is perfect.  
A. I agree with you      B. All right      C. Take it easy      D. Yes, please

III. Complete the following passage with the words in the box. Each can only be used once. (5分)

A. customs	B. more	C. allows	D. means	E. less	F. like
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Learning a new language is like going on an adventure. It \_\_\_\_\_ 41 \_\_\_\_\_ you to communicate with people from different countries and backgrounds. This \_\_\_\_\_ 42 \_\_\_\_\_ you can make new friends, understand their way of life, and even learn about their \_\_\_\_\_ 43 \_\_\_\_\_ and traditions.

Learning a new language can also train your brain. It's \_\_\_\_\_ 44 \_\_\_\_\_ doing exercises for

your mind, which can help you solve problems and remember things better. This is great for your overall development and can make you smarter.

Another benefit is that learning a language can be very interesting. You can listen to songs, watch movies, or read books in that language. This makes learning a language less like a chore but \_\_\_\_\_ 45 \_\_\_\_\_ like a hobby.

So, if you're thinking about learning a new language, go for it!

41. C    42. D    43. A    44. F    45. B

IV. Complete the sentences with the given words in their proper forms. (5分)

46. English is one of the most widely used languages in the world. (widely)  
47. Her misunderstanding of language was the main cause of these problems. (misunderstand)  
48. I was asked to give a presentation about my vacation plan in English. (present)  
49. I feel embarrassed when making speeches in public. (embarrassment)  
50. The public should be educated to use resources more effectively. (effective)

V. Rewrite the following sentences as required. (10分)

51. We were going to give a performance this afternoon. (改为一般疑问句)  
Were you going to give a performance this afternoon?  
52. Jack doesn't run as fast as Mike. (保持句义不变)  
Mike runs faster than Jack.  
53. Tony hardly does housework at home. (改为反义疑问句)  
Tony hardly does housework at home, does he?  
54. Could you tell me how I can take part in the activity? (改为简单句)  
Could you tell me how to take part in the activity?  
55. suitable topics, people, to avoid embarrassment, need to, choose (连词成句)  
People need to choose suitable topics to avoid embarrassment.

### Part 3 Reading and Writing (共40分)

VI. Reading comprehension (共24分)

A. Choose the best answer. (6分)

Once upon a time, in a small village nestled between the hills, there lived a young girl named Lily. She had a secret and wanted to share it with her best friend, Sam, but she was too shy to speak it out. Instead, she decided to write a letter. Lily spent the entire afternoon



crafting her message, pouring her heart into every word. She folded the paper carefully, placed it in an envelope, and set out to find Sam. On her way, she met a friendly bird that she often fed. Without thinking, she showed the bird the letter, and in a moment of playfulness, the bird snatched the envelope and flew away.

Panicked, Lily chased after the bird, calling out to Sam for help. Sam, hearing her cries, came running. He quickly understood the situation. With his knowledge of the bird's habits, he guided Lily to where the bird was likely to perch (栖息). Together, they climbed a tall tree and retrieved the letter, which was slightly tattered.

Although the letter was damaged, the message was still clear. Lily, with Sam's support, learned a valuable lesson that day: communication is not just about the words we write or say, but also about the effort we put into ensuring they are heard and understood. And sometimes, it takes a little adventure to make us realize the importance of expressing ourselves.

From that day on, Lily became more confident in sharing her thoughts, and their friendship grew stronger.

- ( B ) 56. What did Lily decide to do when she wanted to share her secret with Sam?  
A. She decided to sing a song for him. B. She decided to write a letter.  
C. She planned to tell him in person. D. She decided to draw a picture.
- ( C ) 57. What did Sam know about the bird that helped them retrieve the letter?  
A. The bird's favorite food. B. The bird's singing habits.  
C. Where the bird was likely to perch. D. The bird's migration pattern.
- ( B ) 58. What was the outcome of retrieving the letter?  
A. The letter was undamaged. B. The letter was slightly tattered.  
C. The letter was completely unreadable. D. The letter was lost again.
- ( C ) 59. What lesson did Lily learn from the experience with the letter?  
A. The importance of writing. B. The value of being playful.  
C. The importance of expression. D. The joy of feeding birds.
- ( C ) 60. How did Lily's friendship with Sam change after the incident?  
A. It became more distant. B. It remained the same.  
C. It grew stronger. D. It ended.
- ( C ) 61. Where might we find the article?  
A. In a scientific journal. B. In a travel guide.  
C. In a children's storybook. D. In a film poster.

## B. Choose the best answer and complete the passage. (6分)

Are you a long-time fan of Hogwarts 62 new to the magical world? Now it's your chance to "practice your magic" as the *Harry Potter* films are being re-released. 63 from October 11, Chinese moviegoers can enjoy all eight films in the series on the big screen for eight Fridays.



*Harry Potter* started as a series of seven fantasy novels written by British author J. K. Rowling. The first six books focus on Harry Potter's adventures during his six years at Hogwarts. The final one tells the story of Harry's victory over Voldemort. The American film studio Warner Bros. made a total of eight films based on the book series. The first six films are 64 on the first six books. The last two tell the story of the seventh book.

Since the release of the first film 23 years ago, much has changed. The child stars have all grown up, and some of the beloved older cast members have sadly left us. 65, *Harry Potter* remains popular due to its themes of friendship, courage, and the fight between good and evil. These themes help us understand the world and show us 66 we can do in tough situations.

Ultimately, nothing can compare to a sense of personal 67. Fans relate to Harry and Hermione, imagining themselves at Hogwarts. Along with their favorite characters, they grow up and find their true selves. That's the most important thing, after all the fun.

- ( B ) 62. A. and B. or C. but D. so  
( D ) 63. A. Before B. Since C. Until D. Starting  
( A ) 64. A. based B. built C. founded D. created  
( A ) 65. A. However B. Therefore C. Moreover D. Otherwise  
( D ) 66. A. where B. which C. why D. what  
( C ) 67. A. separation B. loneliness C. connection D. isolation

## C. Fill in the blanks with suitable words. (6分)

Shanghai is often the butt of jokes for its flat (平坦的), completely urbanized (城市化的) landscape. But as of September, Shanghai locals and visitors can now experience "mountains" right in the city center.



Nestled (坐落于) in w 68 was once the 2010 Expo Park, now called the Shanghai Expo Culture Park, the Twin Hills (双子山) are completely man-made and c 69 an area of 300,000 square meters. The main peak (主峰) stands at 48 meters, with the smaller one at 37 meters. The hills feature over 7,000 trees, and inside their hollow structures are exhibition halls, parking lots, and e 70 an electrical substation (变电



## Test for Unit 2(B)

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### Part 1 Listening (共 25 分)

#### I. Listening comprehension

##### A. Listen and choose the right picture. (5 分)



A



B



C



D



E



F

1. **D** 2. **B** 3. **C** 4. **E** 5. **A**

##### B. Listen to the dialogue and choose the best answer to the question you hear. (8 分)

- ( **B** ) 6. A. It is sunny. B. It is raining. C. It is cloudy. D. It is windy.
- ( **C** ) 7. A. English. B. History. C. Maths. D. Science.
- ( **C** ) 8. A. A movie. B. A concert. C. A school play. D. A sports event.
- ( **B** ) 9. A. Yes, she will. B. No, she won't. C. It depends on the day. D. The information is not clear.
- ( **A** ) 10. A. \$45. B. \$50. C. \$55. D. \$60.
- ( **B** ) 11. A. Friends. B. Roommates. C. Family. D. cousins.
- ( **A** ) 12. A. He needs to prepare for his science test. B. He doesn't like basketball. C. He has to do some housework. D. His mother doesn't allow.
- ( **D** ) 13. A. The woman wants to eat outside. B. The man doesn't know how to cook. C. They are going to order takeaway food. D. The man will teach the woman to cook something new if she likes.

##### C. Listen to the passage and tell whether the following statements are true or false. (6 分)

- ( **F** ) 14. Jack was always popular in his class.
- ( **F** ) 15. On the day of the exchange, Jack was excited, as he had never been the centre of attention before.
- ( **F** ) 16. Sarah gave Jack a football with an explorer's name on it.
- ( **T** ) 17. Tom said Jack had a real talent for soccer.
- ( **T** ) 18. By the end of the day, Jack had a pile of gifts and a newfound confidence.
- ( **T** ) 19. The story teaches us all a valuable lesson about the power of confidence.

##### D. Listen to the passage and complete the sentences. (6 分)

20. I traveled to Spain for a language **program**.
21. The stall owner **noticed** and asked if I needed help.
22. The stall owner helped me and gave me tips on the **best** fruits and how to prepare them.
23. Language learning was about **connecting** with people and understanding their culture, not just remembering words.
24. I was able to have **full** conversations and even make jokes in Spanish.
25. This experience taught me the **importance** of stepping out of my comfort zone and meeting new challenges.

### Part 2 Phonetics, Vocabulary and Grammar (共 35 分)

#### II. Choose the best answer. (15 分)

- ( **B** ) 26. Which of the following underlined parts is different in pronunciation from the others?  
A. extract B. variety C. and D. began
- ( **C** ) 27. Landline telephone service began in \_\_\_\_\_ 1900s.  
A. a B. an C. the D. /
- ( **C** ) 28. You can get more information \_\_\_\_\_ the Internet than in newspaper.  
A. by B. in C. on D. with
- ( **C** ) 29. This article is very easy because there are very \_\_\_\_\_ new words in it.  
A. little B. a little C. few D. a few
- ( **B** ) 30. I regret not \_\_\_\_\_ anything when they laughed at her.  
A. to say B. saying C. say D. said



- ( A ) 31. In our group, just you and I live far away from school while \_\_\_\_\_ seem to live in the nearby estates.  
A. the others B. others C. other D. the other
- ( C ) 32. Video chatting is the fourth \_\_\_\_\_ way of communication among teenagers.  
A. popular B. more popular  
C. most popular D. the most popular
- ( C ) 33. I need to meet with you \_\_\_\_\_ to discuss this matter.  
A. in turn B. each other C. in person D. in addition
- ( B ) 34. We have to work hard to \_\_\_\_\_ these excellent students.  
A. keep from B. keep up with  
C. fall behind D. look forward to
- ( B ) 35. Tom speaks English as \_\_\_\_\_ as a native speaker.  
A. clear B. clearly C. clearer D. more clearly
- ( B ) 36. I \_\_\_\_\_ with my friend on the phone, now I prefer a face-to-face talk.  
A. use to chat B. used to chat  
C. am used to chat D. am used to chatting
- ( B ) 37. \_\_\_\_\_ it is to take long walks between the mountains!  
A. How fun B. What fun C. What funny D. How funny
- ( B ) 38. Tom can't get along well with others \_\_\_\_\_ his bad temper.  
A. if B. because of C. because D. until
- ( D ) 39. — You are late for the first lesson. — \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. OK B. I have some reasons for that  
C. Thank you D. Sorry, I won't be late again
- ( D ) 40. — I think it's very important to apologize when you do something wrong. — \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. I don't think so B. I don't agree  
C. I hope so D. I can't agree any more

III. Complete the following passage with the words in the box. Each can only be used once. (5分)

A. communication B. When C. realize D. problem E. such as F. Because

How to communicate with others?

Communicating with others is a big \_\_\_\_\_ 41 \_\_\_\_\_ in daily life. Some people are easy to talk to others, but some others not. \_\_\_\_\_ 42 \_\_\_\_\_ you want to talk to someone, firstly you

should find some topics to talk about, but the topics should not include the privacy, \_\_\_\_\_ 43 \_\_\_\_\_ age, marriage or wage. Secondly, pay attention to your attitude that will not make others feel uncomfortable. Comfort is the basic of \_\_\_\_\_ 44 \_\_\_\_\_. Thirdly, pay attention to your body language. Body language can transmit much information, such as your attitude, manners or something you do not \_\_\_\_\_ 45 \_\_\_\_\_. Finally, focus on your pacing. Don't talk too fast or too slow.

41. D 42. B 43. E 44. A 45. C

IV. Complete the sentences with the given words in their proper forms. (5分)

46. No matter what the matter may be, we should do our best. (we)  
47. He gets into the lift and goes up to the twelfth floor. (twelve)  
48. People change their mind for a variety of reasons. (vary)  
49. The trip to the museum is an unforgettable experience for me. (forget)  
50. It is very important to know how to behave properly in public. (proper)

V. Rewrite the following sentences as required. (10分)

51. Jim needed to apologize for being rude to Mary. (改为一般疑问句)

Did Jim need to apologize for being rude to Mary?

52. You should avoid driving after drinking. (对画线部分提问)

What should you avoid doing after drinking?

53. Lucy works the hardest in her class. (保持句义不变)

Nobody works harder than Lucy.

54. I don't know what I should say to her. (改成简单句)

I don't know what to say to her.

55. makes, focus more on, the, this, us, environmental protection (连词成句)

This makes us focus more on the environmental protection.

Part 3 Reading and Writing (共40分)

VI. Reading comprehension (共24分)

A. Choose the best answer. (6分)

Last summer, I attended a large family reunion at my uncle's house. The event was filled with laughter, food, and stories from various branches of our family.

During the meal, my younger cousin, who was visiting from another city, decided to play a prank on me. He secretly placed a small toy spider in my glass of water. I was



which can damage friendships. At school, being able to communicate well with my teachers and classmates helps me learn better. I 71 I don't understand something, I can raise my hand and ask questions until it makes sense. I can also listen carefully to the teacher's instructions, so I know exactly 72 what I'm supposed to do for assignments and project. When we have group activities, good communication between everyone in the group is a must 73 for us to work together successfully.

Good communication is very essential in our life.

68. easier      69. thoughts      70. through      71. if  
72. exactly      73. must

D. Answer the following questions. (6分)

The team of "Yao Wen Jiao Zi" announced today the top ten popular phrases for 2024. It reflects the social development trends and public focus. This year's popular phrases include "Digital Intelligence", "Intelligent for Good" and "Future Industry". These terms are not only well-known in the tech area but have also got popularity among the general public. With breakthroughs in artificial intelligence (AI) technology, society has entered a new intelligent era, where AI is driving an evolution (进化) in both society and industry. The younger generation, represented by those born after 2000, is gradually becoming the focus of social attention. Their confidence in the face of pressure and challenges have made the term "Relaxed Vibe" go viral online. Society encourages children to express themselves and explore the unknown, providing this generation with more opportunities to unleash their potential (潜力). Terms like "Kid Brother" and "Kid Sister" are for young people who, despite their age, have extraordinary talents.

More and more old people are taking part in volunteer services, cultural education, and other activities, continuing to play a positive role in society. As a result, terms like "Silver Power" have become widely popular, telling their influence in society.

The annual release of popular phrases by "Yao Wen Jiao Zi" not only documents the evolution of language but also mirrors societal changes. These phrases have become important tools for people to express their views and emotions.

74. Do this year's popular phrases include "Digital Intelligence"?

Yes, they do. / Yes.

75. What drives an evolution (进化) in both society and industry?

AI. / Artificial intelligence technology.

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76. Who is gradually becoming the focus of social attention?

The younger generation.

77. How does the younger generation face pressure and challenges?

Confidently. / In a confident way.

78. Why are more and more old people taking part in volunteer activities?

(Because they want) to continue to play a positive role in society.

79. Would you like to use these phrases? Why?

Yes. Because it is an interesting way to express my views and emotions.

VII. Writing. (16分)

A. Translate the following sentences into English. (6分)

80. 交流是消除不同文化之间隔阂的关键。

Communication is the key to bridging the gap between different cultures.

81. 英语是最广泛使用的语言之一。

English is one of the most widely used languages.

82. 我不是有意那样做的。

I didn't mean to do that.

B. Guided writing. (10分)

83. Write in at least 60 words according to the given situation. (根据以下情境,写一篇不少于60个词的短文,标点符号不占格。)

Liufang was misunderstood by her best friend Huangyin. They haven't talked with each other for 3 days. Liufang is in a bad mood. You are one of Liufang's friend. And you are very worried about her. Please write a letter to her to give her some suggestions.

Dear Liufang,

I've been thinking about your situation with Huangyin and how much you both value your friendship. You can send her a message or give her a call, and say how much you miss her and that you want to clear up the misunderstandings. If possible, go out for a walk or eat outside to talk with her. Telling your feelings openly can help you two understand each other better. Remember, every friendship has its challenges, and it's important to work through them. I'm here to support you, and I hope you both find a way to reconnect soon.

Take care,

xxx



- ( D ) 33. Our parents \_\_\_\_\_ magazines when we got home yesterday.  
A. read B. has read C. will read D. were reading
- ( A ) 34. My old neighbour Mary felt \_\_\_\_\_ after his children moved out.  
A. lonely B. alone C. clear D. pale
- ( D ) 35. English is used \_\_\_\_\_ than French and Spanish in the world.  
A. wider B. as widely as C. most widely D. more widely
- ( C ) 36. \_\_\_\_\_ relaxing it is to live in the countryside!  
A. What B. What a C. How D. What an
- ( D ) 37. There is \_\_\_\_\_ water in the bottle, is there?  
A. a little B. few C. a few D. little
- ( B ) 38. — \_\_\_\_\_ is it from the bus stop to the Shanghai Museum?  
— It's about 20 minutes' walk.  
A. How long B. How far C. How soon D. How often
- ( C ) 39. — Would you like to join us this weekend? — \_\_\_\_\_  
A. Not at all B. I don't think so  
C. I'd like to, but I am too busy D. It doesn't matter
- ( D ) 40. — Would you mind my opening the window? It's too hot inside.  
— \_\_\_\_\_. I also feel hot.  
A. Never mind B. I'm sorry C. Of course D. Not at all

### III. Complete the following passage with the words in the box. Each can only be used once. (5分)

A. seconds B. importance C. slow down D. protect E. suddenly F. fast

Seat belts prevent people in the cars from serious injury in the following ways:

To keep people inside. People who are thrown out from a car are four times more likely to be killed than those who stay inside.

To \_\_\_\_\_ 41 \_\_\_\_\_ the strongest parts of the body. Seat belts are designed to fix your body at its strongest parts. For an elder child and adult, these parts are the hips (臀部) and the shoulders.

To spread out the force in an accident. Seat belts spread the force of the accident over a wide area of the body. Seat belts also help keep your upper body away from the hard parts of the car if you stop \_\_\_\_\_ 42 \_\_\_\_\_, or are hit by another car.

To help the body to avoid a fast and deadly hit. With the help of the seat belts, your body can have more time to \_\_\_\_\_ 43 \_\_\_\_\_ the speed in an accident.

Therefore, it's of great \_\_\_\_\_ 44 \_\_\_\_\_ to help both the drivers and the passengers. It takes only a few \_\_\_\_\_ 45 \_\_\_\_\_ to buckle up (系安全带) once you get in the car, but this simple action could save your life. Why wouldn't you?

41. D 42. E 43. C 44. B 45. A

### IV. Complete the sentences with the given words in their proper forms. (5分)

46. This is my new neighbourhood. I like it very much. (neighbour)  
47. My words made no impression on her. (impress)  
48. His grammar is shocking. (shock)  
49. Always be thankful and look to every new day with positive hope. (thank)  
50. Suddenly, the wind blew fiercely. (sudden)

### V. Rewrite the following sentences as required. (10分)

51. John read a lot of Chinese books. (改为否定句)  
John didn't read many Chinese books.
52. The workers will build a new factory to deal with rubbish. (对画线部分提问)  
Why will the workers build a new factory?
53. I saw John in the market yesterday. (对画线部分提问)  
Where did you see John yesterday?
54. They want to move to a new flat because the old one is too small. (对画线部分提问)  
Why do they want to move to a new flat?
55. I, understand, what, seem to, she, means (连词成句)  
I seem to understand what she means.

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## Part 3 Reading and Writing (共40分)

### VI. Reading comprehension (共24分)

#### A. Choose the best answer. (6分)

When you have a different opinion with your friend, what should you do? One of the ways is to talk to your friend and tell him or her how you're feeling. It's always important to share your feelings with your friend.

However, as we grow older, our interests change and sometimes this means that a friendship may not be as close as it once was. This also means that you may find a different group of friends to spend time with. Then what should you do to keep friends? One helpful thing is to tell them you like them. Smile, talk to them, listen with





D. Answer the following questions. (6分)

Two men were sitting together in an airplane. They were on a long journey. One of the men was a teacher. The other was a farmer. They sat without talking for a while, then the farmer said, "Let's do something to pass the time."



"What do you want to do?" the teacher asked. "We can ask each other riddles," the farmer said, "You start." "Let's make the rules first," the teacher said. "And let's make the game more interesting. We can play it for money. If we don't know the answer to riddle, we have to pay a dollar."

The farmer thought about this for a while, then he said, "That's not fair. You are a teacher, an educated man. You know more than I do. I'm just a farmer."

"That's true," the teacher said. "What do you think we should do?"

"If you don't know the answer to a riddle, you pay me a dollar. If I don't know the answer to a riddle, I'll pay you half a dollar."

The teacher thought about this, then he said, "OK. That's fair. Who'll first?" "I will," the farmer said, "Here is my riddle. What has three legs when it walks, but only two legs when it flies?"

The teacher thought for a few minutes and then said, "I'm afraid I don't know the answer." He gave the farmer \$100, then said, "Tell me the answer, please." "I don't know, either," The farmer said and gave him half a dollar.

74. Where did the two men meet?

**They met in an airplane.**

75. Who suggested doing something to pass the time?

**The farmer.**

76. What did they decide to do to pass the time?

**They decided to ask each other riddles.**

77. Why did they play the game for money?

**To make it more interesting.**

78. The farmer himself didn't know the answer to the riddle, didn't he?

**No, he didn't.**

79. What do you think of the farmer? Why?

**He is clever because he set advantageous rules and made money in the riddle-game.**

**(Any reasonable answer is OK.)**

VII. Writing. (16分)

A. Translate the following sentences into English. (6分)

80. 他快速拿出他的手机并拨打了急救号码。

**He quickly took out his phone and called the emergency number.**

81. 我每天用轮椅带她去学校食堂。

**I took/take her to the school canteen in a wheelchair every day.**

82. 请接受我真诚的感谢。

**Please accept my sincere thanks.**

B. Guided writing. (10分)

83. Write in at least 60 words according to the given situation. (根据以下情境,写一篇不少于60个词的短文,标点符号不占格。)

感恩他人是一种可贵的品质,在你的日常学习、生活中一定得到过很多帮助和关爱。你最想感谢的是谁?他/她是如何帮助你的?对于他/她的这些付出你是怎么想的?请给他/她写一封感谢信。

Dear \_\_\_\_\_

Yours sincerely

Dear Mum,

Perhaps I have never expressed my thanks to you. Perhaps I have never told you how much I love you. However, in my eyes, you are the most important person in the world.

Thank you for forgiving my countless mistakes. When I got home late, you were still awake only to ask me whether I need to eat something. When I got a low score or poor grades, you just smiled and encouraged me to cheer up.

Today, what I want to express is not only the word "thanks", but also the word "love". I love you so much, Mum.

Yours sincerely,

Li Hua