

2024 年 10 月高等教育自学考试

基础英语试题

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1. 请考生按规定用笔将所有试题的答案涂、写在答题纸上。

2. 答题前,考生务必将自己的考试课程名称、姓名、准考证号用黑色字迹的签字笔或钢笔填写在答题纸规定的位置上。

选择题部分

注意事项:

每小题选出答案后,用 2B 铅笔把答题纸上对应题目的答案标号涂黑。如需改动,用橡皮擦干净后,再选涂其他答案标号。不能答在试题卷上。

一、词汇应用和语法结构:本大题共 30 小题,每小题 1 分,共 30 分。

(一) 词汇应用 (15 分)

选择最佳答案完成句子,请将其选出并将答题卡(纸)的相应代码涂黑。错涂、多涂或未涂均无分。

- This course _____ various aspects of family law in different states.
A. exposes B. exists C. embraces D. equals
- The human sense of smell is believed to be _____ to that of some other animals.
A. familiar B. inferior C. blind D. active
- There are more than 3 million industrial robots _____ use today.
A. at B. in C. on D. to
- Since then, the team has met at periodic _____ of two years.
A. interests B. inputs C. influences D. intervals
- The country has the _____ advantage in the production of electric cars.
A. comparative B. common C. concerned D. convenient
- Hard work and independence are among the greatest _____ in our culture.
A. faults B. methods C. virtues D. resources
- World energy supply has been severely _____ by the military conflict.
A. affected B. collected C. stored D. increased
- The role is responsible for _____ data of clients' financial behaviors.
A. dealing B. investing C. analyzing D. claiming

9. Strict legal action needs to be taken in cases of _____ and cheating.
A. trade B. profit C. fraud D. risk
10. Every language is _____ changing to adapt to the needs of its users.
A. constantly B. hardly C. fairly D. likely
11. The suitcase was _____ and heavy so the driver got out to help.
A. noisy B. bulky C. lengthy D. tidy
12. I saw him at a party-he looked much taller _____ than on TV.
A. in hand B. at heart C. on foot D. in the flesh
13. Parking is paid by credit card or by purchasing a parking _____.
A. item B. data C. token D. lot
14. A study shows that levels of anxiety are _____ to school performance.
A. based B. used C. associated D. related
15. There is a 24-hour reception service so guests can _____ at any time.
A. pull through B. check out C. break in D. use up

(二) 语法结构 (15 分)

选择最佳答案完成句子, 请将其选出并将答题卡(纸)的相应代码涂黑。错涂、多涂或未涂均无分。

16. I want to go to _____ bed, but there is too _____ work to do.
A. /; much B. the; much C. a; many D. /; many
17. When the police arrived, they found the door _____ with chains.
A. locking B. locked C. to be locked D. having locked
18. The mayor demanded that guns _____ on campus grounds.
A. banned B. were banned C. be banned D. should ban
19. Peter didn't even look at me _____ I was talking to him.
A. since B. while C. unless D. or
20. The singer, along with her band, _____ a new album next year.
A. release B. releases C. are to release D. is to release
21. _____, the more the insurance will be.
A. The more expensive car is B. The more expensive the car is
C. More expensive is the car D. More expensive the car is
22. It is reported that emergency hospitals _____ at a quick rate.
A. is building B. are building C. are being built D. are built
23. You _____ have a wrong number. Nobody here is called David.
A. can B. would C. must D. need

24. Rarely _____ so much attention from the media.
 A. a debate has attracted
 B. has a debate attracted
 C. a debate attracts
 D. does a debate attract
25. What time are _____ coming over for dinner tonight?
 A. the Brown
 B. the Browns
 C. Brown
 D. Browns
26. They conducted a survey _____ the costs of living in Europe.
 A. comparing
 B. compared
 C. compares
 D. being compared
27. Since the 1940s, various milk products _____ on the market.
 A. are put
 B. were put
 C. have put
 D. have been put
28. I want to visit the island _____ my grandma was born.
 A. which
 B. to which
 C. where
 D. that
29. The easiest product to choose is _____ that is easiest to see.
 A. it
 B. another
 C. one
 D. the one
30. —I need to go to the bank later.
 —_____. Maybe you can share a taxi with her.
 A. So Sara does
 B. So does Sara
 C. So is Sara
 D. Neither does Sara

二、判断选择:本大题共 10 小题,每小题 1 分,共 10 分。

下面句子中有 A, B, C, D 四个划底线部分,其中有一个是错误的,无需改正,将其选出并将答题卡(纸)的相应代码涂黑。错涂、多涂或未涂均无分。

31. The office workers are busy dealing with a lot of informations on oil production.
 A B C D
32. The eighty-year-old lady I spoke yesterday is coming to tea with us this evening.
 A B C D
33. He's a very good friend of me even though he is sometimes bad-tempered.
 A B C D
34. So upset were his parents that they would not see off him to war.
 A B C D
35. We should be economic with the limited natural resources we have on this planet.
 A B C D
36. I can't stand to stay in the house because I'm so used to going out.
 A B C D
37. The government should set laws to ensure that the old is well taken care of.
 A B C D
38. The bus was held up by the snowstorm, however causing delay.
 A B C D
39. He always follows her around everywhere as if he is her pet.
 A B C D
40. The top four firms have controlled around two-third of the market since 2020.
 A B C D

三、完形填空:本大题共 15 小题,每小题 1 分,共 15 分。

选择最佳答案完成句子,请将其选出并将答题卡(纸)的相应代码涂黑。错涂、多涂或未涂均无分。

For many emergency room patients, a little canine therapy can help. A new study found that a short visit with a dog 41 pain and anxiety in a large share of these patients.

You 42 to see doctors and nurses at hospitals. But some volunteers bring dogs to visit patients, too. These pets may even visit with hospital workers. The idea is that 43 with pets can help people relax — and maybe even speed up someone's 44. But there hasn't been much research to prove it.

So researchers in Canada at the University of Saskatchewan tested that. They had therapy dogs 45 97 patients in the emergency department of a local hospital. It was 46 the school's campus in Saskatoon. After one 10-minute visit, 43 percent of the patients said they felt less pain. 47 half of patients(48% of patients) said they were less anxious after the dog's visit. Forty-six percent of patients reported being less 48. Another 101 patients who did not visit with the dogs reported no change in these 49.

The share of patients who felt less pain after the visits was 50. Although the amount of pain 51 was small, any drop can be important. Pain is a main reason 52 four in every five patients visit a hospital's emergency room, note Colleen Anne Dell and her team.

Dell is a sociologist 53 co-led the new study. She's happy about the findings. But really, she says, "it's about the animals." Dell has worked with indigenous peoples in Canada. She says animal therapy fits with their 54 to health. "It's about balance in our relationships with the environment," she 55. This study shows how animals can be part of a care team.

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| 41. A. reduced | B. cured | C. increased | D. caused |
| 42. A. expose | B. expect | C. evaluate | D. estimate |
| 43. A. relating | B. exchanging | C. responding | D. interacting |
| 44. A. recovery | B. injury | C. process | D. development |
| 45. A. visiting | B. visited | C. visit | D. to visit |
| 46. A. in | B. on | C. within | D. of |
| 47. A. Over | B. Beyond | C. Also | D. Almost |
| 48. A. excited | B. satisfied | C. depressed | D. concentrated |
| 49. A. treatments | B. symptoms | C. therapies | D. prescriptions |
| 50. A. reasonable | B. considerate | C. effective | D. impressive |
| 51. A. relief | B. removal | C. relaxation | D. regret |

52. A. another B. no C. any D. some
53. A. which B. whom C. who D. whose
54. A. approach B. method C. means D. way
55. A. examines B. identifies C. explains D. proves

四、阅读理解:本大题共 10 小题,每小题 2 分,共 20 分。

本部分有两篇短文,每篇短文后有五个问题,每个问题有四个选项,请选择一个最佳答案,将其选出并将答题卡(纸)的相应代码涂黑。错涂、多涂或未涂均无分。

Passage 1

If there is one trait I have taken from my mother, it is her courage. Like most mothers, my mom wants the best for me. She encourages me to seize every opportunity and use it to its fullest potential.

When friends meet my mom for the first time they are often taken aback, and then they scold me for not telling them my mom is in a wheelchair. It shocks them, and initially they don't want this emotion to show on their faces.

In my defense, I never think to mention that my mom is in a wheelchair. She has been paralyzed from the waist down for most of her life. To me, though, she is just a regular mom. When there were moments as a child when I needed to be held, I knew I could crawl onto my mother's lap and find comfort in her safe arms. When I needed a cheerleader on the sideline of my soccer games, she was there. Mother, friend, teacher, nutritionist, chef, banker, coach, and adviser—my mom has always been there for me.

On family vacations, my mother never sits out on an activity. Whether it means long arguments with hotel owners to create handicap accessible ramps or strapping herself to some stranger's lap, we're all right there, helping her be a part of everything. Of course, there are some things that she can't do. But no matter how good or bad the chances are of something working out in her favor, she always tries.

I have learned from my mom that if I don't have the courage to try, I will also never succeed. My choices are infinite because my mother showed me how to live outside of limits.

56. What is one message the author conveys in the passage?
- A. Plan ahead for difficult times.
- B. Be honest with those you love.
- C. Challenge yourself in case of difficulties.
- D. Treat others as you would like to be treated.

57. The author admires her mother mostly because her mother _____.
- A. offers advice on a variety of topics
 - B. exposes the author to many new experiences
 - C. has been in a wheelchair for the author's entire life
 - D. lives in a way that demonstrates bravery
58. What is the most likely reason the author does not tell her friends that her mother is paralyzed?
- A. She does not want people to judge her mother because of her disability.
 - B. She prefers to let her mother explain her own situation to others.
 - C. She does not think it is an important characteristic of her mother.
 - D. She thinks that most people already know her mother uses a wheelchair.
59. The author compares her mother with other mothers in order to show that _____.
- A. her mother is more supportive than other mothers
 - B. her mother does many of the positive things that other mothers do
 - C. other mothers help the author as much as her own mother does
 - D. other mothers do not understand the difficulties her mother experiences
60. Paragraph 4 shows that the author's family _____.
- A. comforts the mother when she is unable to participate
 - B. supports the mother in her efforts to enjoy life to the fullest
 - C. wants to prevent the mother from taking unnecessary risks
 - D. thinks the mother should try activities designed specifically for her

Passage 2

There's no question that great customer experience is a key component to business success. Competition in the business world is getting tougher by the day, so companies in all industries have to work extra hard to attract customers and make sure they don't lose them to one of their competitors.

Making sure your consumers get what they want, how they want, and when they want it sets the foundation for a great customer experience. That helps build trust and loyalty and ensures a long-lasting relationship between you and your customers. A satisfied customer becomes a loyal customer, and the chances of losing a loyal customer to the competition are significantly lower. When a client is happy with their shopping experience, they won't go to a different brand. Besides, they'll often recommend your business to their family members and close friends, or leave positive reviews on your website, bringing in other potential clients.

Also, loyal customers are more likely to spend more money than new clients. That means you'll

not only save on costs for attracting customers, but you'll also be able to increase your revenue, which leads to business growth.

But keep in mind that the stakes are high when it comes to customer experience. One negative experience is enough for a customer to cut off all contact with a brand and, in a **ripple effect**, influence other customers to do the same.

Another reason that makes customer experience essential to all businesses is the ability to improve employee engagement. According to McKinsey, businesses that focus on improving customer service experienced an increase in employee engagement of up to 20%. This has a direct impact on productivity levels which is linked to business growth.

61. This passage mainly discusses _____.
- A. what contributes to a positive customer experience
 - B. how to attract potential customers and build brand loyalty
 - C. how great customer experience can drive business growth
 - D. how to improve customer experience in your business
62. Which of the following statements about customer experience is NOT TRUE?
- A. It is a powerful business factor and is beneficial to all businesses.
 - B. It is a crucial link between a company and its customers.
 - C. It will influence not only the customer, but also their family members or friends.
 - D. A company has to know the customers' needs well to ensure a great customer experience.
63. How does the author develop paragraph 3 and paragraph 4?
- A. By illustration.
 - B. By cause and effect.
 - C. By comparison and contrast.
 - D. By classification.
64. The underlined phrase "**ripple effect**" in paragraph 4 most probably means _____.
- A. the problem of the gradual rise in temperature of the earth's atmosphere
 - B. a series of things that happen as the result of a particular action or event
 - C. an unwanted or unexpected result of a situation that comes along with a main one
 - D. a situation in which a small change can lead to a big difference
65. Which of the following is NOT the benefit that a positive customer experience can bring?
- A. Attract and retain more customers.
 - B. Lead to a rise in revenue.
 - C. Have a reduction in cost.
 - D. Increase the employment rate.

非选择题部分

注意事项:

用黑色字迹的签字笔或钢笔将答案写在答题纸上,不能答在试题卷上。

五、单词或短语的英汉互译:本大题共 10 小题,每小题 1 分,共 10 分。

(一) 将下列词语译成中文(5 分)

66. checkout counter
67. in the red
68. lose one's lead
69. premium
70. inventory carrying costs

(二) 将下列词语译成英文(5 分)

71. 太阳能
72. 资本设备
73. 关税壁垒
74. 寒冷地带
75. 无形贸易

六、英汉句子互译:本大题共 4 小题,共 15 分。

(一) 将下列句子译成中文(8 分)

76. The law governing free ports in some nations vary from port to port. (4 分)
77. Every time you meet someone in a social situation, give him your undivided attention for a few minutes. (4 分)

(二) 将下列句子译成英文(7 分)

78. 他每隔两星期就给父母写封信。(3 分)
79. 正是消费者自己不得不付钱买这些昂贵的包装材料。(4 分)