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英文考科

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請注意：本測驗採用線上作答型式進行。

- ※ 請透過本中心官方網站首頁上的「線上試場入口」進入線上試場，考試前請備妥您的應試號碼（隨附於本中心寄發之考試通知內提供）。
- ※ 開始作答前請務必再次確認是否已進入正確的線上試場，並請務必在答題卷上正確填寫您的應試號碼與本試題封面右下角印製之試題代碼。

試題說明：

本測驗共包含 50 題試題，所有試題均為電腦可讀的選擇題型（單一選擇題），作答時請務必詳閱每一大題所提供的試題說明並依指示在線上答題卷進行作答。

本測驗全面採用數位試題本，因此不會提供紙本試題，考生須自行在考試當日透過本中心官方網站首頁上的「線上試場入口」下載適用於本次考試之試題（各次考試之試題本會於考試日期前一日晚間開放下載）。

考試說明：

請依照答題卷上的說明進行考生資訊填寫與作答，並請留意務必正確填寫應試號碼、試題代碼並且在作答結束交卷之前再次確認所有作答內容均填寫正確。

在交卷確認畫面上考生將需要再次填寫應試號碼，並且只有在答題卷畫面出現「答題卷繳交完成，考試結束」提示訊息時才算正式完成交卷。

本測驗之開放作答期間為考試日期當日上午六時起至同日結束為止，請務必預留足夠的作答時間，以免在完成交卷前試場即已關閉而導致無法交卷的情況發生。

試題代碼

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第壹部分：單一選擇題（占 100 分）

一、詞彙（占 30 分）

第 1 題至第 15 題，每題有 4 個選項，其中只有一個是正確或最適當的選項。

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1. Katherine is very wealthy and she can afford to buy any _____ she wants.
(A) luxuries (B) preferences (C) images (D) labels
2. The startup company had a hard time _____ investors to fund its development. Few believe the company has what it takes to succeed.
(A) achieving (B) realizing (C) persuading (D) inspiring
3. Our flight is delayed for two hours, so the estimated time of _____ is now 11:15 p.m..
(A) departure (B) attraction (C) reminder (D) discovery
4. When Benny seemed confused about the questions she asked, Lydia finally _____ that he didn't steal her money.
(A) achieved (B) realized (C) wondered (D) dared
5. The photographer has tried to show the _____ of people living in extreme poverty with these photos.
(A) creation (B) evil (C) disease (D) suffering
6. The police released CCTV footage of the robbery, hoping that it would help find witnesses to _____ the thief.
(A) range (B) identify (C) browse (D) impress
7. We saw a rat coming from that hole the other day and decided to _____ it up with a piece of wood.
(A) target (B) block (C) defend (D) prevent
8. There is a problem with the air-conditioning, and it needs to be _____ very soon.
(A) operated (B) repaired (C) installed (D) afforded
9. A lot of students find Mr. Evans a little scary and prefer Mr. Cook, who is much more _____.
(A) local (B) illegal (C) gentle (D) fierce
10. Isaac works as a(n) _____ in a local garage, and he gives good and efficient service.
(A) repair (B) installation (C) mechanic (D) invention
11. During the daytime, the wind blows from the _____ toward the mountains and the other way around at night.
(A) plain (B) beast (C) creature (D) local
12. Sandra's sleep was disturbed by the _____ of a street light in her bedroom mirror.
(A) blackout (B) furniture (C) reflection (D) hardship
13. Blue lobsters are a _____ species.
(A) disabled (B) passionate (C) religious (D) rare
14. After a volcano erupts, the hot liquid rock will cool into a _____ mass over time.
(A) solid (B) loaded (C) shiny (D) productive
15. We are all human and _____; that is, we all make mistakes.
(A) imperfect (B) energetic (C) rare (D) persuasive

二、文法選擇 (占 30 分)

第 16 題至第 30 題，每題有 4 個選項，其中只有一個是正確或最適當的選項。
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16. I noticed you _____ to that new student this morning.
(A) are talking (B) talked (C) talk (D) talking

17. There's a delivery guy here, and he is asking _____ those boxes.
(A) where to put (B) where put he can (C) where put (D) he put where

18. Olivia found herself _____ in a difficult situation. She had no idea what to do.
(A) trapped (B) traps (C) be trapped (D) trapping

19. Our team won the game _____ the other team was weak _____ we had good skills and teamwork.
(A) not because ... but because of (B) either because ... or because of
(C) not because ... but because (D) not only because ... but also because of

20. Melinda found out that you didn't invite her to your party last week _____ explains _____ she didn't want to talk to you this morning.
(A) that ... how (B) which ... how (C) which ... why (D) which ... why

21. The athlete drinks as _____ water as _____ whenever she finishes training.
(A) many ... she can (B) possible ... many (C) possible ... much (D) much ... she can

22. To stop babies _____ themselves, most experts advise parents not to put any pillows in the crib.
(A) of suffocate (B) of suffocating (C) from suffocate (D) from suffocating

23. I'm really looking forward to my _____ vacation this summer.
(A) three-weeks (B) three-week (C) three weeks (D) three week

24. My mother doesn't let me _____ TV after school. She thinks it is a waste of time.
(A) to watch (B) watch (C) watched (D) to watching

25. _____ was because of a silly misunderstanding _____ Ralph broke up with his girlfriend.
(A) It ... which (B) It ... that (C) That ... what (D) That ... which

26. The dentist asked Kevin to keep his mouth open _____ while his teeth were being checked.
(A) as wide as possible (B) as wider as he can (C) as much wide (D) so wide that he can

27. You can use my phone to make your call, but please _____ it short.
(A) find (B) do (C) allow (D) keep

28. Gina told me Simon was interesting, but I found him _____.
(A) boredom (B) was boring (C) bored (D) a bore

29. I wish the government would stop _____ new roads through this beautiful forest.
(A) to building (B) building (C) to build (D) build

30. _____, we need to be careful when we handle this type of equipment.
(A) As this experience (B) As this experience shows
(C) Like this experience shows (D) With this experience shows

三、片語選擇 (占 10 分)

第 31 題至第 35 題，每題有 4 個選項，其中只有一個是正確或最適當的選項。
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31. Rupert tried to _____ the balloons and ribbons as soon as possible so that his parents wouldn't find out that he threw a party in the house.
(A) engage in (B) get rid of (C) turn into (D) cope with

32. Before we go further with this discussion, let's _____ and consider the situation so far.
(A) show up (B) take responsibility (C) pick on (D) take a step back

33. Barbara is a shy girl _____. Therefore she'll never sign up for the speech contest of her own will.
(A) by heart (B) by nature (C) by accident (D) by definition

34. To celebrate Halloween, we have bought fake spider webs, scary masks, candy, pumpkins, _____.
(A) right away (B) and so on (C) out of curiosity (D) over and over

35. Bernard, the pilot of the spaceship, is going on a mission to Mars along ____ five other scientists.
(A) of (B) with (C) as (D) among

四、綜合測驗 (占 10 分)

第 36 題至第 40 題，每題有 4 個選項，其中只有一個是正確或最適當的選項。
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第 36 題至第 40 題為題組

Vending machines were probably invented around 2000 years ago. Now, they are a common sight. Aside from regular vending machines, there are some that sell (36) products. For instance, you can buy a Ferrari or a Porsche from a vending machine in Singapore. There is a high tower filled with luxury cars. Customers can use a touchscreen to browse the (37) in stock. After they pay for the car they like, it will arrive within a few minutes. If this is not strange enough, how about the machines in Philadelphia that sell hair extensions? You'll need (38) for these products. The price for one pack of hair extensions (39) from \$65 to \$200. Do you think machines like these would attract your attention? Anyway, what most vending machines sell are (40) unlikely items like these. They usually contain snacks and drinks.

36. (A) weird (B) intelligent (C) facial (D) alcoholic

37. (A) delays (B) images (C) labels (D) vehicles

38. (A) holy water (B) deep pockets (C) junk food (D) certain items

39. (A) ranges (B) impresses (C) disturbs (D) identifies

40. (A) any (B) none (C) not (D) some

五、閱讀測驗 (占 20 分)

第 41 題至第 50 題，每題有 4 個選項，其中只有一個是正確或最適當的選項。
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第 41 題至第 43 題為題組

There is an old story about a man called Androcles. He was a Greek slave owned by his master. One day, he escaped and hid in a forest. He was tired and hungry and feeling very sad. Suddenly, he heard the sound of a lion roaring. Androcles tried to run away but tripped and fell over the root of a tree. The lion was quickly upon him. To Androcles' surprise, however, it did not want to eat him. The lion was roaring because it was in pain. Androcles saw that one of its feet was covered in blood. There was a large, sharp thorn stuck in the creature's paw. He gently pulled the thorn out, and the grateful lion licked his face.

Some time later, Androcles was found by Roman soldiers. They took him back to his town, where he was told he would be put to death for running away from his master. A common Roman punishment for criminals was to be fed to wild beasts while the public watched for fun. Soon it was Androcles' turn to be killed. But the lion that the Romans set on him was the same one he had helped. To everyone's amazement, it licked his face instead of attacking him. When the Roman emperor heard what had happened, he was very touched and allowed both Androcles and the lion to go free.

41. Which of the following can best describe the main idea of the story?
(A) A man saw a lion, but he could not run away.
(B) A slave wanted to go free, but he was caught.
(C) A man ran away from his master, and he went into a forest.
(D) A man helped a wounded lion, and then it saved him.

42. According to the passage, Who might be a “criminal” ?
(A) A person who runs away from his or her hometown.
(B) A person who protects his or her country.
(C) A person who does something against the law.
(D) A person who is owned by someone else.

43. What can be inferred from the second paragraph?
(A) Androcles was punished for attacking his master.
(B) The lion did not eat Androcles because it was thankful to him.
(C) Androcles had nothing to do with the lion that was set on him.
(D) Being fed to a wild beast was a rare punishment for criminals at that time.

第 44 題至第 46 題為題組

Everyone deserves to feel safe on Chatterbox, and it's important that we help people who experience bullying and harassment online. Today, we're introducing new tools so people can better control unwanted, negative or hurtful experiences on Chatterbox.

We are giving you more control over how people interact with your posts on Chatterbox because comments can sometimes be used to bully or harass people. We're introducing a way for people to hide or delete many comments at once from the options menu. This feature can now be used on Android and will be available on iOS in the coming months. We are also testing ways to more easily search for and block offensive words from appearing in comments.

Being the target of unwanted attention can be stressful and some people may not feel comfortable reporting a bully or harasser. In other cases, bullying or harassment happens out of sight from victims. If you see a friend or family member being bullied or harassed, now you can report someone on their behalf via the menu above the post that you are concerned about. Once reported, our anti-bullying team will review the post, keep your report anonymous, decide whether it is against our anti-bullying standards and remove it if necessary.

We hope the additional steps we're taking will help people who face bullying and harassment on Chatterbox. We know our job is never done when it comes to keeping people safe, and we'll continue listening to feedback on how we can build better tools and improve our policies.

44. What does the author say about new ways to block rude comments?

- (A) They have already helped a lot of people. (B) They are now available on Android
- (C) They are only available on smartphones. (D) Chatterbox is still working on them.

45. What can you do if you find out that someone is being bullied on Chatterbox?

- (A) You can block the mean comments for them.
- (B) You can report it through the menu above the post.
- (C) You can help them log off Chatterbox.
- (D) You can hide rude comments for them.

46. What will NOT the Anti-bullying team do after receiving a report?

- (A) Let people know who write the report. (B) Review the post.
- (C) Decide if the post is against their policy. (D) Take down the post.

第 47 題至第 48 題為題組

A few years ago, France was called “a nation of writers” when it was found that 17 percent of the population had written a book or a story. Most of them have not been published, though. In 2015, someone got an idea for making more of this writing available to the public. They decided to use vending machines.

SNCF, France’s national train company, installed the vending machines at railroad stations. The machines print unique short stories for passengers to enjoy. What’s more, they can be read for free. The machines have buttons with numbers on them. Passengers can choose whether they want their story to take one, three, or five minutes to read, then look through the list. The chosen item is printed out on a long piece of paper that looks like a receipt. The paper can easily be recycled, so there is no waste and the machines are environmentally friendly.

More than 5,000 authors, whose names are not given, have sent in stories to be included on the list. There are also classic stories by famous writers, as well as poems and fairy tales. The publishing company that thought of the idea felt that many people would like to read from a piece of paper than a smartphone screen. So far, it seems they were right.

47. What is the main idea of the passage?

- (A) There are many writers in France.
- (B) SNCF installed vending machines at railroad stations.
- (C) There is a way to make more writing available to the public.
- (D) Paper can be recycled easily and the vending machines are everywhere.

48. According to the passage, which of the following is NOT true about the vending machines?

- (A) They are environmentally friendly. (B) They provide free reading.
- (C) There are buttons with numbers on the machines. (D) They can print complete books.

第 49 題至第 50 題為題組

Are you worried that your Instagram photos won't get any likes? Then you're in luck, as long as you're walking through a mall in Moscow. Vending machines there sell 100 Instagram likes for as little as 50 Russian rubles (88 cents), or 100 followers for 100 rubles (\$1.75). The machines belong to a company called Snatap. The company says that the likes come from real people who use accounts they've created.

The first like machine appeared in St. Petersburg in November 2016. The business later spread to Moscow and other cities. Installing one of the machines in a mall costs 420,000 rubles (\$7372). The key part is not the machine itself but the software it uses — which can be bought from Snatap for just over \$300 plus five percent of the monthly profit. Now there are about 20 vending machines selling likes all over Russia.

These vending machines aren't the first time Russia has surprised the world with new technology. For instance, people have recently been shocked by a new service offering Instagrammable flowers for rent. These flowers can make it seem like you have someone in your life who will buy you gifts. As the description explains, "This bouquet can be yours to take a beautiful photo! Become a topic of discussion for your friends and make your ex jealous. You can add a BMW car and a handsome man to your order for an extra 500 rubles."

Reactions ranged from surprise to laughter, with many others **picking up on** the sadness of modern life. They say people are putting too much money and effort into maintaining an online image. The aim is to give anyone looking a serious case of envy because your life is so good.

49. How much should you put in the vending machine if you want to buy 500 followers and 500 Instagram likes?
(A) 250 rubles. (B) 500 rubles. (C) 750 rubles. (D) 1,000 rubles.

50. What does "picking up on" mean in Paragraph 4?
(A) Laughing at. (B) Standing for. (C) Pointing out. (D) Forgetting about.