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Part I Vocabulary and Structure (1×30 points)

Directions: There are 30 incomplete statements in this part. You are required to complete each one by choosing the most appropriate word or expression from the four choices marked A, B, C and D, then mark the corresponding letter on the ANSWER SHEET.

1. The famous actor is familiar _____ every American, young and old.
A. with B. to C. about D. on
2. The teacher criticized him because he did not keep his remarks to the topic _____ discussion.
A. on B. at C. with D. under
3. Switzerland is _____ a place to indulge in all your favorite winter sports; it is also a marvelous spot to relax.
A. rather than B. more than C. other than D. else than
4. We could not have fulfilled the task in time if it _____ for their help.
A. was not B. is not C. had not been D. has not been

5. Jack was out of money. He had a card on the board announcing that he had a radio set _____.
A. for sale B. at sale C. to sale D. in sale
6. She didn't break the bad news to her mother _____ that she might break down.
A. so B. for fear C. in order D. because
7. If you _____ that late movie last night, you wouldn't be dozy now.
A. haven't watched B. didn't watch C. hadn't watched D. wouldn't have watched
8. My camera can be _____ to take pictures in cloudy or sunny conditions.
A. treated B. adopted C. adjusted D. remedied
9. After a long walk on a hot day, one often feels _____.
A. exhaustive B. exhausting C. exhaust D. exhausted
10. As the plane was getting ready to take off, we all _____ our seat belts.
A. tied B. fastened C. locked D. attached
11. He lent me a few books, but _____ are easy to read.
A. neither of them B. none of them C. not either of them D. not both of them
12. Mrs. Brown's children have very good manners because they have been well _____.
A. brought in B. brought out C. brought up D. brought through
13. The water is warm enough for us _____.
A. to go swimming B. going swimming either C. to be going swimming D. go swimming
14. This text is _____ the one we learned last week.
A. a little difficult than B. more than difficult C. difficult more than D. a little more difficult than
15. There is something wrong with my TV set. I must have it _____.
A. check B. checking C. to check D. checked
16. He will come to call on you the moment he _____ his work.
A. will finish B. finishes C. finished D. to finish
17. _____ such a good chance, how could she let it slip away?
A. Having given B. Giving C. Having been given D. Give
18. Previous _____ his departure, he addressed a letter to his daughter.
A. to B. of C. in D. from

19. Lucy _____ at the dance tonight, nor will Peter.
A. can't be B. won't be
C. may not be D. will be
20. — Did you like the book I gave you?
— _____ the novels that I've read, I enjoyed this one the most.
A. Of all B. All of
C. For all D. From all
21. The conference _____ in Beijing next week is bound to be a great success.
A. holding B. being held
C. to hold D. to be held
22. It wasn't such a good job _____ she had read about in the advertisement.
A. like B. which C. as D. what
23. This problem is _____ his ability and I don't think he can solve it.
A. to B. in C. beyond D. under
24. Mr. Green said his clients _____ our samples by the end of last month.
A. didn't receive B. hadn't received
C. haven't received D. don't receive
25. In previous times, when fresh meat was in short _____, pigeons were kept by many households as a source of food.
A. store B. provision C. reserve D. supply
26. The teacher suggested that they _____ in the exercise at once.
A. had handed B. should have handed
C. handed D. hand
27. He did not go to school yesterday because he _____ his father who was ill.
A. must have looked after B. would have to look after
C. had to look after D. should have looked after
28. Don't smoke in the classroom, _____?
A. do you B. will you C. can you D. could you
29. There is _____ that he has tried his best in the examination.
A. not to deny B. not denying
C. no denying D. without denying
30. Would you _____ to come to the meeting this weekend?
A. be so kind B. be kind as C. be so kind as D. be kind

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31. What does the word “urban” (Line 2, Para. 3) mean?
A. Of the city.
B. Out of work.
C. In a bad condition.
D. Of enormous size.
32. Large numbers of farmers have poured into towns because _____.
A. they can hardly support their families on farms

- B. they are unhappy with their life in the country
C. the rural areas are too crowded with people
D. they hope to have their own business
33. In the author's view, solving the cities' problem of overcrowding by strict registrations is _____.
A. practical B. possible C. not realistic D. not sufficient
34. According to the writer, the problem with crowded cities will be solved if _____.
A. traditional methods of farming are well kept
B. conditions in rural areas are much improved
C. the government can provide more jobs
D. violence could be controlled in cities
35. Which factor is most important for people to be attracted to live in the country?
A. Their expectations. B. Their interests.
C. Their income. D. Their attitude.

Passage Two

Engineering students are supposed to be examples of practicality and rationality, but when it comes to my college education I am an idealist and a fool. In high school I wanted to be an electrical engineer and, of course, any sensible student with my aims would have chosen a college with a large engineering department, famous reputation and lots of good labs and research equipment. But that's not what I did.

I chose to study engineering at a small liberal arts (文科) university that doesn't even offer a major in electrical engineering. Obviously, this was not a practical choice; I came here for more noble reasons. I wanted a broad education that would provide me with flexibility and a value system to guide me in my career. I wanted to open my eyes and expand my vision by interacting with people who weren't studying science or engineering. My parents, teachers and other adults praised me for such a sensible choice. They told me I was wise and mature beyond my 18 years, and I believed them.

I headed off to college sure I was going to have an advantage over those students who went to big engineering "factories" where they didn't care if you had values or were flexible. I was going to be a complete engineer; technical genius and sensitive humanist (人文学者) all in one.

Now I'm not so sure. Somewhere along the way my noble ideals crashed into reality, as all noble ideals eventually do. After three years of struggling to balance math, physics and engineering courses with liberal arts courses, I have learned there are reasons why few engineering students try to

reconcile (协调) engineering with liberal arts courses in college.

The reality that has blocked my path to become the typical successful student is that engineering and the liberal arts simply don't mix as easily as I assumed in high school. Individually they shape a person in very different ways; together **they** threaten to confuse. The struggle to reconcile the two fields of study is difficult.

36. The author chose to study engineering at a small liberal arts university because he _____.
A. intended to be a sensible student with noble ideals
B. wanted to be an example of practicality and rationality
C. intended to be a combination of engineer and humanist
D. wanted to coordinate engineering with liberal arts course in college
37. According to the author, by interacting with people who study liberal arts, engineering students can _____.
A. broaden their horizons B. become noble idealists
C. receive guidance in their careers D. balance engineering and the liberal arts
38. In the eyes of the author, a successful engineering student is expected _____.
A. to be imaginative with a value system to guide him
B. to be a technical genius with a wide vision
C. to have an excellent academic record
D. to be wise and mature
39. The author's experience shows that he was _____.
A. creative B. irrational C. ambitious D. unrealistic
40. The word "they" in "...together they threaten to confuse." (Line 3, Para. 5) refers to _____.
A. practicality and rationality B. engineering and the liberal arts
C. reality and noble ideals D. flexibility and a value system

Passage Three

Imagination and fantasy can play an important role in achieving the things we fear. Children know this very well. Fred Epstein, in his book "If I Make It to Five", tells a story he heard from one of his friends about Tom, a four-year-old boy with a cancer in his back bone. He came through several operations and a lot of pain by mastering his imagination.

Tom loved to pretend, and he particularly loved to play superheroes. Dr. Epstein explained that it was actually a brilliant way for his young mind to handle the terrifying and painful life he led.

It doesn't mean that you should dress as a superhero for your next job interview. But, next time you are tested in a way that seems impossible, imagine what it would take to overcome it. Become the person you need to become to win over your challenge and do it in your mind first. So, let your imagination run wild, and dare to dream.

A. One's hair growth has to do with the amount of water they drink.

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- B. A person's hair may reveal where they have lived.
C. Hair analysis accurately identifies criminal suspects.
D. The chemical composition of hair varies from person to person.
47. What does the author mean by "You're what you eat and drink" (Line 1, Para. 3)?
A. Food and drink affect one's personality development.
B. Food and drink preferences vary with individuals.
C. Food and drink leave traces in one's body tissues.
D. Food and drink are indispensable to one's existence.
48. What is said about the rainfall in America's West?
A. There is much more rainfall in California than in Utah.
B. The water it delivers becomes lighter when it moves inland.
C. Its chemical composition is less stable than in other areas.
D. It gathers more light isotopes as it moves eastward.
49. What did Cerling's team produce in their research?
A. A map showing the regional differences of tap water.
B. A collection of hair samples from various barber shops.
C. A method to measure the amount of water in human hair.
D. A chart illustrating the movement of the rain system.
50. What is the practical value of Cerling's research?
A. It helps analyze the quality of water in different regions.
B. It helps the police determine where a crime is committed.
C. It helps the police narrow down possibilities in detective work.
D. It helps identify the drinking habits of the person under investigation.

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Part III Cloze (1 × 20 points)

Directions: There are 20 blanks in the following passage. For each blank there are four choices marked A, B, C and D. You should choose the ONE that best fits into the passage and mark the corresponding letter on the ANSWER SHEET.

If it were only necessary to decide whether to teach elementary science to everyone 51 a mass basis or to find the gifted few and take them as far as they can go, our task 52 be fairly

simple. The public school system 53, has no such choices, for the jobs must be 54 at the same time. Because we depend so 55 upon science and technology for our progress, we must produce specialists in many fields. Because we live in a democratic nation, 56 citizens make the policies for the nation, large numbers of us must be 57 to understand, to support, and when necessary, to 58 the work of experts. The public schools must educate 59 the producers and the users of scientific 60.

In education, there should be a good balance 61 the branches of knowledge that 62 effective thinking and wise judgment. Such balance is 63 by too much emphasis on 64 one field.

Similarly, we must 65 a balance between current and 66 knowledge. The attention of the public is continually 67 new possibilities in scientific fields and the 68 of the new knowledge; these should not be allowed to turn our attention 69 from the sound, established materials that form the 70 of courses for beginners.

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| 51. A. on | B. in | C. from | D. with |
| 52. A. will | B. would | C. can | D. must |
| 53. A. therefore | B. moreover | C. however | D. although |
| 54. A. made out | B. carried on | C. put aside | D. taken over |
| 55. A. strongly | B. keenly | C. intensively | D. heavily |
| 56. A. which | B. whose | C. as | D. that |
| 57. A. nursed | B. developed | C. educated | D. informed |
| 58. A. praise | B. admire | C. criticize | D. recommend |
| 59. A. both | B. all | C. most | D. only |
| 60. A. utilities | B. services | C. equipment | D. apparatuses |
| 61. A. among | B. between | C. within | D. in |
| 62. A. attribute to | B. contribute to | C. introduce to | D. incline to |
| 63. A. made | B. thrown | C. caught | D. defeated |
| 64. A. either | B. the | C. some | D. any |
| 65. A. make | B. build | C. get | D. keep |
| 66. A. classical | B. present | C. up to date | D. obsolete |
| 67. A. drawn to | B. derived from | C. absorbed in | D. fed with |
| 68. A. discovery | B. invention | C. recovery | D. exposure |

69. A. out

B. off

C. down

D. away
70. A. seat

B. bed

C. basis

D. ground

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Part IV Error Correction (2 × 10 points)

Directions: There are 10 sentences. Each of the following sentences has four underlined parts marked A, B, C, and D. You are required to identify the one that is incorrect, and then write the corresponding letter and the correct answer on the ANSWER SHEET.

71. Remind me about it lest I should forget.
A B C D
72. Because the first pair of shoes did not fit properly, he asked for the other pair.
A B C D
73. When his plane arrives on the airport in Shanghai, I shall already have left for Beijing.
A B C D
74. She hung up all the clothes that had been laying around the room.
A B C D
75. A number of errors made by him was surprising.
A B C D
76. People cannot but feel puzzling, for they simply cannot understand how he could have made
A B C D
such a stupid mistake.
77. His method of doing research work is hardly appreciated; he feels more inferior than
A B C D
others.
78. Paula doesn't want to attend the meeting and Sheila doesn't too.
A B C D
79. They are delighted with which they saw at the museum.
A B C D
80. The professor had me shared the dormitory with the other three students.
A B C D

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Part V Translation (20 points)

Directions: Translate the following sentences into Chinese and write on the ANSWER SHEET. (5 × 2)

81. However, it is always important to remember that no matter what your company's attitude is regarding what you wear, you are working in a business environment and you should dress accordingly.
82. Getting this help may have less to do with your formal position and authority and more to do with your strategy and approach, which can range from a simple favor to convincing others to accept a priority of yours as if it were their own.

Directions: Translate the following sentences into English and write on the ANSWER SHEET. (2 × 5)

83. 努力提高工厂工人的工作条件是值得做的事情。
84. 他说像统计数据这样的细节就不必包括在内了。
85. 为了捍卫国家的尊严,他牺牲了自己的生命。
86. 她给了我食物和衣服,没求任何回报。
87. 因为房主要价太高,我要租那套带家具的房子的可能性非常小。

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Part VI Writing (20 points)

Directions: Suppose you are Professor Wang. For this part, you are allowed 30 minutes to write A Reference Letter for your student Zhang Yulin to apply for a graduate school. You should write at least 150 words according to the outline given in Chinese below:

- (1) 说明写信缘由,点明推荐人与被推荐人的关系;
- (2) 介绍被推荐人张玉林的优势;
- (3) 希望研究生院认真考虑张玉林的申请。