

# 2008-2009 学年度下学期期末考试

## 高一年级英语科试卷

第一部分 英语知识运用（共两节，满分 45 分）

第一节 单项填空（共 15 小题；每小题 1 分，满分 15 分）

1. Working hard to have a good command of English is really worth \_\_\_\_\_ effort, for it will surely make \_\_\_\_\_ difference while we apply for a job.

A. an; a                      B. the; a                      C. the; the                      D. an; the

2. To our great \_\_\_\_\_, she was not badly injured in the accident.

A. disappointment              B. regret                      C. sorrow                      D. relief

3. Could it be in the restaurant \_\_\_\_\_ we had dinner yesterday \_\_\_\_\_ you left behind your umbrella?

A. which; where              B. that; /                      C. /; which                      D. where; that

4. Did the movie \_\_\_\_\_ your expectations?

A. look forward to              B. add up to                      C. live up to                      D. react to

5. This is the first time that I \_\_\_\_\_ the importance of a college degree so it's time that \_\_\_\_\_ on my studies.

A. realized; focus                      B. realize; will focus  
C. have realized; focused              D. had realized; should focus

6. Mary has failed again in the maths exam.

- \_\_\_\_\_? She's been working very hard at it.

A. How come                      B. So what                      C. I thought as much              D. Why not

7. A friend who stick together with you through thick and thin is more reliable than \_\_\_\_\_ who just shares your happy memories.

A. the one                      B. that                      C. those                      D. one

8. I was on the point of leaving \_\_\_\_\_ the phone rang.

A. while                      B. until                      C. when                      D. after

9. Though \_\_\_\_\_ all possible risks, we are not fully prepared for the big challenge.

A. considered                      B. to consider                      C. having considered              D. being considered

10. Training by yourself in a gym \_\_\_\_\_ be highly dangerous.

A. must                      B. can                      C. will                      D. shall

11. In a sports team each player has a clear role, and there are few occasions \_\_\_\_\_ members are confused or uncertain about their roles.

A. when                      B. which                      C. that                      D. where

12. It won't work: \_\_\_\_\_, it would take long, and secondly it would cost too much.

A. at first                      B. above all                      C. in addition                      D. to start with

13. \_\_\_\_\_ your salary, we'll discuss it later in the interview.

A. Regardless of                      B. As for                      C. Instead of                      D. In spite of

14. Listening to the concert by Pavarotti, we were amazed at the good use he \_\_\_\_\_ his voice to.  
A. put                      B. took                      C. made                      D. gave

15.-Shall we meet at seven or eight o'clock?

-Oh, \_\_\_\_\_. I have nothing on my schedule tonight.

A. it depends                      B. that suits me fine  
C. it's up to you                      D. cheer up

## 第二节 完型填空（共 20 小题；每小题 1.5 分，满分 30 分）

You must have heard these words like how happy it is to be a child. But would you honestly change places with a child? Think of the \_\_\_\_\_ 16 \_\_\_\_\_ at school: the years spent living in constant fear of examinations and school \_\_\_\_\_ 17 \_\_\_\_\_. Every movement you make, every thought you think is \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ by some adults. Think of the \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_ you had to go to bed early, you had to eat \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_\_ thing that was supposed to be good for you. Remember \_\_\_\_\_ 21 \_\_\_\_\_ “gentle” pressure was given to you with words like “If you don't do as I say, I will...” I'm sure you will never forget!

\_\_\_\_\_ 22 \_\_\_\_\_, these are only part of child's \_\_\_\_\_ 23 \_\_\_\_\_. No matter how kind and loving parents may be, children often \_\_\_\_\_ 24 \_\_\_\_\_ from some terrible and illogical \_\_\_\_\_ 25 \_\_\_\_\_ since they can't understand the world around them. They often have such fear in the dark or \_\_\_\_\_ 26 \_\_\_\_\_. Adults can \_\_\_\_\_ 27 \_\_\_\_\_ their fears with other adults \_\_\_\_\_ 28 \_\_\_\_\_ children have to face their fears alone.

But the most \_\_\_\_\_ 29 \_\_\_\_\_ part of childhood is a period when you \_\_\_\_\_ 30 \_\_\_\_\_ to go out of it, the period when you go into adolescence. Teenagers start \_\_\_\_\_ 31 \_\_\_\_\_ their parents and this causes them great unhappiness. There is \_\_\_\_\_ 32 \_\_\_\_\_ lack of self-confidence during this time. Adolescents pay much attention to their \_\_\_\_\_ 33 \_\_\_\_\_ and the impression they make on others. They feel shy, awkward and clumsy(笨拙的). Feelings are strong and hearts \_\_\_\_\_ 34 \_\_\_\_\_ broken. Teenagers \_\_\_\_\_ 35 \_\_\_\_\_ moments of great happiness or black despair. And through this period, adults seem to be unkind than ever.

16. A. times	B. days	C. months	D. years
17. A. results	B. exercises	C. reports	D. teachers
18. A. observed	B. understood	C. known	D. watched
19. A. years	B. times	C. evenings	D. days
20. A. helpful	B. harmful	C. hateful	D. bitter
21. A. what	B. why	C. how	D. that
22. A. Even so	B. Though	C. In fact	D. Therefore
23. A. difficulties	B. life	C. trouble	D. fears
24. A. get	B. suffer	C. receive	D. take
25. A. troubles	B. diseases	C. fears	D. worries
26. A. in the day	B. in the dreams	C. in the school	D. at home
27. A. enjoy	B. know	C. share	D. get
28. A. while	B. but	C. so	D. as a result
29. A. happy	B. interesting	C. painful	D. unforgettable
30. A. have	B. need	C. are	D. begin
31. A. to dislike	B. to support	C. to cheat	D. to be against

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|-------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|
| 32. A. a little   | B. a complete | C. some      | D. real       |
| 33. A. confidence | B. likes      | C. action    | D. appearance |
| 34. A. hard       | B. easily     | C. naturally | D. truly      |
| 35. A. pass       | B. experience | C. face      | D. take       |

第三部分：阅读理解（共 20 小题，每小题 2 分，满分 40 分）

A

Internet use appears to cause a decline in psychological **well-being**, according to research at Carnegie Mellon University. Even people who spent just a few hours a week on the Internet experienced more depression and loneliness than those who logged on less frequently, the two-year study showed. And it wasn't that people who were already feeling bad spent more time on the Internet, but that using the Net actually appeared to cause the bad feelings.

Researchers are puzzling over the results, which were completely contrary to their expectations. They expected that the Net would prove socially healthier than television, since the Net allows users to choose their information and to communicate with others. The fact that Internet use reduces time available for family and friends may account for the drop in well-being, researchers hypothesized. Faceless, bodiless "virtual" (虚拟的) communication may be less psychologically satisfying than actual conversation, and the relationships formed through it may be shallower. Another possibility is that exposure to the wider world via the Net makes users less satisfied with their lives.

"But it's important to remember this is not about the technology itself; it's about how it is used," says psychologist Christine Riley of Intel, one of the study's sponsors. "It really points to the need for considering social factors in terms of how you design applications and services for technology."

36. The word "**well-being**" in the first paragraph is closest in meaning to \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. trouble                      B. health                      C. depression                      D. excitement
37. Which of the following CANNOT explain the result of the research according to the passage?  
 A. Internet users may spend less time with their family and friends.  
 B. The "virtual" communication may be less psychologically satisfying.  
 C. Internet users may be less satisfied with their lives.  
 D. Internet users make too many friends through the Internet.
38. What lessons may be drawn from the result of the research?  
 A. We should not have developed the Internet technology.  
 B. We should change the way we use the Internet.  
 C. We need Internet technology very much.  
 D. TV is more useful than the Internet.
39. What is the best title for the passage?  
 A. The Popularity of Internet Use  
 B. The History of Internet Use

C. The Harm of Internet Use

D. The Fast Development of Internet Use

## B

When I told my family that I was thinking of taking a cooking job, the roars of laughter were rather discouraging. No one believed that I could cook at all, as I had never had a chance to practice at home. Our cook had ruled in the kitchen for thirty years and had an annoying tendency to regard the pans, stove and all the kitchen fittings as her own property.

I once crept down there when I thought she was asleep in her room to try out an omelet(炒蛋). Noiselessly I removed a frying pan from its hook and the eggs from their cupboard. It was the pop of the gas that woke her, I think, for I was just breaking the first egg when a pair of slippers moved round the door and a scream of horror caused me to break the egg on the floor. This disaster upset her so much that she locked herself in the storeroom with all the food and we had to make our Sunday dinner of bananas.

If the family weren't going to be helpful, I would look for a job all by myself and not tell them about it till I'd got one. I had seen an agency in a local paper, so as soon as there was no one about to say "Where are you going?" I rushed out of the house in search of it.

I sat on the edge of a chair and could see my nose shining out of the corner of my eye. I thought perhaps it was a good thing; it might look more earnest. The woman at the desk examined me through her glasses. Having asked me a few questions, she told me that it would be difficult to get a job without experience. "But," she said, "I've got someone who needs a cook badly." She wrote down a number, and my spirits went up as I took the slip of paper she held out to me, saying: "Ring up this day. She wants a cook. You would have to start tomorrow by cooking dinner for ten people. Could you manage that?"

"Oh yes," said I — never having cooked for more than four in my life.

40. Which of the following best describes the response of the author's family to her plan of taking a cooking job?

- A. Pleased.                      B. Doubtful.                      C. Uncomfortable.                      D. Positive.

41. One reason for the author's lack of practice in cooking was that \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. no one in her family would like her to practice cooking  
B. everything in the kitchen was property belonging to the cook  
C. the cook would never allow her to do any cooking  
D. she was not yet born when the cook came to the house

42. The cook felt uncomfortable when \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. she heard a scream of horror  
B. she heard the sound of a pair of slippers moving round the door  
C. she saw the author enter the kitchen  
D. she saw the author break an egg on the floor

43. The family had to have bananas for dinner that Sunday because \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. the cook was on strike

- B. they preferred bananas to omelet  
C. the author cooked so badly  
D. no one in the family had cooking ability
44. When there was no one about, the author rushed out of the house because \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. she was independent in searching for a cooking job  
B. she wouldn't answer the question her family would ask  
C. that was the only chance for her to leave the house  
D. she didn't want to reveal what she was going to do

## C

### Four Wonders of the Web

#### Google Works Miracles

**GOOGLE** ([www.google.com](http://www.google.com)) is a daily miracle to millions of people. If the Internet had only this very fast search engine, it would have justified its existence many times over. It is the most popular search engine on the web with a 54% market share, ahead of Yahoo! You type almost anything, however unclear, into the space provided and in a second it has come up with hundreds of references. If knowledge is power, then Google commands the gateway.

#### Yahoo Becomes Giant

**YAHOO** ([www.yahoo.com](http://www.yahoo.com)) was the first wonder of the web, and in many respects, it still is. It started in January 1994 when two California graduate students, Jerry Yang and David Filo, started compiling (编译) a database of links, mainly for their personal use. But well before the end of the year, it had become recognizable as Yahoo we know today. In the past seven years, Yahoo had grown rapidly, partly through a long string of buys. Yahoo now offers almost everything you could want: emails, instant messages, chats, clubs, photo albums, and a lot more.

#### eBay Enables Everyone to Buy and Sell

**eBay** ([www.ebay.com](http://www.ebay.com)) , which deals with online trading and shopping services, is the most impressive large Internet company where people buy and sell goods and services worldwide. It has, for instance, opened up a global marketplace in which people from Beijing, San Francisco, or Moscow can bid (投标) against each other for products put up for sale by someone in London. The company's online service permits sellers to list items for sale, buyers to bid on items of internet, and eBay users to browse (浏览) through listed items that is available online seven days a week.

#### Amazon Makes Buying a New Experience

**Amazon** ([www.amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com)) started out as online bookstore, constantly putting up new book titles it offered for sale. In the late 1990s, Amazon had more than four million titles after adding CDs, videos, DVDs and games. It continued to add new lines of business including toys, computer software, electronics, like MP3 players, power tools, home improvement products and online sales. For regular users, Amazon has made itself the shortest possible path between wanting and buying.

45. What is Google used mainly for?  
 A. Commanding the gateway. B. Searching for information.  
 C. Storing reference books. D. Providing extra space.
46. "Rome is not built in one day" but Yahoo is built in one \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. year B. day C. month D. minute
47. What goods did Amazon sell when it started its business?  
 A. Videos and games. B. Different books  
 C. Power tools. D. MP3 players.
48. Which of the following is true?  
 A. Buying and selling can only be done through Amazon.  
 B. If you feed in something unclear, Google will refuse to do the searching.  
 C. Yahoo owns more market shares than any other companies on the web.  
 D. eBay Company's online service is always there for its users.

### D

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49. Who will be interested in this passage?  
 A. Children. B. Teachers. C. Headmasters. D. Students.
50. Which of the following is TRUE?  
 A. YMS English School is not connected with any chain schools.

- B. YMS Eigoki is a big community school with a student base of about 4,000 students.
- C. Basic Japanese must be required.
- D. Maintaining a good reputation and friendly relations are not important.

51. If you have interest in this job, you can contact Hiroshi Nakamura except by \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. telephone      B. e-mail      C. fax      D. letter

### E

“Education has always had two great goals: To make kids smart and to make kids good,” says psychologist Thomas Lickona at the State University of New York, Cortland. Today’s character education programs replace the “self-respect” movement through which children learned more about feeling good than being good. Now the programs are actually teaching children to do the right thing.

The best middle level teachers feel they are responsible for educating **the whole child**, dealing not only with the intellectual development, but the social and emotional development of the student as well. This includes values education and the development of healthy character traits(特征).

Some teachers are not comfortable teaching values, feeling it is best to leave the duty to those who have the knowledge to develop these traits in teenagers. Many teachers do it unconsciously. Every time English teachers teach a novel or social studies teachers discuss current events or leaders from history, they are teaching students about role models and values. Even health teachers teach it when they discuss having healthy lifestyles: if you develop good character traits in yourself, your life is less stressful and you are healthier. Many times teachers don’t realize that they are teaching character development every time they talk to students about cheating or respecting others. Unluckily, some teachers still prefer to leave character development to others. Student activity advisers, and specifically student council advisers, are in the perfect position to develop activities that involve everyone in the school. A good adviser should develop the program around the six sides of character set forth by Character Counts: trustworthiness(值得信赖), responsibility, respect, fairness, caring, and citizenship. The adviser should first develop activities to further leadership and good character traits in student council members and then develop activities for the entire school.

52. According to Thomas Lickona, one of the educational goal is to make children know \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. how to respect themselves      B. how to help others
- C. how to be good      D. how to do good deeds

53. “**the whole child**” (in the 2nd paragraph) refers to one \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. who has got a good development of healthy character traits
- B. who has been developed intellectually
- C. who has got a good social and emotional development
- D. developed intellectually and morally with six good character traits

54. Which of the following statements is NOT true?

- A. Children with good character traits in themselves are seldom stressed.

- B. Some teachers feel it hard to teach values.  
C. It is necessary to develop good character traits in student council members.  
D. It is unnecessary that activities should involve everyone in the school.
55. What's the main idea of the third paragraph?  
A. Values are taught on purpose.                      B. Values are taught unconsciously.  
C. It's important to teach values.                      D. It's uncomfortable to teach values.

**第 II 卷（共 35 分）**

**第一节：短文改错（共 10 小题，每小题 1 分；满分 10 分）**

According to a recently survey, about 25%of college students take part-time jobs. In fact, a number is increasing now. It is believe that the number will go up to 72% during the summer vacation. They often work as tutors, waiters, salesman and so on. In my opinion, we can earn some money to cover part of their tuition fees through part-time jobs. Moreover, they can be more independent on their parents economically. That really counts is that they are able to gain some working experience, which is beneficial to their career and help widen their view about society. Besides, take part-time jobs offers them with chances to know the world better.

**第二节：书面表达**

**Film or book, which do you prefer?**

Some of us think that it is better to see the film than to read the book in the original.

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