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# 2021-2022学年上海市长宁区八年级（下）期中试卷

## 英语

注：满分为67分。

### 一、Phonetics, Grammar and Vocabulary. Choose the best answer.

1. Which of the following underlined parts is different in pronunciation?  
A. release                  B. treatment                  C. measure                  D. increase
2. Doctor Ray is interested \_\_\_\_\_ how trees help people in daily life.  
A. on                          B. at                          C. in                          D. of
3. In \_\_\_\_\_ way, Huawei is a role model for Chinese companies.  
A. /                          B. a                          C. an                          D. the
4. The group leader is thinking of different ways to make the party far \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. exciting                  B. more exciting                  C. excited                  D. more excited
5. \_\_\_\_\_ people watch movies in the cinema because of the COVID-19.  
A. Too many                  B. Too much                  C. Not much                  D. Not many
6. Almost everyone today uses electricity in one way or \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. the other                  B. the others                  C. another                  D. other
7. Remember \_\_\_\_\_ your mask when you go out.  
A. not to wear                  B. not wearing                  C. to wear                  D. wearing
8. Be quiet! Rena \_\_\_\_\_ the passage for her exam.  
A. writes                  B. is writing                  C. has written                  D. wrote
9. You can catch the first train to Nanjing \_\_\_\_\_ you can get up early enough.  
A. if                          B. because                          C. although                          D. unless
10. \_\_\_\_\_ excited the fans are! The cyclist broke the world record.  
A. What                          B. How                          C. What a                          D. What an
11. You can borrow my car, \_\_\_\_\_ you must promise not to drive too fast.  
A. but                          B. and                          C. so                          D. or





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12. Garbage sorting \_\_\_\_\_ be required in Shanghai from July 1, 2019.  
A. can                      B. may                      C. need                      D. must
13. — I'm afraid I can't go travelling with you this weekend. My parents are ill in bed.  
— \_\_\_\_\_  
A. Not at all.                      B. That sounds great.  
C. What a pity!                      D. Thanks a lot.
14. —May I open the window?It's a bit hot inside.  
— \_\_\_\_\_  
A. I'm glad to hear that.                      B. It doesn't matter.  
C. Yes, I will. Thank you.                      D. Go ahead, please.

**二、 Complete the following passage with the words or phrases in the box. Each can only be used once.**

15. A. relaxed B. connect C. protect D. stores E. taste F. unusual

Gaming is more than a fun pastime. It is a way to (1) \_\_\_\_\_ people all round the world. For some, it is even a livelihood (谋生之道). With the global market quickly growing, getting into the gaming industry is a natural step for IKEA. On January 29, the Swedish furniture maker released its first ever gaming products in China. This line of products can make game lovers feel more (2) \_\_\_\_\_ while playing game.

In total, there are more than 30 products in the line, including desks, chairs and neck pillows. One of the most 45 products is a wooden accessory that looks like a big hand. IEKA explains that the equipment is used to "take care of headsets. " There is also a special cup - holder which can be attached (固定) to the side of the desk. The nice thing about these new products is that they all (3) \_\_\_\_\_ IEKA's tradition of affordable (可负担得起的) price.

IEKA wants to attract gamers around the world to its (4) \_\_\_\_\_ and website.

"Now we're taking the first step on our gaming journey," it says. "We hope to meet people's (5) \_\_\_\_\_ by offering different kinds of gaming products.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_

**三、 Complete the sentences with the given words in their proper forms.**

16. The young girl's ambition is to be a \_\_\_\_\_. (science)
17. Some trees give out \_\_\_\_\_ that make their leaves taste nasty. (chemistry)
18. Daisy felt \_\_\_\_\_ after talking with a drop of water in the bathroom. (puzzle)





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19. Everyone should learn to speak to others \_\_\_\_\_. (polite)
20. How does the woman \_\_\_\_\_ her children to read? (courage)
21. It's important to think carefully before making \_\_\_\_\_ (decide).
22. At lunchtime, there's a \_\_\_\_\_ between noodles and rice. (choose)

**四、Complete the following sentences as required.**

23. The river rose thirteen centimetres after the heavy rain. (改为否定句)  
The river \_\_\_\_\_ thirteen centimetres after the heavy rain.
24. We should plant more trees to protect our earth. (就划线部分提问)  
\_\_\_\_\_ we plant more trees?
25. Soil would be washed away if there are no trees. (保持句意基本不变)  
\_\_\_\_\_, soil would be washed away.
26. What will life be like in 50 years' time? Do you know? (改为宾语从句)  
Do you know what \_\_\_\_\_ be like in 50 years' time?
27. He has hardly bought any vegetables this month. (改为反意疑问句)  
He has hardly bought any vegetables this month, \_\_\_\_\_?
28. advertising companies, use, plan to, a new way, sell their products, to (.) (连词成句)  
\_\_\_\_\_.

**五、Reading comprehension. Choose the best answer.**

29. Museums are some of the best places to go out in London. You can visit them for a day. Most of them are free. One day I went on a trip to the science museum with my dad. I really liked the place.

First we had a look at a new free show called Dan Dare and the Birth of High – tech Britain. It explained an important time in British history. From it we knew that British technology improved after the war. It was about the story of Dan Dare, a classic British science fiction comic hero. He was the leader of all the pilots on a spaceship.

After that, we went to the Energy Gallery (能源长廊), the museum's latest interactive (互动的) gallery. When we saw it, we realized we need and use energy not only at present but also in the future. There were over 50 interactive shows. They taught us about the world of physics.





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The workers were excitedly explaining the shows while we watched them.

Finally, we went to the Antenna Gallery and got the latest science news. But I couldn't study all the galleries in one day. There were just too many to see! What a pity!

- (1) What did the writer think of the science museum in London?  
A. It was not a good place. B. The ticket cost too much. C. It was really a good place.  
D. It didn't have much to see.
- (2) From the free show, we can know that British technology improved \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. before the war B. after the war C. during the war D. until the war
- (3) According to the second paragraph, we know that Dan Dare was \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. an American B. a comic hero C. a leader on a ship D. a hero in history
- (4) In the Energy Gallery, the writer learned more about \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. physics B. history C. literature D. math
- (5) In the Antenna Gallery, the writer \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. enjoyed a free show B. watched some interactive shows  
C. learned about the latest science news D. got to know how to build a gallery
- (6) The writer visited \_\_\_\_\_ places in the science museum.  
A. two B. three C. four D. five

**六、Choose the words or phrases and complete the passage.**

30. Now we are so familiar with the BMW car, it is a famous car. Now I do not say about the car, but about the BMW people. In many Western countries, the subway is called the "Metro". Many people go to work by taking a bus to the nearby Metro station. After they

(1) \_\_\_\_\_ the Metro, they walk a few blocks before arriving at their final destination.

Now you know in fact the BMW is saying about a kind of people who go to the office by bus, by Metro and on foot. Those who go to work by BMW are called BMW people. B stands for the bike (2) \_\_\_\_\_ some people always go to the office by bike. It is very usual for you to see many people crowded in the bus station and the Metro station, especially in the big cities like Shanghai. I hate to be in a place full of people and waste a lot of time waiting there, so I usually (3) \_\_\_\_\_ and choose to go to the office by bike. It is very convenient for me and

I have found that there are really many people who are (4) \_\_\_\_\_ to me.

Are you one of the BMWs? To be a member of the BMWs, I often enjoy the way to the office, and enjoy seeing different people on the way. Also I think I can enjoy

the (5) \_\_\_\_\_ when I ride the bike. The life is so beautiful, we can do many other things that can make our life beautiful and enjoyable. So do not lose the confidence about life, enjoy your life, and (6) \_\_\_\_\_ go ahead for your dream and stick to it no matter you are a BMW or not.

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|-----|-------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| (1) | A. take off | B. get off   | C. put off  | D. turn off   |
| (2) | A. because  | B. though    | C. if       | D. when       |
| (3) | A. search   | B. interrupt | C. escape   | D. approach   |
| (4) | A. harmless | B. kind      | C. thankful | D. similar    |
| (5) | A. holiday  | B. scenery   | C. owner    | D. favour     |
| (6) | A. clearly  | B. partly    | C. briefly  | D. especially |





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**七、Read the passage and fill in the blanks with proper words.**

31. Bridging the Gap

Anytime we need a taxi, we can pull out our phone, tap (轻轻叩击) a few buttons on the screen and a car will show up. It's awesome (绝妙的), right? But what happens to the elderly people who need a taxi ride but don't know how to use a phone to book one? They can only wave at the taxis passing by, many of which have a(1) \_\_\_\_\_ been booked. I feel terrible every time I go to the hospital with my grandmother.

There is always a long q(2) \_\_\_\_\_ of sick elderly people waiting for taxis. These people probably badly need a taxi. But they cannot get one because they do not know how to use a smartphone.

Over the past ten or so years, technology has advanced quickly. For most of us, it has changed the way we live. Today, shopping, banking and even work can all be done over the internet. However, w(3) \_\_\_\_\_ many new apps have made life easier for us younger folk, it has made it increasingly difficult for the older generations.

China has now passed a new set of guidelines (指导方针) to keep several basic services balanced between their online and offline availability. However, bridging this "digital gap" needs e(4) \_\_\_\_\_ effort. Probably anyone over the age of 60, at one time or another, has called their children or grandchildren to ask for help with their smartphones. When they do so, we must be p(5) \_\_\_\_\_. What may only take us seconds to master can take them hours to do so, even after repeated instructions. Even then, the smallest mistake will leave them more confused (迷惑的) than before.

The next (1000)time(s) your elders ask you for help with technology, remember who was the person that spent countless hours t(6) \_\_\_\_\_ you how to talk, walk, eat, etc. The least we can do is repay some of the favor.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_

**八、Answer the questions.**

32. A ship was wrecked (失事的) during a storm at sea and only two of the men were able to swim to a small island. Not knowing what else to do, the two friends agreed that they had nothing to do but to pray (祈祷) to God.

However, to find out whose prayers were more powerful, they agreed to divide the island into two parts and each one stay on the other part of the island. The first thing they prayed for was food. The next morning, the first man saw a fruit tree on his side. But the other man's side had nothing.

After a week, the first man decided to pray for a wife. The next day, another ship was wrecked and the only survivor (幸存者) was a woman who swam to his side of the island. But on the other side of the island, there was nothing.





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Soon, the first man prayed for a house, clothes and more food. The next day, all of these things appeared. However, the second man still had nothing.

About one year later, the first man prayed for a ship so that he and his wife could leave the island, and in the morning he found a ship stopped at his side. The first man decided to leave without his friend. As the ship was about to leave, the first man heard an angry voice from Heaven, "Why are you leaving your friend on the island?" "My blessings (祈福) are mine alone," the first man answered. "His prayers were all unanswered and so he doesn't deserve anything." "You are mistaken!" the voice blamed him. "He had only one prayer, which I answered. If, not for that, you would not have received any of my blessings." "Tell me," the first man asked the voice, "what did he pray for?" He prayed that all of your prayers would be answered.

\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

(1) There were only two survivors after the ship was wrecked during a storm, weren't there?

\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

(2) How did the two men survive on the small island?

(3) \_\_\_\_\_  
Why did the two friends agree to divide the island into two parts?

(4) \_\_\_\_\_  
How long did the two men live on the island?

(5) \_\_\_\_\_  
What did the first man pray for altogether?

(6) \_\_\_\_\_  
What would happen next? Add a possible ending to the story.

\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_