



山东省高职高专英语应用能力考试样卷

Paper One (试卷一)

Part I Listening Comprehension (20 points, 20 minutes)

Directions: *This part is to test your listening ability. It consists of 3 sections.*

Section A Choosing Proper Responses (10 points)

Directions: *In this section you will hear 10 questions. The questions will be spoken only once. After each question, there is a pause. During the pause, you should decide on the proper response from the 4 choices marked A, B, C and D given in your test paper. Then you should mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.*

- A. Thank you.
B. Oh, yes.
C. With pleasure.
D. Here you are.
- A. From 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
B. Far from here.
C. Five people.
D. One hundred dollars.
- A. Please sit down.
B. Take it easy.
C. I'm OK.
D. Yes, of course.
- A. He's a nice person.
B. I work very hard.
C. You're welcome.
D. Certainly not.
- A. It's far away.
B. It's rather warm.
C. I hope so.
D. I'm afraid I can't.
- A. It's a fine day.
B. It's Monday.
C. It's October 2nd.
D. It's five o'clock.
- A. He goes to school in the morning.
B. He's studying in London.
C. He's doing very well.
D. He likes his school.
- A. Hold on, please.
B. Don't go away.
C. Who are you?
D. Whom do you want?



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| 9. A. Yes. I'll go with you. | B. No, I don't like it. |
| C. It's my pleasure. | D. What about going shopping? |
| 10. A. Tonight. | B. By air. |
| C. With my friend. | D. On business. |



Section B Conversations (5 points)

Directions: In this section you will hear 2 conversations. After each conversation, there are some recorded questions. Both the conversations and questions will be spoken twice. After each question there will be a pause. During the pause, you should decide on the correct answer from the 4 choices marked A, B, C and D given in your test paper. Then you should mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.

Conversation 1

Questions 11 to 13 are based on the conversation you have just heard.

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| 11. A. A single room with a bath. | B. A single room with a shower. |
| C. A double room with a bath. | D. A double room with a shower. |
| 12. A. 100 dollars. | B. 150 dollars. |
| C. 200 dollars. | D. 250 dollars. |
| 13. A. A fitness gym. | B. A tennis court. |
| C. A swimming pool. | D. A table tennis room. |

Conversation 2

Questions 14 to 15 are based on the conversation you have just heard.

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| 14. A. By the last name. | B. By the first name. |
| C. By the middle name. | D. By the full name. |
| 15. A. The short holidays. | B. The low salaries. |
| C. The small offices. | D. The informal clothes. |

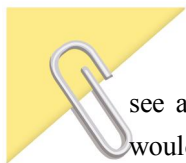
Section C Spot Dictation (5 points)

Directions: In this section you will hear a recorded short passage. The passage is printed on the test paper, but with some words or phrases missing. The passage will be read three times. The first reading is for you to get the general idea. During the second reading, you are required to put the missing words or phrases on **Paper Two** in order of the numbered blanks according to what you hear. The third reading is for you to check what you have written. Now the passage will begin.

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Jim is my brother-in-law. He was suffering from a toothache last week. But he didn't want to





see a (16) _____. Finally, however, my mother-in-law (17) _____ that she would go and see the doctor herself. She carefully explained that although her son had a lot of (18) _____ he was refusing to get treatment. Her son was (19) _____ doctors. The nurse told her that they were used to dealing with this (20) _____ fear and would be able to fit Jim in right away. "How old is your little boy?" she asked. My mother-in-law replied, "He's 40 years old."

Part II Vocabulary and Structure (20 points, 20 minutes)

Directions: *This part is to test your ability to use words and phrases correctly to construct meaningful and grammatically correct sentences. It consists of 3 sections.*

Section A Grammar (10 Points)

Directions: *In this section, there are 10 incomplete statements. You are required to complete each statement by choosing the appropriate answer from the 4 choices marked A, B, C and D. You should mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.*

21. Mr. Smith _____ to Europe on a special mission.
A. had been sending B. were sent
C. is being sent D. was sending
22. I remember _____ this used to be a quiet village.
A. how B. when C. where D. what
23. The police _____ searching that building very carefully.
A. is B. are C. was D. has been
24. By this time next year, we _____ all the wetland into rice fields.
A. had turned B. will have turned
C. have turned D. have been turning
25. He didn't seem to mind _____ TV while he was trying to study.
A. their watching B. them to watch
C. that they watch D. theirs watching
26. Tom ought not to _____ me your secret, but he meant no harm.
A. have told B. tell C. be telling D. having told
27. Someone called me up in the middle of the night, but they hung up _____ I could answer the phone.
A. before B. as C. until D. since





28. — It was careless of you to have left your clothes outside all night.
— My God ! _____.
- A. So did I B. So I did C. So were you D. So did you
29. Only when he had done it _____ that he had made a mistake.
- A. he then realized B. he realized
C. did he realize D. before he realize
30. All flights _____ because of the snowstorm, we decided to take the train.
- A. were canceled B. had been canceled
C. having canceled D. having been canceled



Section B Vocabulary (5 points)

Directions: *In this section, there are 5 incomplete sentences. You are required to complete each one by choosing the most appropriate word or phrase from the 4 choices marked A, B, C and D. Then you should mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.*

31. How much does it _____ to take the online training course?
- A. cost B. give C. pay D. spend
32. Mr. Smith used to smoke _____ but he has given it up recently.
- A. immediately B. roughly C. heavily D. completely
33. If you want to join the club, you'll have to _____ this form first.
- A. put up B. try out C. fill in D. set up
34. I bought a new shirt which is very _____ to the one my brother had before.
- A. familiar B. similar C. like D. same
35. I _____ from these comments that the income tax would be increased.
- A. inferred B. implied C. suggested D. hinted

Section C Substitution (5 points)

Directions: *In this section, there are 5 sentences. Each sentence has an underlined word or phrase. You are required to choose from the 4 choices marked A, B, C and D the word or phrase which is closest in meaning to the underlined part. Then you should mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.*

36. At school, I was used to a timetable with homework in the evening.
- A. useful B. accustomed C. absorbed D. adapted
37. Frank assured me that if I ever needed financial help I could always ask him for help.





- A. turn off B. turn to C. turn down D. turn into
38. The old lady in my neighborhood goes to cinema from time to time.
- A. always B. usually C. occasionally D. hardly
39. As is known to all, sun and water are essential to the growth of plants.
- A. main B. necessary C. useful D. principal
40. If we can achieve this goal, our living conditions will be much better.
- A. account B. amount C. accompany D. accomplish

Part III Reading Comprehension (30 points, 30 minutes)

Section A Passage Understanding (26 points, 2 points each)

Directions: This part is to test your reading ability. There are 3 passages in this section. Each passage is followed by some questions or unfinished statements. For each of them there are four choices marked A, B, C and D. You should decide on the best choice and mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.

Passage One

Questions 41 to 45 are based on the following passage.

Good afternoon, and welcome to England. We hope that your visit here will be a pleasant one. Today, I would like to draw your attention to a few of our laws.

The first one is about drinking. Now, you may not buy alcohol in this country if you are under 18 years of age, nor may your friends buy it for you.

Secondly, noise. Enjoy yourselves by all means, but please don't make unnecessary noise, particularly at night. We ask you to respect other people who may wish to be quiet.

Thirdly, crossing the road. Be careful. The traffic moves on the left side of the road in this country. Use pedestrian crossings(人行横道)and do not take any chances when crossing the road.

My next point is about litter (throwing away waste material in a public place). It is an offence (违法行为) to drop litter in the street. When you have something to throw away, please put it in your pocket and take it home, or put it in a litter bin.

Finally, as regards smoking, it is against the law to buy cigarettes or tobacco(烟草)if you are under 16 years of age.

I'd like to finish by saying that if you require any sort of help or assistance, you should **contact** your local police station, who will be pleased to help you.

Now, are there any questions?

41. The main purpose of this speech would be to _____.



- A. prepare people for international travel
 B. declare the laws of different kinds
 C. give advice to travelers to the country
 D. inform people of the punishment for breaking laws
42. How many laws are discussed in the speech?
 A. Three. B. Four. C. Five. D. Six.
43. From the speech we learn that _____.
 A. in this country, if you are under 18 years of age, you may not buy alcohol, but your friend can buy it for you
 B. you may not buy cigarettes or tobacco unless you are above 16 years of age
 C. because the traffic moves on the left side of the road, you must use pedestrian crossings when crossing the road
 D. you can't make noise except at night
44. The underlined word "contact" (Para. 7) means _____.
 A. keep in with B. get in touch with
 C. join D. report
45. Who do you think is most likely to make the speech?
 A. A policeman. B. A lawmaker. C. A teacher. D. A lawyer.

Passage Two

Questions 46 to 49 are based on the following passage.




As the pace of life continues to increase, we are fast losing the art of relaxation. Once you are in the habit of rushing through life, being on the go from morning till night, it is hard to slow down. But relaxation is essential for a healthy mind and body.

Stress is a natural part of everyday life and there is no way to avoid it. In fact, it is not the bad thing it is often supposed to be. A certain amount of stress is vital to provide motivation and give purpose to life. It is only when the stress gets out of control that it can lead to poor performance and ill health.

The amount of stress a person can withstand depends very much on the individual. Some people are not afraid of stress, and such characters are obviously prime material for managerial responsibilities, others lose heart at the first sign of unusual difficulties. When exposed to stress, in whatever form, we react both chemically and physically. In fact we make choice between "fight or flight" and in more primitive days the choices made the difference between life or death. The crises we meet today are unlikely to be so extreme, but however little the stress, it involves the



same response. It is when such a reaction lasts long, through continued exposure to stress, that health becomes endangered. Since we can't remove stress from our lives (it would be unwise to **do so** even if we could), we need to find ways to deal with it.

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46. People are finding less and less time for relaxing themselves because_____.
- they regard working as their greatest enjoyment
 - they believe that work is superior to relaxation
 - they are traveling fast all the time
 - they are becoming busier with their work than even before
47. According to the author, the most important character for a good manager is his _____.
- unyielding will to hold out stress
 - knowing the art of relaxation
 - high sense of responsibility
 - having control over performance
48. Which of the following statements is true, according to the passage?
- We can find quite a few ways to avoid stress
 - Stress is always harmful to people's health
 - It's easy to change the habit of keeping oneself busy with work
 - Different people can bear different amount of stress
49. In the last sentence of passage, "do so" refers to "_____".
- expose ourselves to stress
 - find ways to deal with stress
 - remove stress from our lives
 - establish links between diseases and stress

Passage Three

Questions 50 to 53 are based on the following passage.

More and more, the operations of our businesses, governments, and financial institutions are controlled by information that exists only inside computer memories. Anyone clever enough to modify this information for his own purposes can reap big reward. Even worse, a number of people who have done this and been caught at it have managed to get away without punishment.

It's easy for computer crimes to go undetected if no one checks up on what the computer is doing. But even if the crime is detected, the criminal may walk away not only unpunished but with a glowing recommendation from his former employers.

Of course, we have no statistics on crimes that go undetected. But it's disturbing to note how



many of the crimes we do know about were detected by accident, not by systematic inspections or other security procedures. The computer criminals who have been caught may have been the victims of uncommonly bad luck.

Unlike other lawbreakers, who must leave the country, commit suicide, or go to jail, computer criminals sometimes escape punishment, demanding not only that they not be charged but that they be given good recommendations and perhaps other benefits. All too often, their demands have been met.

Why? Because company executives are afraid of the bad publicity that would result if the public found out that their computer had been misused. They hesitate at the thought of a criminal boasting in open court of how he juggled (诈骗) the most confidential (保密) records right under the noses of the company's executives, accountants, and security staff. And so another computer criminal departs with just the recommendations he needs to continue his crimes elsewhere.

50. It can be concluded from the passage that _____.
- it is still impossible to detect computer crimes today
 - people commit computer crimes at the request of their company
 - computer criminals escape punishment because they can't be detected
 - computer crimes are the most serious problem in the operation of financial institutions
51. Which of the following statements is mentioned in the passage?
- A strict law against computer crimes must be enforced.
 - Companies usually hesitate to uncover computer crimes to protect their reputation.
 - Companies will guard against computer crimes to protect their reputation.
 - Companies need to impose restrictions on confidential information.
52. What may happen to computer criminals once they are caught?
- With a bad reputation they can hardly find another job.
 - They may walk away and easily find another job.
 - They will be denied access to confidential records.
 - They must leave the country to go to jail.
53. The passage is mainly about _____.
- why computer criminals are often able to escape punishment
 - why computer crimes are difficult to detect by systematic inspections
 - how computer criminals manage to get good recommendations from their former employers
 - why computer crimes can't be eliminated





Section B Short Answer Questions (4 points, 1 point each)

Directions: Read the following two business letters. After reading them, you are required to complete the statements that follow the questions numbered 54 to 57. You should write your answers in **no more than 5 words** on **Paper Two** correspondingly.



Letter One

Oct.4, 2005

Dear Mr. David Morgan,

We refer to your company's brochure (小册子) dated 2nd October, 2005.

We are very interested in learning in greater detail about your product No. 1080 as shown on page 15 of the said brochure. Could you please supply us with the specifications, price, delivery and other relevant information so that we could further evaluate this product?

Since we intend to hold an internal meeting on 25th October to determine which company's product we might purchase, we would like to have your reply by the 14th. Thank you for your immediate attention to this letter.

Yours sincerely,
Yang Li

Letter Two

Oct. 8, 2005

Dear Mr. Yang Li,

Thank you for your letter of October 4, 2005 requesting details about our product No.1080.

While the specifications of the product are enclosed, our commercial terms including price and shipping are as follows:

- (1) Quantity: 100 units.
- (2) Price (CIF New York): US\$ 100.00 per unit.
- (3) Payment Terms: L/C to be established within one week after order.
- (4) Shipment: Within one month after receipt of L/C.

We hope the above is of interest to you and we look forward to hearing a favorable reply from you in due course.

Sincerely yours,
David Morgan

注：该题请在试卷二上作答

54. What is Mr. Yang Li's purpose of writing the letter to Mr. David Morgan?



- To get details about his company's product _____.
55. What does Mr. Yang Li ask for in his letter?
The _____ and other relevant information of the product.
56. When does Mr. Yang Li want to get the information?
_____.
57. Apart from the specifications of the product, what else is included in Mr. David Morgan's letter?
The company's _____ including quantity, price, payment and shipment.



Part IV Translation (20 points, 20 minutes)

Section A (10 points)

Directions: Translate the underlined sentences numbered 58 to 62 in the passage into Chinese, and write your Chinese versions on *Paper Two*.

注：该题请在试卷二上作答

If you are failing, you are in great company. 58) Most of the super achievers in history failed more often than anyone else. 59) The difference is that they did not let the failure defeat them. They just continued to modify their strategies until they found what worked. They did not quit. 60) They knew what they wanted and they did not give up until they achieved their goal. When Thomas Edison was attempting to discover the light bulb he was not met with much support from the scientific community. 61) As a matter of fact, they thought he was crazy to try to invent something that was clearly impossible. A young reporter interviewed Edison and asked him, "Mr. Edison, how can you continue to try to invent the light bulb when you have failed over 5 000 times." To which Thomas Edison replied, "Young man, I have not failed 5 000 times. I have successfully discovered 5 000 ways that do not work and I do not need to try them again." 62) This is a great way to interpret failure—as a learning experience.





Paper Two (试卷二)



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Part I Listening Comprehension

Section C Spot Dictation (5 points)

16. _____ 17. _____
 18. _____ 19. _____
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Part III Reading Comprehension

Section B Short Answer Questions (4 points)

54. _____
 55. _____
 56. _____
 57. _____

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Part IV Translation

Section A (10 points)

58. _____

 59. _____

 60. _____

 61. _____

