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**Part I Reading Comprehension(50 points)**

**Directions:** There are 5 reading passages in this part. 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 choice that best answers the question or completes the statement. (50 points)

**Passage one**

The AIDS virus is carried in a person's body fluids. The virus can be passed during sex with an infected partner or by sharing instruments used to take intravenous drugs. It also can be passed in blood or fluids made from blood or from a pregnant woman with AIDS to her developing baby.

Many stories about the spread of AIDS are false. You cannot get AIDS by working or attending school with someone who has the disease. You cannot get it by drinking glasses or other objects used by such persons. Officials say no one has caught AIDS by living with, caring for or touching an AIDS patient.

There are several warning signs of being infected with AIDS. They include always feeling tired, unexplained weight loss and uncontrolled expulsion of body wastes. Other warning signs are the appearance of white areas on the mouth, dark red areas of skin that do not go away and a higher than normal body temperature.

However, just because you have one or more of these conditions does not mean you have AIDS. Always go to a doctor or health center for a complete examination. The doctor may give you an AIDS blood test.

When a virus enters the body, the body's defenses against disease produce antibodies to fight the virus. The test shows if the body has produced antibodies to the AIDS virus. Results of the test are known after a few hours. The test tells only if your body has produced AIDS antibodies. It cannot tell if you have AIDS or if you will ever get the disease. In December (1988), the United States government approved a simpler and faster AIDS blood test. The newer test can confirm the presence of the AIDS antibodies in about five minutes.

1. The AIDS virus can spread \_\_\_\_\_.  
A) only from a man to woman  
B) among those who use drug instruments  
C) by shaking hands with someone who has the virus  
D) by touching an AIDS patient
2. It is wrongly thought that \_\_\_\_\_.  
A) the AIDS virus can be passed during sex

- A) instinct      B) imagination      C) reaction      D) reality
44. He refuses to let others speak and \_\_\_\_\_ every meeting.  
A) confronts      B) affects      C) attaches      D) dominates
45. The creating of the steam machine, by James Watt, was a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ idea.  
A) spontaneous      B) original      C) previous      D) cautious
46. Young children have a limited attention \_\_\_\_\_ and can't focus on one activity for very long.  
A) range      B) span      C) reach      D) spread
47. At the end of game, the whole crowd \_\_\_\_\_ their feet and cheered wildly.  
A) emerged from      B) rose from      C) got to      D) stood up
48. She can't remember committing the murder, although all the facts point to her \_\_\_\_\_.  
A) guilt      B) intention      C) violence      D) victim
49. He apologizes for his comments and says he had no intention of \_\_\_\_\_ the community.  
A) robbing      B) barking      C) collapsing      D) offending
50. The little girl could not \_\_\_\_\_ her curiosity to see what was in the box.  
A) hold      B) keep      C) take      D) restrain
51. He makes up his mind to \_\_\_\_\_ the post till the end of the year.  
A) keep in      B) remain under      C) stay at      D) go on
52. Robin thought that the best \_\_\_\_\_ to learning a foreign language is the study of the spoken language.  
A) method      B) way      C) means      D) approach
53. Listening, speaking, reading, and then writing \_\_\_\_\_ the basic order in language

- A) assists                      B) constitutes                      C) establishes                      D) founds

54. If you try to learn too many things at a time, you may get \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) alarmed                      B) scared                      C) surprised                      D) confused

55. The young professor \_\_\_\_\_ himself as an international leader in the field of mathematics.

- A) established                      B) built                      C) founded                      D) found

### Part III Translation from Chinese into English (10%)

1. 在世界上许多国家和地区，人们缺少环保意识。人们过分重视经济发展，而不顾其对全球生态的负面影响。因此出现了许多的严重环境问题，比如说空气、土壤、水资源的污染。

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### Part IV Translate from English into Chinese (10 points)

Translation 1.

The length of time that one person gazes at another is culturally determined. Thus, a lack of intercultural experience about frequency and length of eye contact can lead to misunderstanding when people from different cultures try to carry on a conversation with each other. The lack of knowledge of social distance in another culture can also cause problems or invite trouble for oneself. In China, when people wait in line buying something, they usually keep a very close distance. However, the concept of keeping a close waiting distance can cause misunderstanding when we live in some western countries like Britain and the United States. We sometimes may be thought to be not respecting others' privacy.

Translation 2.

We, the undersigned, strongly urge you to speak out and vote against any motion or procedure to grant Japan the status as a permanent member of the United Nations

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Security Council. As the aggressor in World War II, Japan committed numerous atrocities in its neighboring countries, and destroyed and looted an astronomical amount of properties. Recent discoveries have revealed its systematic slaughtering of prisoners of war and tens of millions of innocent civilians, from newborn to elderly, during those years. Its government and parliament have never formally acknowledged its wrongdoing, offered official apologies to those who suffered immensely, or provided adequate reparation to compensate its victims, including the hundreds of thousands women forced into sexual slavery, and nearly a million died in its biochemical experimentations and battlefield deployments in violation of the Geneva Convention.

**Part V Writing (15%)****Directions:** For this part, you are to write a composition based on the topic "Choosing a career". You must write at least 120 words. Remember to write clearly. **Outlines:**

1. 近几年择业空间似乎越来越小，但择业是每个青年人都要面临的问题。
2. 择业的标准是什么。
3. 政府应采取的措施和我们应持的态度

- B) the AIDS virus can spread from an expecting mother to her baby  
 C) the AIDS virus can be passed by touching infected blood  
 D) one can get AIDS by working or attending school with someone who has the disease
3. The warning signs of being infected with AIDS include \_\_\_\_\_.
- A) weight loss  
 B) too much expulsion of body wastes  
 C) the appearance of red areas of skin  
 D) a body temperature higher than a normal one
4. \_\_\_\_\_ can show if one has AIDS.
- A) Whether one has a defense method against AIDS  
 B) Whether one has unexplained weight loss ✕  
 C) Whether the AIDS antibodies are produced in the body ✕  
 D) The doctor's complete examination
5. An AIDS blood test shows \_\_\_\_\_.
- A) whether the defense method is damaged or not  
 B) whether one has AIDS ✕  
 C) one has a higher than normal body temperature ✕  
 D) whether antibodies are produced in the body

### Passage Two

One summer afternoon Jean and Clothilde Lestarquit, an elderly couple, visited their daughter at her home in Lille, France. A few minutes before six o'clock, the Lestarquits decided to leave. They said goodbye to their daughter, walked to their car, and got in. They expected a quiet, peaceful ride home. The ride, however, was anything but quiet and peaceful.

Mr. Lestarquit was about to start the car when a man with a gun jumped up from the back seat. He held a gun to Mr. Lestarquit's head. "Drive me to Paris!" he demanded.

"All right," Mr. Lestarquit replied. "I'll drive you anywhere you want to go. But first let my wife out of the car."

The man agreed to let Mrs. Lestarquit go. After she was safely out of the car, Mr. Lestarquit started the motor, and drove down the street. He was driving slowly, but his mind was racing. Unarmed and 81 years old, he knew he could not fight the man. He knew he needed help. Where were the police? As he drove along, he looked up and down the side streets, hoping to see a police car. There was none in sight. "Just my luck," he thought. "If I were speeding, there would be a police car on every corner."

Suddenly Mr. Lestarquit realized how he could attract the attention of the police. He pushed his foot down on the accelerator of his car, and the car sped forward. "What are you doing?" shouted the man. "Running away from the police," Mr.

Lestarquit lied. "I thought I saw a police car back there."

Mr. Lestarquit began driving like a madman. He drove 60 miles an hour on side streets, ran red lights, and drove the wrong way on one-way streets. On two-way streets he drove on the wrong side of the road. Not one police officer saw him.

Obviously, Mr. Lestarquit's plan was not working. He needed a new plan. But what? Suddenly he remembered that the Lille police station was only a few blocks away. "All right," he thought. "If I can't bring the police to my car, I'll bring my car to the police."

Then he pushed the accelerator to the floor. The car crashed through the doors and stopped in the courtyard of the police station. Mr. Lestarquit yelled, "Help! He's going to kill me!" Then he reached back to grab the man's gun. Just as he grabbed it, the man pulled the trigger. The bullet went through Mr. Lestarquit's hand. Before the man could pull the trigger again, Mr. Lestarquit opened the car door and fell to the ground. Officers from the police station, who had come running when they heard the crash, quickly held the man. It was 6:30 p.m. — exactly 35 minutes since the Lestarquits had left their daughter's house on a quiet street in Lille.

It seemed to Jean Lestarquit that for those 35 minutes he had stepped out of the real world and into an action film. There were so many things action films have — a man with a gun, a hero, and a speeding car. It is fortunate for Jean Lestarquit that there was one more thing most action films have: a happy ending.

6. When Mr. Lestarquit saw a man pointing a gun at him, his first response was that \_\_\_\_\_.
- A) he worried about his wife
  - B) he worried about his daughter
  - C) he agreed to do whatever the man told him to
  - D) he tried to drive the car to the police station
7. Mr. Lestarquit's first attempt to get the attention of the police failed because \_\_\_\_\_.
- A) the man with the gun knew his plan
  - B) the man with the gun was stronger than he was
  - C) he drove slowly
  - D) there was no police car in sight
8. In order \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Lestarquit began driving like a madman.
- A) to run away from the man with the gun
  - B) to get the police's attention
  - C) to distract the man with the gun
  - D) to get to the police station as soon as possible
9. It seems that \_\_\_\_\_.
- A) Mr. Lestarquit was in Lille for the first time

- B) Mr. Lestarquit was in Lille more than one time
- C) Mr. Lestarquit knew why the man with the gun wanted to go to Paris
- D) Mr. Lestarquit had been a policeman himself

10. All the following are true except \_\_\_\_\_.
- A) Mr. Lestarquit is cleverer than the man with the gun ✓
  - B) The police are the most stupid of all
  - C) Mind is sometimes more powerful than muscle ✓
  - D) Action films usually have a happy ending

### Passage Three

Theirs is a modern love drama: They met on the Internet and fell deeply in love with each other. They shared secrets, memories, feelings — even though they had never laid eyes on each other. And now, the very technology that had brought them together was tearing them apart.

“Kevin” is a pleasing fellow — quick with a smile, trustworthy. A security guard for a hospital in northern Idaho, he keeps emergency room patients company and walks nurses to their cars at night. He remembers the first day he went to the Internet. It was August 1995, and the computer was in the hospital library. It wasn't long before he was spending most of his free time in front of the screen.

It was purely by accident, Kevin says, that he discovered online pornography. First he looked out of curiosity “Each time I thought I had seen it all,” he says, “some new sex practice popped up. Eventually, the online sex world came to take the place of any real-world contact with women. “I can be a little bit shy,” he says, “and this was an alternative that kept me from feeling lonely.”

Then came a message from “Marie”, a young mother of three looking for company on an Internet singles site. Kevin fired off an immediate response, and the two began a dialogue that would last two months before he made the 50-mile drive to meet her. A few months later, they were married.

What Marie loved about Kevin was his kindness, his interest in her kids. What she didn't know was that every time she was reading one of Kevin's love e-mails, he was at the other end of the connection looking secretly at pornography sites. “I knew he was always online,” Marie says. “But I thought that it was just because he was interested in meeting new people.”

Whenever Kevin was home, he was online, with the door closed. A few times, he called her in to look at an especially “wild” site. She was annoyed but didn't worry until he turned away from her in bed. “Have you been looking again?” she would cry.

By January, Kevin knew he had a serious problem. He promised that he would never use the computer at home. But there was still the machine at the hospital. Every night, he would use his master key to get into the closed library and favour his curiosity as never before. Sometimes, for his entire eight-hour work time, he would sit in front of the screen. When his bosses asked him to look in on the library, where some “unusual” computer activity had been noticed, he stopped using the computer for

a month, and then headed straight back to the same place.

This time, though, he walked into a trick. Earlier this summer, the hospital installed cameras and software that recorded Kevin's every mouse click. On June 27, his bosses confronted him and took him to the police station nearby. He was kept in the station for three days. Now Kevin lives under the continual watch of his wife and his boss.

11. It is \_\_\_\_\_ that brings Kevin and Marie into love and marriage and then possibly separates them.  
 A) the Internet      B) Kevin's bosses      C) their love drama      D) the police
12. The phrase "popped up" in the middle of Paragraph 3 means \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A) appeared suddenly      B) left quickly      C) returned quickly      D) moved quickly
13. In the first place Kevin was a man of \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A) honesty      B) dishonesty      C) lies      D) sympathy
14. We know for sure that by and by Kevin almost forgot his role \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A) as a father      B) as a husband  
 C) as a security guard      D) as an actor
15. Which of the following statements is not true?  
 A) Kevin had seen Marie before their marriage.  
 B) Before their marriage Marie didn't know Kevin was online looking at some pornography sites.  
 C) Had Kevin stopped looking online for pornography for ever, he would not have been kept in the police station for three days.  
 D) The relationship between Kevin and Marie as husband and wife will remain the same as before.

#### Passage Four

Strip cartoons in newspapers are immensely popular. Some people only buy certain newspapers in order to follow the adventures of their favourite cartoon characters. Generally speaking, strip cartoons are neither subtle nor unkind. Their appeal rests largely on the fact that ordinary people can identify with them: 'the little man' in the office, the ups and downs of suburban married life, the domineering behaviour of neighbours, children, relations and household pets, to say nothing of cars, washing machines, vacuum cleaners and similar contraptions which frequently seem to have a will of their own.

Weary commuters battling with public transport, harassed housewives, underpaid secretaries and clerks – hard-working people who don't live exciting lives – can laugh

at themselves in these cartoons. Sometimes a strip cartoon represents a world of pure fantasy in which Superman or Wonder Woman always emerges triumphant in spite of the most hair-raising adventures. We know we aren't really like that, but it's fun to think we could be if we had the chance.

Political cartoons are essentially topical and pull no punches. Their wit mirrors the absurdities, prejudices and blunders in law and order and current affairs. The physical characteristics of prominent men and women in Government or State are mercilessly caricatured. Since the English, with the inborn independence of an island race, have a healthy contempt for bureaucracy and are cheerfully critical of whatever government happens to be in office, political cartoons provide an endless source of amusement. After all, as a famous politician is reported to have said: "politics is too serious a matter to be left to politicians."

16. Strip cartoons generally \_\_\_\_\_.
- A) represent people we know personally
  - B) are a means of identification
  - C) are not intended to be offensive ×
  - D) bear little relation to ordinary life ×
17. In the opinion of the writer some household appliances \_\_\_\_\_.
- A) behave as if they were human
  - B) are always falling to pieces
  - C) are fitted with no controls
  - D) are not designed to work efficiently
18. Cartoons of office or domestic life have a particular appeal for people who \_\_\_\_\_.
- A) have plenty of self-confidence
  - B) like to indulge in their fantasies
  - C) have routine jobs
  - D) envy their superiors
19. Political cartoonists are not afraid to \_\_\_\_\_.
- A) misrepresent public opinion
  - B) ridicule government policy
  - C) offend public opinion
  - D) break the law
20. Whatever form of government is elected, the general public will invariably \_\_\_\_\_.
- A) ignore it
  - B) reject it
  - C) laugh at it
  - D) find fault with it

### Passage Five

An ecosystem exists in a state of equilibrium. It can support a certain number plants and animals of different species. When the population of one animal increases, there will be a change in the ecosystem. There will not be enough food and water for all the animals. Consequently, some will die. The system will return to its state of

equilibrium. The ecosystem regulates itself to the same way as a thermostat regulates the temperature in a heating system.

Ecosystems are not static – they change all the time. Plants and animals are able to adapt to changes in the physical environment. It is possible to predict changes. For example, when fire destroys the vegetation in a region, there will be certain changes. First grass and some flowers will grow. Then insects will appear. The wind will blow the seeds of small trees. These trees will grow and birds will appear. As the trees grow, the grass will disappear and a dense forest will develop. Some trees cannot live in a dense forest and will die. Other trees will develop and a community of birds and animals will live in the forest.

During long periods of time ecosystems evolve. The evolution of an ecosystem is caused by factors inside and outside it. Consider the evolution of the atmosphere. When life began on earth, the atmosphere contained nitrogen, hydrogen and other gases but no oxygen. There was no ozone in the atmosphere. Consequently, the sun's rays prevented life from developing on land. The first living organisms developed under the sea. After the evolution of photosynthesis, the oxygen in the atmosphere increased and life expanded. Complex living organisms developed. As the oxygen in the atmosphere increased, a layer of ozone was formed. Life was then possible on the surface of the earth. Life on earth depends on the equilibrium of the atmosphere. There is now a danger that man-made pollution will destroy the equilibrium.

21 The word "ecosystem" most probably means

- A) a system which deals with the relationship of plants, animals, and people to each other and to their surrounding.
- B) a system which supports a certain number of plants and animals of different species.
- C) a system of evolution
- D) a system which prevent plants, animals and people from pollution

22 If an ecosystem loses its state of equilibrium,

- A) a change will take place and as a result, a new state of equilibrium will be obtained.
- B) the population of all animals will increase.
- C) there will be enough food and water for all animals.
- D) it will regulate the surrounding temperature just as a thermostat does in a heating system.

23 The first living organisms did not develop on land because \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) the sun's rays couldn't reach the surface of the land
- B) a layer of ozone was not formed
- C) all the surface of the earth was covered with water.
- D) there was too much oxygen in the atmosphere.

24 In regard to a. nitrogen in the atmosphere; b. oxygen in the atmosphere; c. life on earth; d. a layer of ozone, which of the following lists the correct order of the

appearance of these processes during earth's evolution?

- A) a c b d      B) a d b c      C) a b d c      D) d c b a

25. We can title this passage

- A) The Evolution of the Atmosphere  
 B) The Evolution of Photosynthesis  
 C) The Danger of Man-made Pollution  
 D) The Evolution of the Ecosystem

**Part II Vocabulary and Structure**(15 points)

**Directions:** There are 30 incomplete sentences in this part. For each sentence there are four choices marked A), B), C) and D). Choose the answer that best complete the sentence.

26. In preparing scientific reports of laboratory experiments, a student should \_\_\_\_\_ his results in logical order and clear language.

- A) perceive      B) protest      C) raise      D) present

27. The coming of the railways in the 1830s \_\_\_\_\_ our society and economic life.

- A) transformed      B) transported      C) transferred      D) translated

28. If you want to know the train timetable, please \_\_\_\_\_ at the booking office.

- A) acquire      B) inquire      C) request      D) require

29. If you think that the illness might be serious you should not \_\_\_\_\_ going to the doctor.

- A) put off      B) hold back      C) put away      D) hold up

30. To cheat or not to cheat, this is a \_\_\_\_\_ of honesty.

- A) question      B) problem      C) request      D) issue

31. The \_\_\_\_\_ she is in is whether to get married and live her own life or to stay at home supporting the family.

- A) trouble      B) problem      C) choice      D) dilemma

32. You asked me if you should move your parents in. Well, I can't advise you on such a question; it's a matter of \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) consciousness      B) conscience      C) kindness      D) sympathy

33. I work in the English department that \_\_\_\_\_ three teaching sections.  
A) makes of            B) constitutes            C) consists of            D) forms
34. In our discussion today I'd like first to \_\_\_\_\_ the influences that the Internet will exercise on modern life.  
A) account to            B) account for            C) talk            D) say
35. The strike was not a success because of the workers' leader who \_\_\_\_\_ the managers.  
A) sold out to            B) sold out            C) sold off            D) sold up
36. The heating system here has an \_\_\_\_\_ temperature control.  
A) aggressive            B) intentional            C) accidental            D) automatic
37. It is nice to travel with \_\_\_\_\_ paid by your employers, at no cost to yourself.  
A) facilities            B) costs            C) loans            D) activities
38. The gasoline \_\_\_\_\_ destroyed the company and injured many people.  
A) explored            B) extended            C) exported            D) explosion
39. Only two people survived the fire that \_\_\_\_\_ at midnight.  
A) broke out            B) broke off            C) broke up            D) broke down
40. The policeman went from house to house, \_\_\_\_\_ whether anyone had seen the lost boy.  
A) inquiring            B) interrupting            C) informing            D) introduction
41. On our trip out of the country we visited \_\_\_\_\_ in England.  
A) relationship            B) relations            C) relatives            D) personnel
42. Most people have no real idea how to change to healthy food, and Maureen was no \_\_\_\_\_.  
A) foundation            B) possibility            C) exception            D) ignorance
43. He always knew what time it was, as if by \_\_\_\_\_.