**东南大学成贤学院考试卷**（期中A卷）

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| **课程名称** | **大学英语二** | | **适用专业** | **21级所有专业** | |
| **考试学期** | **21-22-2** | **考试形式** | **开卷□闭卷**☑  **半开卷□** | **考试时间** | **80分钟** |
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**Part II Reading Comprehension (**本题共5小题，满分15分**)**

**Directions:** *There is one passage 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 Answer Sheet with a single line through the centre.*

**Questions 26 to 30 are based on the following passage. (周三1-2节)**

Sometimes your biggest weakness can become your biggest strength. Take, for example, the story of a 10-year-old boy who decided to study judo despite the fact that he had lost his left arm in a devastating car accident.

The boy began lessons with an old judo master. The boy was doing well, so he couldn't understand why, after three months of training, the master had taught him only one move.

"Mister," the boy finally said, "shouldn't I be learning more moves?"

"This is the only move you know, but this is the only move you'll ever need to know," the teacher replied.

Not quite understanding, but believing in his teacher, the boy kept training. Several months later, the teacher took the boy to his first tournament. Surprising himself, the boy easily won his first two matches. The third match proved to be more difficult, but after some time, his opponent became impatient and charged; the boy deftly used his one move to win the match. Still amazed by his success, the boy was now in the finals. This time, his opponent was bigger, stronger, and more experienced. For a while, the boy appeared to be overmatched. Concerned that the boy might get hurt, the referee called a timeout,. He was about to stop the match when the teacher intervened.

"No," the teacher insisted, "let him continue."

Soon after the match resumed, his opponent made a big mistake: he dropped his guard. Instantly, the boy had won the match and the tournament. He was the champion.

On the way home, the boy and the teacher reviewed every move in each and every match. Then the boy gathered the courage to ask what was really on his mind. "Mister, how did I win the tournament with only one move?"

"You won for two reasons," the teacher answered. "First, you've almost mastered one of the most difficult throws in all of judo. Second, the only known defense for that move is for your opponent to grab your left arm."

The boy's biggest weakness had become his biggest strength.

26. How did the boy lose his left arm?

A. He was in an air crash.

B. He accidentally cut it.

C. He was in a terrible car accident.

D. He had an accident in judo training.

27. Why did the teacher teach the boy only one move?

A. Because the boy was only ten years old.

B. Because the boy just trained for three months.

C. Because it's the only move the teacher knew.

D. Because the teacher said it's the only move the boy needed to know.

28. Why did the referee call a timeout?

A. Because the boy's opponent was bigger, stronger and more experienced.

B. Because the boy appeared to be overmatched.

C. Because the referee concerned that the boy might get hurt.

D. Because the teacher intervened.

29. Which is NOT the reason the boy win the tournament with only one move?

A. He'd almost mastered one of the most difficult throws in all of judo.

B. His opponent made a big mistake.

C. The only known defense for that move is for the boy's opponent to grab his left arm.

D. His weakness became his strength.

30. Which of the following can be the best title for the passage?

A. How to Make Your Biggest Weakness Become Your Biggest Strength.

B. How to Learn Judo.

C. How to Be a Champion.

D. How to Teach a Disabled Boy to Learn Judo.

**Part III Writing (**本题1题，满分35分**)**

**Directions:** *For this part, you are allowed thirty minutes to write an essay entitled* ***Success Cannot Be Achieved Without Patience****. You should write at least 120 words but no more than 180 words. Write your essay on* ***the******Answer Sheet.* (周三1-2节)**

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