

Unit 1 Overview

1、1. The register of the following discourse is____. I, James Bond, take you, Judith Kroll, to be my wife, to have and to hold from this day forward, for better, for worse, for richer, for poorer, in sickness and in health, to love and to cherish, till death us do part, according to God's holy law, in the presence of God I make this vow.

- A、static
- B、formal
- C、consultative
- D、casual

参考答案：A

2、Which of the following is NOT the purpose of nominalization?

A 、 Increase information density and facilitate efficiency and accuracy of communication.

- B、Express concrete concepts.
- C、Make writing more professional.
- D、Maintain connections between ideas.

参考答案：B

3、Which of the following statement is TRUE?

A、“It’s possible that he’ll be late.” sounds more formal than “There is possibility that he’ll be late.”

B、Nominalization can hide the object behind an action.

C、The 4-step procedure mentioned in the video is to transform a formal sentence into a more formal one.

D 、 The sentence nominalization formula consists of 4 steps, writing a simple sentence, nominalizing a main verb or adjective, adding a second verb and writing the additional information.

参考答案：D

4、“The U.S. constitution” is not a good title for an essay, because it is too general.

参考答案：正确

5、For beginner writers, the title should be as short as possible.

参考答案：错误

6、Nominalization is the process of converting simple nouns within a sentence to complex nouns.

参考答案：错误

7、When writing an academic paper, you should nominalize as many words as possible.

参考答案：错误

8、First personal pronouns can never be used in academic paper.

参考答案：错误

9、You can use "he or she" to avoid gender discrimination every time when you mean "everyone".

参考答案：错误

10、If the authors are to announce the results of their study, they can just state the results without saying "we think that..."

参考答案：正确

Assignment for Unit 1

1	Directions:	Write	greetings	in	5	registers.	1.	Frozen	-
							2.	Formal	-
							3.	Consultative	-
							4.	Casual	-
							5.	Intimate	-

参考答案：内容 5 分：能清楚体现 5 种语域特征的得 5 分。无法体现的 0 分。其余情

况酌情给分。语言 5 分：语言流畅基本无语法错误得 5 分，语言错误较多得 1 分，其余情况酌情给分。

Unit 2 Literature Review

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1、What should you do when you write a literature review?

- A、Gather and put in all the information you have acquired.
- B、Write in the same way as you do for a book report.
- C、Include a critical analysis of various opinions from credible sources.
- D、Answer the research question with a brief overview of the topic.

参考答案：C

2、What is included in a complex model of literature review but NOT included in a simple one?

- A、Research topic
- B、Research interest
- C、Thesis statement
- D、Research question

参考答案：D

3、What should we think about when we begin to write a literature review?

- A、What are the seminal works on my topic? Do I need to mention these?
- B、What progress has been made since these seminal works?
- C、What are the most relevant recent works? What is the best order to mention these

works?

- D、All of the above.

参考答案：D

4、When you'd like to trace the development of research topic over a period, which of following method would you adopt to organize your literature review?

- A、Chronological
- B、Thematic
- C、Methodological
- D、Theoretical

参考答案： A

5、Reporting verbs can indicate either

- A、the author's personal viewpoint.
- B、the author's viewpoint regarding other literature.
- C、your viewpoint regarding what the author says.
- D、All of the options.

参考答案： D

6、Which of the following reporting verbs could be categorized as strong?

- A、suggest
- B、reject
- C、assume
- D、propose

参考答案： B

7、Which of the following tenses could be used when the year of publication is stated within the main sentence.

- A、The past tense
- B、The present simple
- C、The present perfect
- D、The past perfect

参考答案： A

8、Which of the following tenses could be used to discuss previously published works which is generally considered to be established knowledge?

- A、The past tense
- B、The present simple
- C、The present perfect
- D、The past perfect

参考答案： B

9、To avoid plagiarism and conform to academic ethics, you need to provide reference to every citation and check for plagiarism before submitting your paper.

参考答案：正确

10、Paraphrasing is to explain the original ideas of a passage, chapter, article or book in fewer words.

参考答案：错误

Assignment for Unit 2

1、Write a short review of at least five research papers on citation practice or from your own field. Use the reference system that you are most comfortable with. Write no less than 300 words, but no more than 400 words.

参考答案：内容及步骤：引出问题、历史梳理/理论梳理/方法梳理、总结评判、发现新问题、提出自己的研究目的或假设 具体标准：包含文献综述的所有内容、要点 (5'); 包含基本内容要点, 漏掉 1、2 个次重点(4') ;包含多数内容要点(3') ;漏掉或未能有效阐述主要内容要点(2') ; 明显遗漏主要内容, 且有许多不相关的内容 (1')未作答 (0') 使用清晰的语法结构和合适的学术词汇 (2') 有一些语法及词汇错误, 但不影响理解 (1') 引用充分、并且有效地采用了多种引用方法 (3')

Unit 3 Methods & Results

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1、In the elements of the Method Section, _____ refer to the precautions taken to make sure that the data are valid.

- A、Overviews
- B、Populations
- C、Restrictions
- D、Materials

参考答案：C

2、When the author uses "Methodology" as the title of this section, he/she needs to provide the _____ for how the experiment was designed and conducted for the current study.

- A、models
- B、replies
- C、restrictions

D、rationales

参考答案：D

3、Sequence markers in English are a certain group of items that link sentences together into a larger unit of _____.

A、words

B、sentences

C、discourse

D、phrases

参考答案：C

4、Strictly speaking, the purpose of _____ is to show similarities while contrast is used to show differences.

A、comparison

B、contrast

C、conjunction

D、connection

参考答案：A

5、One way is to examine one thing thoroughly and then examine the other. This method is called _____ comparison or contrast.

A、alternating

B、block

C、black

D、alternative

参考答案：B

6、The Method Section is considered the most important section because it appears in the middle of a research paper.

参考答案：错误

7、The Method Section can be called Materials and Methods in natural sciences.

参考答案：正确

8、The Results Section can only be presented both in diagrams or graphs.

参考答案：错误

9、The process paragraphs are usually developed step by step in a chronological or logical sequence.

参考答案：正确

10、You can choose any information or data from the graph when you describe a graph.

参考答案：错误

Assignment for Unit 3

1、The line graph below shows the sales amount of an online shop last week. Write a short passage describing the sales amount of an online shop in a week with the information presented in the attached graph. See the attachment for the graph.

参考答案：The task fulfilment: a .Satisfying the requirements of the task; b. Presenting a clear overview of the trends, differences or stages with a clear purpose; c. Highlighting key features in the graphTopic sentence: Stating a clear overview of the trends or a main ideaSupporting sentences: a. Describing the data with evidence; b. Making necessary comparison or contrast; c. Making some explanation if possibleConcluding sentence: Concluding the paragraph with a statementLanguage points: Grammatical usage; Lexical usage; The use of coherence and cohesion

Unit 4 Discussion & Conclusion

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1、A strong thesis statement makes a claim that offers some point about the significance of our evidence that requires further argumentation.

参考答案：正确

2、“Shopping malls are wonderful places.” is a weak thesis statement in that it restates

conventional wisdom.

参考答案： 错误

3、A weak thesis statement either makes no claim or makes a claim that does not need proving.

参考答案： 正确

4、Oversimplification should be avoided because many problems have complex causes and complex effects.

参考答案： 正确

5、Effects are the consequences of an event and they respond to the question "Why did that event happen?"

参考答案： 错误

6、If you can discuss a cause without having to discuss any other causes then very likely it is an indirect cause.

参考答案： 错误

7、Beginning the Discussion section an author would possibly refer back to papers he/she cited in the Review of the Literature.

参考答案： 正确

8、"What implications are revealed in my results?" is a question to consider after drafting the Discussion section.

参考答案： 错误

9、To end the Discussion section which also has a Conclusion, the author may admit what she/he has not been able to do and as a consequence cannot provide conclusions on.

参考答案：正确

10 、 One of the key elements of the Conclusion section is a final judgment on the importance and significance of the findings in terms of their implications and impact, along with possible applications to other areas.

参考答案：正确

11 、 Unlike the Abstract and Introduction , the Conclusions section does provide background details.

参考答案：错误

12 、 Redundancy, raising a totally new point, understatement, anticlimax are the typical issues in structuring the Conclusion.

参考答案：错误

Assignment for Unit 4

1 、 Write a conclusion section according to the following sample of Results and Discussion. (See the attached file for the sample of Results and Discussion.) Directions: Include the key elements of a Conclusion section in relation to the sample. Write at least 150 words in one or more paragraphs. Avoid typical issues in structuring the Conclusion, such as redundancy, overstatement, anticlimax and so on. Use appropriate academic style of language. Follow grammar rules.

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Unit 5 Publication

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1 、 is always together with abstract.

A 、 Abstract

- B、Keywords
- C、Reference
- D、Acknowledgement
- E、Cover letter

参考答案： B

2、 is used to avoid plagiarism.

- A、 Abstract
- B、 Keywords
- C、 Reference
- D、 Acknowledgement
- E、 Cover letter

参考答案： C

3、 is the last part of a paper to write.

- A、 Abstract
- B、 Keywords
- C、 Reference
- D、 Acknowledgement
- E、 Cover letter

参考答案： A

4、 is used to express gratitude.

- A、 Abstract
- B、 Keywords
- C、 Reference
- D、 Acknowledgement
- E、 Cover letter

参考答案： D

5、 is used to inform editor of paper publication.

- A、 Abstract
- B、 Keywords
- C、 Reference
- D、 Acknowledgement
- E、 Cover letter

参考答案：E

6、Generally, a complete abstract should include several key elements like the background, the problem, the method, the results, etc.

参考答案：正确

7、Generally, keywords can be more than 6 words in an abstract.

参考答案：错误

8、A good Reference should be authoritative, up-to-date, and journal-targeted.

参考答案：正确

9、Acknowledgement is an unnecessary part in a dissertation.

参考答案：错误

10、Cover letter should claim the originality of the paper.

参考答案：正确

Assignment for Unit 5

1、Write an acknowledgement within 200 words. Suppose you are a graduate writing your dissertation. You need to give thanks to your supervisor, your teachers or your friends who have already helped you.

参考答案：标题：正确写出 Acknowledgements。内容：正确写出对导师、老师和朋友的感谢并给出恰当的理由。语法词汇：正确使用清晰的语法结构，正确使用与致谢相关的句型结构和词汇。字数要求：字数低于 150 字扣 1 分，字数超过 200 扣 1 分。

Test

Academic English Writing: Final

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D 、 The sentence nominalization formula consists of 4 steps, writing a simple sentence, nominalizing a main verb or adjective, adding a second verb and writing the additional information.

参考答案： D

3、 To avoid plagiarism, graduate students can_____.

A、 not use others’ ideas

B、 use exactly the same idea as others’

C、 not use exactly the same language when borrowing ideas

D、 use the authors’ language but not the ideas

参考答案： C

4、 Which of the following statements is TRUE in terms of paraphrasing?

A、 Syntactic paraphrasing is to maintain the sentence structure.

B、 Lexical paraphrasing is enough for short sentences.

C、 Lexical+syntactic paraphrasing is better than separate use of lexical or syntactic paraphrasing.

D、 Lexical paraphrasing is the best for beginner writers.

参考答案： C

5、 Which of the following paraphrasing techniques is NOT mentioned in the video?

- A、Paraphrasing with synonyms or changed word forms.
- B、Negative-positive or vice versa.
- C、Subject replacement.
- D、Reverse word order.

参考答案：D

6、“Does the data I use support my hypotheses, which I put forward at the start of the article?” is a question to consider _____ drafting the Discussion.

- A、without
- B、before
- C、despite
- D、after

参考答案：B

7、To begin the Discussion section, you may remind readers of your _____, preferably in a single sentence.

- A、gates
- B、gains
- C、goals
- D、growth

参考答案：C

8、Discussion sections which do not have a Conclusion may end with _____.

- A、what the findings supply
- B、what the findings apply
- C、what the findings comply
- D、what the findings imply

参考答案：D

9、Unlike the Abstract and Introduction, the Conclusions section does not _____.

- A、provide background details
- B、prove background details
- C、provoke background details
- D、propose background details

参考答案：A

10、Redundancy, raising a totally new point, _____ and anticlimax are the typical issues in structuring the Conclusion.

- A、 understatement
- B、 overstatement
- C、 restatement
- D、 super-statement

参考答案： B

11、 One of the key elements of the Conclusion section is a final _____ on the significance of the findings in terms of their implications and impact, along with possible applications to other areas.

- A、 replaceeplacementreplacementreplacement replacement
- B、 settlement
- C、 compliment
- D、 judgment

参考答案： D

12、 _____ answer the question "Why did the event happen?"

- A、 Causes
- B、 Effects
- C、 Direct causes
- D、 Direct effects

参考答案： A

13、 If you can discuss a cause without having to discuss any other causes, then very likely it is a _____ cause.

- A、 divided
- B、 different
- C、 direct
- D、 dietary

参考答案： C

14、 A _____ means two unrelated things happening together.

- A、 counterpart

- B、coincidence
- C、coordination
- D、cooperation

参考答案：B

15、If you are describing ideas and concepts, _____ language is appropriate.

- A、general
- B、concrete
- C、specific
- D、abstract

参考答案：D

16、Compared with the sign 'HOUSE FOR SALE', 'HOME FOR SALE' may be preferred for advertisement because the word 'home' is full of _____.

- A、denotations
- B、conceptions
- C、connotations
- D、definitions

参考答案：C

17、Speaking of basic sentence structures we may think of all of the following except _____.

- A、compound sentences
- B、common sentences
- C、complex sentences
- D、compound-complex sentences

参考答案：B

18、A ____ thesis statement may make a claim that requires analysis to support and evolve it.

- A、weak
- B、great
- C、strong
- D、strange

参考答案：C

19、“Shopping malls are wonderful places.” is a weak thesis statement in that it _____.

- A、restates conventional wisdom
- B、offers personal conviction as the basis for the claim
- C、is obviously true or a statement of fact
- D、makes an overly broad claim

参考答案： B

20、 A weak thesis statement _____.

- A、 either makes no claim or makes a claim that does not need ranking
- B、 either makes no claim or makes a claim that does not need thinking
- C、 either makes no claim or makes a claim that does not need proving
- D、 either makes no claim or makes a claim that does not need sorting

参考答案： C

21、 In writing the Method Section, the author needs to _____.

- A、 describe the procedures very clearly and logically
- B、 review the literature relevant to the study again
- C、 provide the detailed information about the research background
- D、 present the implications of the present study

参考答案： A

22、 Which of the following words or expressions can NOT be used as a sequential marker?

- A、 initially
- B、 simultaneously
- C、 although
- D、 subsequently

参考答案： C

23、 The authors prefer to use the adjectives such as “apparent” and “obvious” when describing the information of the graphs because they want to____ the significant data.

- A、 revise
- B、 modify
- C、 verify

D、highlight

参考答案：D

24、Which of the following statements is NOT true when we describe the information in a graph and make some comparison?

A、Not all the information has to be compared with each other.

B、We only compare the information which we are very familiar with.

C、When comparing the information in the graphs, it is not necessary to lay equal emphasis on every change.

D、The comparison should be supported by concrete and relevant facts or data.

参考答案：B

25、Sequential markers can help establish clear _____ between ideas and ensure that sentences and paragraphs flow together smoothly, making them easier to read.

A、principles

B、connections

C、company

D、alternation

参考答案：B

26、Which of the words and expressions can be used to show contrast?

A、likewise

B、as well as

C、have ... in common

D、on the contrary

参考答案：D

27、The Method Section provides the information by which the _____ and credibility of a study can ultimately be judged.

A、variety

B、importance

C、validity

D、significance

参考答案：C

28、 Which of the statements is NOT true about the Method Section?

A、 The authors can use "Methodology" as the title of the Method Section when they provide the rationale for the specific experimental procedures chosen.

B、 The researcher must provide a clear and precise description of how an experiment was carried out.

C、 The Method Section is very important because it provides the information of data collection and data analysis.

D、 Besides the description of the steps that you followed in conducting your study, you still need to describe how the statistics were examined in the Method Section.

参考答案： C

29、 We need to choose the _____ and most important data to describe when we make the description of a table.

A、 repetitive

B、 relevant

C、 rhetoric

D、 redundant

参考答案： B

30、 When referring to a figure, you can use an expression like _____.

A、 As shown in Figure 1...

B、 It appears that...

C、 It is reported that...

D、 It may be concluded that...

参考答案： A

31、 To write a literature review, what should you write about after discussing the limitations of the previous works?

A、 The way my work intend to fill this gap.

B、 The gap revealed by these limitations.

C、 The seminal works on this topic.

D、 The achievements of the recent works.

参考答案： B

32、 If you plan to discuss various theories, models, and definitions of key concepts in

your literature review, which of following method would you adopt to organize it?

- A、Chronological
- B、Thematic
- C、Methodological
- D、Theoretical

参考答案：D

33、If you want to highlight an important point when citing others' work, which reporting verb is most suitable?

- A、note
- B、mention
- C、emphasize
- D、conclude

参考答案：C

34、Which of the following reporting verbs could be categorized as tentative?

- A、suggest
- B、assert
- C、maintain
- D、reject

参考答案：A

35、Which of the following tenses could be used when you mention specific pieces of research in which the approaches or methods have probably been abandoned?

- A、The past tense
- B、The present simple
- C、The present perfect
- D、The past perfect

参考答案：A

36、Which of the following tenses could be used to refer to ongoing situations, i.e. when authors are still investigating a particular field?

- A、The past tense
- B、The present simple
- C、The present perfect
- D、The past perfect

参考答案： C

37、 _____ is used for communication between the editor and authors.

- A、 Abstract
- B、 Cover letter
- C、 Acknowledgement
- D、 Reference

参考答案： B

38、 _____ is used for expressing the main idea of the paper.

- A、 Abstract
- B、 Cover letter
- C、 Acknowledgement
- D、 Reference

参考答案： A

39、 _____ is used to give thanks to financial funders or teachers who have helped the paper writer.

- A、 Abstract
- B、 Cover letter
- C、 Acknowledgement
- D、 Reference

参考答案： C

40、 The register of the following discourse is _____. – yo, sup? – Readin – What ya readin' bout?

- A、 static
- B、 formal
- C、 consultative
- D、 casual
- E、 personal

参考答案： D

41、 The register of the following discourse is _____. Dear Professor Adams, I'm texting you

to ask for a sick leave for your class of next week. I was just diagnosed as having flu, which is contagious. Can I have your PowerPoint to make it up? Thank you very much for your understanding.

- A、static
- B、formal
- C、consultative
- D、casual
- E、personal

参考答案：C

42、The register of the following discourse is _____. I, James Bond, take you, Judith Kroll, to be my wife, to have and to hold from this day forward, for better, for worse, for richer, for poorer, in sickness and in health, to love and to cherish, till death us do part, according to God's holy law, in the presence of God I make this vow.

- A、static
- B、formal
- C、consultative
- D、casual
- E、personal

参考答案：A

43、The register of the following discourse is _____. My fellow citizens: I stand here today humbled by the task before us, grateful for the trust you have bestowed, mindful of the sacrifices borne by our ancestors. I thank President Bush for his service to our nation, as well as the generosity and cooperation he has shown throughout this transition.

- A、static
- B、formal
- C、consultative
- D、casual
- E、personal

参考答案：B

44、The register of the following discourse is _____. I'm sick and tired of your crap!

- A、static
- B、formal
- C、consultative
- D、casual
- E、personal

参考答案：E

45、For beginner writers, the title should be as short as possible.

参考答案：错误

46、If you find a book highly relevant to your essay, you don't have to search for other materials.

参考答案：错误

47、A title should include key words, but doesn't have to include all key words.

参考答案：正确

48、A student should choose a topic for their essay based on professors' interest.

参考答案：错误

49、Nominalization makes writing more "written" and professional.

参考答案：正确

50、Structured abstract is better than informative abstract.

参考答案：错误

51、Keywords can be selected from the method used in a paper.

参考答案：正确

52、IEEE style is always used in medicine.

参考答案：错误

53、There are only two reference styles.

参考答案：错误

54、Reference is used to avoid unethical behaviors in academic writing.

参考答案：正确

55、For a paper, properly selected keywords can increase its possibilities of being read and cited.

参考答案：正确

56、Past tense can't be used in an abstract.

参考答案：错误

57、Cover letter is written to the author of a paper.

参考答案：错误

58、The contact information is unnecessary to be provided in a cover letter.

参考答案：错误

59、Acknowledgement sometimes will be omitted in a paper.

参考答案：正确

60、Acknowledgement is used to express gratitude to tutors but not fund providers.

参考答案：错误

61、The elements included in the Method Section should be the same in different journals.

参考答案：错误

62、In the Method Section, you should state the procedures of your experiment(s) and then report the results of your research questions.

参考答案：错误

63、When you conduct your experiments by following other researchers' methods, you should acknowledge these researchers to avoid plagiarism.

参考答案：正确

64、The Results Section may show the readers where the results can be found.

参考答案：正确

65、We only use the past tense when writing the Method Section and the Results Section.

参考答案：错误

66、The purpose of writing a literature review is to produce a thesis statement based on the current understanding about the research topic.

参考答案：正确

67、The simple complex literature review model not only presents the current state of knowledge about a topic but also argues how this knowledge reasonably leads to a problem or to a question requiring original research.

参考答案：错误

68、Your professor discussed some interesting ideas in today's lecture on Plato. It is not academically dishonest if you decide to use these ideas in your paper without giving the source.

参考答案：错误

69、To summarize is to give a shortened version of the written or spoken material, stating the main points and leaving out anything that is not essential.

参考答案：正确