

## 齐鲁工业大学《大学英语》

### 2017-2018 学年第一学期期末试卷

#### A 卷

##### I. Fill in the blanks in the following sentences with the words given below.

(答案填写单词前的大写字母编号。每空 2 分，共 20 分)

- |              |                  |             |               |
|--------------|------------------|-------------|---------------|
| A. cancel    | B. collaboration | C. generous | D. gratitude  |
| E. biography | F. impart        | G. hasty    | H. prosperous |
| I. render    | J. upgrade       |             |               |

1. As a teacher he was highly respected for his industry, patience, and his ability to \_\_\_\_\_ knowledge.
2. Unless a firm can \_\_\_\_\_ its products and services to remain ahead of the competition, the margin of profitability will be significantly reduced, with an attendant loss of market share.
3. Depressed people can of course make \_\_\_\_\_ and unwise decisions, and I made one such decision when, during my second term at Berkeley, I decided to give up my London flat.
4. He wrote to them, wishing every one of them and their families a truly Happy Christmas and a very \_\_\_\_\_ New Year.
5. About three years ago, she started reading \_\_\_\_\_ about her grandfather because she wanted to learn the truth for herself.
6. For health reasons the president has decided to \_\_\_\_\_ his planned visit to Italy.
7. This book is the product of several years of \_\_\_\_\_ between two leading universities.
8. The new club strives to educate its members to \_\_\_\_\_ service to the community.
9. Though he didn't have much to give, he was \_\_\_\_\_ with his money.
10. Father's Day is a day on which the people of many countries express their \_\_\_\_\_ and appreciation for their fathers by giving them gifts or greeting cards.

##### II. Fill in the blanks in the following sentences with the phrases or expressions given below.

(答案填写词组前的大写字母编号。每空 2 分，共 20 分)

- |                    |                    |                    |                    |
|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| K. for the sake of | L. fed up          | M. came to a close | N. caught my fancy |
| O. in concert      | P. is blessed with | Q. might as well   | R. on the whole    |
| S. refrain from    | T. referred to     |                    |                    |

1. I don't want to scare you unnecessarily, but you \_\_\_\_\_ face facts.

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2. As four days of talks \_\_\_\_\_, the opposing sides were still unable to agree on a temporary ceasefire in the region.
3. The only thing on sale that \_\_\_\_\_ was a little French clock.
4. For better health you must \_\_\_\_\_ eating too much.
5. The UN Secretary General believes that if member countries would act \_\_\_\_\_, the problem might be solved more easily.
6. The doctor asked her to try to keep drinking to a minimum while she is pregnant, \_\_\_\_\_ her own health and her baby's.
7. Although San' Mateo County \_\_\_\_\_ a number of extraordinarily beautiful parks, many refuse the admittance of dogs, or allow them only in certain areas.
8. There are a few small things that I don't like about my job, but \_\_\_\_\_ it is very enjoyable.
9. She got a little \_\_\_\_\_ with his habit of never allowing her to finish a sentence.
10. We have to take into account the data \_\_\_\_\_ in the annual report.

### III. Grammar. Choose the best one of the four choices.

(每空1分, 共15分)

1. After driving for thirty miles, she suddenly realized that she \_\_\_\_ in the wrong direction.  
A. was driving                      B. has been driving  
C. had been driving                D. drove
2. On his next birthday he \_\_\_\_\_ married for ten years.  
A. has been                        B. will be  
C. will have been                D. would have been
3. Those who have applied for the post \_\_\_\_\_ in the office.  
A. are being interviewed        B. are interviewing  
C. interviewing                    D. to be interviewing
4. Your proposal \_\_\_\_\_ by the committee soon.  
A. is discussed                    B. has been discussed  
C. is going to be discussed     D. will have been discussed
5. The children \_\_\_\_\_ many times not to play with fire.  
A. told                            B. have told  
C. have been told                D. are being told
6. If one \_\_\_\_\_ by vanity, he will be very particular about other's clothing and appearance.  
A. overcomes                      B. is overcome  
C. overcame                      D. has been overcame
7. The problem is \_\_\_\_\_ it may take time for new facts to become available.  
A. that                            B. how                    C. what                    D. if
8. For thousands of years man dreamed \_\_\_\_\_ seemed impossible dreams about flying.  
A. what                            B. that                    C. which                    D. why
9. The fact remains \_\_\_\_\_ we are behind many others.  
A. that                            B. why                    C. where                    D. how
10. How can you keep the machine \_\_\_\_\_ when you are away?  
A. run                            B. to run                C. running                D. being run
11. Before he came to New York, he had never heard a single English word \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. speak      B. to speak      C. spoke      D. spoken
12. What \_\_\_\_\_ next will be discussed at the next meeting.  
A. to do      B. is doing      C. will do      D. shall we do
13. Please write a report \_\_\_\_\_ the above subjects are to be covered.  
A. which      B. in which      C. that      D. in that
14. The shop offers almost everything \_\_\_\_\_ ranges from inexpensive to very expensive.  
A. that      B. which      C. who      D. in which
15. There are many children \_\_\_\_\_ behaviour is generally unacceptable.  
A. who      B. whom      C. whose      D. that

**IV. Reading Comprehension. Choose the best answer from the four choices.**

(每题 2 分, 共 20 分)

**Passage 1**

Why play games? Because they are fun, and a lot more besides. Following rules...planning your next move...acting as a team member...these are all “game” ideas that you will come across throughout your life.

Think about some of the games you played as a young child, such as rope-jumping and hide-and-seek. Such games are entertaining and fun. But perhaps more importantly, they translate life into exciting dramas that teach children some of the basic rules they will be expected to follow the rest of their lives, such as taking turns and cooperating(合作).

Many children’s games have a practical side. Children around the world play games that prepare them for work they will do as grown-ups. For instance, some Saudi Arabian children play a game called bones, which sharpens the hand-eye coordination (协调) needed in hunting.

Many sports encourage national or local pride. The most famous games of all, the Olympic Games, bring athletes from around the world together to take part in friendly competition. People who watch the event wave flags, knowing that a gold medal is a win for an entire country, not just the athlete who earned it. For countries experiencing natural disasters or war, an Olympic win can mean so much.

Sports are also an event that unites(团结) people. Soccer is the most popular sport in the world. People on all continents play it—some for fun and some for a living. Nicolette Iribarne, a Californian soccer player, has discovered a way to spread hope through soccer. He created a foundation to provide poor children with not only soccer balls but also a promising future.

Next time you play your favorite game of sport, think about why you enjoy it, what skills are needed, and whether these skills will help you in other aspects of your life.

1. Through playing hide-and-seek, children are expected to learn to \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. be a team leader      B. obey the basic rules  
C. act as a grown-up      D. predict possible danger
2. The underlined part in Paragraph 2 most probably means that games can \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. describe life in an exciting way      B. change your life experiences  
C. make learning life skills more interesting      D. change people’s views of sporting events.
3. According to the passage, why is winning Olympic medals so encouraging? \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. It inspires people’s deep love for the country.

- B. It proves the exceptional skills of the winners.  
C. It helps the country out of natural disasters.  
D. It earns the winners fame and fortune.
4. Iribarne's goal of forming the foundation is to C.  
A. bring fun to poor kids                      B. provide soccer balls for children  
C. give poor kids a chance for a better life    D. appeal to soccer players to help poor kids
5. What can be inferred from the passage? A.  
A. Games benefit people all their lives.  
B. Sports can get all athletes together.  
C. People are advised to play games for fun.  
D. Sports increase a country's competitiveness.

## Passage 2

"Congratulations, Mr. Jones, it's a girl."

Fatherhood is going to have a different meaning and bring forth a different response from every man who hears these words. Some feel pride when they receive the news, while others worry, wondering whether they will be good fathers. Although there are some men who like children and may have had considerable experience with them, others do not particularly care for children and spend little time with them. Many fathers and mothers have been planning and looking forward to children for some time. For other couples, pregnancy was an accident that both husband and wife have accepted willingly or unwillingly.

Whatever the response to the birth of a child, it is clear that the change from the role of husband to that of father is a difficult task. Yet, unfortunately, few attempts have been made to educate fathers in this process. Although numerous books have been written about American mothers, only recently has literature focused on the role of a father.

It is argued by some writers that the transition to the father's role, although difficult, is not nearly as great as the change the wife must make to the mother's role. The mother's role seems to require a complete change in daily routine and adjustment, and the father's role is less demanding and immediate. However, even though we mentioned the fact that growing numbers of women are working outside the home, the father is still thought by many as the breadwinner in the household.

6. According to the author, how do men feel after they become fathers? \_\_\_\_\_  
A. They feel like they need some more experience.  
B. They have a feeling that they must do a lot of planning.  
C. Some men feel proud and others uneasy  
D. They have a feeling of not caring about things.
7. Which of the following is stated in the passage? \_\_\_\_\_  
A. Some parents have a child accidentally and they are not prepared.  
B. Young couples do not want to have children at all these days.  
C. Working couples turn to their parents to take care of their children.  
D. Many parents look forward to having a girl as their first child
8. In the third paragraph, the author \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. thinks fathers should take their responsibilities in raising children  
B. criticizes writers for writing so much about being a father

- C. supports the idea that a father should also run the home well  
D. complains that husbands cannot get much help being a father
9. The change of the mother's role requires that the wife \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. just do whatever she likes to do in her life  
B. change completely to deal with the new situation  
C. work only within her own home if she can  
D. help her husband with his trade or business
10. Some writers argue that with respect to the change of roles, fathers, compared with mothers, \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. have to bear more burdens  
B. make a more difficult adjustment  
C. have an easier job to do  
D. shoulder more burdens

## V. Translation. (共 10 分)

### A. From Chinese into English. (每题 2 分, 共 6 分)

1. 这是我所看到的第一部电影。

2. 听到这个消息，他们立即出发去火车站。

3. 她太年轻，理解不了这些事情。

### B. From English into Chinese. (每题 2 分, 共 4 分)

1. But, is public support for the international space effort necessary, given that politicians seem determined to press ahead with it anyway?

2. Then, about three weeks into the semester, it becomes clear that the Leader wants students to discover his version of truth. Behind the Leader's democratic guise there hides a dictator.

## VI. Writing. For this part, you are required to write a passage entitled *The Importance of*

***Showing Gratitude.*** You should write at least 100 words according to the outline given below:

(本题共 15 分)

1. 向帮助过我们的人表示感激，不仅有必要而且很重要。
2. 我们应该如何表示感激。
3. 你的结论。

#### **The Importance of Showing Gratitude**

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