**Part I Reading Comprehension（30%）2018.11**

**Passage1**

Flores Colque celebrated her 118h birthday last month. She is the oldest woman in Bolivia（玻利维亚）.Following the death of a woman in Japan earlier this year，Flores Colque may now be the oldest person in the world. Her national paper says Flores Colque was born on October 26，1900 in the mountains of Bolivia.

During her long life，Flores Colque has seen two world wars. Her home country of Bolivia had a major revolution. And the town where she is from has grown from 3，000 people to 175，000.But right now，Flores Colque seems mostly interested in her dogs and cats. She has not heard of the Guinness Book of World Records，and she does not care whether experts confirm she is the oldest person alive.

“She's always been active，easygoing and fun，"says her grandniece，who lives with her in asimple home with a dirt floor. Government officials have paid for some improvements to the house，adding a brick path and railings（栏杆）so Flores Colque can walk safely. The mayor's office calls Flores Colque part of the country's living history.

On the day a reporter visited，Flores Colgue was playing a small guitar and singing old songs in her native language. "If you would have told me you were coming，I'd have remembered all the songs，”she joked.

When she was growing up，Flores Colque herded sheep in the Bolivian highlands.（76）Then she moved to a valley where she sold fruits and vegetables. Those fruits and vegetables became her main food，and she still eats a healthy diet-except for a piece of cake and a glass of soda sometimes. She never married and does not have children. She cannot hear very well，but she is alert（机敏的）.Flores Colque's age would make her interesting anywhere，but it is especially notable in Bolivia. The United Nations says the country has one of the South America's highest levels of death.

1.Which of the following is TRUE？

A.The oldest person in Japan was bom in 1901.

B.Flores Colque is the oldest person in Bolivia.

C.The oldest person in Japan knew Flores Colque.

D.Flores Colque has read the Guinness Book of World Records.

2.According to the passage，Flores Colque lives in now.

A.Japan B.North America C. Europe D. South America

3.The word herded in the last paragraph can probably be replaced by

A.made animals move along as a group B.fed animals as a group

C.kept animals from hurting each other D.made sure animals did notifoowoe aoher

4.From the passage we leam that Flores Colque once

A.sang to make a living B.fought in World War Two

C.sold fruits and vegetables D.worked as an animal doctor

5.Which of the following statements about Flores Colque is NOTTRUE？

A.She is easygoing. B.She keeps pets.

C.She remains single all her life. D.She lives alone.

**Passage2**

（77）But for some players gaming has become an unhealthy habit. Late at night，they are glued to a screen. Schoolwork suffers. The video-game world seems a friendlier place than the real Mental health experts have taken notice. In Jhune，the World Health Organization（WHO）

added gaming disorder to its list of diseases and health conditions. A person may have the disorder if gaming has damaged his or her relationships with family and friends，and if it has affected his or her daily activities.

Not all experts agree that excessive gaming should be called a disorder. They say people hooked on video games may be suffering from other mental health problems that should be treated first.

Others think WHO made the right call. Psychiatrist（精神科医生）Clifford Sussman treats gaming addiction（上痕）.（78）He saws kids often have feelings of anxiety and loneliness. They get angry when a parent asks them to stop playing video games.

What makes video games addictive？Playing excites the brain's reward center. After a while，the brain becomes numb（麻本的）to pleasure. You feel bored without a controller in your hand.

So you play even more，One key to healthy gaming is to track how long you play. Sussman recommends taking at least an hour-long break after every hour of play. That gives the brain time to recover.

Young gamers who think they might have a problem should seek help from an adult.

Sussman suggests you first answer a simple question: "Are you in control，or is the game in control？”

6.Which of the following is the best title for the passage？

A.Mental Health Problems B.Excessive Gaming

C.Unhealthy Habits D.Teamwork Training

7.The word unwind in Paragraph 1 is closest in meaning to

A.match B.meet C.retreat D.relax

8.Clifford Susman's attitude to WHO'S recognition of excessive gaming as a disorder is

A.supportive B.doubtful C.neutral D.critical

9.Sussman advises game players to

A.quit playing video games B.play sports instead of video games

C.goto the hospital to getmedical treatmet D.rest for atleast an hour after every hour of play

10.According to the passage，which of thy following statements is NOT TRUE？

A.Video games are addictive.

B.Video games are never used in classroom teaching.

C.Excessive gaming may affect a person's daily activities.

D.Some experts don't think excessive gaming should be called a disorder.

**Passage3**

Jayden's mother wanted to help her son follow his passion.（79）But private lessons were too expensive. Jayden，then 6 years old，knew exactly what to do. He took out his iPad. Then he began searching after-school arts programs. He soon came across the website for Harlem School of the Arts（HSA），in New York City. There，he could take voice and dance lessons. It was a bit far from Yonkers. But he convinced his parents to take him for a visit.

That was three years ago. Now Jayden is one of HSA'S most active students. He takes singing，dancing，or theater lessons almost every day after school.（80）Last year，he performed in seven productions.

Like Jayden，students in many communities across the United States have limited access（使用的机会或权利）to arts instruction in schools. HSA is one of many nonprofit groups that bridges this gap by offering affordable arts classes. Groups like HSA are funded by donations（捐赠）and state grants. Many also receive money from the federal government's National Endowment（基金）for the Arts（NEA）.

The NEA was established in 1965.Its goal is to promote access to the arts for all Americans.Some people，however，believe it's not the responsibility of the federal government to provide arts funding. President Donald Trump's 2019 proposal calls on Congress to reduce NEA funding and eventually eliminate the agency，The Trump administration argues that private and other public sources already provide funding for the arts. Congress has yet to make a decision.

Supporters of arts education say cutting the NE A is a bad idea. It could leave many children unable to participate In the arts. That's because 40%of the agency s grants go to high-poverty neighborhoods

11.Which of the following is the best title for the passage？

A.Arts Education Is Expensive B.Jaden Has Great Musical Talent

C.Some Students Have Limited Access to Arts Instruction D.Trump Calls on Congress to Reduce Arts Funding

12.Jayden got the information about HSA from

A. his mother B. his music teacher C. the Intemet D. the newspaper

13. Jayden Hairston is years old now.

A. 6 B. 7 C.8 D.9

14. The word eliminate in Paragraph 5 is closest in meaning to.

A. criticize B. remove C. rebuild D. run

15. According to the passage, which of the following statements is TRUE?

A. HSA is a nonprofit group established in 1965.

B. Congress agrees to Trnump's proposal to cut the NEA.

C. Arts instruction directly affects students' academic success.

D. Jayden takes singing, dancing, and theater lessons at HSA.

**Part II Vocabulary and Structure (30%)**

16. If Peter to the office tomorrow, tell him the news please.

A.come B. comes C. came D. will come

17. Yesterday Mr. Smith bought English dictionary while I got a Russian novel in the bookstore.

A. a B. an C. the D./

18. Every day water is wasted here though we are bay short ofit.

A. any B.a number of C.a lot of D. these

19. Lucy got to the station late to catch the train, so she had to wait for the net one?

A. enough B. very C. too D. rather

20. There are not students in Class One as in Class Two.

A. many as B. as many C. more as D. as more

21. Your hard work has made the project a success. Without your work it complete failure.

A. was B. were C. be D. would have been

22. She speaks English than her brother does.

A. Best B. better C. good D. well

23.—Must we hand in our exercise books today？---Yes ,

A. you will B.you must C.you do D.you can

24.They will have learned Russian for 7 years by the time they from the university next year.

A. will graduate B. will have gradiuated C.graduate D.are going to graduate

25.—Why did you sell the old car at such a low price？——I did it only because I was made it.

A. Do B.to do C.doing D.done

26.On his way home，he suddenly heard his name

A. Calling B.called C.to call D.call

27.There was an look on his face when the actress appeared on the stage.

A.excited B.excite C.exciting D.excitly

28.Under no circumstance to tell lies to parents.

A.children are allowed B.are children allowed

C.children will allow D.will children allow

29.Lily have known the truth，or she would have told us.

A.mustn't B.shouldn't C.can D.neednt

30.George applied for the position three times he finally got it.

A.Before B.until C.when D.after

31.The best way to this goal is to introduce new advanced technology.

A.Cross B.perform C.achieve D.complete

32.The man who was accused stealing the car said that he was not guilty

A.for B.with C.of D.about

33.If you want to treat your friends to dinner in a good restaurant at the weekend，you'd better，book a table .

A.in front B.before C.ahead of D.in advance

34.Can you do the job alone，or do you want someone to you？

A.affect B.assist C.apply D.arrange

35.But for her mother's sudden illness，she would never think of breaking this with you.

A.review B.interview C.movement D.appointment

36.When my American friends talk about China，they will always it with the Great Wall.

A.advertise B.associate C.attach D.combine

37.The company is starting a new advertising campaign to new customers to its stores.

A. attends B. attract C. stick D. transfer

38. It's wrong to judge people only according to their family .

A. basis B. area C. task D. background

39. Jog's friends all have a new bicycle, and he wants one, too.

A. badly B. very C. rather D. barely

40. Although they plant trees in this area every year, the tops of some hills are still .

A. blank B. bare C. hollow D. vacant

41.— What has the boy who fell off the bike?

—— Nothing serious. The doctor says that he can come back to school in a day or two.

A. become of B. happened with C. occurred of D. become with

42. It's bad for a man to smoke in the public places.

A. behavior B. action C. movement D. belief

43.I was shocked the president's words.

A. with B. at C.in D. for

44. The United States has long been to be among the best places in the world for higher education.

A. proposed B. read C. considered D. to

45. In recent years, several companies have developed new English language tests that are low-cost and to use.

A. easy B. glad C. happy D. well

**Part II Identification(10)**

46. Hardly had he entered(A) the office that(B) he realized(C) that he had left (D) his report

47. Alice **is**(A) fond of **playing** (B) the piano while Henry **is**(C) interested in listening to **the**(D)music.

48. The boy sitting(A) by the window is (B ) the only one of the students who are(C) from the countryside in (D) our school.

49. They can(A) read such stories what (B) have been(C) rewritten in (D) simple English.

50. Excuse me(A), could you please tell(B) me when is the sports meet(C) going to be held(D)?

51. On(A) addition, more than one-third(B) of Americans over the age of 25(C) have a college degree or higher.(D)

52. Scientists have(A) long struggle with(B) how to measure the effects(C) of climate change on wildlife(D).

53.Florida's busiest（A）airport will be the first（B）in the country（C）to scan face (D）of all passengers.

54.Americans（A）are not very creating（B）when（C）it comes to（D）breakfast.

55.Parents today are concerned (A) that their children(B) are spending too many(C) time on a computer（D）or other electronic devices，

**Part IV Cloze**

7-year-old Matthew of Portland，Oregon. He doesn't have a backyard to **56** in，so the woods behind his house serve the same **57** .He spends hours out there swinging on a swing，**58** across the valley to a friend's house，and **59** garden knives to cut a path. He lays  **60**  sticks to form a bridge across the small stream. And he does all of this alone.

Matthew's mom，Laura Randall，wants her son to gain skills and confidence that only **61** with doing things alone. But she disn't just  **62**  her 7-year-old outside the door with garden tools one day. They worked up to it gradually with what Randall calls experiments in independence.

“Just those moments，increasingly longer moments，where he can choose to be **63** his own.

Randall explains. Randall knows this isn't the **64** for today's parenting style. Gone are the days **65** kids ride their bikes alone until the streetlights come on.

Randall has met people who think she's a **66** parent. Once，an off-duty police fficer started yelling at her when she left Matthew alone in the car **67** a few inutes while she ran into a shop .

Randall knows that parents in several states have been arrested for **68** their kids walk to the park alone，or even **69** them to walk to school. And so she was a bit **70** about what this man might do.

Anyway，they talked it out，and the man walked **71** Randall felt confident about **72** her parenting, partly **73** she had connected with a group **74** Free Range Kids. This group **75** childhood independence，and gives families the information they need to push back against a culture of overprotection.

56.A.swim B.play C.move D.live

57.A.road B.path C.target D.purpose

58.A.walking B.arriving C.reaching D.speaking

59.A.use B.enjoy C.using D.enjoying

60.A.out B.away C.down D.of

61.A.put B.come C.react D.pay

62.A.forbid B.order C.treat D.leave

63.A.at Bin C.with D.on

64.A.standard B.freedom C.relation D.reflection

65.A.when B.which C.where D.what

66.A.kind B.good C.bad D.sick

67.A with B.for C.on D.at

68.A.accompanying B.asking. C.encouraging D.letting

69.A.forbid B.allow C.forbidding D.allowing

70.A.excited B moved C.worried D.pleased

71.A.away B.across C.up D.out

72.A.persuading B.defending C.arguing D.opening

73.Aalthoueh B.before C.because D.until

74.A.describe B.call C.described D called

75.A.responds B.opposes C.provides D.promotes

**Part V Translation**

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82.如果不能来开会，请告诉我。

83.我们刚才去超市了。

84.早餐我通常吃面包和鸡蛋。

85.外面太嘈杂了，我无法集中精力。