**北京城市学院学位英语考试题库**

**2021级本科大学英语2卷**

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**Part I Listening Comprehension（共35分）**

**Section A: Pronunciation and Intonation（每小题0.5分，共5分）**

**Directions:** *In this section you will hear ten statements. Each statement will be spoken only ONCE. After each statement there will be a pause. During the pause, you must choose which of the two words you hear in each statement. Then mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.*

1. A. fool B. full
2. A. cheers B. chairs
3. A. spots B. sports
4. A. live B. leave
5. A. bake B. back
6. A. west B. vest
7. A. thought B. sort
8. A. trunk B. drunk
9. A. treat B. trade
10. A. pushed B. bushed

**Section B: Listening Strategy（每小题1分，共10分）**

**Directions:** *In this section* y*ou will hear ten statements. Each statement will be spoken TWICE. After each statement there will be a pause. During the pause, you must fill in the blank with an appropriate word you hear in the statement. Then write your answer on the corresponding part of the Answer Sheet.*

1. China’s population is said to reach \_\_\_1.38\_\_\_\_\_ billion.
2. Her boyfriend is \_\_waiting\_\_\_\_\_\_ for her.
3. Chinglish shows the \_\_influence\_\_\_\_\_\_ of Chinese.
4. I began to learn the outside world when I \_\_\_started\_\_\_\_\_ school.
5. We should first think of a(n) \_\_\_central\_\_\_\_ idea.
6. Many young people went to big cities to \_\_\_earn\_\_\_\_\_ more money.
7. Jim’s stepmother persuaded his \_\_father\_\_\_\_\_\_ to send Jim to school.
8. The ancient city was very quiet and \_\_\_beautiful\_\_\_\_\_.
9. Rich people will ask \_\_lawyers\_\_\_\_\_\_ for help when in trouble.
10. I realized people considered me a hero when I stepped off the \_\_\_plane\_\_\_\_\_.

**Section C: Long Conversations（每小题1分，共10分）**

**Conversation 1**

**Directions:** *In this section* y*ou will hear a long conversation. At the end of the conversation, five questions will be asked about what was said. Both the conversation and the questions will be spoken only ONCE. After each question there will be a pause. During the pause, you must read the four choices marked A, B, C, and D, and decide which is the best answer. Then mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.*

***Questions 21 to 25 are based on the conversation you just heard.***

21. What seems to be the relationship between the two speakers?

A. Interviewer and interviewee.

B. Teacher and student.

C. Friends.

D. Star and fan.

22. What happened in this year’s College Robot Contest?

A. Adam lost to another contestant.

B. Adam won the third prize in the contest.

C. One contestant was very close to Adam from the beginning.

D. Adam shared the first prize with another contestant.

23. Which of the following is NOT what Adam did when he was in elementary school?

A. He became interested in robots and remote control.

B. He read a lot of books about robots.

C. He built a robot in his spare time.

D. He wished to make a robot by himself.

24. How long did it take Adam to make his first robot?

A. Less than ten years.

B. About ten years.

C. More than ten years.

D. Unknown.

25. Which of the following is NOT true?

A. Adam was not likely to make his first robot only by reading a lot of books.

B. Adam is going to prepare for another robot contest.

C. Adam joined a robot fan club when he was in high school.

D. Adam will attend the College Robot Contest next year.

**Conversation 2**

**Directions:** *In this section* y*ou will hear a long conversation. At the end of the conversation, there are five recorded statements. Both the conversation and the statements will be spoken only ONCE. After each statement there will be a pause. During the pause, you must decide whether the statement is true or false. Put “T” for “True” and “F” for “False”. Then mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.*

***Statements 26 to 30 are based on the conversation you just heard.***

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26. When Carol and Mathew met, Carol was on her way to the Queen’s Sandwich. (T / F)

27. Mathew ordered dessert but Carol didn’t. (T / F)

28. Carol and Mathew both ordered a large coke without ice. (T / F)

29. Mathew didn’t enjoy the salad, because they put too much tomato and green peppers on it. (T / F)

30. Carol didn’t enjoy the coffee because it was cold and the waiter didn’t give her extra cream. (T / F)

**Section D: Spot Dictation（每小题1分，共10分）**

**Directions:** *In this section, you will hear a passage THREE times. While listening, supply each blank with the word you hear. Now the passage begins.*

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Online advertising is the means of selling a product on the Internet. With the

arrival of the Internet, the business world has become digitalized and people prefer

buying things online, which is easier and faster. Online advertising is also known as e-advertising. It offers a great variety of services, which cannot be offered by any other way of advertising.

One major benefit of online advertising is the immediate spread of information that is not limited by geography or time. Online advertising can be viewed day and night throughout the world. Besides, it reduces the cost and increases the profit of the company.

Small businesses especially find online advertising cheap and effective. They can

focus on their ideal customers and pay very little for the advertisements.

In a word, online advertising is a cheap and effective way of advertising, whose

success has so far fully proved its great potential.

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**Part II Vocabulary（共15分）**

**Section A: Multiple Choice（每小题0.5分，共10分）**

**Directions:** *Each of the following sentences is incomplete and followed by four choices marked A, B, C and D. Choose the ONE that best completes the sentence. Please mark the corresponding letter for each item on the Answer Sheet.*

41. Pets should always have \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to clean, fresh water.

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| A. access | B. opportunity | C. credit | D. clearance |

42. As I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the park, I noticed a shadow in the distance.

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| A. disappeared | B. covered | C. approached | D. pursued |

43. The well-being of children is the first \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of every country.

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| A. course | B. delivery | C. priority | D. finance |

44. With its pleasant climate, abundant natural \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and beautiful scenery, the city attracts thousands of tourists both from home and abroad every year.

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| A. commercials | B. impacts | C. designs | D. resources |

45. We should try to put what we learn \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ practice.

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| A. with | B. into | C. for | D. on |

46. Rose was in London to receive her \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for Actress of the Year.

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| A. organization | B. goal | C. award | D. schooling |

47. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is too weak to speak.

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| A. sign | B. patient | C. performance | D. presence |

48. He strongly urged me to do it, but he didn’t \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ me.

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| A. advise | B. persuade | C. deny | D. afford |

49. Most students \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ rooms during their second year.

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| A. exist | B. await | C. invest | D. rent |

1. The team was replaced with players who had a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to win the championship.

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| A. determination | B. profit | C. fare | D. account |

51. Tickets may be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in advance from the box office.

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| A. slid | B. accomplished | C. purchased | D. charged |

52. Although the infection cleared up, he was left \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a persistent cough.

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| A. with | B. upon | C. up | D. to |

53. A child has the right to grow up in a(n) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, caring environment.

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| A. extra | B. healthy | C. unique | D. overall |

54. They are entering the study of Arabic and other languages with serious \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ goals in mind.

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| A. sneaky | B. hopeless | C. skinny | D. professional |  |

55. Many villages in the Third World \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ from an acute shortage of clean water.

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| A. pull | B. measure | C. roast | D. suffer |

1. My son’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a severe cold after swimming yesterday.

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| A. estimated | B. consumed | C. contracted | D. reflected |

57. The robot they made is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of understanding spoken commands and performing complicated tasks.

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| A. capable | B. convenient | C. suitable | D. original |

58. She’s a marvelous actress who \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ herself totally in her roles.

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| A. submerges | B. arranges | C. confronts | D. hesitates |

59. We should be grateful \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ any further information you may be able to give us about the development of this issue.

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60. People hung out colored flags for the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ foreign guest’s visit.

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| A. negative | B. cultural | C. aware | D. distinguished |

**Section B: Banked Cloze（每小题0.5分，共5分）**

**Directions:** *In this section, there is a passage with 10 blanks. You are required to select one word for each blank from a list of choices given in the box. Read the passage through carefully before making your choices. Each choice in the bank is identified by a letter. Please choose the best answer and mark the corresponding letter for each item on the Answer Sheet.* ***You may not use any of the words in the bank more than once.***

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I was never considered a 61 child. I didn’t belong to any sports team or

62 in many extracurricular activities in high school. It was the first time I had ever tried anything so 63 . I searched for someone to encourage me in my

64 but found no one. In fact, most people tried to persuade me not to 65

it once they heard about it. It was simply something I decided to do for myself.

It took a lot of talking to get the Chairman of the Computer Science Department to 66 my extra class hours. My classmates thought I was a cheater, a(n)

67 twin, or an escaped 68 patient. Most of the time I kept quiet about my activities, but if someone asked me about my class load, I didn’t deny it. I was perhaps the only student at the university with a two-page class 69 , so it was easy to prove my words were true; but I 70 did.

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| A. schedule | B. rarely | C. participate | D. challenging | E. attempt |
| 1. gifted | G. efforts | H. identical | I. mental | J. approve |

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**Part III Reading Comprehension（共30分）**

**Section A: Timed Reading （每小题1分，共10分）**

**Directions:** *In this section, you will have 15 minutes to go over the passage quickly and answer the questions on the Answer Sheet.*

***Questions 71 to 80 are based on the following passage.***

There are many natural wonders on our planet. They include several of the most beautiful places in the world like mountains, forests, waterfalls, lakes, canyons, and caves. We don’t have time to visit all of them, but here are a few examples.

In the southeastern mountains of Venezuela, water falls from the top of Devil’s Mountain into Devil’s Canyon far below. The water falls from a height of nine hundred seventy-nine meters. It begins to fall in a tightly controlled stream but ends in a beautiful white cloud of mist.

Known as Angel Falls, it is the highest waterfall in the world. An American pilot named Jimmy Angel saw the waterfall for the first time in 1933 while flying alone in a small airplane. Years later the waterfall was named after him. His airplane is still on display and considered a national treasure.

A small airplane is still the best way to see the falls, although a four-and-a-half-hour boat ride and walk through the jungle allows you to see the falls from below.

There is another spectacular mountain. In fact, it is one of the most photographed mountains in the world. It is Mount Fuji, a sleeping volcano about three thousand seven hundred meters high in Japan. The Japanese call it Fujisan. Since ancient times, they have considered it a holy mountain, even reproducing its image on their currency.

Mount Fuji is an almost perfectly shaped volcano with bright white snow caps covering the mountain top most of the year. On a clear day people can see it from both the major cities of Tokyo and Yokohama. The easiest way to see the famous mountain is riding the train from Tokyo to Osaka or climbing the mountain to get an even better look.

Not all wonders are mountains of course. In 1540, Spanish explorer Garcia Lopez de Cardenas was exploring the American southwestern desert. His exploration team had been traveling north from Mexico when their exploration was stopped. They could not continue because of an enormous hole in the ground.

Most of the canyon was more than one thousand two hundred meters deep and more than three hundred kilometers long. This huge deep canyon extended as far as the explorers could see. The sunlight made deep shadows and combined with the movement of the clouds to change the shape and color of things.

Now known as the Grand Canyon, it is one of the most studied natural areas in the world. The Colorado River, which sits at the bottom of the Grand Canyon, took several million years to cut through the hardened rock.

Visitors today do not have a problem reaching the bottom of the Grand Canyon and the great Colorado River. Many people take long exciting trips in rubber boats.

The final example is not something above ground. It is the Great Barrier Reef in Australia. It extends more than two thousand kilometers along Australia’s northeast coast and is the largest group of coral reefs in the world.

A reef is usually under water or just above it and is formed from the hardened remains of dead sea animals. The reef contains billions of brightly colored microscopic creatures and also supports many different kinds of fish, birds, and mammals.

Millions of visitors from around the world come every year to enjoy the Great Barrier Reef. Some use glass bottom boats so they can see the fish and the colorful coral while others choose to swim among the fish.

Scientists believe the Great Barrier Reef is about thirty million years old, and their concern persuaded the Australian government to take the necessary steps to legally protect it. Now the reef is protected by the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority.

There are many more natural wonders all across the globe, and they are easy to visit if you have a computer. If your computer can connect to the Internet, you too can enjoy these beautiful sights. Have fun exploring.

71. The four natural wonders mentioned in the passage are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. Venezuela, Mount Fuji, the Grand Canyon and the Great Barrier Reef

B. Devil’s Mountain, Devil’s Canyon, the American desert and the Colorado River

C. Angel Falls, Mount Fuji, the Grand Canyon and the Great Barrier Reef

D. Angel Falls, Osaka, the Colorado River and the Great Barrier Reef

72. Which of the following is NOT true about Angel Falls?

A. It is in South America.

B. It is the highest waterfall in the world.

C. It was named after an American pilot.

D. The best way to visit it is by taking a small airplane or a boat.

73. What should people do if they want to have the best view of Angel Falls?

A. Take a plane.

B. Ride a boat.

C. Have a walk through the jungle.

D. Climb the mountain.

74. According to the passage, Mount Fuji \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. has perfectly-shaped and breathtaking views

B. is a dead volcano that has been sleeping since ancient times

C. is highly respected by the Japanese and appears on the country’s currency

D. is closer to Yokohama than to Osaka

75. According to the author, what happened in 1540?

A. A Spanish explorer discovered the Grand Canyon for the first time.

B. A Spanish exploration team fell into a huge hole in the ground.

C. Some Spanish explorers found out exactly how deep and how long the Grand Canyon was.

D. Explorers and visitors reached the bottom of the Grand Canyon.

76. How did the Grand Canyon come into being?

A. The sunlight made deep shadows and combined with the movement of the clouds.

B. The Colorado River has been cutting through the hardened rock for millions of years.

C. Many people visited the area and the Colorado River.

D. It is still unknown.

77. Which of the following is TRUE about the Great Barrier Reef?

A. It is a natural wonder above ground.

B. It extends along America’s northeast coast.

C. It is home to many microscopic creatures.

它是许多微小生物的家园。

D. Visitors can take rubber boats and enjoy the underwater view.

78. What have scientists done to protect the Great Barrier Reef?

A. They have set up an organization to protect the Reef.

B. They have taken some legal measures to protect the Reef.

C. They played a part in persuading the government into taking steps of protection.

D. They studied the Reef and told people the importance of protecting it.

79. Which is an easy access to the natural wonders across the world?

A. Airplane.

B. Boat.

C. Swim.

D. The Internet.

80. We learn from the passage that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. the Great Barrier Reef in Australia is a natural wonder above the ground

B. many marine creatures’ lives depend upon the reef

C. the only way that tourists may see the Great Barrier Reef is by swimming

D. at least two authorities are protecting the Great Barrier Reef

**Section B: Reading in Depth（每小题2分，共20分）**

**Directions:** *There are two passages 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 the Answer Sheet.*

**Passage One**

***Questions 81 to 85 are based on the following passage.***

When I was at school, our teacher told the class “You are what you eat.” My friends and I laughed and called each other “hamburger” and “biscuit”. Our teacher was trying to teach us the importance of eating the right food to stay healthy.

It has long been believed that food has an impact on our physical and emotional health. Now, we have proof. When you know the effects of different types of food, you can choose to eat what you want to become.

Everyone has their own advice to give, which they have read about or have been told by older relatives. Sometimes this advice is contradictory. A friend might say eating chocolate makes you fat. A magazine article might mention that chocolate contains magnesium, a chemical that makes people feel happier. What we need to figure out is what type of chocolate to eat to get the benefits and how much of it to eat. We can do this by reading the list of ingredients on the chocolate bar wrapper. Exactly how much real chocolate is in there? And how much of that do we need to eat to get the benefits without the side effects?

Future restaurants might be named after the physical or emotional state they hope to create. Their menus will list the benefits of each dish and drink. Some restaurants have already started doing this by listing the nutritional content of their dishes on the menus. Let’s take the restaurant Winners as an example. Their menu would list dishes specifically designed to help you win sports competitions. There would be “Championship Vegetable Lasagna”, a pasta dish with extra layers of spinach pasta, rich tomato sauce, and vegetables to help you win the next day’s competition. What kind of dishes do you think would be on the menu at the Clever Café, which sells food that’s good for your brain?

So what’s going to happen to hamburgers and biscuits? Will the concept of eating our favorite foods go out of fashion because they’re unhealthy? Of course not! Surprisingly, our favorite foods are also changing and becoming healthier. For example, many stores have started offering customers choices, such as fat-free, sugar-free tofu ice cream and traditional ice cream on the same shelf. Snacks might soon be changing their names to “Skinglow” and “Chocosmile”! So, in the future you might be able to eat your way to your idea of perfection!

81. Which of the following is NOT true?

A. It is important to eat the right food to stay healthy.

B. Food influences people’s physical and emotional health.

C. Eating the right food may make us healthy but what’s important is what we choose to eat and what lifestyle we prefer.

D. Future restaurants would only offer healthy dishes and foods.

82. Why does the author mention chocolate in Paragraph 3?

A. As an example to illustrate that people are always contradictory in their advice.

B. As an example to illustrate that it’s up to ourselves to decide on what food we eat.

C. To show that food has an influence on people’s health.

D. To show that reading the list of ingredients is very important when we choose food.

83. Which of the following is NOT true?

A. Future restaurants might have names related to people’s physical or emotional state.

B. Future restaurants might list the positive effects of their dishes and drinks on the menus.

C. Winners and the Clever Café are two future restaurants.

D. Spinach and tomato might be used to make dishes by future restaurants as they are good for people’s physical health.

84. What might happen to the unhealthy foods people like?

A. They will no longer be fashionable.

B. Their names will be changed to sound healthier.

C. Some of their ingredients will be changed to make them become healthier.

D. They will never change and remain the same.

85. What can you infer from the passage?

A. People would have more choices of food in the future.

B. Unhealthy snacks would become out of fashion in the future.

C. Traditional restaurants would not be popular in the future.

D. People would not go to any restaurants that do not provide menus with the nutritional content of their dishes.

**Passage Two**

***Questions 86 to 90 are based on the following passage.***

Conflict, like stress, is a natural phenomenon when people interact. Conflict in some form is always present; however, it is not always negative. Conflict can be positive, for example, when you and your co-workers try to select the best possible alternative (备选项) to a problem. However, much more attention is given to the negative aspects of conflict.

Conflict occurs when we fear the unknown. This can be very simple: someone says something in a tone of voice different from our expectations, which raises questions in our mind as to what the real meaning might be. Of course, conflict can, and does, occur in much more serious circumstances.

Your ability to detect and understand conflict will place you in a better position to control the situation. Conflict is often categorized in three stages.

Stage one is the day-to-day irritations (恼人的事) that require minimal coping strategies (策略). Stage one conflict is real but low in intensity. The intensity can increase if irritations increase, and no solution is found.

Stage two is reached when the parties become competitive. Each person protects his self-interest and fears loss of face. The win-lose attitude becomes integrated (合并) with the problem.

Stage three is reached when the objective changes from wanting to win toward wanting to hurt the other party. This stage can be explosive because other people are drawn into the conflict and sides are chosen. Problem solving is no longer a realistic method of resolution.

By understanding the three stages of conflict, it will be easier for you to handle the day-to-day situations to which you are exposed. You will also be able to detect potential conflict between others in which you do not want to get involved.

86. Conflict is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. paid attention to because it is negative

B. only positive when occurring between colleagues

C. universally present in human interactions

D. similar to stress in every aspect

87. The ability to identify conflict \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. can help you make good use of conflict

B. enables you to win every competition

C. can prevent conflict from occurring

D. can help you deal with the situation better

88. Stage two conflict is different from stage one conflict in that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. it is caused by daily disputes

B. it is low in intensity

C. it takes a form of competition

D. it always leads to loss of face

89. The third stage can be explosive because \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. quarreling becomes inevitable

B. it is no longer a conflict between two individuals

C. people begin to hate each other

D. no solution is possible

90. The conflict between a student and his roommate caused by different living habits can be an instance of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

A. stage one conflict

B. stage two conflict

C. stage three conflict

D. none of the above

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**Part IV Translation（每小题1分，共10分）**

**Directions:** *Translate the following phrases into English.*

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| 1. 使用公共交通工具 | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| 1. 压力重重的大学生活 | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| 1. 有天赋的音乐家 | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| 1. 课程负担 | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| 1. 把手伸进口袋里 | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| 1. 围坐在营火周围 | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| 1. 根据调查 | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| 1. 通过适当的治疗 | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| 1. 应邀去用餐 | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| 100. 从简单的任务开始 | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

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**Part V Writing（10分）**

**Directions*:*** *For this part, you are allowed* ***30*** *minutes to write a composition on the topic:* ***On Personal Goal Setting.*** *You should write at least* ***100*** *words following the structure and the cue words given below.*

