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综合英语（二） 试卷

（课程代码 00795）

本试卷共 11 页，满分 100 分，考试时间 150 分钟。应考者必须按试题顺序在“答题纸”上作答，答在试卷上无效。

I. GRAMMAR AND VOCABULARY

Complete each of the following 15 sentences with the most likely answer. Blacken the letter corresponding to your choice on the ANSWER SHEET. (1 point each, 15 points in all)

1. "Since you are nearly 35, it's about time you _____ married," the mother told her son.
A. get B. got
C. should get D. must get
2. After _____ seemed an endless wait, it was finally his turn to have the job interview.
A. what B. it
C. that D. there
3. Peter is _____ hardworking than his classmates, but he failed the exam.
A. not so B. no more
C. not much D. no less
4. I wonder who cleaned the house yesterday. It _____ have been John because he and I were out of town all day.
A. mustn't B. needn't
C. couldn't D. won't
5. Willa Cather considered *My Antonia*, her novel about life in the nineteenth-century Nebraska, _____.
A. her best work B. be her best work
C. her best work it was D. being her best work

6. In the early twentieth century, the "Model T" automobile was mass-produced and sold at a price _____ could afford.
A. and an average person B. that an average person who
C. an average person D. an average person who
7. _____ he had a reputation for being a careful driver, his accident came as quite a surprise.
A. If B. Although
C. Since D. For
8. We are required to write an essay for the course. I _____ about half of mine so far.
A. write B. have been writing
C. wrote D. have written
9. He found his uncle _____ reading a novel in the next room.
A. attracted by B. absorbed in
C. drawn to D. plunged into
10. This recording presents a _____ of his wonderful performance of Beethoven's Piano Concerto No.2.
A. sight B. look
C. glimpse D. view
11. The school is at a(n) _____ distance from our home. That is why I often walk to school.
A. convenient B. available
C. comfortable D. adaptable
12. Last night a cargo ship collided with a tanker carrying _____ oil.
A. raw B. primary
C. original D. crude
13. The teacher _____ immensely in students' evaluations of her teaching performance.
A. aroused B. rose
C. arose D. raised
14. The officer died faithful to his country and to the _____ of a soldier.
A. honor B. pride
C. dignity D. glory
15. The wording of the contract is so vague that no one _____ knows what this document is all about.
A. simply B. actually
C. eventually D. firstly

At last, Scully grandly conducted them through the door of the blue hotel. The room which they entered was small. It was occupied mostly by a huge stove in the center, which was burning with great force. At various points on its surface the iron had become shiny and glowed yellow from the heat. Beside the stove, Scully's son, Johnnie, was playing a game of cards with an old farmer. They were quarreling.

With loud words Scully stopped their play, and hurried his son upstairs with the bags of the new guests. He himself led them to three bowls of the icy water. The cowboy and the Easterner washed themselves in this water until they were as red as fire. The Swede, however, merely placed his fingers in the bowl. It was noticeable throughout these proceedings that the three travelers were made to feel that Scully was very kind indeed. He was giving out great favors.

Afterwards, they returned to the first room. There, sitting about the stove, they listened to Scully shouting at his daughters, who were preparing the noon meal. They employed the silence of experienced men who moved carefully among new people. The Swede was especially silent. He seemed to be occupied in making secret judgments of each man in the room. One might have thought that he had the sense of foolish fear which accompanied guilt. He looked like a badly frightened man.

41. What does the writer mean by "loud and screaming" in Paragraph 1?
- A. The size of the hotel was extremely big.
 - B. The color of the hotel was eye-catching.
 - C. The shape of the hotel looked terribly scary.
 - D. The name of the hotel was perfectly-chosen.
42. Which of the following is TRUE in terms of "color"?
- A. People in the country were particular about color.
 - B. People in the country didn't care much about color.
 - C. People from eastern and western parts had different views on color.
 - D. People from eastern and western parts held the same view on color.
43. What can be inferred about the business of the Palace Hotel?
- A. Dull.
 - B. Promising.
 - C. Flourishing.
 - D. Broke.

44. What made the three guests stay in the hotel?
- A. They were made prisoners.
 - B. They couldn't afford elsewhere.
 - C. They were attracted by the hotel.
 - D. They didn't want to displease the owner.
45. Which of the following descriptions of the hotel is TRUE?
- A. Its location was inconvenient.
 - B. Its conditions were unsatisfactory.
 - C. The building's color was unpleasant.
 - D. The owner's children were troublesome.

Passage 2

In China today, Internet addiction has acquired a symbolic function that is about more than health. At Film Forum on August 6th, "Web Junkie," by the Israeli filmmakers, takes us inside an Internet-addiction treatment center in Beijing to chronicle the ways in which technology, wealth, and autonomy are altering the ties between young people and the elders who strain to comprehend those changes.

Jim is a sixteen-year-old who was playing World of Warcraft ten hours a day by the time his parents gave up on him. In a series of powerful scenes in counseling sessions, we watch a family failing under the pressures of work and expectation. His father, a thin, quiet man, admits to beating his son and trying to stab him "just to scare" him into obedience, before admitting that they have no way to communicate. "It's worse than talking to a stranger," the father says. The son threatens suicide. "At home, I feel I don't exist," he tells his parents, trying to explain why he escaped into the emotional refuge of a vast online world. "On the Internet, I have friends who care about me," he says. A moment later, with little provocation, he picks up a metal stool and asks his father, "Do you want to die?"

The most revealing moments in "Web Junkie" have little to do with the Internet or addiction; they are about private, perceptual changes within families, as young Chinese men and their parents struggle with questions of individuality, personal freedom, self-development, and trust. Many of the parents seem to be loving but preoccupied, and they would prefer to pin their troubles on mysterious new technologies than on the underlying causes of their children's distress. The parents, raised in another China, have no way to relate to their children, and little

time to try. In one scene, a clinician places phone calls to parent after parent, trying in vain to persuade them to leave work and accompany their children in treatment. In a final reunion scene, parents greet their children awkwardly as a voice through a loudspeaker advises, "Parents, hug your kids."

Professor Tao Ran, the founder of the center and a pioneer in Web-addiction treatment in China, is a particularly surprising character. At first, he is cast as the quack (冒牌医生) exclaiming about the Web as "digital heroin." But then he addresses a room full of parents and describes, insightfully, that a generation of only children, who face narrowing job prospects and heavy pressure to support their aging parents, present a challenge that China has never faced. "Do you know how lonely your kids are?" he asks. "So where do they look for friends? The Internet."

"Web Junkie" does not end with any tidy answers. The devotion that young Chinese feel to the Internet is driven by deep factors ranging from youth unemployment and income inequality to demographic imbalance between men and women. Even for those who are growing up with more prosperity and autonomy than their parents ever imagined, the Web is an escape from reality. In one scene, a kid is sitting patiently while a technician fits his head with a peculiar bonnet made of rubber tubing and wires. "Close your eyes and think about something happy," the clinician says. Asked, upon his departure, what he learned at the Chinese Teenagers Mental Growth Center, one young man shrugs and says, "How to escape."

46. Which of the following is closest in meaning to the phrase "Web Junkie"?

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| A. Digital image. | B. Electric waste. |
| C. Internet addict. | D. On-line service. |

47. What leads to Jim's addiction to video games?

- A. The domestic violence he suffers from.
 B. The pressure he feels with school work.
 C. The suicidal and violent tendency he has.
 D. The lack of communication with his parents.

48. Paragraph 3 is mainly about Internet addictions in relation to _____.

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| A. economy | B. society |
| C. technology | D. politics |

49. Which of the following best describes Professor Tao Ran's feeling towards the web-addicted kids?

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| A. Sympathetic. | B. Scornful. |
| C. Powerless. | D. Indifferent. |

50. Which of the following might be the best title for the passage?

- A. Solutions to Web Addiction
 B. Helping the Lonely Children
 C. The Evil Influences of the Internet
 D. "Web Junkies" Behind the Scene Story

V. WORD DERIVATION

Complete each of the following sentences with a (compound) word derived from the one(s) given in brackets. Write your word on the ANSWER SHEET. (1 point each, 10 points in all)

51. The invention of the silicon chip was a _____ in the history of the computer. (land, mark)
 52. If you keep yourself busy, you don't have time to get _____. (depress)
 53. There's absolutely no _____ between the different groups—nobody knows what anyone else is doing. (coordinate)
 54. Smile, nods and _____ faces added to the general pleasant atmosphere in the city. (cheer)
 55. I think that frequent short vacations are much more _____ than a long annual holiday. (desire)
 56. The obvious sign of his _____ is that he keeps glancing at his watch. (nervous)
 57. Parents will know if their children are ill or _____ from their behaviors. (comfortable)
 58. Last month Smith hired some workmen to remodel and _____ the farm buildings. (large)
 59. When applying for a visa extension, _____ state the reasons why you need it. (simple)
 60. It's _____ to invest in stocks without good advice. (risk)

VI. SENTENCE TRANSLATION

Translate the following sentences into English and write your sentences on the ANSWER SHEET. (3 points each, 15 points in all)

61. 使她感到伤心的是她们的友谊未能经得起时间的考验。
62. 他看报纸的时候孩子们不断地打扰，使他很烦。
63. 我们不得不去适应快速变化的世界。
64. 输了比赛，那些男孩子们非常难过，觉得辜负了学校的期望。
65. 我们的经济改革已经取得了不少成绩，但还有更多事情要做。

VII. WRITING

Write a composition on the ANSWER SHEET in about 150 words, basing yourself on one of the texts you have learned. (15 points)

TOPIC: Suppose you were, Baron Hausberg, the millionaire. Explain how you got to know Hughie Erskine and what you did in return for the pound he gave you.

- Who you are and where you met Hughie.
- How you felt when he gave you a pound.
- Why you gave him ten thousand pounds in return.

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II. CLOZE (1 point each, 15 points in all)

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III. PARAPHRASING (1 point each, 10 points in all)

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IV. READING COMPREHENSION (2 points each, 20 points in all)

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VII. WRITING (15 points)