



2019 年江苏专转本大学英语考试真题 1

Part I Reading Comprehension (共 20 小题, 每小题 2 分, 共 40 分)

Directions: There are 4 passages in this part. Each passage is followed by some questions or unfinished statements. For each of them there are 4 choices marked A, B, C and D. You should decide on the best choice and mark your answer by blackening the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet.

Passage One (中等难度)

Questions 1 to 5 are based on the following passage.

Salt is something you eat every day, by the way, parts of ancient Africa salt built empires.

Good as Gold. Salt is essential for life. Every person's body contains about 227g of salt-enough to fill several salt bottles. Salt helps muscles work, and it aids in digesting (消化) food. Salt also preserves food and adds flavor to meals. In hot climates, people need extra salt to replace the salt lost when they sweat. In tropical Africa, salt has always been precious.



Salt is abundant in the Sahara and scarce in the forests south of the Sahara ( in present-day countries such as Ghana and Cote d'Ivoire ) . These conditions gave rise to Africa's salt trade. Beginning in the A. D. 300s, local people drove camels carrying European goods and weapons from Mediterranean ports into the Sahara. At the desert's great salt deposits they traded European goods for salt.

Rise and Decline. Camels arrived in Africa from Asia in A. D. 300. In time, commercial teams of thousands of camels loaded with tons of salt arrived at southern markets. Local kings along the trade routes put taxes, which were payable in gold, on all goods crossing their empires.

The ancient empires of Mali and Ghana rose to great power from wealth brought by the salt trade.

Trade routes also provided ways for spreading ideas and inventions. By the A. D. 800s, Arab traders brought to Africa a system of weights and measures, a written language, and the concept of money. Although salt no longer dominates trade, it is used as a seasoning throughout the world.



1. Why is salt essential?

- A. It is becoming more scarce.
- B. It is important to human beings.
- C. It improves working performance.
- D. It reduces sweating in hot climate.

2. Which part of Africa is rich in salt?

- A. Ghana.
- B. South of the Sahara.
- C. South of Ghana.
- D. The Sahara

3. How did the salt trade affect the countries along the trade routes?

- A. They began to launch more wars.



B. They became richer and stronger.

C. They reduced the prices of salt in their lands.

D. They stopped goods from crossing their lands.

4. What did Arab traders bring to Africa together with the goods?

A. Their laws.

B. Their homes.

C. Their culture.

D. Their agriculture.

5. What could be the best title of the passage?

A. Salt in Daily Life

B. Africa's Salt Trade

C. The Rise and Fall of Salt Industry



## D. The History of Europe-Africa Trade

### Passage Two (简单)

Questions 6 to 10 are based on the following passage.

Time management is the practice of using time in a way that achieves the highest efficiency.

Good time management involves not only the ability to make time arrangements for different tasks, but also the insight and good judgment to recognize which tasks are best done at what time. Moreover, it requires sticking to the original plan and the focus to organize resources accordingly. With good time management, a schedule is cleverly organized and then strictly followed, so tasks get done as planned.

On the other hand, bad time management involves a lack of planning, organization, focus, and self-control. We forget, overlook, or miscalculate tasks in terms of how much time they'd require for completion, which makes a mess of the rest of our plans. We fail to foresee and provide for the resources we need for the activities we've planned, leading to delays and



cancellations. We fail to put our activities in the right order, instead choosing to spend our time doing insignificant tasks, leading to unsuccessful attempts.

Life in the 21st century is challenging our ability to maintain work-life balance like no other time before. With technology allowing more work hours as well as more entertainment options than ever, we no longer seem to find 24 hours enough to fit in everything we need and want to do in a day. With such demands and lifestyles, poor time management has become normal, and good time management is a superpower only the enlightened have seemed to master.

And if we can't even manage our time when it comes to our day-to-day tasks, how could we expect to find time to follow through on our bigger life plans?

6. Good time management can lead to

- A. the best judgment
- B. the deepest insight
- C. the richest resources



D. the highest efficiency

7. What is Paragraph 3 mainly about?

A. History of bad time management.

B. Definition of bad time management.

C. Illustrations of bad time management.

D. Ways of avoiding bad time management.

8. According to Paragraph 4, one challenge in the 21st century is

A. how to advance technology

B. how to balance work and life

C. how to help people live longer

D. how to increase entertainments

9. With the development of tchnology, time management becomes



A. harder

B. easier

C. more costly

D. less costly

10. According to the last paragraph, what's the importance of good time management?

A. It only influences our daily tasks.

B. It goes beyond our daily tasks.

C. It increases our annual income.

D. It enriches our everyday life.

### Passage Three

Questions 11 to 15 are based on the following passage.

During the first coronavirus lockdown, books, especially fiction books, became a popular way to beat boredom for many people





in the UK. In this current lockdown, people are once again finding joy in reading. but this time some say that non-fiction books are better than fiction. What do you think? Is fiction better than non-fiction? Yes-let your imagination run wild

Whether it's talking animals or aliens saving the world, anything is possible in fiction. It fully depends on the author's imagination. In turn, their work can inspire others to be more creative themselves. For example, Neil Gaiman, the author of Coraline, has said that he wanted to become a writer after reading The Chronicles of Narnia books by C. S. Lewis. From Harry Potter to Matilda. some of the world's most beloved characters come from works of fiction. Getting to know these characters makes readers more empathetic , which is when someone is able to understand another person 's feelings. Although non-fiction books give readers the facts, fiction can bring time periods and historical events to life.

No-nothing beats fascinating facts

The American writer Mark Twain once wrote, "Truth is stranger than fiction, but it is because fiction is obliged to stick to possibilities; truth isn't". What he meant was that some times the



reality of what happens is far more interesting than any made-up story. A good non-fiction book can be just as exciting and emotional as a novel. Non-fiction is also far more relevant to people's lives. Although it's nice to escape to a far-off land, non-fiction books can help readers make sense of the world around them. If knowledge is power, then non-fiction books are the most powerful books of them all. Non-fiction books aren't spoiled by knowing the ending either, and they will always be a useful point of reference in the future.

11. What can we learn from Paragraph 1?

- A. Reading is gaining popularity.
- B. Fiction writing is more attractive.
- C. Lockdown in the UK is unbearable.
- D. Reading reduces physical sufferings.

12. What can we learn from the example of Neil Gaiman?

- A. Fiction can inspire people to write.



B. Fiction develops readers' empathy.

C. Non-fiction writers have less limitation.

D. Non-fiction brings historical events to life.

13. According to the passage, non-fiction refers to books with stories that

A. are fascinating to the young

B. are popular among children

C. happen outside the UK

D. happen in the real world

14. Why are non-fiction books thought to be "the most powerful" (Para.3)

A. They are more interesting than made-up stories.

B. They help us to understand the world better.

C. They would not be spoiled by the reality.



D. They guide us to far-off lands of imagination

15. Which does the author like. fiction or non-fiction'

A. Non-fiction.

B. Fiction.

C. Not given.

D. Neither.

Passage Four (中等难度)

Questions 16 to 20 are based on the following passage.

The rapid growth of electric cars is good news for air quality and climate change, but there is some potential risk to be aware of.

There is no such thing as an electric vehicle (EV) battery waste mountain... yet. However, the number of EVs set to be sold in the world this year could one day lead to more than 500,000 tons of battery waste, five times the weight of all portable batteries recycled in the European Union annually.



Those lithium-ion ( 锂离子) car batteries must be recycled or they will cause an environmental and safety risk. "It's a challenge because most current generation batteries aren't designed for recycling, " some expert says.

Most EV batteries should last around 15 to 20 years. While their first decade will probably be in a car, some have already gone on to a second life as solar power storage batteries in homes, and more will follow. Still, eventually they will need to be recycled.

Although dumping electric car batteries in landfill is illegal in the UK, it is unclear whether recycling facilities can increase fast enough. Gloria Esposito says recycling capacity is "definitely an issue", because in Europe there are just 18 firms looking at lithium-ion battery recycling, some of which recycle only certain metals.

It will be "environmentally disastrous" if there isn't a strategy for dealing with the batteries. What's more, stockpiling ( 堆放) old batteries causes fire risks. Another concern is batteries being exported to a country like India for a legitimate second use, but where no recycling facilities exist when they are spent. "That



could be a growing time bomb, especially if things take off quickly, "says someone.

As well as the environmental benefits of mining lower raw materials, recycling would bring an economic opportunity through recovering metals from batteries. "Car-makers are a bit conflicted because they want a competitive advantage, to make the batteries as cheap and high-performance as they can. That might not always come into agreement with making them in a certain set of standards, " says an expert. That is why regulation will be key to manufacturers' decisions and, in turn, how easily we can tackle that future battery waste mountain.

16. Why is it a challenge to recycle current generation batteries?

- A. Recycling is too time-consuming.
- B. Being recyclable isn't required in design.
- C. The cost of recycling is too high
- D. The recycling technology is outdated.

17. What does "more" (Para. 4) refer to?



A. More cars.

B. More lives.

C. More lithium-ion car batteries.

D. More solar power storage batteries.

18. The mention of "18 firms", (Para 5) suggests

A. a lack of recycling capacity

B. an increase in recycling facilities

C. a lack of rubbish burial places

D. a decrease in recycling firms

19. What's the author's attitude toward exporting batteries to other countries?

A. Positive.

B. Negative.



C. Indifferent.

D. Neutral.

20. What could be the conclusion of the passage?

A. Manufacturers are often conflicted when making decisions.

B. Regulation will play a crucial role in tackling battery waste.

C. It's hard for car batteries to meet a certain set of standards.

D. Nobody can imagine how easy it 'll be to tackle battery waste.

Part II Vocabulary and Structure (共 40 小题 , 每小题 1 分 , 共 40 分)

Directions: There are 40 incomplete sentences in this part. For each sentence there are 4 choices marked A, B, C and D. Choose the ONE that best completes the sentence. Then mark your answer by blackening the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet.

21. that he wasted too much time, the boy decided to stop playing games from tomorrow.





A. Realized

B. To be realized

C. To realize

D. Having realized

22. Those who have received the first dose of vaccines to take the second in 20 days.

A. are required

B. will require

C. have required

D. had been required

23. He found every body know what had happened.

A. it necessary Itting

B. it necessary to let



C. it's necessary letting

D. that necessary to letting

24. I think we buy this one. We're not going to find any thing better.

A. might as well

B. had rather

C. are likely to

D. would as well

25. We finally returned to the camp at the foot of the mountain, hungry and

A. exhaustible

B. exhausting

C. exhausted

D. exhaustive



26. Most of the news in today's newspaper, the extinction of rare wild animals.

A. is concerned

B. are concerning

C. concerns

D. concern

27. We regret \_you that the delivery will be delayed two weeks for rough weather.

A. informing

B. to inform

C. to be informed

D. being informed

28. Who is that elderly man you when I ran into you in the shopping mall last Sunday?



A. were talking to

B. had talked to

C. are talking to

D. have talked to

29. It is so noisy outside that the speaker couldn't make himself s

A. hearing

B. to hear

C. heard

D. being heard

30. If the rescue team hadn't responded so quickly, the consequence much worse.

A. had been

B. have been



C. will have been

D. would have been

31. It is encouraging that significant progress in medicine over the past five years.

A. there was

B. there were

C. there have been

D. there has been

32. The patient's wife was anxious he would pull through the operation.

A. where

B. what

C. whether

D. why



33. Not until the secretary had read the report the truth.

A. she understood

B. did she understand

C. she has understood

D. has she understood

34. Theory is valuable\_ it can provide a guide for practice.

A. now that

B. in that

C. for which

D. in which

35. These big issues ; as soon as the president of the company returns.

A. are discussed



B. are being discussed

C. will be discussed

D. will be discussing

36. All passengers appreciated hot water and free meals when waiting at the station.

A. to be given

B. to have been given

C. being given

D. having given

37. Three companies have reached an agreement they should share the costs of shipment.

A. which

B. that

C. what



D. whether

38. Some students often complain that the poem is it is to forget.

A. as easy to remember as

B. as easily to remember as

C. to remember as easy as

D. to remember as easily as

39. The meeting appeared important, but actually it had to do with his business in the least.

A. something

B. nothing

C. every thing

D. any thing

40. This is the matter they have talked so much since two weeks ago.





A. that

B. which

C. about what

D. about which

41. These explorations help to information necessary to understand the water cycle in mountains.

A. gather

B. receive :

C. accept

D. select

42. The manager will receive a health insurance plan worth \$6,000, the salary \$20,000.

A. in contrast to

B. in terms of



C. in addition to

D. in cascof

43. Mary felt as her first meeting with NTON had gone smpouhly.

A. relieved

B. released

C. relaxing

D. refreshing

44. All research members made great efforts together and finally solutions to each problem.

A. put up with

B. came up with

C. kept up with



D. caught up with

45. Students are sure to benefit from the programs to their critical thinking skills.

A. threaten

B. awaken

C. weaken

D. strengthen

46. Unless you plan ahead and save , it will be difficult to achieve your financial goals.

A. probably

B. thoroughly

C. regularly

D. eventually

47. His paintings have been in art galleries all over the world.



A. exposed

B. exhibited

C. revealed .

D. demonstrated

48. Six miners, the accident but they cannot recall what happened in detail.

A. searched

B. confronted

C. abandoned

D. survived

49. The impacts will be really if we continue using water at the same rate as we do now.

A. severe

B. tense



C. rude .

D. tough

50. The date on the card lets the manufacturer know when the warranty will ,orcometoan end.

A. inquire

B. aspire

C. expire

D. acquire

51. The child should be punished; you shouldn't let him telling lies!

A. do away with

B. run away with

C. get rid of

D. get away with



52. Everyone would go into the hall for a meeting and then we'd go to our classes.

A. respective

B. respectful

C. respected

D. respectable

53. I was very nervous during the ; I'm afraid they'll give the job to someone else.

A. review

B. interview

C. appointment

D. date

54. Some shops may offer you a (n) if you buy display items.

A. account



B. subtraction

C. discount

D. addition

55. There are still some unknown of wild animals in the South American rain forests.

A. races

B. types

C. species

D. sorts ;

56. What telephone number should you call if you. a serious car crash?

A. glimpse

B. peer

C. observe



D. witness

57. Frequently, conflicts, simply for lack of communication and mutual understanding.

A. raise :

C. arise

D. arouse

58. Read the paper . you'll know more about the latest development in biotechnology.

A. if

B. or

C. but

D. and

59. Though the old house is not worth much, my grandparents are emotionally attached





A. by

B. to

C. with

D. for

60. The flights to that country have been cancelled due to circumstances

our control.

A. beyond

B. without

C. with

D. under

Part III Cloze (共 20 小题，每小题 1 分，共 20 分) .

Directions: There are 20 blanks in the following passage. For each blank there are 4 choices marked A, B, C and D. You should



choose the ONE that best completes the passage. Then mark your answer by blackening the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet.

No two people act, think, or feel the same way\_\_\_ 61\_ makes you unique is mainly a result of heredity (遗传) , family, roles, culture, etc. Heredity is the passing. 62\_\_\_ of traits, or characteristics and qualities, from parents to their children. Some of these traits are 63\_ , such as your eye color, your facial features, and your body build. Heredity also can play a part in your intelligence.

Your family is one of the 64 influences on the person you are 65\_ . Are you an only child, the oldest child, the. 66 child, or a middle child? What activities do you do with\_\_\_ 67 members? These questions suggest some of the ways you are\_\_\_ 68 by your family.

The roles you have determine how you relate 69\_ other people and how you act in various 70\_ . A role is your position in a group or situation. You 71 many roles.



You may be a daughter or a son at home, or a student at school. Your roles 72, depending on the people with whom you 73 and the situations involved. You learn your roles\_\_\_ 74 talking to and watching people who are important to you.

Your \_\_7: also influences who you are. Ways of thinking, acting, dressing, and speaking 76 by a group of people is called culture. Cultures may be 77\_ on the ethnic group, geographic location, or social class. Culture often 78 . certain traditions people follow. You may not 79\_ think about your culture until you meet someone who speaks\_ 80 language, enjoys different foods, or celebrates different holidays from yours.

61. A. That B. It C. Which D. What

62. A. over B. out C. on D. up

63. A. physical B. mental C. intellectual D. emotional

64. A. heaviest B. strongest C. slightest D. weakest

65. A. becoming B. believing C. changing D. belonging

66. A. smallest B. shortest C. youngest D. tiniest



67. A. team .B. groupC.orD. family

68. A. influencedB. producedCdemandcaD. recommended

69.A. onB. inD. for

70. A. emotionsB. locationsC situationsD. functions

71. A. makeB. createCexpectD. have

72. A. varyB. remainC.holdD. improve

73. A. enjoyB. joinC. intcractD. react

74. A. ofB. byC. upD. at

75. A. cultureB. heredityC. familyD. role

76. A. sharedB. rejectedC. criticizedD. needed

77. A. fixedB. placedC. basedD. focused

78. A. identifiesB. givesC. offersD. determines

79. A. alreadyB. evenC. stillD. always



80. A. another B. other C. more D. strange

Part IV Translation (共 35 分)

Section A (共 5 小题, 每小题 4 分, 共 20 分)

Directions: Translate the following sentences into Chinese. You may refer to the corresponding passages in Part 1.

81. Salt helps muscles work, and it aids in digesting food.

82. With good time management, a schedule is cleverly organized and then strictly followed, so tasks get done as planned.

83. From Harry Potter to Matilda, some of the world's most beloved characters come from works of fiction.

84. A good non-fiction book can be just as exciting and emotional as a novel.

85. It will be "environmentally disastrous" if there isn't a strategy for dealing with the batteries.

Section B (共 5 小题, 每小题 3 分, 共 15 分)



Directions: Translate the following sentences into English.

86.人永远不应该以健康为代价而获得成功。

87.要做成一件事，必须做好充分准备。

88.他的方法听起来很奇怪，但确实很有效。

89.更为重要的是，朗读有助于增强语言学习者的记忆力。

90.不管来自哪里，每个人都应该享有平等的机会。

#### Part V Writing (15 分)

Directions: For this part, you are allowed 30 minutes to write an essay with the title My View on Bulk Buying at Shopping Festivals. You are required to write at least 120 words, following the outline given below:

1.如今，购物节囤货现象越来越普遍;

2.囤货的利与弊;

3.你认为应该怎么做。