



# 2019 年河南专升本公共英语考试真题

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试公共英语

满分 150 分

时间: 150 分钟

## Part I Vocabulary and Structure (1 x40)

Directions: There are 40 incomplete sentences in this part. For each sentence there are four choices marked A, B, C and D.

Choose the ONE that best completes the sentence, and then mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet.

( )1. Let' s walk to the shops instead of taking the car, \_\_\_\_\_?

A. shall we

B. don' t we

C. will we

D. won' t we



( )2. The travel agency is arranging for us \_\_\_\_\_ at a really nice hotel.

A. stay

B. of staying

C. to stay

D. staying

( )3. I wouldn't want \_\_\_\_\_ of my parents to know I have a boyfriend.

A. either

B. any

C. neither

D. none

( )4. I am beginning to think that \_\_\_\_\_ people say about him is true.



A. which

B. this

C. what

D. \

( )5. I \_\_\_\_\_ the whole of War and Peace by the time I was seven years old.

A. was reading

B. had read

C. had been reading

D. had been read

( )6. Paul is a real introvert in contrast \_\_\_\_\_ his brother Andrew.

A. with

B. by



C. to

D. against

( )7. If I \_\_\_\_\_ lottery, I' d give some of the money to each member of my family.

A. win

B. have won

C. will

D. won

( )8. Medicine should not be kept \_\_\_\_\_ it is approachable to children.

A. when

B. where

C. which

D. that



( )9. Most people are \_\_\_\_\_ in a dentist' s office than in a doctor' s office.

- A. obviously nervous
- B. more obviously nervous
- C. obviously more nervous
- D. more nervous obviously

( )10. If we \_\_\_\_\_ enough rain last year, we could have gained a good harvest.

- A. have
- B. had
- C. have had
- D. had had

( )11. We \_\_\_\_\_ today and I got into trouble because I hadn' t done it.



- A. had checked our homework
- B. had our homework checked
- C. were checked our homework
- D. have checking our homework

( )12. Bill asked me why \_\_\_\_\_ to go shopping with me.

- A. I hadn' t invited him
- B. hadn' t invited him
- C. I hadn' t him invited
- D. hadn' t him invited

( )13. After finishing her course, Rachel went on \_\_\_\_\_ a well-known lawyer.

- A. to become
- B. becoming



C. to becoming

D. become

( )14. This is the book in \_\_\_\_\_ Foster described his experience of the war.

A. that

B. what

C. where

D. which

( )15. Never \_\_\_\_\_ a greater day in the history of mankind.

A. did there be

B. was there

C. there was

D. there has been



( )16. Gymnastics \_\_\_\_\_ to activities which requires skill such as speed and adaptability.

A. is referring

B. refers

C. referred

D. has referred

( )17. Apple \_\_\_\_\_ to have put a lot of effort into developing wireless ear-buds.

A. said

B. it is said

C. has said

D. is said

( )18. There are \_\_\_\_\_ Chinese restaurants in New York City as in Boston.





A. twice as many

B. twice as much

C. as twice many

D. as twice much

( )19. The old temple \_\_\_\_\_ roof was damaged in a storm is now under repair.

A. where

B. which

C. its

D. whose

( )20. The engineers are so busy that they don' t have time for outdoor sports activities, \_\_\_\_\_ they have the interests.

A. wherever

B. whenever



C. even if

D. as if

( )21. Researchers have \_\_\_\_\_ to the conclusion that your personality is affected by your genes.

A. come

B. got

C. reached

D. arrived

( )22. She kept practicing \_\_\_\_\_ she could win the National Speaking Competition.

A. to

B. in order to

C. so that

D. because of



( )23. Carl wasn't very good at mountain climbing as he's afraid of \_\_\_\_\_.

A. highs

B. heights

C. highness

D. heightening

( )24. Harry and Sam both denied that the fight was their \_\_\_\_\_.

A. blame

B. criticism

C. cause

D. fault

( )25. The government should do more for \_\_\_\_\_ people.

A. usual



B. everyday

C. ordinary

D. typical

( )26. Some drugs produce bad side \_\_\_\_\_.

A. consequences

B. results

C. products

D. effects

( )27. It is wise to \_\_\_\_\_ your property against storm damage.

A. insure

B. assure

C. reassure

D. ensure



( )28. Joe told me a joke today but I didn' t \_\_\_\_\_ it at all.

A. get

B. bring

C. collect

D. fetch

( )29. I think she \_\_\_\_\_ her fortune in the shipping industry.

A. took

B. won

C. made

D. saved

( )30. I really don' t \_\_\_\_\_ the point of taking the exam when you are not ready for it.

A. look



B. see

C. have

D. mind

( )31. The debate will \_\_\_\_\_ place tonight.

A. be

B. take

C. have

D. make

( )32. Ivan tells me he really \_\_\_\_\_ himself at your barbecue last week.

A. pleased

B. enjoyed

C. played



D. interested

( )33. What's the \_\_\_\_\_ between New York and Chicago?

A. length

B. space

C. distance

D. gap

( )34. They were accused of interfering in China's internal \_\_\_\_\_.

A. matter

B. affairs

C. thing

D. concern

( )35. Please don't forget to \_\_\_\_\_ your essays during Friday' lesson.



A. handle in

B. hand in

C. hand

D. handle

( )36. The teacher asked some questions to make \_\_\_\_\_ that the student understand the text.

A. good

B. true

C. sure

D. believe

( )37. She is finding \_\_\_\_\_ with the way I do my hair.

A. flaw

B. mistake





C. fault

D. error

( )38. Joe stared at me for a moment and then reluctantly \_\_\_\_\_ his hand.

A. extended

B. increased

C. raised

D. put

( )39. The earth \_\_\_\_\_ the necessary amount of heat and light from the sun.

A. supplies

B. receives

C. provides

D. requires



( )40. Slow down! I can' t \_\_\_\_ with you!

A. get on

B. put down

C. drop out

D. keep up

**Part II Cloze (1 x20)**

Directions: There are 20 blanks in the following passage. For each of the blank there are four choices marked A, B, C and D. You should choose the ONE that best fits into the passage and mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet.

Today it 41 have a bad reputation as a cause of addiction and obesity(肥胖), but for a long time sugar was a luxury(奢侈品) and 42 the opinion of the medical profession it still should be.

During the nineteenth century, however, manufactures discovered 43 of producing it in vast quantities and it has since become 44 of the staple(主要的) articles of diet, particularly 45



the lower social classes. It has the advantages of 46 comparatively cheap, easily digested, rich 47 energy and useful for flavoring.

Its major 48 are that it lacks nourishing (营养的) quality except that of giving energy, and 49 of its attractive flavour it 50 to displace other much more valuable foods 51 the diet. Most serious of all is its adverse 52 on health, since excessive consumption can cause heart 53, obesity and dental decay. The latter is widespread among the inhabitant(居民) of western countries. From the very young to the very old. 54 anyone escapes. Yet if parents drastically reduced the 55 confectionery(甜食) they allow 56 children to eat, the extent of dental decay would soon be controlled. And 57 they were to 58 down their own consumption of sugar, they would suffer much 59 from diseases resulting directly or indirectly from their 60 overweight.

( )41. A. must

B. may

C. should



D. could

( )42. A. to

B. on

C. for

D. in

( )43. A. problems

B. difficulties

C. ways

D. origins

( )44. A. same

B. one

C. simple

D. well-known



( )45. A. between

B. with

C. to

D. among

( )46. A. be

B. having to be

C. being

D. have to be

( )47. A. in

B. with

C. to

D. for

( )48. A. disadvantages



B. qualities

C. characteristics D. uses

( )49. A. thanks

B. because

C. due

D. opposite

( )50. A. tends

B. owns

C. has

D. is

( )51. A. out of

B. from

C. within



D. of

( )52. A. strength

B. outcome

C. result

D. effect

( )53. A. broken

B. disease

C. break

D. stop

( )54. A. no way

B. hardly

C. if

D. most unlikely



( )55. A. amount

B. variety

C. kind

D. quality

( )56. A. /

B. their

C. the

D. for

( )57. A. then

B. as

C. if

D. however

( )58. A. shut





B. slow

C. cut

D. turn

( )59. A. least

B. less

C. /

D. more

( )60. A. having

B. gaining

C. having been

D. being

Part III Reading Comprehension (2 x20)



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

### Passage 1

More and more around the world are taking part in dangerous sports and activities. Of course, there have always been people who have looked for adventure--those who have climbed the highest mountains, searched into unknown parts of the world or sailed in small boats across the greatest oceans.

I would consider bungee jumping to be a good example of such an activity. You jump from a high place 200 meters above the ground with a rope tied to your feet. You fall at up to 150 kilometers an hour until the rope stops you from hitting the ground.

Why do people take part in such activities as these? Some people suggest that it is because life in modern societies has



become safe and uninteresting. But in the past, they had to go out and hunt for food, and diseases could not easily be cured.

Nowadays, life offers little excitement. They live and work in safe conditions, they buy food in shops and there are doctors and hospitals to look after them if they become ill. The answer for some people is to look for danger in activities such as bungee jumping.

( )61. According to the passage more and more people around the world today\_\_\_\_\_.

- A. are taking part in games that are very safe
- B. are aware of the risk of some activities
- C. are trying dangerous activities for excitement
- D. are looking for ways of showing their courage

( )62. Bungee jumping is an activity that you\_\_\_\_\_.

- A. jump down to the ground without holding to a rope
- B. fasten yourself to a rope and fall from a great height



C. jump up as high as you can

D. move down a rope to the ground

( )63. Many people take part in sports with the purpose of \_\_\_\_.

A. getting healthier

B. losing weight

C. entertaining themselves

D. seeking adventure

( )64. Nowadays people think that life is \_\_\_\_.

A. dull

B. interesting

C. unsafe

D. happy

( )65. What can be the title of the passages?



- A. The Need for Excitement
- B. Interesting Bungee Jumping.
- C. Dangerous Sports and Activities
- D. Modern Life and Activities

### **Passage 2**

The year was 1932. Amelia Earhart was flying alone from North America to England in a small single-engined plane. At midnight, several hours after she had left Newfoundland, she ran into bad weather. To make things worse, her altimeter failed and she didn't know how high she was flying. At night, and in a storm, a pilot is in great difficulty without an altimeter. At times, her plane nearly plunged into the sea.

Just before dawn, there was further trouble, Amelia noticed flames coming from the engine. Would she be able to reach land? There was nothing to do except to keep going and to hope.

In the end, Amelia Earhart did reach Ireland, and for the courage she had shown, she was warmly welcomed in England and



Europe. When she returned to the United States, she was honored by President Hoover at a special dinner in the White House. From that time on, Amelia Earhart was famous. What was so important about her flight? Amelia Earhart was the first woman to fly the Atlantic Ocean alone, and she had set a record of fourteen hours and fifty-six minutes.

In the years that followed, Amelia Earhart made several flights across the United States, and on each occasion she set a new record for flying time. Amelia Earhart made these flights to show that women had a place in aviation and that air travel was useful.

( )66. Which of the following statements is NOT the difficulty which Amelia Earhart met in her flight from North America to England?

- A. She was caught in a storm.
- B. The altimeter went out of order.
- C. Her engine went wrong.
- D. She lost her direction.



( )67. When Amelia Earhart saw flames coming from the engine, what did she do?

- A. She did nothing but pray for herself.
- B. She changed her direction and landed in Ireland.
- C. She continued flying.
- D. She lost hope of reaching land.

( )68. According to the passage, what was Amelia Earhart's reason for making her flights?

- A. To set a new record for flying time.
- B. To be the first woman to fly around the world.
- C. To show that aviation was not just for men.
- D. To become famous in the world.

( )69. Which of the following statements was NOT mentioned?



- A. She was the first woman who succeeded in flying across the Atlantic Ocean alone
- B. She showed great courage in overcoming the difficulties during the flight.
- C. She was warmly welcomed in England, Europe and the United States.
- D. She made plans to fly around the world.

( )70. Which of the following would be the best title for the passage?

- A. Amelia Earhart---First Across the Atlantic.
- B. Amelia Earhart---Pioneer in Women' s Aviation.
- C. A New Record for Flying Time.
- D. A Dangerous Flight from North America to England.

### Passage 3





The Winter Olympics are also called the White Olympics. At this time, many colorful stamps are published to mark the great Games. The first stamps marking the opening came out on January 25, 1932 in the United States for the 3rd White Olympics. From then on, publishing stamps during the White Olympics became a rule.

During the 4th Winter Games a group of stamps were published in Germany in November 1936. The five rings of Olympics were sewn(缝制)on the front of the sportswear. It was the first time that the rings appeared on the stamps of the White Olympics.

In the 1950s, the stamps of this kind became more colorful. When the White Olympics came, the host countries as well as the non-host countries published stamps to mark those Games. China also published four stamps in February 1980, when the Chinese sportsmen began to take part in the White Olympics.

Different kinds of sports were drawn on these small stamps. People can enjoy the beauty of the wonderful movements of some sportsmen.

( )71. The White Olympics and the Winter Olympics are \_\_\_\_\_.



A. the same thing

B. different games

C. not held in winter

D. held in summer

( )72. The world made it a rule to publish stamps to mark the Olympics Games \_\_\_\_\_.

A. After the year 1936

B. after the 3rd White Olympics

C. Before the 3rd White Olympics

D. before the year 1932

( )73. The Winter Olympics are held once every \_\_\_\_\_ years.

A. two

B. three



C. four

D. five

( )74. Which of the following is TRUE?

A. Only the host countries can publish stamps to mark those Games.

B. Only the non-host countries can publish stamps to mark those Games.

C. All the countries can publish stamps to mark those Games.

D. Chinese has never published stamps to mark those Games.

( )75. What most probably appear on the stamps of the White Olympic?

A. Basketball

B. Table tennis

C. Football



D. Skating

#### Passage 4

Be aware of those who use the truth to cheat. When someone tells you something that is true, but leaves out important information that should be included, he can create a false impression. For example, someone might say, "I just won a hundred dollars on the lottery. It was great. I took that dollar ticket back to the store and changed it for one hundred dollars!"

This guy's a winner, right? maybe, or maybe not. We then discover that he bought two hundred tickets, and only one was a winner. He's really a big loser!

He didn't say anything that was false, but he deliberately left out some important information. That's called a half-truth.

Half-truths are not technically lies, but they are just as not honest. Untrustworthy candidates in political campaigns often use this strategy. Let's say that during Governor Smith's last term, her state lost one million jobs and gained three million jobs. Then she seeks another term. One of her opponents runs an advertisement saying, "During Governor Smith's term, the



state lost one million jobs!" That' s true. However, an honest statement would have been, "During Governor Smith' s term, the state had a net gain of two million jobs."

Advertisers will sometimes use half-truths. It' s against the law to make false claims so they try to mislead you with the truth. An advertisement might boast, "Nine out of ten doctors recommend Yucky Pills to cure nose pimples." It fails to mention that they only asked ten doctors and nine of them work for the Yucky Corporation.

This kind of deception happens too often. It' s a sad fact of life: Lies are lies, and sometimes the truth can lie as well.

( )76. In which of the following situations is a person telling a half-truth?

- A. When somebody is telling a white lie.
- B. When somebody is making up information.
- C. When somebody is saying something that is wrong.



D. When somebody is intentionally leaving out important information.

( )77. It can be inferred from the passage that \_\_\_\_\_.

A. advertisers always make false claims

B. advertisements can be misleading due to partial information

C. Yucky pills are effective in curing nose pimples

D. the Yucky Corporation has a bad reputation for its drug

( )78. The underlined word "deception" (Para.6) is closest in meaning to "\_\_\_\_\_".

A. dishonesty

B. suggestion

C. situation

D. failure

( )79. The author clearly wants people to \_\_\_\_\_.



- A. think carefully about what they read and hear
- B. be firm supporters of a particular candidate in political campaigns
- C. never place their trust in lottery winners
- D. vote for female candidates in political campaigns

( )80. An appropriate title for this passage would be \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. It Pays to Be Honest
- B. Everyone Lies
- C. Lying with the Truth
- D. An Important Tactic in Advertising

#### **Part IV Translation (2 x10)**

Directions: There are 10 sentences in this part. Please translate sentences 81 - 85 from Chinese into English, and translate sentences 86 - 90 from English into Chinese. Write your answer on the Answer Sheet.



81. 这本书是我看过的最有趣的一本。

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82. 他带学生去参观工厂。

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83. 给我足够的时间，我也能做好。

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84. 谢谢你给我们帮了这么多的忙。

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85. 昨天我是在街道上遇见他的。

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86. As is known to us all, light runs faster than sound.

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87. He feels it his duty to help others.

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88. Nothing has happened since we parted.

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89. He cannot be operated upon as he is very weak.

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90. It should be understood that to err is human.

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## Part V Error Correction(1 × 10)

Directions: There are 10 sentences in this part. Each sentence has 4 underlined parts marked A, B, C and D. You are required to identify the incorrect part, and then write the corresponding letter and the correct answer on the Answer Sheet.

91. When I arrived at the station, I realized that the train has gone away.

92. I should tell you that you will find it hard to make friend with that young man.

93. Thousand of children are dying of drinking unclean water every day in the developing world.

94. The sun warms the earth, this makes it possible for plants to grow.

95. When the novel was finished, Miss Smith suggested to send it to the Oxford Press.

96. Scarcely had we come into the classroom than the bell rang.



97. Would you consider **to give** her **another** five minutes **before giving up** waiting for her.

98. I **am going** to **have my letter type** tomorrow if I' ve **got** everything **ready** by then.

99. **The reason** Tom has made **great progress** is **for** she **has never wasted** her time.

100. The fire quickly **spread to** the first floor **where** it **destroyed** all the **equipments** in the language lab.

### **Part VI Writing (1 x20)**

Directions: For this part, you are required to write a composition on the topic: Part-time Jobs. You should write at least 120 word, and base yours composition on the outline given in Chinese below.

1. 目前, 越来越多的大学生做兼职;
2. 大学生做兼职的利弊;
3. 你的看法。



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