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前 言

“高等学校英语应用能力考试”是按照教育部颁发的“高职高专英语课程教学基本要求”而设置的考试，自 1988 年以来，已在全国大多数省份逐步推开，深受广大高职高专学生的欢迎和社会的认可。

对于在读高职高专学生来说，“高等学校英语应用能力考试”成绩的重要意义是不言而喻的。无论是从投入的精力，还是从重视的程度来说，都是其他学科无法比拟的；然而，更重要的还在于，在未来的激烈市场竞争中，英语水平的高低将起着举足轻重的作用。但仅仅重视是远远不够的，除巩固基础知识外，还应了解试卷结构和试题题型，做到有的放矢。为此，我们编写了这套《高等学校英语应用能力考试专项技能训练丛书》。丛书全部由各种题型的试题组成，对于学完全部课程的同学来说，这些试题能帮助他们熟悉考试题型，通过强化训练提高应试能力，最后达到顺利过级之目的。《高等学校英语应用能力考试专项技能训练丛书》由长春工程学院安晓灿教授、景志华教授任总主编，共计四个分册，具体为：

- 听力理解
- 阅读理解
- ★ 词汇与结构
- 写作与翻译

本书为“词汇与结构”分册，全书的内容及特点是：

① 试题量大。全书分十个单元，每单元 60 道测试题，题型与真题完全一致，难易程度与真题相当，旨在通过强化训练，提高考生的应试能力。

② 内容广泛。全书 600 道测试题内容涵盖词汇、语法的各个方面，都是依据“考试大纲”，并在分析历年考题的基础上，精心编撰而成，十分有益于考生扩展词汇、语法知识。

③ 解答详尽。所有试题均有详尽解答，有难点、考点的精辟论述，还有各类词汇、语法问题的入微分析，使考生既知其然，又知其所以然，能从根本上掌握词汇和语法知识。另外，所有试题全部给出标准译文。

长春工程学院安晓灿教授、吉林农业大学蔡明教授任本书主编。具体分工如下：Section A 与 B 由蔡明编写；Section C 由邹艳丽编写；Section D 由陈智勇编写；Section E 与 F 由安晓灿编写。美国迈阿密大学文理学院副院长 Jennie Dauternann 教授审阅了本书的英文部分，在此深表感谢。

由于编者水平所限，加之时间仓促，不足之处在所难免，敬请使用本书的广大师生提出宝贵意见。

编 者

2003 年 3 月

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Model Tests

Test 1

Section A

Directions: There are 10 incomplete statements here. You are required to complete each statement by choosing the appropriate answer from the 4 choices marked A), B), C) and D).

- In some countries, there is a terrible _____ of food.
A) shortness C) shortage
B) demand D) need
- At the universities of Oxford and Cambridge the _____ of teachers to students is very high.
A) ratio C) number
B) percentage D) proportion
- When he applied for a _____ in the office of the local newspaper, he was told to see the manager.
A) location C) career
B) profession D) position
- He who is the most slow in making a promise is the most faithful in the _____ of it.
A) permission C) performance
B) perspective D) percentage

- ## Section B

1. The teacher was struck by a car and _____ badly.

- A) harmed B) damaged C) injured D) ruined
2. I'd like to _____ a special seat for the concert of May 5th.
A) deserve C) preserve
B) reserve D) conserve
3. The improved television was successfully _____ after repeated experiments.
A) proved C) produced
B) exported D) changed
4. The women and children were _____ from the burning building.
A) stole B) filed C) hide D) rescued
5. Fill in the blanks with the missing words and _____ the sentence.
A) produce C) fulfill
B) complete D) conclude
6. The children will not be allowed to come with us if they don't _____ themselves.
A) guide C) act
B) behave D) direct
7. We had not _____ to meet with such kindness from the villagers, for this was a newly-liberated area.
A) rushed C) accepted
B) expected D) considered
8. If we are blind to this, we shall _____ the gravest error imaginable.
A) mistake C) realize
B) produce D) commit
9. We tried to _____ the nervous old lady that flying in an airplane was quite safe.
A) assure C) ensure
B) secure D) issue

10. Any student who _____ his homework is unlikely to pass the examination.

A) reduces

C) practises

B) neglects

D) offends

Section C

Directions: *There are 10 incomplete statements here. You are required to complete each statement by choosing the appropriate answer from the 4 choices marked A), B), C) and D).*

1. This coat is too big; I want one of _____ size.

A) middle

C) average

B) medium

D) modest

2. _____ difficulties, they prefer to take the easy road.

A) Afraid

C) Be afraid

B) Afraid about

D) Afraid of

3. When the hats were lost the farmers worked in the field with _____ heads.

A) bare

C) blank

B) empty

D) vain

4. Mary is the most _____ secretary I've ever met.

A) industrial

C) working

B) efficient

D) practiced

5. Guilin is famous _____ its beautiful scenery.

A) of

C) about

B) for

D) in

6. I sold my old bicycle at a quite _____ price.

A) cheap

C) dear

B) expensive

D) reasonable

7. These books are very _____ with young people.

- A) character C) popular
 B) precious D) interesting
8. We are very _____ to your mother for her help.
 A) familiar C) sensitive
 B) thoughtful D) grateful
9. Mary is indifferent _____ hardships and dangers.
 A) of B) at C) to D) in
10. Those plastic flowers look so _____ that many people think they are real.
 A) beautiful C) comparable
 B) natural D) similar

Section D

Directions: *There are 10 incomplete statements here. You are required to complete each statement by choosing the appropriate answer from the 4 choices marked A), B), C) and D).*

1. The heart is an organ that beats _____.
 A) forcefully C) artificially
 B) irregularly D) automatically
2. Being _____ industrialized, this country has become very prosperous.
 A) highly C) briefly
 B) likely D) merely
3. They had not seen each other for years until they met _____ in Beijing last week.
 A) distinctly C) enormously
 B) precisely D) accidentally
4. Intelligence does not _____ mean success. You need diligence as

well.

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| A) honestly | C) formally |
| B) merely | D) necessarily |
5. Mary is having a tough time deciding whether to dress _____ or formally for the party tonight.
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| A) individually | C) respectively |
| B) casually | D) deliberately |
6. That could not be a mere accident. Tom did it _____ to hurt him.
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| A) necessarily | C) purposefully |
| B) strictly | D) inevitably |
7. It only rains _____ in the summer here. The water we've got is not enough for this area.
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| A) frequently | C) exactly |
| B) occasionally | D) previously |
8. Mark walked away _____ when he failed to find his name on the list.
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| A) rapidly | C) miserably |
| B) heartily | D) devotedly |
9. The functions of this machine are described _____ in the handbook.
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| A) steadily | C) extremely |
| B) accurately | D) forcibly |
10. At the finish, the winner of the race raised her arms _____.
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| A) largely | C) regularly |
| B) generously | D) triumphantly |

Section E

Directions: In this section, there are 10 incomplete statements. You are required

to complete each one by deciding on the most appropriate word or words from the 4 choices marked A), B), C) and D).

1. The family never agree about _____ shares of the property.
A) his
B) its
C) their
D) one's
2. Every means _____ tried but without much result.
A) has been
B) have been
C) are
D) is
3. Many a boy _____ to swim before he can read.
A) learned
B) learns
C) learn
D) have learned
4. _____ were allowed to graze on the village common.
A) The cattle
B) The cattles
C) Cattles
D) A cattle
5. Another five weeks _____ necessary for us to finish the work.
A) are
B) is
C) will have been
D) were
6. The number of stamp-collectors _____ apace.
A) are growing
B) have been growing
C) is growing
D) had been grown
7. Neither the package nor the letters had reached _____ destination.
A) its
B) our
C) their
D) my
8. It is well-known that none of these materials _____ conductors.
A) has been
B) are
C) is
D) were
9. Mathematics as well as physics always _____ me a lot of headaches.
A) has caused
C) cause

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Section A

Directions: There are 10 incomplete statements here. You are required to complete each statement by choosing the appropriate answer from the 4 choices marked A), B), C) and D).

1. Jim's close _____ to his brother made people mistake them for one another.
A) relation C) membership
B) resemblance D) appearance
2. He gave the door man a _____ for helping him with his packages.
A) fare B) tip C) money D) fee
3. For their English homework the pupils have to write a(n) _____ entitled "Holidays".
A) essay C) composition
B) article D) prose
4. From Paris to Berlin is a _____ of one day.
A) tour C) journey
B) travel D) voyage
5. He has a bad _____ of interrupting people.
A) habit C) hobby
B) custom D) profession
6. It was difficult to see ships in the distance because of the _____.
A) sweat B) fog C) dew D) frost
7. The story of a great river is very often the story of great _____.

- A) vegetation C) civilization
B) navigation D) irrigation
8. As an immediate _____ the university has cut admissions by 20 percent.
A) impression C) explanation
B) response D) charge
9. I have been advised to take every _____ against catching flu again this winter.
A) prevention C) premeditation
B) precaution D) prediction
10. She is quite capable and can be depended on in an _____.
A) accident C) affair
B) emergency D) incident

Section B

Directions: *There are 10 incomplete statements here. You are required to complete each statement by choosing the appropriate answer from the 4 choices marked A), B), C) and D).*

1. The government's new safety pamphlet _____ against smoking in bed.
A) advises C) declares
B) guards D) persuades
2. Too many hotels have been built and this has _____ down prices, making holidays cheaper.
A) forced C) cut
B) showed D) reduced
3. The lecture _____ from prehistory to modern times and gave the audience much to think about.

- A) covered C) included
B) ranged D) dealt
4. There's little chance that mankind would _____ a nuclear war.
A) retain C) maintain
B) endure D) survive
5. Our company decided to _____ the contract because the conditions in it had not been met.
A) destroy C) assume
B) resist D) cancel
6. The army _____ defeat at the hands of his enemies.
A) suffered C) bore
B) tolerated D) supported
7. On its last flight to the moon in 1972, the Apollo spacecraft _____ up with a record lunar stay of seventy-five hours.
A) picked B) blew C) wound D) turned
8. John was so _____ in his reading that he didn't notice me entering his room.
A) engaged C) absorbed
B) concentrated D) tempted
9. The young man _____ his hatred under an appearance of friendliness.
A) masked C) expressed
B) involved D) revealed
10. The newly appointed director is trying to _____ the working conditions in the factory.
A) improve C) attain
B) apply D) cultivate