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)1. From the above message, we know that this is _

A. a notice B. an advertisement

C. a postcard)2. If you take a tour to Hainan on June 23rd, you will return on

D. a sign

B. June 25th A. June 27th

C. June 26th D. June 28th

)3. You can visit main places if you take the tour.

> A. 4 B. 5

C. 6

)4. The price for the tour doesn't include

A. bus service B. hotels

C. plane tickets D. meals

)5. Which of the following is TRUE?

A. You don't have to pay ¥650 if you book the tour earlier.

B. You can book the tour at 5 o'clock on Monday afternoon.

C. You can book the tour at 5 o'clock on Saturday afternoon.

D. You have to go to the office to book the tour.

难度系数: ★ ★

建议用时: 4'30"

Sharks have very sharp teeth. That is sometimes thought to (被认为) be dangerous to humans, but people usually do not know much about them. For example, there are 350 kinds of sharks, and all of them are meat eaters. Some sharks are very big. But some sharks are very small. Sharks are 100 million years old. In fact, they lived at the same time as dinosaurs.

Today, sharks live in every ocean in the world, but most sharks live in warm water. They keep the oceans clean because they eat sick fishes and animals. Most sharks have four to six rows of teeth. When a tooth of the shark falls out, another tooth moves in from behind.

Sharks do not have ears. However, they "hear" sounds and movements in water. Any sound or movement makes the water vibrate (振动). Sharks can feel these vibrations, and they help sharks find food. Sharks use their large eyes to find food, too. Most sharks see best in low light. They often look for food early in the morning, in the evening, or in the middle of the night.

Scientists want to learn more about sharks for several reasons. For example, cancer(癌) is often found in many animals and people. However, it is rare(极少的) in sharks. Scientists want to find out why sharks almost never get cancer. Maybe this information can help people prevent cancer, too.

根据	短文	内容.	选择	正确	答案

A. sharks are useful to us

B. sharks are dangerous to us

C. scientists have found the way to prevent cancer
 D. sharks are the largest animals in the oceans

(71.	many people are afraid of sharks because
		A. there are too many sharks in the world
		B. they like to attack people very much
		C. all of them are very big
		D. they have sharp teeth
()2.	The underlined word "they" in the third paragraph refers to
		A. sharks' teeth B. sharks' ears
		C. sharks' eyes D. water vibrations
()3.	From this passage, we know
		A. sharks eat only sick fishes
		B. sharks only have six teeth
		C. sharks hear sounds with their ears
		D. some people haven't known much about sharks
()4.	Which of the following is NOT true?
		A. Sharks can live as long as dinosaurs.
		B. There are sharks in all of the oceans,
		C. Most sharks don't need strong light.
		D. Sharks seldom have got cancer.
()5.	The writer of this passage thinks

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英语限时阅读随堂练(3)

难度系数: ★ ★

建议用时: 6'30"

Bobby was a six-year-old boy. There were nineteen other little boys and girls in his class, and they were all friends, so they often went to parties together. When one of the children had a birthday, he or she invited all the other children to come to the party, and at Christmas all the mothers gave parties for all the children.

Bobby liked parties very much. He liked the games they played there — but he liked the nice food better. His favorites were cakes.

Before a party, Bobby's mother always asked him not to eat too many cakes, and Bobby always answered, "Yes, Mom." But he always are all the cakes he was given, and sometimes he was sick because of eating too much.

Christmas came again, and there were a lot of parties. Bobby went to all of them. The last one was on January 6th. It was two days before school began.

One evening before this party, Bobby's mother met the lady who had invited Bobby and his friends, and she said to her, "Bobby always eats too many cakes at parties."

"Oh, that's all right," the lady answered. She told Bobby's mother not to be worried, because at her parties, a child could only have three cakes and the cakes would be small!

"Oh, good!" Bobby's mother answered happily.

On January 6th, she took Bobby to the party and left him there.

When the children began to eat, there were enough cakes for every child to have three, but Bobby took four and began to eat them.

"You can only have three cakes, Bobby!" said the lady. She asked him to put the fourth one back on the dish.

"I can't," answered Bobby, "I ate that one first." 根据短文内容,选择正确答案。

-)1. When did the children usually have parties?
 - A. Only at Christmas. B. Only when they had birthdays.
 - C. At any time they want. D. At Christmas and when they had birthdays.
-)2. What did Bobby like best?
 - A. Chocolates. B. The games at parties.
 - C. The children at parties. D. Cakes.
-)3. Why did his mother ask Bobby not to eat too many cakes?
 - A. Because if he did, there were not enough for the other children.
 - B. Because he sometimes felt bad after that.
 - C. Because his mother was afraid he would get too heavy.
 - D. Because the food at the party wasn't fresh.
 -)4. Why did Bobby think he couldn't put the fourth cake back?
 - A. Because he thought that he had already eaten it.
 - B. Because there were enough cakes for each child to have three.
 - C. Because he had already eaten all of his cakes.
 - D. Because he only had three cakes.
- ()5. Which of the following is NOT true?
 - A. Some of the other children in Bobby's class were girls, and some of them were boys. All of them were Bobby's friends.
 - B. Bobby took four cakes at the party on January 6th.
 - C. Bobby's mother took some cakes to the party, but she didn't want Bobby to eat too many.
 - D. The lady who invited Bobby to the party on January 6th told Bobby's mother she had only three cakes for each child.

难度系数: ★ ★ ★

建议用时: 4'30"

Old Morrison was now seventy. He was a rich man. He decided to do something for the people of his town. But first he wanted to find out whether they deserved(值得) his help.

He asked his son to place a very large stone in the center of the main road in the town. Then he hid(藏) behind a tree and waited. Soon an old man came with his cow.

"Who put this stone in the center of the road?" said the old man, but he didn't try to remove the stone. Instead, with some difficulty he passed around it and continued his way. Another man came along and did the same thing. Then another came and then another. All complained(抱怨) about the stone in the center of the road but no one did anything to remove it. Later in the afternoon, a young man came along. He saw the stone and said, "The night will be here soon. Some neighbors will come along in the dark later and maybe fall over the stone."

The young man then began to move the stone. He pushed and pulled with all his strength to remove it. How great his surprise was at last when, under the stone, he found a bag of money and a piece of paper with the words: This money is for the first honest man who remove this very stone from the road.

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-) 1. Morrison _____.
 - A. was rich but miserly (吝啬的)
 - B. wanted to find a young man
 - C. liked walking with a cow
 - D. was a seventy-year-old man
-) 2. Old Morrison wanted to

 A. send all his money to his son
 - B. dc something good for the people in his town
 - C. get his daughter marry the young man
 - D. get the villagers into trouble
-) 3. _____ was the first person who gave up moving the stone away in the center of the road.
 - A. An old man with his cow
 - B. Mrs. Morrison
 - C. A young man
 - D. Old Morison's son
-)4. Why did old Morrison hide behind the tree?
 - A. Because he was afraid that someone would take away the money under the stone.
 - B. Because he wanted to see how many people would pass around the stone.
 - C. Because he was waiting the young man to come.
 - D. Because he wanted to see if the people of the town deserved his help.
-)5. The young man tried his best to remove the stone
 - A. to get the money under it
 - B. to show how honest he was
 - C. to help others avoid the danger of against it
 - D. to let old Morrison know the people of the town deserved his help

英语限时阅读随堂练(5)

难度系数: ★ ★ ★ ★

建议用时: 5'30"

In order to complete all the plans set out for the mission, astronauts often work for 16 hours a day on the spaceship. In space, astronauts study the geography, pollution, and weather on the earth. They take many photos to record their observations(观察). Astronauts also conduct experiments in the spaceship to learn how space conditions, such as microgravity(失重), affect humans, animals and plants. Besides working, regular exercise is important to keep the astronauts healthy in microgravity.

Astronauts sometimes go outside the spaceship to work. They are protected by space clothes from the radiation (辐射) of the sun, and the space clothes provide oxygen and keep the astronauts from feeling too heat or too cold outside the spaceship.

When the mission is over, the astronauts get ready to return to the earth. The spaceship does not use its engines(发动机) for a landing. It glides(潛动) through the atmosphere. When the spaceship touches the land, a parachute(降落伞) opens. It can make the speed and direction right, and help the spaceship land safely. 根据短文内容,选择正确答案。

)1.	The passage is mainly about	<u>t </u>	
	A. how astronauts fly the space s	nuttle	
	B. how a space mission is comple	ted	
	C. how a space shuttle is built		
	D. how far astronauts can travel i	n space	
)2.	The underlined word "conduct" in	the first paragraph means"".	
	A. behave	3. instruct	
	C. serve as	O. carry out	
)3.	According to the passage, which	of the following is NOT true?	
	A. The astronauts need space clo	thes to work outside the spaceship.	
	B. The astronauts keep themselve	s warm or cool in space clothes.	
	C. The astronauts need space clo	hes to live in space.	
	D. The astronauts can hardly brea	the in space clothes.	
)4.	A parachute needs to be opened b	ecause it can	
	A. hang the spaceship in space		
	B. stop the spaceship from falling		
	C. make the spaceship get closer	to the earth	
	 D. help the spaceship land safely 		

英语限时阅读随堂练(6)

难度系数: ★ ★ ★

建议用时: 4'30"

In the United States, 30 percent of the adults have the weight problem. Some people think the reason is clear — they eat too much. But scientific evidence(证据) does little to support this idea. Going back to the America of 1910, we can find that people were thinner than today, but they are more food than us. In those days people worked harder, walked more, used machines less and didn't watch TV.

Several modern studies have shown that fatter people do not eat more than thinner people. In fact, some studies, such as a study of 3,545 London office workers in 1979, report that fat people eat less than thin people.

Studies show that thin people are more active than fat people. A study by a group at Stanford University found the following interesting facts:

The more the men run, the more their body fat lose.

The more they run, the more food they need.

Those who run the most eat the more, and lose the most body fat. 根据短文内容,选择正确答案。

-)1. What kind of problem do many adult Americans have?
 - A. They are too thin.
 - B. They work too hard.
 - C. They are too fat.
 - D. They lose too much body fat.
- ()2. Based on the number given in the article, if there are 500 adult Americans, how many of them will have the weight problem?
 - A. 30.
- B. 50.
- C. 100.
- D. 150.
- ()3. Is there scientific evidence to support that eating too much is the cause of the "weight problem"?
 - A. Yes, there is so much evidence.
 - B. Of course, there is some evidence to show it is true.
 - C. There is hardly any scientific evidence to support this idea.
 - D. We don't know because the information is not given.
 -)4. According to the passage, the Americans of 1910
 - A. ate more food and had more activities
 - B. ate less food but had more activities
 - C. ate less food and had less physical exercise
 - D. had more weight problems
- ()5. What has modern medical and scientific research reported to us?
 - A. Fat people eat less food and are less active.
 - B. Fat people eat more food than thin people and are more active.
 - C. Fat people eat more food than thin people but are less active.
 - D. Thin people run less, and have need less food to eat.

英语限时阅读随堂练(7)

难度系数:	* *	建议用时: 4	30"

The Winter Olympics is also called the White Olympics. At that time, many colorful stamps were published (出版) to mark the great games. The first stamps marking the opening came out on January 25th, 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 Olympics a group of stamps were published in Germany in November, 1936. The five rings of Olympics were drawn on the front of the sports wear. It was the first time that the rings had appeared (出现) on the stamps of the White Olympics.

In the 1950's, the stamps became more colorful. When the White Olympics came, the host countries (东道国) 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.

Japan is the only Asian country that has ever held the White Olympics. Altogether 14,500 million stamps were sold to raise money for this sports meet.

Different kinds of sports were drawn on these small stamps. People can enjoy the beauty of the wonderful movements of some sportsmen. 根据短文内容,选择正确答案。

()	1. The	e White	Olympics	and	the	Winter	Olympics	
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- A. make many stamps
- B. are not all held in winter
- C. are different games
- D. refer to the same thing
- ()2. When did it become a rule to publish stamps to mark the great games?
 - A. Before the year 1932.
 - B. Before the 3rd White Olympics.
 - C. After the 3rd White Olympics.
 - D. After the year 1936.
 -)3. When did the five rings first appear on the stamp?
 - A. In November 1936.
 - B. In January 1932.
 - C. In the 1950's.
 - D. In February 1980.
 -)4. According to the passage, which of the following is TRUE?
 - A. Japan has published the most stamps to mark the Winter Olympic Games.
 - B. All the countries can publish stamps to mark the Winter Olympic Games.
 - C. Only the non-host countries can publish stamps to mark the Winter Olympic Games.
 - D. Only the host countries can publish stamps to mark the Winter Olympic Carries
 -)5. What may appear on the stamps of the White Olympics?
 - A. Skating.
- B. Football.
- C. Table tennis.
- D. Basketball.

英语限时阅读随堂练(8)

)	难度系数:	*	建议用时:4'
1	Four students are	talking about the f	future after class.
			popular in 2050. They will do what people don't
v			on other planets. By then, I'll be sixty years old.
			in my new house on another planet!
			n will no longer be a dream. We can also travel far
t			acemen. We might also eat something like pills(药
			one will enjoy a longer life.
			l be richer than it is now. Beijing will be getting
r			22. We will see the blue and clear sky and breathe
			andas living happily in China. I believe that 2050
	will be the year o		- Donot blue box
			, cloning (克隆) will be used in many ways. It will
ŀ			l(消失)many years ago. There will be no pollution.
		Transport of the second	nily. There will be no wars. As time passes, we'll
	ive a much easie		
ŧ	根据短文内容,发	选择正确答案 。	
()1.	thinks that people	le can spend their holidays on the moon in the future.
		eng Lu	B. Zan Lan
	C. Su	ın Wei	D. Li Yan
() 2. From (the passage, we kn	now Sun Wei is now (in 2008).
	A. two	elve	B. fourteen
	C. six	teen	D. eighteen
()3. In Der	ng Lu's view(在…	···看来), in the future.
			hest country in the world
	B. the	e capital of China v	will move to the moon
	C. all	the people eat son	nething like pills
	D. Ch	nina will become str	ronger and stronger
()4. What	does Zan Lan think	will happen in the future?
	A. Pe	ople will live in a	world without wars,
	B. Ro	bots will do the thi	ings that people don't want to do.
	C. Pe	ople can talk with	the spacemen.
	D. Th	ere will be more pa	andas living happily in China.
(lympic Games in 2052, it will be
	A. the	e 29th	B. the 39th
	C. the	e 40th	D. the 42th

英语限时阅读随堂练(9)

	难度系	数:	*	*	*	
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建议用时: 5'

People of different religions(宗教信仰) will meet to make an international team of "Peace climbers" to climb the world's highest mountain.

The Mount Qomolangma Peace Project climbers come from seven countries and follow five different religions.

"We are trying to make a human statement (声明)," said Lance Trumbull, the California man who came up with the idea. "People of different cultures can do amazing things together."

To organize the climb, Trumbull started www. everest-peaceproject. org, and then he started finding climbers and money for the trip. The team includes two Israelis and one Palestinian, as well as climbers from India, Nepal, New Zealand, South Africa and the U.S.A.

Trumbull noted they even had an atheist(无神论者) climber on the team.

Some companies have provided equipment and money. "Climbing Qomolangma is not cheap, "said Trumbull. He said that the trip might cost more than U.S. \$350,000. "It's a lot of money. But for a Qomolangma climb, that is OK."

Organizers also want to have someone come along to make a movie about the climb, but they don't have enough money to do so. 根据短文内容,选择正确答案。

-)1. What is the purpose(目的) of the peace climb?
 - A. To become the greatest team ever to climb Qomolangma.
 - B. To show that people of different religions can work together.
 - C. To make a movie about climbing the mountain.
 - and,

	D. To make much money for the	ne people from India, Nepal, !	New Zeal
	South Africa and the U.S.	A.	
)2.	The team does not have any me	embers from	
	A. India	B. New Zealand	
	C. Pakistan	D. South Africa	
)3.	The atheist climber		
	A. is a Buddhish		
	B. is a Christian		
	C. doesn't follow any religion		
	D. is a Chinese		
)4.	The team might not make a mo	vie because	
	B. there are already lots of mo	vies about climbing Qomolangm	18
	C. they don't have enough mon	ey for it	
	D. nobody wants to do it		
)5.	Which of the following is NOT	true?	
	A. The people in the team are	from seven countries.	
	B. To organize the climb, Trus	mbull started a website.	
)3.	South Africa and the U. S) 2. The team does not have any me A. India C. Pakistan) 3. The atheist climber A. is a Buddhish B. is a Christian C. doesn't follow any religion D. is a Chinese) 4. The team might not make a mode. A. the filming equipment is too B. there are already lots of mode. C. they don't have enough mon D. nobody wants to do it) 5. Which of the following is NOT A. The people in the team are B. To organize the climb, Trun C. A lot of money is needed for	C. Pakistan D. South Africa 3. The atheist climber A. is a Buddhish B. is a Christian C. doesn't follow any religion D. is a Chinese 4. The team might not make a movie because A. the filming equipment is too heavy to carry B. there are already lots of movies about climbing Qomolangn C. they don't have enough money for it

英语限时阅读随堂练(10)

难度系数: ★ ★ ★ ★

建议用时: 5'

These days, health is becoming more and more important to people. Many people are beginning to take exercise to keep healthy. Books on health are selling better and better. Healthy foods are becoming more popular. And people often go to the doctors for new ideas. But strange diseases still come into being. Many people in the world still have very unhealthy lifestyles.

Health experts are always thinking about ways to solve this problem. They have done much research. Now they have some answers. Tom Farley and Deborah Ao Cohen, two American experts, said that the cause was not our medical care system(医疗保健系统) or our lifestyle choices, but the world around us. As they said, the leading killers of our life fall into two groups; injuries and chronic (慢性的) diseases like heart disease, lung cancer and so on. For all of their cures, modern medicine is not very effective (有效的) against these illnesses. And injuries might either kill you quickly or not matter at all. These major killers are caused by the way we live, and the way we live is limited much by our world around us. So we should try to make a healthy world to reduce its danger.

根据短文内容,选择正确答案。

)1. From the passage, we can find that

		A. healthy foods are becoming more popular
		B. more and more people are beginning to take exercise
		C. books on health are selling better and better
		D. all of the above
()2.	Experts have done much research
		A. on the books on health
		B. on the strange diseases
		C. on the healthy foods
		D. on our medical care system
()3.	From the passage, we know lung cancer is
		A. an injury B. a chronic disease
		C. a lifestyle choice D. a bad cold
()4.	The underlined word "expert" in the second paragraph means ""
		A. 医生 B. 教授
		C. 学者 D. 专家
()5.	The best title of the passage is

A. Health and the Medical Care System

C. Health and the World Around Us
 D. Health and Chronic Diseases

B. Health and Lifestyle

英语限时阅读随堂练(11)

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建议用时: 5'30"

"I am getting fat." Every summer, in front of the mirror wearing your favorite dress, you always say so. Working in an office without moving, going there by car, good food, not enough exercise ... that's how you get fat. You may eat more food than your body really needs. You may spend all day sitting in the office. Or you may eat the wrong food. Some people drink too much and smoke a lot. Most doctors agree that smoking is bad for your health. Some people have too much meat and not enough fresh fruit and vegetables. Many people complain to me, "I don't have much time for exercise, because my life is busy. And there are not many sports which we can play at home, either. Table tennis would be fine, but we don't have a room large enough." However, you must do something about it. Here I will introduce 5 different exercises that take only 10 minutes a day. Maybe that's what you have to do.

- Stand with your legs 15 cm apart. Point your arms above your head. Bend down to touch the ground between you feet. Reach up again and so on. (2 minutes)
- Lie on your back with your arms at your sides. Sit up. Lie down again and so on. (1 minute)
- Lie on your front and join your hands behind your back. Lift your legs and shoulders as far off the ground as possible. (1 minute)
- Lie on your front. Lift your body off the ground so that your arms are straight. Only your hands and toes touch the ground. (1 minute)
 - Run for 5 minutes.

Each of the exercises is done as many times as possible.

If you don't get too much exercise, you will enjoy them. 根

据短文	内容, 选择正确答案。		
)1.	Life is very busy, so		
	A. I am getting fat		
	B. I don't have much time for exercise		
	C. I work in an office		
	D. I don't have time to eat well		
)2.	The exercises in this passage are for peo-	ple v	who .
	A. walk to work every day	-	
	B. don't have large rooms in their house	ès	
	C. like getting a lot of exercise		
	D. want to spend a short time exercising	g eve	ry day
) 3.	According to the writer, you'd better	not	if you want to keep
	healthy.		*
	A. take exercise every day	В.	smoke a lot
	C. eat fruit and vegetables	D.	run
)4.	If you want to lose some weight, just		
	A. stop eating good food		A South Land
	B. buy a large house to play table tenni	S	
	C. do the exercises as many times as po	ssibl	e
	D. run for 5 minutes every day		
)5.	The writer asks us to stand with our		apart and bend down to touch
	the ground.		
	A. arms	В.	legs
	C. hands	D.	shoulder

英语限时阅读随堂练(12)

难度系数:	* *	建议用时: _5′30″
Shu Hangya	, who was born in a village	in Sichuan, is now in the fifth grade at a
primary school in	Chengdu. She came to Ch	engdu with her parents when she was two
years old, becau	se her parents came to the c	eity for work.
When child	ren follow their parents to bi	ig cities, they often meet with unexpected
difficulties in the	eir lives. They are not used	to the city life, and some even don't get
into schools beca	suse they are too poor to pay	for education. It's becoming a big social
problem and all	of us should do something to	help society solve this problem.
Shu Hangya	is lucky. She is hard-worki	ing and successful. She was one of the top
10 Young Pionee	rs(十佳少年). Such a title	is the highest honor for the country's 130
million Young Pi	oneers. When she first came	to the city, she worked hard and learned
from other city c	hildren. She kept their stron	ng points in mind and tried her best to do
		th all her classmates. She said she had a
dream. She want	s to be a "bridge" between t	the city children and the country children.
She hopes to m	ake friends with all of the	m and share the happiness with them.
Hopefully, all ci	ties around the country will	l do something about this so that all the
children who con	ne from the country can enj	oy equal educational opportunities, along
with the city chil	dren.	
根据短文内容,	选择正确答案。	
()1. Shu I	Hangya is successful because	<u>, to a dare</u> , and to the control of the
A. sł	ne studies in the city	
B. sh	ne is hard-working and friend	lly to others
C. sh	ne is a primary school studen	ıt.
D. sl	ne tries to be good at all sub	jects
()2. From	this passage we can know th	nat
	ountry children are not cleve	
B. ci	ty children can't make friend	ls with country children
	ountry children are as clever	
D. ne	ow all children get the same	good education
	Hangya's dream is	
	build a bridge in her homet	own
	become a teacher	
	live in the city	
	build friendship between cit	
()4. Count	ry children are often faced w	when they come to the city.

)5. We should ______ to help those who are too poor to study in school.

A. language problemsB. housing problemsC. education problemsD. food problems

A. make bridgesB. ask others

C. ask them not to come to cities
D. do what we can do

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英语限时阅读随堂练(13)

难度系数: ★ ★ ★

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Man has always wanted to fly. Some of the greatest men in history have thought about the problem. One of these, for example, was the great Italian artist, Leonardo da Vinci. In the sixteenth century he made designs for machines that would fly. Among these designs there was actually one for a helicopter(直升飞机). There was also another one for a parachute(降落伞). These things were all designed, but were never built.

Throughout history, other less famous men have wanted to fly. A typical example was a man in England 800 years ago. He made a pair of wings from chicken feathers (尹毛). Then he fixed them to his shoulders and jumped into the air from a tall building. He did not fly very far. Instead, he fell to the ground, broke every bone in his body and left the world.

The first real steps were taken in France, in 1783. Two brothers made a very large "hot air balloon". They knew that hot air would go up. Why not fill a balloon with it? The balloon was made of cloth and paper. In September of that year, the King and Queen of France came to see the balloon. They watched it carry the first air passengers into the sky. The passengers were a sheep, a chicken and a duck. We do not know how they felt about the trip. But we do know that the trip lasted eight minutes and that the animals landed safely. Two months later, another two men did the same thing. This time their trip lasted twenty-five minutes and they traveled about eight kilometers. Now, planes are no longer strange to us. We often take planes to go anywhere we want. They are so fast and comfortable (舒服的) and save us a lot of trouble. But the early inventors had such a hard time reaching their goal. So the true challenge for us now is to dare to dream and believe that what seems impossible today may one day come true. 根据短文内容,选择正确答案。

()1.	The great Italian artist Leonardo da	Vinci in the 16th century.
		A. made a helicopter	B. made a parachute
		C. made some designs	D. just thought about flying
()2.	At last the man with a pair of feather	wings from the fall of a tall
		building.	
		A. died	B. flew in the air
		C. cried	D. succeeded
()3.	People in flying in 1783.	
		A. did nothing	B. did well
		C. made much progress	D. walked
()4.	The first hot air balloon flight was	*
		A. dangerous	B. excited
		C. for the King and the Queen	D. successful
()5.	The last sentence means	
		A. we should dream and believe that	nothing is impossible
		B. it's not hard to make our dream the	hat seems impossible today come true
		C. everything we dream and believe	will come true
		D. everything has come true today	

英语限时阅读随堂练(14)

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Have you ever had a hamburger so good that you wished you could eat the same thing all over again? With the way that cloning research is going, you might someday get your wish. The United States government recently decided that it's safe to drink milk and eat meat that come from cloned animals. The decision has caused arguments about human health, animal rights, and the difference between right and wrong.

Clones, like identical(完全相同的) twins, are exact genetic(遗传的) copies of each other. The difference is that twins turn up without scientists' being involved(牵涉) and are born at the same time. Clones are created in the lab and can be born at different times. Already, scientists have cloned 11 kinds of animals, including sheep, cows, pigs, mice, and horses. But as researchers' techniques(技术) are getting better and better, they clone even more animals, some people are worried. So far, cloned animals haven't gotten on well, critics say. Few clones are successful. The cloned animals that do continue to live are likely to die very young.

Cloning raises a variety of issues. Is it a good idea to let people clone a favorite pet? What if cloning could bring the dinosaurs back to life? What would happen if scientists find out how to clone people? Scientists believe that the research can help them clone more animals for medical use and keep some species(物种) from becoming extinct. The research is also helping scientists learn more about the basics of development. Still, research continues.

根据短文内容, 选择正确答案。

-)1. The United States government recently decided that
 - A. it's safe to drink milk that comes from wild animals
 - B. it's a good idea to clone pets
 - C. it's safe to drink cloned animals' milk and eat cloned animals' meat
 - D. we'd better not drink milk and eat meat that come from wild animals
-)2. The difference between twins and clones is
 - A. that twins turn up without scientists' help
 - B. that twins are born almost at the same time
 - C. that clones are made in the lab and can be born years apart
 - D. all of the above
-)3. What kinds of animals have scientists already cloned?
 - A. Sheep and pets.
 - B. Cows and dinosaurs.
 - C. Pigs and horses.
 - D. Identical twins.
 -)4. Which is TRUE according to the passage?
 - A. Twins are identical copies of each other.
 - B. Not all people think it's good to clone more animals.
 - C. Quite a few clones are successful.
 - D. It is a good idea to let scientists clone people.
-)5. Scientists who study cloning can learn more
 - A. about the death of dinosaurs
 - B. than other scientists
 - C. about the basics of development
 - D. about how some animals are dying out