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前言

外国语是学习科学文化知识，获取世界各方面信息和进行国际交往的重要工具，21 世纪是知识经济的世纪，掌握外国语显得尤其重要。而英语又是世界上应用最广泛的语种之一。学好和掌握英语，其作用不言而喻。组织中学生参加省级、国家级的各种各类英语竞赛，是推行中学英语素质教育，调动学生的学习积极性，学好英语的一种重要手段。通过参加英语竞赛，既可以使学生多动脑筋、开阔思路，不断扫除学习上的障碍，获得可喜的成功感，也可以使学生拓宽视野，培养创新意识，不断寻求新知识，学到书本上学不到的东西，同时，还可以磨练顽强学习的意志，激发浓厚的学习兴趣，养成良好的习惯，树立远大的理想。英语竞赛对于发展学生的个性，启迪思维，丰富知识，培养能力，增长才干，提高质量和发现人才、选拔英语人才都大有益处。

应广大读者的要求，我们从全国各种各类的高中优秀竞赛试题中筛选出 17 套有代表性的、实用性强的、受欢迎的高质量试题，供广大读者研究、参考。这些试题具有以下显著的特点：

1. 试题紧扣高中英语教学大纲，有利于高中英语教学推行素质教育，有利于高考，有利于选拔人才，有利于调动学生学习英语的积极性，有利于学生的全面发展。

2. 重视基础知识的考查，重点考查学生的语用能力、交际能力和阅读理解能力。

3. 题型多样化, 且基本与高考题型相吻合, 同时涉及到一些课外知识和智力题, 结构新颖, 精巧, 创意观念强, 思路开阔, 题量适中, 主客观题配置得当。

4. 试题深度、广度控制合适。因为是竞赛题, 其深度、广度定会比平时的考试题有所增大, 其基础题、中档题与高档题的比例约为 5:3:2, 要求学生具有较宽的知识面并具有一定的观察、分析和解决问题的能力。

研究好这些试题, 无疑对学生参加各种层次的高中英语竞赛大有好处, 同时对促进高中英语素质教育也会起到良好的导向作用。此书既是参赛学生必不可少的好帮手, 又是学生参加高考的宝贵的参考资料。

我们在收集、整理此书的过程中, 得到了有关教研员和教师的大力支持, 在此表示衷心的感谢。

由于时间仓促、水平有限, 书中有疏漏或错误之处, 恳请各位读者提出批评意见。

编者

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第二届中国中学生英语奥林匹克 竞赛初赛高一组试题

第 I 卷 (六大题, 共 80 分)

I. 语音与词汇: (共 10 小题, 计 5 分)

A) 从 A、B、C、D 中找出与所给单词画线部分读音相同的选项。

1. business A. capital B. holiday

C. article D. pencil

2. danger A. Germany B. corner

C. observe D. servant

3. Russia A. surface B. person

C. surely D. pulse

4. route A. founder B. bought

C. southern D. wounded

5. prison A. reasonable B. suppose

C. freedom D. diamond

B) 从 A、B、C、D 中找出适当的字母或字母组合, 使以下所给单词完整与正确。

6. st _ _ d _ _ m

A. a; iu B. e; iu C. e; ui D. a; ui

7. s _ _ ns _ _ r

A. e; e B. e; o C. e; a D. a; e

8. insp _ _

A. are B. ire C. air D. ere

9. sat ___ lite

A. el B. il C. i D. e

10. p ___ ram ___ d

A. y; a B. y; i C. a; i D. a; a

II. 单项选择: (共 30 小题, 计 15 分)

A) 从 A、B、C、D 四个选项中, 选出正确的答案填空。

11. Three ___ are studying at this college.

A. thousands students B. thousand students
C. thousands of students D. thousand of students

12. I wanted some tea, but there was ___ in the cup.

A. anything B. none
C. few D. some

13. —Do you often go to Beijing?

—No, I ___ there since last year.

A. wasn't B. haven't ever been
C. hadn't gone D. haven't being been

14. ___ happened to meet one of my old classmates at ___ yesterday afternoon.

A. It; Mr Zhang B. I; the Mr Zhang's
C. It; the Mr Zhangs' D. I; Mr Zhang's

15. He is studying much ___ now than ___ in the past.

A. harder; (不填) B. further; he was
C. hard; he did D. harder; it was

16. It was the longest film I've ever seen. It ___ four hours.

- A. ended B. finished
C. lasted D. completed
17. I had ___ decided to take a coat when it started to rain.
A. already B. yet
C. never D. ever
18. Sometimes colour TVs ___ in that shop.
A. is sold B. sold
C. are sold D. are being sold
19. He would remember to buy some bread ___ I told him a-
gain.
A. unless B. if
C. even though D. until
20. Jack is always strict ___ his lessons, ___ are his class-
mates.
A. to; so B. with; so
C. with; the same D. to; or
21. These four bags are so heavy that we can carry only two
___.
A. another B. the other
C. others D. the others
22. Paul and I ___ listening to the music at that time.
A. am B. are
C. was D. were
23. You are lucky ___ invited ___ dinner.
A. enough being; to B. to have; for
C. enough to having been; for D. to have been; to

24. She works as English teacher in that school.

A. an B. a

C. the D. (不填)

25. It seems as if it winter already.

A. is B. had been

C. were D. has been

26. —Is everybody playing on the playground now?

—No, only Mike and Tom who are there.

A. it is B. there is

C. they are D. there are

27. That's the college just opened six months ago.

A. it B. that

C. what D. which

28. Each of the students passed the examination, ?

A. didn't we B. didn't he

C. didn't they D. weren't you

29. My brother didn't know to buy the book.

A. what B. which

C. who D. where

30. —What are you busy ?

—I am busy drawing pictures.

A. for; about B. about; in

C. with; with D. for; in

31. Jenny's teacher told her be late again.

A. not to B. not

C. don't D. to not

32. —Can you work out the maths problem?

—___.

A. I'm no sure

B. I'm afraid not

C. I'm sure not

D. I'm not afraid

33. This morning, people in this city were ___ of ___ rain.

A. said; deep

B. asked; thick

C. told; large

D. warned; heavy

34. There are many students in our class ___ homes are in the countryside.

A. which

B. whose

C. what

D. where

B) 词语释义：从 A、B、C、D 中选出一个意思与句中画线部分相同或相近的答案。

35. "Please sit down in my place." said Evans.

A. take my seat

B. take the place

C. take place

D. take office

36. He felt very tired and could hardly walk on.

A. a little

B. not a little

C. no little

D. not a bit

37. Soon more and more people began to study a foreign language.

A. Long before

B. Step by step

C. By and by

D. Little by little

38. This necklace is not made of real diamonds, and is worth no more than five hundred francs.

A. at most

B. at least

C. in the least

D. not less than

39. Either Tom or John will go to the cinema tonight.

A. Not only Tom but John

B. Neither Tom nor John

C. Both Tom and John

D. Tom or John

40. You'd better ask someone to repair your radio.

A. have someone to repair your radio

B. have your radio repaired

C. have your radio repairing

D. repair your radio by yourself

III. 情景对话 (共 10 小题, 计 10 分)

A) 根据所给情景, 从 A、B、C、D 中选出一个最佳答案完成对话。

41. You say to a shop assistant, "How much does this cost?" She replies:

A. It'll be ready in five minutes.

B. Just a minute. I'll find out.

C. It's good for you.

D. Here you are.

42. A friend asks you if you would like to come to a party.

You want to go. You reply:

A. Very good.

B. All right.

C. I should be very glad.

D. I hope so.

43. Your father is an office worker. someone says to you,

"What does your father do?" You reply:

A. He works very hard.

B. He's very well, thank you.

C. He works in an office.

D. He likes watching TV.

44. **Tina:** Oh, dear. My weight has gone up again.

Jim: I'm not surprised. ____

Tina: I do wish I could lose weight.

Jim: Well, why don't you go on a diet (节食)?

Tina: I've tried diets before but they never work.

A. You eat too much. B. Are you all right?

C. Well, you are going to be quite busy.

D. I don't agree with you.

45. **Diane:** More tea, Dick?

Dick: ____ It was great though.

Diane: I think I'll have another cup.

A. I'd rather go for a walk. B. No, thanks.

C. Let's go swimming then.

D. I want to come back now.

B) 补全对话：选择最佳答案。

Jim: What's wrong, Ann? You don't look so good.

Ann: I'm OK. 46 I didn't sleep well last night.

Jim: 47 Why couldn't you sleep well?

Ann: Well, I had a bad dream. I woke up at three in the morning, and I couldn't get back to sleep.

Jim: 48

Ann: Yes, I do. First, a big lion come into my room and jumped on my bed. I thought it was going to eat me. I was really afraid.

Jim: 49

Ann: Well, then I started talking to the lion. I said, "Please don't eat me. Get off my bed, and I will

give you some food. Then maybe you will be happy and go away."

Jim: Did the lion go away?

Ann: No, it didn't. It laughed at me. It looked very hungry and dangerous.

Jim: 50

Ann: Well, I closed my eyes and counted (数数) to one hundred. Then I opened my eyes, and the lion was gone. But...

Jim: But what?

Ann: My cat, Poco, was sitting on my bed. He was watching me.

Jim: Oh, now I understand. I think you should give Poco a lot of food tonight.

46. A. I'm not well. B. I'm just tired.

C. You're just tired. D. You're not well.

47. A. That's too bad. B. That's OK.

C. That's fine. D. That's good.

48. A. Do you often have good dreams?

B. Do you like to dream?

C. Do you remember the dream?

D. Do you want to dream?

49. A. Why was it going to eat you?

B. Why were you so afraid?

C. What could it do?

D. What happened next?

50. A. How did the dream end?

- B. What did the lion eat?
- C. Why did the lion look hungry and dangerous?
- D. When did you wake up?

IV. 智力测试: (共 10 小题, 计 10 分)

从 A、B、C、D 四个选项中, 选出一个正确答案。

51. A clock takes five seconds to strike six.
How many seconds does it take to strike twelve?
A. Five seconds. B. Ten seconds.
C. Eleven seconds. D. Twelve seconds.
52. Three men each have two sons. Every evening they all go to a restaurant for a meal. They always sit at the same table. There are only seven chairs but each man has a chair. The relation between them is: ____
A. A grandfather, two sons and four grandsons.
B. There fathers and six sons.
C. Two grandfathers, four sons and two grandsons.
D. Two grandfathers, four sons and one grandson.
53. There were ten men outside under one small umbrella. None of them got wet. Why not?
A. Three fathers held seven children under the umbrella.
B. The rain was very small.
C. They were under the umbrella which was in the house.
D. It was not raining.
54. It is not in a house. It is not outside a house. It is part of a house. What is it?

A. The brick(砖)in the wall. B. A roof(屋顶).

C. A window. D. A ceiling (天花板).

55. Dora hit a tennis ball as hard as she could. It came back to her just as fast. But the ball didn't touch anything on its way. What happened?

A. Dora hit the ball straight up in the air.

B. Dora hit the ball against the wall.

C. Dora hit the ball onto the ground.

D. The ball was hit back by another person with a bat.

56. What's she saying?

A. It's gone up!

B. It's gone down!

C. It's gone off!

D. It's gone away!



57. Which goes with the picture?

A. Picking him up.

B. Picking him out.

C. Picking on him.

D. Picking holes in him.



58. You are waiting to cross a very busy street at a crossing (十字路口). The traffic stops and you see this sing (信号). What do you do?

A. Wait.

B. Cross very quickly.

C. Walk across.

