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Preface

前言

看着市场上浩如烟海、质量参差不齐的中学英语教辅图书,有一个想法在我们心中由来已久,那就是编写一套真正内容扎实、效果明显、让同学和家长们的每一分钱都不虚掷的中学英语阅读理解和完形填空丛书。经过精心选编和无数次推敲、取舍,现在,这套丛书终于完稿了,以下是它们的几个主要特点,希望对您有所帮助。

一、内容最新。 所有篇目均选自最近三年的中考真题,尤其选取了命题质量较高的江苏、浙江、上海、北京及部分全省统一命题或省会单独命题的中考试题,同时淘汰了大量内容重复或雷同的篇目。中考真题的权威性毋庸置疑,演练这些试题无疑具有更好的效果。

二、题型标准。 本套丛书仅保留标准的四选一型的阅读理解和完形填空,可供全国所有省区使用。各类任务型阅读和首字母填空则另外分别成书,考生可根据本地区中考题型酌情选用。这样就避免了大杂烩式的针对性差的问题。

三、循序渐进。 我们将所有中考真题按难度分级,分别编入初一至初三。学生从初一开始就接触中考真题,并随时间推移逐步了解命题形式和规律,到了中考时自可得心应手。需要说明的是,本丛书总体难度略高于同类书,因而更适合中等以上水平的学生使用。

本丛书的出版离不开华东理工大学出版社编辑们的策划和支持,正是由于他们专业的建议和严谨的敬业精神,这套书才得以更佳的面貌呈现,在此,我们深表谢意。

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[2016 浙江丽水 · A篇]

New Baby Brother

I was sitting in school
when I heard the news.
“Your baby brother is born,
and wants to see you!”

Dad got me from school
and to the hospital with no *delay* (耽搁).
Hurrying on our journey,
he almost forgot the way!

My brother's hands were tiny,
and *wrinkly* (有皱纹的) soft, like a *prune* (西梅干).

After he smiled at me,
Mom said, “He'll come home soon!”

Everyone “oohing” and “aahing”,
they say “He is so sweet.
And one day he'll walk around
on those little baby feet!”

1. The writer was _____ when hearing the news.
A. at school B. at home C. in the hospital D. in the store
2. The writer's _____ took the writer to the hospital to see the baby brother.
A. father B. mother C. brother D. teacher
3. The family felt _____ to have the new baby.
A. worried B. surprised C. relaxed D. excited

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B

[2015 江苏徐州 · A篇]

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1. What is this?
A. A notice. B. An advertisement. C. An application. D. An interview.
2. Who is this most probably written for?
A. Parents. B. Children. C. Pupils. D. Guides.
3. What is NOT mentioned about the trip?
A. Days of the trip. B. Places to visit.
C. Price of the trip. D. Meals during the trip.

C

[2014 江苏无锡 · C篇]

Mr. Jones opened a shop in Aston to sell writing paper, pencils and things like that. During the first month, very few people visited his shop. He sold little, and he could see that he was going to lose money.

One night, Mr. Jones sat by the fire and was worried after another very bad day. Suddenly he got an idea. He found a piece of wood and wrote the following notice on it in big letters:

“WHAT DO YOU THINK I GIVE AWAY PENCILS AND PAPER AND INK”

He put up the notice in front of the shop window before he went to bed. He slept better than usual that night.

The following day, many people came to the shop. Mr. Jones said good morning to them all with a bright smile and asked the first woman what she wanted.

She chose some writing paper and a pencil. As soon as he put them on her hands, she turned to leave the shop.

“That will be thirty cents, please,” he said.

“Why?” she asked in surprise.

“That’s the price of the paper and the pencil.”

“But your notice says it’s free,” she replied.

“Oh no,” he said, “how can I make any money if everything is free?”

She took him outside and showed him the notice. “It is wrong, too,” she said. “Where is the question mark after the word ‘think’?”

“There isn’t a question mark,” he said.

“But there should be one.”

“I’m afraid you’ve made a mistake,” Mr. Jones said. “You have read my notice in the wrong way.”

“Not at all,” said the woman. “It’s quite easy to read. It says: What do you think? I give away pencils and paper and ink!”

“No,” Mr. Jones said. “You should read it like this: 2 And the answer to the question is: Certainly not! So you really have to pay me thirty cents, you see.”

- How did Mr. Jones most probably feel that night?
A. Confident. B. Guilty. C. Nervous. D. Worried.
- Which of the following sentences is the most suitable for the blank in the last paragraph?
A. What do you think? I give away pencils and paper and ink!
B. What? Do you think I give away pencils and paper and ink?
C. What do you think I give away? Pencils and paper and ink.
D. Ink and paper and pencils away give. I think you do what?
- What can we *infer* (推断) from the story?
A. Mr. Jones agreed to let the shoppers get things for free that day.
B. People in the town considered Mr. Jones a smart and honest man.
C. The woman paid the money unwillingly and left the shop angrily.
D. Mr. Jones’s trick proved to be a long-time success and he got rich.



[2014 浙江宁波 · A篇]

Who's New at School?

Cindy: This year, there are a lot of new teachers at school and today we are with one of them, Mr. Smith, the new French teacher. Mr. Smith, why did you come to Kingley School?

Mr. Smith: Well, I was working in France but one day I saw an ad for this job on the Internet. I came back home, got the job and here I am.

Cindy: So how long have you been in Kingley now?

Mr. Smith: Let me see. I moved here in the summer holidays in July and then we started. And now it's September, you know.

Cindy: Have you taught in Kingley before?

Mr. Smith: Yes, I have. I worked in a school on Hill Road a few years ago. I love it here.

Cindy: Have you met many people yet?

Mr. Smith: Yes, I have. It isn't a big town. Everyone knows everyone else. That's nice.

Cindy: Well, thank you for talking to me. I hope you won't give us lots of homework.

1. Cindy is _____.
A. a student B. a teacher C. a worker D. a writer
2. How long has Mr. Smith been in the new school?
A. About 2 weeks. B. About 3 weeks.
C. About 1 month. D. About 2 months.
3. What exactly is Kingley according to the material?
A. A road. B. A school. C. A town. D. A country.
4. Which of the following picture matches the material best?



5. Where can we probably read this material?
A. In a travel guide. B. In a school magazine.
C. In a science book. D. In a TV play.

二、完形填空：根据短文内容，从每题所给的四个选项中，选出可以填入文中空白处的最佳选项。



[2014 广东广州]

One morning a fox was searching for his breakfast. He went down to the lake to 1 some fish. Suddenly he saw a rabbit digging a hole on the bank of the lake and decided to eat it instead. Not wanting the rabbit to discover him, the fox moved 2 towards his meal. As he got closer, he stepped on some dry leaves. The rabbit then 3 in fear. When he saw the fox, he started to shout.

“Quiet! Why do you rabbits shout so much?” asked the fox, slightly annoyed that he had lost his 4.

“I am sorry, but you scared me. Your sharp teeth make me 5,” replied the rabbit. “But I don’t want to eat you,” lied the fox. “I am only here to help with your 6. I will be back tomorrow and help you dig your hole.”

The next day, the fox returned to the 7. There he saw a group of rabbits busily digging holes on the bank. He thought about catching one. At that moment the rabbit he had met the day before started jumping up and down, making a 8 noise to warn his friends. All the rabbits and even the fish quickly 9. The poor fox could not find anything to catch for food and ended up 10 fruit.

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|-------------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|
| 1. A. catch | B. buy | C. smell | D. cook |
| 2. A. nosily | B. silently | C. confidently | D. angrily |
| 3. A. looked down | B. looked away | C. turned off | D. turned around |
| 4. A. time | B. place | C. meal | D. fish |
| 5. A. sad | B. excited | C. nervous | D. happy |
| 6. A. food | B. work | C. story | D. friends |
| 7. A. breakfast | B. house | C. lake | D. mountain |
| 8. A. loud | B. low | C. usual | D. dangerous |
| 9. A. returned | B. shouted | C. entered | D. disappeared |
| 10. A. growing | B. eating | C. picking | D. selling |

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一、阅读理解：根据短文内容，从每题所给的四个选项中，选出最佳选项。

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[2016 江苏无锡 · A篇]

How time flies! The 9th graders are going to graduate soon. We invite them to write about their school memories. Let's share some of them.

Ms. Rosen

Name:	Brita
Favorite memory:	Moving to this school last year and meeting new friends.
Unpleasant memory:	Being the "new girl".
Favorite teacher:	Ms. Rosen. I like her interesting classes.
Advice:	School can be fun if you do your best.
Name:	Jay
Favorite memory:	School trips. Singing competitions.
Unpleasant memory:	Project homework.
Favorite teacher:	Ms. Williams. She treats every student equally.
Advice:	Work hard and fun will come.
Name:	Rocky
Favorite memory:	Meeting new friends. The weekends.
Unpleasant memory:	Tests.
Favorite teacher:	Mr. Taylor. He helps me with my lessons.
Advice:	Once you fall behind, keep trying till you catch up.
Name:	Angel
Favorite memory:	Being with new people. Fun classes.
Unpleasant memory:	The loss of a new watch.
Favorite teacher:	Ms. Rosen. She helped me through hard times.
Advice:	Hard work brings success.

- Who dislikes tests among the four students?
A. Brita. B. Jay. C. Rocky. D. Angel.
- How many of the four students mentioned Ms. Rosen?
A. One. B. Two. C. Three. D. Four.
- What can we learn from the given information above?
A. The four students will be in Grade 9 next term.
B. The four students do not enjoy school very much.
C. The four students all think it's important to work hard.
D. Their favorite memories are all about trips.

B

[2016 浙江嘉兴/舟山 · A篇]

Leon was a postman. Every day Leon would wake up and feed his 37 cats. Leon didn't really want 37 cats, but one by one they appeared on his doorstep, so Leon took them in.

Every day, after feeding the cats, Leon would collect the mail from the red postboxes in the village and take it home. "If only I had 37 helpers instead of 37 cats, my job would be so much easier," Leon thought. Just then, the cats started meowing for their dinner. That gave Leon an idea. That night, Leon worked late making 37 cat-sized postal backpacks. Then, he went around to each postbox, putting up signs that read: Postbox closed! Please use the postal cat service.

The next day, Leon put a backpack on each cat and dropped off the cats around the village. Leon knew that the cats would be happy walking around all day. He also knew that they would always come home for dinner. Leon spent the day relaxing, waiting for his helpers to return. Leon was right. The cats did return, but they did not bring home many letters. Some got the letters wet. Some bit off the corners of the letters. Some even lost their backpacks. "Cats are just too *unreliable* (不可靠的)," Leon thought.

Just then, a strange sound came from the outside of Leon's door. A dirty dog was waiting to be invited inside. That gave Leon an idea.

- In Paragraph 2, Leon _____ that night.
A. made postal backpacks B. put up a sign on each cat
C. had dinner with the cats D. collected letters in the village
- According to the last paragraph, we can infer that Leon would _____.
A. let the dog take a shower B. invite the dog to dinner
C. make the dog work for him D. walk the dog around the village
- From the passage we know Leon was _____.
A. honest B. brave C. strict D. funny



[2014 浙江宁波 · B篇]

Something caught my eyes when I was walking down the street. Two silver coins were shining in a *melting* (溶化的) snow bank, so I dug through the snow looking for more. Of course, I just ended up with really cold hands. I slipped the two coins into my pocket and went home, colder but richer. I began to think about how to spend the money.

Two days later, Mary and her little sister Susy were searching the snow banks. “Finders are keepers” was my first thought. I didn’t want to hand them out even though Susy was already crying. “I dropped them right here,” she said between tears. Her hands were cold and red for digging in the snow. “Maybe they slid down the street with the melting snow. Let’s dig over here.” Mary’s voice sounded confident.

“They’ll never know” was my second thought, and I walked past them. “Phil, have you seen two silver coins?” asked Mary. Susy looked up from digging. Her eyes were hopeful.

“Tell a lie” was my third thought. “As a matter of fact,” I hesitated, “I dug two coins out of that snow bank just a few days ago. I wondered who might have lost them.” Susy hugged me with a big smile, “Oh, thank you, thank you.”

- How did Phil feel when he was going home?
A. Unhappy. B. Excited. C. Nervous. D. Confident.
- The underlined word “*they*” in Paragraph 2 *refers to* (指的是) _____.
A. Susy and Mary B. Mary and Phil
C. snow banks D. two coins
- Which of the following is the right order of the things that happened?
a. Phil found two silver coins in the snow.
b. Susy dropped two silver coins.
c. Phil dug through the snow.
d. Susy kept digging in the snow for her lost coins.
A. a b c d B. a c d b C. b a c d D. b c d a
- What does the underlined sentence “*Her eyes were hopeful*” in Paragraph 3 suggest?
A. Susy expected Phil to dig together.
B. Susy expected Phil to return the coins.
C. Susy hoped to dig out the lost coins.
D. Susy hoped to get some useful information.
- What might Phil do with the two coins in the end?
A. He would give them back to Susy. B. He would give them away.
C. He might keep them for himself. D. He might give them to his parents.



[2014 浙江台州 · B篇]

In a village in England there was a farmer. He had two *donkeys* (驴), Bill and Ben. They lived in a square field. There was a *fence* (篱笆) in the middle of the field. On one side lived Bill and on the other, lived Ben. Every morning the farmer fed Bill in one corner and then fed Ben in another corner. This went on for many years. One day the farmer decided to do a little test. When the two donkeys were asleep, the farmer tied a *rope* (绳子) around Bill's neck. Then he tied the other end of the rope around Ben's neck. He then put some oats (donkeys' favorite food) in Bill's corner and in Ben's corner.

When the two donkeys woke up, they were quite surprised to find a rope around their necks. Then, feeling hungry, the two donkeys saw the oats in their own corners. "Mmm, oats!" said Bill. "I love oats!" and he walked towards his corner.

"I love oats, too!" Ben walked towards his corner.

Well, after 10 meters, both donkeys stopped. The rope was too short. First Bill pulled hard and Ben *slid* (滑) away from his food. But then Ben pulled and Bill slid away from his food. This went on for hours. The donkeys were getting weaker and weaker, but still they pulled and pulled. Then Bill had an idea. "Hey, Ben!" he shouted. "Why not come over to my corner and we can eat my oats together? Then we go to your corner and eat your oats together."

"Good idea, Bill," said Ben. So Ben stopped pulling and joined his friend. At last,

The farmer smiled, "I wish more people were as clever as my donkeys."

- The farmer tied a rope around the two donkeys' necks to _____.
A. play a joke on them B. stop them from running away
C. test whether they were clever D. watch them fighting with each other
- The underlined word "**his**" in Paragraph 3 refers to "_____".
A. Ben's B. Bill's C. the farmer's D. a villager's
- Which of the following is the right sentence for the blank in Paragraph 5?
A. they didn't want to eat the oats B. both of them could eat the oats
C. neither of them could eat the oats D. only one of them could eat the oats
- The story tells us the importance of _____.
A working together B becoming strong
C eating healthy food D solving problems alone

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[2016 浙江丽水]

Jane had two children to raise. She had to pay for the housing and 1 clothes. She had a lot of bills. She worked in a 2 every day and got \$600 a week. Even when she was 3, she went to work.

Jane worked hard and did a great job. She depended on *tips* (小费) to help her get enough money to pay the bills.

One night, after Jane had served dinner to a family, 4 left a big tip on the table. It was 5. Jane was taking care of another family at their table. When she turned back, she found the money had been 6.

Jane saw a woman at another table staring at her when she 7 the restaurant. Jane went to ask her what food she wanted. She 8 just a sandwich. She did not leave a tip after eating and she paid with a \$20 bill. Jane was sure the woman had stolen her 9, but she couldn't *prove* (证明) it.

The next night, the 10 woman came into the restaurant. She gave Jane \$50. She said, "I was so sorry I took your money last 11. I had a bad day. Someone stole my wallet. So I was angry. So I took your money. 12 that was not right. People should 13 good things. Not bad things. So I want you to take the money."

"I'll take the \$20 but you keep the 14. I know you need it," said Jane.

"You should have called the police," the manager said to Jane.

Jane said, "No. We should *forgive* (原谅) when someone says 15 and wants to make it right. We should try to help each other."

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| 1. A. buy | B. design | C. make | D. wash |
| 2. A. bookstore | B. hospital | C. restaurant | D. school |
| 3. A. angry | B. afraid | C. happy | D. tired |
| 4. A. he | B. she | C. we | D. they |
| 5. A. \$20 | B. \$30 | C. \$40 | D. \$50 |
| 6. A. handed in | B. taken away | C. given back | D. thrown out |
| 7. A. looked at | B. looked around | C. looked after | D. looked for |

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| 8. A. ordered | B. made | C. sold | D. served |
| 9. A. book | B. money | C. dinner | D. wallet |
| 10. A. old | B. beautiful | C. same | D. strange |
| 11. A. night | B. week | C. month | D. year |
| 12. A. And | B. But | C. So | D. Or |
| 13. A. accept | B. borrow | C. cook | D. share |
| 14. A. money | B. promises | C. rest | D. words |
| 15. A. hello | B. thanks | C. goodbye | D. sorry |

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[2016 福建莆田 · B篇]

There is a big zoo in our city. You can see a lot of lovely animals there.

Mina is a kangaroo. She is six years old. She is a large Australian animal which moves by jumping on its back legs. She carries her babies in the *pouch* (育儿袋) on her stomach.

Peter is a lion from South Africa. He is a large powerful meat-eating animal. Today is Peter's fifth birthday. The workers in the zoo are having a birthday party for him.

This is a big elephant named Jim, with a long trunk. He is from South Africa, too. He's ten years old. He has bad eyesight, but he can draw very well.

Tuantuan is a panda coming from a mountain in Sichuan, China. She is four years old. She feeds on bamboo. She relaxes about 10 hours every day.

- _____ likes eating meat.
A. Tuantuan B. Peter C. Mina D. Jim
- _____ are from the same country.
A. Mina and Peter B. Tuantuan and Jim
C. Peter and Jim D. Jim and Mina
- The _____ is the oldest of them.
A. kangaroo B. lion C. elephant D. panda
- Tuantuan feeds on _____.
A. meat B. grass C. leaves D. bamboo
- From the messages above, we can learn _____.
A. Mina carries her babies in the pouch on her stomach
B. Tuantuan can draw very well
C. Jim comes from a mountain in China
D. Peter has a long trunk