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一、适合面广，不受版本限制。

本书所选阅读材料，涉及社会生活的方方面面，仅题材本身就具有无限的吸引力。但这些阅读材料绝不是教材的无效重复，而是与各年级学生的认知能力相适应的补充读物。阅读这些材料，不仅能有效地巩固学生现有的知识，而且能拓宽学生的知识面，开扩学生的眼界。同时，本书不受版本的限制，适合于使用各类不同版本的学生阅读。

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本书意在通过大量阅读，潜移默化地渗透、积累，达到随心所欲地运用英语的境界。因此，本书摒弃了以往各类阅读材料必须与教材同步的惯例，采用了非同步材料。对材料中可能出现的难点，本书在“阅读理解”篇目后面设置了“小词典”栏目，解释一些生词和短语的含义；同时配置了“难句解读”栏目，帮助学生理解难句并提供难句的译文。任何学生，无论其原来的功底如何，阅读本书之后，都有不同程度的提高。

三、计划性强，按日按周推进。

本书按每学期的周时设计，按周一至周五的顺序编写，其中，每天两篇“阅读理解”和一篇“完形填空”。每日三篇的阅读量大，不多不少，足以让学生们过一把阅读瘾。每周设有“周末休闲”栏目，下设“轻松一得”、“快乐驿站”和“美文赏析”三个子栏目，让学生们在轻松中有所得，在笑声中有所悟，在美文中有所感。

四、限时训练，提高阅读速度。

本书中的所有篇目，均根据字数限定了阅读时间。这样做的目的是为了训练学生的阅读速度，以便他们能多快好省地捕捉文章的信息，及时有效地完成文后的题目。

五、梯级设计,篇目从易到难。

本书中所选篇目在内容上不与教材对应,但在难度上基本上与不同年级的学生的认知水平相符,并且按从易到难的顺序排列。

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根据历年来各地中考和高考的常见题型,如:词义理解题、句意理解题、概括归纳题、细节反馈题、推理判断题、综合推理题、观点态度题、人物评价题、辨别正误题、内容排序题、计算推理题、任务型阅读等,每篇后面设置几个题目,分类别、多角度地挖掘文章资源。

七、技术指导,传授点金之术。

本书的“周末休闲”之“轻松一得”栏目中有不少的篇目是关于学习秘诀和解题技巧的。阅读这些篇目,能打开你的智慧之门,令你茅塞顿开,恍然大悟。

八、答案解析,名师与你同行。

本书后面附有全部答案及详细解析,便于学生进行自查自评。由于本书的作者均是教学一线的经验丰富的名师,他们对学生在答题中存在的知识性和技术性缺陷了如指掌,因此,他们对答案的解析更具有针对性和实用性。学生们在遇到难题时,看一下答案解析,就仿佛名师在你身旁为你指点迷津。

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Week 1



Monday



A 阅读理解

题材：生活哲理 难度：易 词数：232 建议用时：4'

In the past, there was a great king. He loved his people. One morning, he saw a beautiful girl coming out of his palace. He asked, "Lady, who are you? Where are you going at this hour?"

She replied, "I am the goddess of Wealth. I don't stay at one place for long. Now I am leaving."

"Is that so? If you are not happy here, you may go," said the king. After some time he saw another girl leaving his palace. "Where are you going?" asked the king. She said, "I am the goddess of Virtue (美德). I will follow the goddess of Wealth."

"As you wish, you may go," said the king. After a while, he saw yet another lady ready to leave. The king asked, "Who are you and where are you going?"

She replied, "I am the goddess of Truth. I stay where my sisters are. I am leaving as all my sisters have left." Hearing this, the king became very sad. He immediately fell at her feet and said, "I did not worry where the other two went, but I cannot exist without truth. Please stay here."

The goddess of Truth was moved and said, "All right, I will not leave." Since Truth didn't leave, the goddesses of Wealth and Virtue returned and said, "We won't live without her, so please allow us to return."

- () 1. The king didn't let the goddess of Truth leave, because _____.
A. he would lose his wealth without truth
B. he couldn't exist without truth
C. he wanted Virtue to come back to his country
D. his people couldn't survive without truth
- () 2. What is the most important to the king according to the passage?
A. Truth. B. Virtue. C. Wealth. D. Power.
- () 3. What would have happened if truth had left?
A. Only Virtue wouldn't have come back.
B. Only Wealth wouldn't have come back.
C. Neither Virtue nor Wealth would have returned.
D. Both Virtue and Wealth would have returned.
- () 4. What can we learn about truth, virtue and wealth from this passage?
A. Whether we know the truth or not, we must own wealth.
B. Wherever wealth is, there will be virtue and truth.

- C. Wherever virtue is, there will be truth and wealth.
 D. Wherever truth is, there will be virtue and wealth.
- () 5. Which of the following can best describe the king?
 A. Wise. B. Rich. C. Active. D. Confident.



小词典

- ① the goddess of Wealth 财富女神 ② the goddess of Virtue 美德女神
 ③ after a while 一会儿 ④ the goddess of Truth 真理女神
 ⑤ allow sb. to do sth. 允许某人做某事



难句解读

① "... I stay where my sisters are. I am leaving as all my sisters have left." 我在我姐妹们所在的地方，因为我的姐妹们离开了，所以我也要离开了。

② The goddess of Truth was moved and said, "All right, I will not leave." Since Truth didn't leave, the goddesses of Wealth and Virtue returned and said, "We won't live without her, so please allow us to return." 真理女神被感动了，她说：“好吧，我不会离开了。”因为真理女神没有离开，所以财富女神和美德女神回来了。“我们没有她就不能生存，所以请让我们回来吧。”



B 阅读理解

题材：旅游记录 难度：中 词数：282 建议用时：5'

Most people in Europe visit the Alps (阿尔卑斯山脉) in France, Austria, Italy or Switzerland in winter on their skiing holidays. I visited the Alps in mid summer. Obergurgl, 1,930 meters high, lies in Ötztal in the Austrian Alps. No village in Austria lies at a higher altitude than this one. There are many mountains of 3,000 meters and higher in this area, including the Wildspitze, Austria's highest mountain, which rises to 3,772 meters.

The first goal of my hike was to reach the Breslauer Hütte, at an altitude of 2,840 meters. This was the starting point for hikers that go to climb the Wildspitze. I didn't climb the Wildspitze—although it was not a technically difficult mountain, I couldn't climb it without a mountain guide. Besides, the weather decided whether or not we could go on a particular hike.

I did go on another fantastic hike in the Vent area, however. From the Breslauer Hütte, I went on to the Vernagthütte, 2,766 meters high and a few more hours away from the Breslauer Hütte. This is a relatively easy hike, and the sights are magnificent (壮丽的)! Most of all, you are above the tree level here. There is nothing but rocks, ice and snow; this is my favorite part of the mountains. On the way back to the village of Vent, one came down gradually, and sheep were a common sight on the lower green meadows (草地).

When I got back to the village of Vent, it was absolutely wonderful to drink a beer or a glass of buttermilk...

- () 1. From the passage we can learn that Obergurgl is _____.
 A. a village in Austria
 B. not very high



- C. the highest mountain in Austria
D. the first goal on the author's hike
- () 2. What can we learn from the passage?
- A. The author continued his hike from the Wildspitze.
B. The author visited the Alps in winter for skiing.
C. There is ice and snow in Vernagthütte in summer.
D. The author liked the village of Vent best of all.
- () 3. Which of the following is the RIGHT order of the author's hiking route?
- A. Obergurgl→Wildspitze→Breslauer Hütte→Vernagthütte→the village of Vent
B. Obergurgl→Wildspitze→Vernagthütte→Breslauer Hütte→the village of Vent
C. Obergurgl→Breslauer Hütte→the village of Vent→Vernagthütte
D. Obergurgl→Breslauer Hütte→Vernagthütte→the village of Vent



小词典

① most of all 最重要的是……

② on the way back to the village 在回村子的路上



难句解读

① I didn't climb the Wildspitze—although it was not a technically difficult mountain, I couldn't climb it without a mountain guide. 我没有爬维尔特峰, 尽管没有技术上的困难, 但是如果没有向导的话, 我还是不能爬这座峰。

② Besides, the weather decided whether or not we could go on a particular hike. 而且, 天气决定了我们是否继续这次特殊的旅行。



完形填空

题材: 经历迷路 难度: 中 词数: 244 建议用时: 10'

It was a sunny day. A city man was driving along a country road with a new wagon (马车), and a beautiful pair of horses. He didn't pay a lot of 1 to where he was going. Pretty soon he 2 that he was lost, but he 3 to drive, expecting to find his way or to 4 someone who could tell him how to get back to the 5. It was a 6 road. For many hours he kept on driving. When it was almost 7, he saw in the 8 a tall farmer ploughing the land. He stopped his 9 team of horses near the fence and called out, "Hello, farmer."

"Hello, yourself," the farmer replied, 10 ploughing.

"Where does the horse 11?" he asked without knowing his language errors (错误).

"I haven't seen it go anywhere. It 12 stays right where it is," said the farmer, 13 stopping his work. "How far is it to the next town?" said the city man, speaking a little 14. "Don't know. I never 15 it," repeated the farmer. By this time the city man was getting 16. "What do you know? You're the biggest fool I 17 saw."

18 stopping, the farmer turned and looked for a long time 19 at the city man. Then he said, "Maybe I don't know much. 20 I am a fool. But at least I'm not lost!"

- () 1. A. signs B. orders C. attention D. direction

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|--------------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|
| () 2. A. realized | B. recognized | C. accepted | D. received |
| () 3. A. stopped | B. used | C. wanted | D. continued |
| () 4. A. miss | B. meet | C. look | D. lose |
| () 5. A. town | B. country | C. capital | D. village |
| () 6. A. lonely | B. busy | C. dirty | D. crowded |
| () 7. A. at noon | B. at night | C. raining | D. dark |
| () 8. A. truck | B. pile | C. field | D. store |
| () 9. A. strong | B. tired | C. weak | D. tiring |
| () 10. A. but | B. went on | C. stopped | D. still |
| () 11. A. go | B. lead up | C. get | D. show |
| () 12. A. always | B. often | C. sometimes | D. seldom |
| () 13. A. began | B. still | C. without | D. already |
| () 14. A. clearly | B. lower | C. more loudly | D. more politely |
| () 15. A. judged | B. measured | C. saw | D. studied |
| () 16. A. sad | B. lovely | C. friendly | D. angry |
| () 17. A. ever | B. often | C. even | D. never |
| () 18. A. Still | B. Not | C. With | D. Finally |
| () 19. A. gladly | B. immediately | C. in silence | D. excitedly |
| () 20. A. Really | B. Perhaps | C. Certainly | D. Fortunately |



小词典

① pay attention to 注意

② plough 耕地

③ at least 至少



A 阅读理解

题材：表扬信 难度：中 词数：260 建议用时：5'

Letter to Editor of TV Weekly

Dear Sir/Madam,

I read Alison Burnham's review of *When we were 12*, and I do not agree with her. I thought the program was wonderful—I found the old news pictures really interesting—they helped to bring to life the stories the people were telling.

The program reminds me of many things from my own childhood. For example, one day when I was about five, I was going to school on the bus by myself (this was the late 1960s). My mother had given me exactly the right money for a return ticket. I held out my hand with the money in it—one big coin on top of one little coin. The bus conductor took the big top coin only and she gave me a ticket, but it was a pink one for a single journey. I needed a white one for a return journey, but I was too frightened to say anything. When school finished for the day, I couldn't catch the bus home—I had to walk. As a grown-up, whenever I've been in a situation where I need to say something or take some action, this early memory of my bus ride comes back to me, and I'm able to take control of the situation.

I would like to say to the director, Bret Chrysler, carry on making this kind of program. Too much TV these days in quiz shows and so-called “reality programs”. I appreciate the human story that can make me laugh and cry.

Yours faithfully,
Chris Daniels

- () 1. What is Chris Daniels' purpose of writing this letter?
A. To persuade Bret Chrysler to turn away from quiz shows.
B. To provide other readers with old news pictures.
C. To express his appreciation of the program.
D. To have his story told on the program.
- () 2. Chris Daniels tells the story about the bus ticket to _____.
A. describe how painful his early experience was
B. draw attention from Alison Burnham
C. show how the program made him think
D. teach the readers of TV Weekly a lesson
- () 3. According to the passage, Chris Daniels had to walk home because _____.
A. he hadn't got a return ticket B. he had lost his bus ticket
C. he didn't like big crowds D. he missed the bus home
- () 4. What do you think *When we were 12* is?
A. The name of the program.
B. The title of Alison Burnham's review.
C. The story told by Alison Burnham.
D. A story told by Bret Chrysler.



小词典

- ① take action 采取行动 ② take control of 控制
③ carry on making this kind of program 继续制作这样的节目



难句解读

① The program reminds me of many things from my own childhood. 这个节目使我想起了关于我童年的许多事情。

② As a grown-up, whenever I've been in a situation where I need to say something or take some action, this early memory of my bus ride comes back to me, and I'm able to take control of the situation. 作为一名成年人, 当我遇到需要我说点什么或是采取点行动的情况, 我就会想起这次乘车的经历, 这样我就能控制这种情况了。

B

阅读理解

题材: 狗的帮助 难度: 中 词数: 257 建议用时: 4'

During the day, Mercer is a hardworking dog, helping his owner and making sure she stays safe. Shea has an illness that keeps her from walking normally. Mercer is specially trained to do many of the things that Shea can't. Now, Shea is writing a series of six books

about Mercer. Marvelous Mercer arrived in stores this fall, and the second book is due out early next year.

Cool Tricks

During his training, Mercer learned to carry out 60 different commands (指令). Shea now uses them to tell Mercer what she needs. Shea's favorite command is lap, which tells Mercer to put his front paws across her lap. "I love that," Shea says. At school, Mercer carries Shea's bag and helps her order lunch in the dining hall. During class, he stays under her desk in case she drops her pencil. At night, he pulls the covers up for her and turns off her bedroom light.

Lending a Paw

Shea and Mercer aren't the only ones benefiting from their special relationship. "Thanks to the books, we're helping more people now," Shea says. Some of the series' profits are going to help pay for research into Shea's disease. Money from the books will also be used to train assistance dogs for U. S. soldiers who have been injured in Iraq. Despite all of the attention and his star status, success hasn't gone to Mercer's head. In fact, when WR News interviewed Shea, Mercer slept through the whole thing—most likely dreaming about his next adventure!

- () 1. We learn from the passage that Mercer is _____.
 A. a pet dog that needs Shea's care
 B. a dog assistant to Shea that received special training
 C. a dog that helped many other people with their illnesses
 D. a character Shea made up for her books
- () 2. According to the passage, Mercer _____.
 A. enjoys having lunch with Shea in the school dining hall
 B. used to help injured soldiers in the war
 C. attends classes with Shea in case she has a problem
 D. likes putting his front paws on Shea's lap best
- () 3. Which of the following is TRUE, according to the passage?
 A. Shea has finished writing 6 books about Mercer.
 B. Mercer is glad to be a focus of attention.
 C. Mercer accompanies Shea only during the day.
 D. Though disabled, Shea is helping lots of people.



小词典

- ① keep sb. from doing sth. 阻止某人做某事 ② a series of 一系列
 ③ marvelous 奇迹般的, 不可思议的 ④ in case 以防万一
 ⑤ benefit from 从……中获益



难句解读

① Shea has an illness that keeps her from walking normally. Mercer is specially trained to do many of the things that Shea can't. Shea 患了一种不能使她正常行走的疾病。Mercer

就是经过特别培训能做许多 Shea 不能做的事情的狗。

② Mercer arrived in stores this fall, and the second book is due out early next year. 关于 Mercer 的第一本书将在今年秋天上市, 第二本书预期将在明年年初出版。

C 完形填空

题材: 生活奇迹 难度: 中 词数: 317 建议用时: 10'

An unemployed graduate woke up one morning and checked his pocket. All he had 1 was \$ 10. He decided to use it to buy food and then wait for death as he was too proud to go 2.

He bought some food and as he sat down to eat it, an old man and two little children 3 and asked him to offer them some food as they had eaten 4 for almost a week. Feeling 5 for the old man and the children, he gave them the food. The old man and the children were very 6 and gave him a very old coin.

With no money, no job and no food, the young graduate went under a bridge to 7 and wait for death. As he was about to fall asleep, he saw an old 8 on the ground. He picked it up, and suddenly he saw an advertisement 9 people with old coins to come to a certain address.

He 10 to go there with the old coin the old man gave him. 11 arriving at the place, he gave the 12 the coin. The owner screamed, brought out a big book and 13 the young graduate a photograph which said this 14 old coin was worth three million dollars. The young graduate was very 15 as the owner gave him a bank check for three million dollars. He went with the check in 16 of the old man and the little children.

By the time he got where he last saw them, they had 17. He asked the owner of the restaurant 18 he knew them. He said no but they left a (n) 19 for you. He quickly opened the note thinking it would 20 him to where they were.

This is what the note said: "You gave us all you had and we have rewarded you with the coin."

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| () 1. A. offered | B. accepted | C. earned | D. left |
| () 2. A. studying | B. begging | C. dying | D. working |
| () 3. A. passed by | B. dropped by | C. went over | D. turned around |
| () 4. A. anything | B. everything | C. something | D. nothing |
| () 5. A. sorry | B. disappointed | C. embarrassed | D. guilty |
| () 6. A. careful | B. grateful | C. hopeful | D. regretful |
| () 7. A. rest | B. play | C. work | D. live |
| () 8. A. photo | B. newspaper | C. coin | D. book |
| () 9. A. forcing | B. ordering | C. asking | D. cheating |
| () 10. A. persuaded | B. promised | C. imagined | D. decided |
| () 11. A. By | B. Upon | C. Before | D. Since |
| () 12. A. child | B. advertiser | C. owner | D. reporter |
| () 13. A. returned | B. showed | C. awarded | D. lent |
| () 14. A. same | B. similar | C. typical | D. general |
| () 15. A. bored | B. delighted | C. encouraged | D. frightened |

- () 16. A. search B. hope C. need D. memory
 () 17. A. stayed B. gone C. waited D. hidden
 () 18. A. whether B. where C. how D. why
 () 19. A. number B. check C. note D. address
 () 20. A. warn B. prevent C. expect D. lead



小词典

- ① feel sorry for sb. 对某人感到同情 ② lead sb. to some place 带领某人去某处

Wednesday

A 阅读理解

题材：礼仪教育 难度：中 词数：282 建议用时：5'

Teaching good manners to children and teens is a “hot” topic this year. The Tadpole Dreams manners program recently became very popular at the Maryland PTA conference and was warmly received as an exciting and creative program. The program teaches youngsters good manners in a lighthearted (愉快的) way.

The interactive (互动的) course includes lessons on interview skills, telephone manners, cell phone and e-mail rules, thank-you notes, table manners, host and guest skills, polite conversation and how to behave in classrooms, dining halls and at school activities. “We reviewed the program this summer and thought it was very beneficial,” said Maureen Moran, branch chief of the office of academic policy for the Maryland State Board of Education. “Tadpole Dreams is a great resource for teachers, guidance educators and other young leaders.”

Several middle schools and day camps have put the program to good use. “Our teachers are having a great time with Tadpole Dreams,” said Laura Kang, middle school head at Severn School in Severna Park. “The children are enjoying it as well. It’s a great way to call people’s attention to the positive benefits of good manners.”

The manners program is perfect for kids’ after-school activities, camps, and other programs. The program combines a child-friendly, lighthearted 48-page good manners handbook and a course containing more than 50 games, skills and activities designed to accompany each section. Each section can be purchased separately online at www.tadpoledreams.org, or the entire program can be purchased in hard copy form. Written and taught by professional middle school educators, the Tadpole Dreams program has been used successfully in every environment imaginable, from city housing projects to summer camps.

- () 1. According to the passage, the Tadpole Dreams program _____.
 A. will be put to use soon
 B. can only be purchased online
 C. makes people emphasize on children's activities
 D. is designed and taught by professional educators