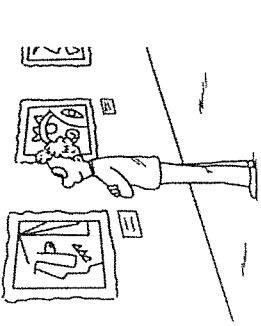
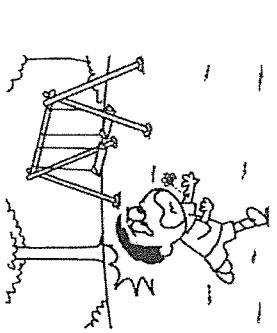
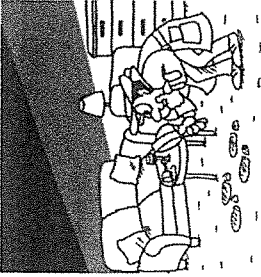
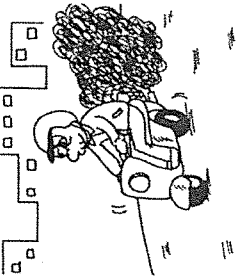
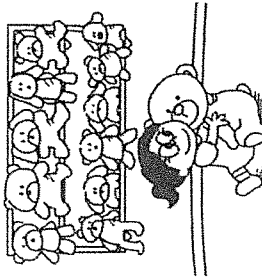
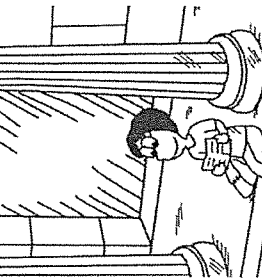
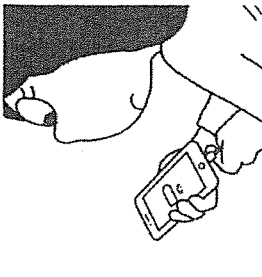
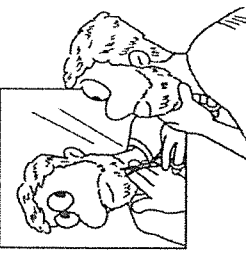
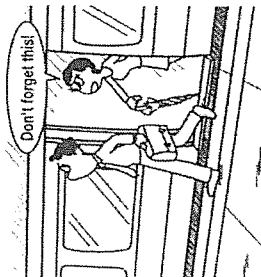
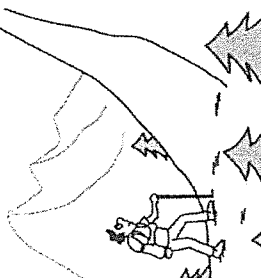


Part 1: Picture Questions (20%)

Look at each picture and answer the question.

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Part 2: Best Response Questions (20%)

Listen to the question or statement and choose the best response.

- () 11. (A) That's too bad. I thought he would like it there.
(B) Yeah, he finds life too slow and boring there.
(C) I know. It's the last place that I'd choose to live in.
(D) Yeah. It is the most beautiful place you can imagine.
- () 12. (A) Is that why she always takes her dog with her?
(B) Of course. A pair of good shoes is all she needs.
(C) I know. It won't be so boring with some music on.
(D) So she may need a step counter to track her progress.
- () 13. (A) Good. I'm glad he's being noticed now.
(B) It's too bad that the award didn't go to him.
(C) I know. His career is completely ruined.
(D) Oh no! I hope he gets a second chance.
- () 14. (A) No, he didn't help design it.
(B) No, why would he give it away?
(C) No, the store sold out too fast.
(D) No, he didn't let his brother use it.

- () 15. (A) You should wear it for the dinner tonight.
(B) You know it's real by how it shines.
(C) You should keep it in a safe place.
(D) You can borrow money from the bank.
- () 16. (A) No. They also sell fancy products.
(B) It's OK. I don't mind buying used items.
(C) I know. I can't afford anything in them.
(D) Wow! They have some cheap and cute stuff.
- () 17. (A) I'm not surprised. That tree is really strong.
(B) Yes. Somebody chopped it down long ago.
(C) I know. The strong wind destroyed it.
(D) What a pity! Can we grow it back?
- () 18. (A) True. She gets sick when she drinks it.
(B) I know. Her coffee shop is not doing well.
(C) Yes. She can't start her day without coffee.
(D) Right. She can't even stand the smell of it.
- () 19. (A) Six men played music together.
(B) Ten of them went on the trip.
(C) Twenty women played the game.
(D) Forty people came to see the show.
- () 20. (A) I know. It's all she eats now.
(B) Yes. She has it once in a while.
(C) Yeah. She doesn't eat it at all.
(D) Right. It's her favorite kind of meat.

Part 3: Conversation Questions (20%)

Listen to each conversation and answer the question.

- () 21. (A) He's checked it out before.
(B) It looks really nice.
(C) A famous person lives there.
(D) It looks strange.
- () 22. (A) He is not feeling well right now.
(B) His cold is getting serious.
(C) He had a bad cold last week.
(D) He stayed at the hospital last week.
- () 23. (A) Where the man learned how to write.
(B) How long it takes the man to write a book.
(C) What caused the man to like something.
(D) When the man began writing his book.
- () 24. (A) Because he loves his work so much.
(B) Because he is proud of himself.
(C) Because he is good at everything.
(D) Because he is a lucky person.
- () 25. (A) By following the light from the theater.
(B) By asking the woman on the phone.
(C) By asking a local person.
(D) By reading a map.
- () 26. (A) He would like to go back.
(B) It was better than he dreamed.
(C) He thought it would've been better.
(D) It was something he'll never forget.
- () 27. (A) He is going to an interview.
(B) He is nervous about his interview.
(C) The interview is a good chance.
(D) She messed up her interview last time.
- () 28. (A) He never told her he was sorry.
(B) He is not a good cook.
(C) He spends too much time at home.
(D) He gets angry easily.
- () 29. (A) She was promoted to manager.
(B) She had a horrible day at work.
(C) She had to yell at people.
(D) She had a good day at work.

- () 30. (A) He doesn't know what is going to happen.
(B) He doesn't care about the company.
(C) He believes the company will shut down.
(D) He thinks the company will be OK.

Part 4: Vocabulary Questions (40%)

- () 31. Every summer, my family rents a small _____ on Maple Lake and spends a week for vacation there.
(A) cottage (B) staff
(C) misery (D) fairy
- () 32. Many teenagers love movie stars while Larry _____ scientists like Stephen Hawking.
(A) identifies (B) sparks
(C) stings (D) admires
- () 33. Tom suffered a loss of _____ strength; he couldn't even move his body.
(A) mysterious (B) luxury
(C) physical (D) magnificent
- () 34. Nick set out on a long _____ to Europe, where he will visit many major museums. He won't be back in Taiwan until next month.
(A) journey (B) paradise
(C) association (D) passion
- () 35. The policeman is _____ to track down the robber no matter what.
(A) determined (B) reasonable
(C) vital (D) innocent
- () 36. The hand-made lunchbox is clear _____ of Cindy's love for her husband.
(A) beam (B) proof
(C) recognition (D) opportunity
- () 37. The invention of the steam engine is one of the greatest _____ advances of all time.
(A) consistent (B) disappointed
(C) technological (D) embarrassing
- () 38. After months of practice, David finally _____ his driver's license.
(A) eliminated (B) obtained
(C) identified (D) predicted
- () 39. Greg has such _____ debt that he has to work three jobs to pay for it.
(A) digital (B) vital
(C) enormous (D) mysterious
- () 40. The roof of the temple is supported by eight huge _____.
(A) percents (B) detectives
(C) historians (D) columns
- () 41. The hotel is not too far, so we should be able to arrive there _____.
(A) slightly (B) shortly
(C) merely (D) lately
- () 42. A(n) _____ of cherry and lemon makes this drink a perfect summer treat.
(A) combination (B) similarity
(C) association (D) opportunity
- () 43. Roger is _____ to coffee and cannot do anything in the morning until he has had some.
(A) embarrassing (B) disappointed
(C) advanced (D) addicted
- () 44. Although Jason cannot speak French, he uses gesture and body language to _____ with the locals.
(A) cherish (B) communicate
(C) apologize (D) unite
- () 45. The teacher _____ a game for students to learn and have fun at the same time.
(A) obtained (B) predicted
(C) remained (D) devised

- () 46. I'm well _____ of what you've done. Don't ever try to hide anything from me.
(A) vital (B) physical
(C) aware (D) innocent

- () 47. The movie is about a(n) _____ who lives at the bottom of a lake.
(A) adventure (B) monster
(C) continent (D) instrument

- () 48. During a 30-year career in the foreign ministry, Mr. Bilbo served as an _____ twice.
(A) association (B) opportunity
(C) audience (D) ambassador

- () 49. The _____ view of the vast lake against the mountains attracts tens of thousands of visitors every year.
(A) severe (B) hopeful
(C) suspicious (D) magnificent

- () 50. The ride at the amusement park made me feel dizzy, and I _____ getting off of it.
(A) polluted (B) remained
(C) stumbled (D) communicated

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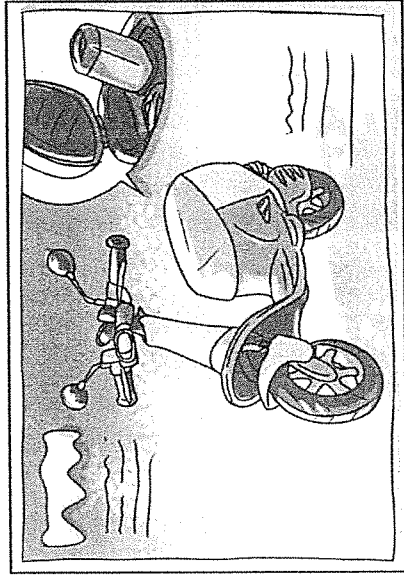
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Listening Section – 40%

I. Pictures 看圖辨義– 16%

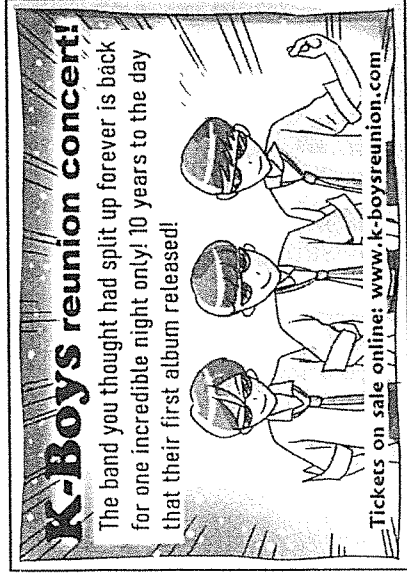
Listen to the questions. Then choose the best answer according to each picture.

A.



1. _____ 2. _____

B.



3. _____ 4. _____

II. Best Response 最佳回應句– 16%

Choose the best response to each question or statement.

5. A. It provides water for animals and plants.
B. It creates a nice temperature in the winter.
C. It helps to clean the air in the desert.
D. It prevents animals from getting sick.
6. A. Try using painted cardboard.
B. Try putting your dog in the car.
C. Try making a pink one.
D. Try using these boards.

7. A. And she changed schools at age ten?
B. Yes, you can see that very early.
C. I'm sorry. I hope she's OK now.
D. When did that happen?

8. A. Yeah, she fits in easily.
B. Yeah, she's lost a lot of weight.
C. Yes, she can touch her toes.
D. Yes, she's better in the mornings.

III. Short Conversations 簡短會話– 8%

Listen to the conversations. Then answer the questions.

9. A. A way to grow unusual plants.
B. A garden that grows on the roof.
C. A way for city people to grow things.
D. A flower garden high up on a pole.

10. A. She doesn't know when it will be.
B. She will fix the problem later.
C. She didn't say a certain time.
D. She will tell them later today.

Reading Section – 60%

I. Vocabulary 詞彙 – 20% (每題 2 分)

Choose the word or phrase that best completes the sentence.

11. Amy _____ a lovely card to the present before she gave it to her boyfriend.
A. restored B. concentrated
C. attached D. rescued
12. Researchers around the globe are _____ to find a way to curb the spread of the virus.
A. striving B. engulfing
C. terrifying D. confronting
13. Always put on your helmet when riding a _____.
A. location B. scooter
C. grinder D. technique

14. Despite the difficulties, the two countries decided to _____ in their diplomatic efforts to bring about peace.
 A. possess B. persist
 C. overpower D. rescue
15. Kids are generally believed to be very _____. They seem to fit into a new environment without much difficulty.
 A. alert B. solid
 C. productive D. adaptable
16. After ten years of research, the scholar finally _____ her book on the religions along the Amazon River.
 A. convinced B. connected
 C. destroyed D. published
17. The superpower I want to _____ the most is invisibility so I can go anywhere without being noticed.
 A. possess B. carve
 C. persist D. convince
18. Many people were _____ that the Earth was the center of the universe until Nicolaus Copernicus brought forward his new theory.
 A. roamed B. engulfed
 C. convinced D. carved
19. Carl and Monica celebrated their 10th wedding _____ by dining at a great Japanese restaurant.
 A. promotion B. anniversary
 C. recognition D. autobiography
20. The snow had melted, but the lake was still frozen _____.
 A. solid B. alert
 C. fixed D. urban

II. Cloze Test 綜合測驗 – 30% (每題 2 分)

Read the passage and fill in each blank with correct words

A. Most people are pleased when they are praised for working hard. But Kara Lawson, the head coach of the Duke women's basketball team, tells her players to compete. The difference between working hard and competing is 21. That's why so many people 22 hard work 22 competitiveness. Billions of people work hard in 23 job they do. But they put in hours without 24 trying to win. They just work to meet the 25 on a certain task. They don't go the extra mile for perfection. So Lawson asks her players to remember when they are 26 and reaching a goal feels impossible, don't just work hard. Compete. They are 27 more than they think. 28. Work a little harder. The lesson for an entrepreneur is to offer to work beside employees 29 just telling them what to do. Listen and show them what to do. Competing is the key and that's the only competition that really 30. Every day, ask yourself, "Did I compete today?"

21. A. subtle B. huge
 C. empathetic D. countless
22. A. tell, apart from B. name, after
 C. mistake, for D. provide, with
23. A. which B. either
 C. whatever D. whosever
24. A. never B. ever
 C. rather D. started
25. A. amounts B. weights
 C. sessions D. constraints
26. A. at a disadvantage
 B. in a blink of an eye
 C. at the center of a scandal
 D. right down in their alley
27. A. short of B. capable of
 C. shy from D. home to
28. A. Look up B. Stay still
 C. Dig deep D. Watch out
29. A. owing to B. because of
 C. according to D. instead of
30. A. involves B. demands
 C. matters D. takes

B.

IU has become a household name in Korea, but the K-pop star didn't become famous overnight. She 31 to fame by overcoming various challenges. She was born Lee Ji Eun and later took IU as her stage name. Her childhood was ordinary until her father's business failed, which caused her family to 32. She then moved into a one room apartment, living with many other family members. At 14, she got an opportunity to perform at a school event. She enjoyed it so much that she made up her mind to become a singer. But getting hired by an entertainment company was not easy. Attending one interview after 33, she didn't receive any offers. She was very discouraged. But one day she heard that entertainers usually needed to pay a lot of money for training. It was at that moment that an agent told her to wire a huge amount of money in exchange for a TV appearance. She transferred the money without a second thought, only to find she had been deceived. Dismayed as she was, she stuck with her goal persistently and eventually released her first song in 2008. To date, IU has composed over 50 songs which cover a 34 range of styles such as folk, bossa nova, electronic, swing, and K-pop. Though she is a popular singer, IU has not forgotten to help people in need and in poverty. In fact, she has 35 million Korean won to charities. She is using her fame and wealth to improve others' quality of life now.

31. A. rose B. raised
C. arose D. aroused
32. A. catch up B. split up
C. make up D. cheer up
33. A. one B. others
C. another D. the other
34. A. narrow B. single
C. high D. wide
35. A. given away B. given up
C. given back D. given in to

III. Reading Comprehension 閱讀理解-10%

(每題 2 分)

Read the paragraph. Then answer the questions.

- A. Stand-up paddleboarding (SUP) is a popular new sport that's easy to understand. You stand on a big board on the water and use a paddle to move around. It's popular for a few reasons.
- One reason SUP is popular is that it's easy. Old people, young people, skilled people and beginners can all do it.
- Another reason people like stand-up paddleboarding is because it's healthy and safe. Trying to keep your balance while paddling helps you lose weight and get stronger.
- A third reason people enjoy SUP is that there are lots of different ways to do it. You can try SUP surfing, racing, fishing and even "touring" (exploring)! Anywhere you can paddle a boat you can do SUP. That means you can do SUP on lakes, rivers and the ocean.

A fourth thing people love about SUP is experiencing the peace and quiet of nature. The view from on top of a paddleboard can be amazing! From a paddleboard, you can see out to the horizon and down into the water.

You can find basic SUP information by searching the internet. YouTube videos can teach you beginner SUP skills. You might also find companies in your area that offer SUP group trips for a fee. They can provide everything you'll need to safely enjoy your first time on a paddleboard.

Does stand-up paddleboarding sound like something you'd like to try?

36. According to the article, what is NOT true about SUP?

- A. It is a sport that anyone can do.
B. It is a sport that is mainly for young healthy people.
C. It is a sport that is good exercise.
D. It is a sport that can be learned in a short amount of time.

37. What is one reason why SUP has become so popular?

- A. It is not very dangerous to try.
B. Many famous people have been doing it.
C. The boards are really cheap to get.
D. It is something that can be done all year long.

38. What might someone on a paddleboard do?

- A. They might do jumps and tricks in the lake.
B. They might add sails to it to make it steer better.
C. They might take a lake tour to see the view.
D. They might tip their boards in the water.

B.

In France, the Ami is considered a "quadricycle", a vehicle with four wheels. It is not considered a real car because it is too slow. The Ami is on sale across Europe, but not yet in Britain. When it comes on the market there, some environmentally conscious people will buy it immediately. But for sales to reach the general buyer, the performance will have to be improved a bit. Ideally, it should be able to go to 80 kilometers per hour and have 110 kilometers of range. Right now, its top speed is 45 kilometers per hour and its range is 70 kilometers.

It's priced at just €6,000. The price is definitely low, and the car is small. There's no trunk, but there is some space behind the driver and passenger seats for a couple of small bags. It's easy to drive, too, just reach down the side of the driver's seat, push the "D" button, and off you go.

39. What would be the best title for this article?

- A. A New Friend for Many
- B. It's Small But it's Mighty
- C. A Car that's Not a Car?
- D. The Car That Everyone Can Buy

40. What is implied about the Ami?

- A. It's got a look that many people will want.
- B. It's an expensive auto for the things you get with it.
- C. It's available in most places around the world.
- D. It's better for the planet than other vehicles.