

Section I Use of English

1. 【答案】 [D] question
2. 【答案】 [A] reluctance
3. 【答案】 [C] courage
4. 【答案】 [B] In other words
5. 【答案】 [D] uncomfortable
6. 【答案】 [B] concerns
7. 【答案】 [A] Once
8. 【答案】 [C] factor
9. 【答案】 [D] inconveniencing
10. 【答案】 [A] reach out
11. 【答案】 [A] declining
12. 【答案】 [B] negative
13. 【答案】 [D] overcome
14. 【答案】 [D] fear
15. 【答案】 [B] perceived
16. 【答案】 [A] recall

17. 【答案】 [C] willing
18. 【答案】 [C] rewarding
19. 【答案】 [B] also
20. 【答案】 [C] busy

Section II Reading Comprehension

Part A

Text 1

21. 【答案】 [B] was considered essential for waiters
22. 【答案】 [C] have less to do with service quality
23. 【答案】 [A] the advancement of technology
24. 【答案】 [B] guarantee income fairness
25. 【答案】 [A] is becoming a burden for customers

Text 2

26. 【答案】 [B] can hardly satisfy people's needs
27. 【答案】 [C] increase resources for primary care
28. 【答案】 [C] restructure the health system
29. 【答案】 [B] paying due attention to social factors
30. 【答案】 [D] understand people's health needs better

Text 3

31. 【答案】 [A] tackle extreme weather
32. 【答案】 [B] lack localized alert-issuing criteria
33. 【答案】 [A] include other factors besides temperature
34. 【答案】 [B] target areas needing special attention
35. 【答案】 [D] serve a broader range of purposes

Text 4

36. 【答案】 [C] the tendency to pursue convenience
37. 【答案】 [D] takes a positive view of desired path
38. 【答案】 [A] conflicting opinions on the use of desire paths
39. 【答案】 [D] the recognition of desire paths
40. 【答案】 [D] show a shared trait in humans and animals

Part B

41. 【答案】 [F] Be a salesman
42. 【答案】 [C] Use channels
43. 【答案】 [G] Be humble
44. 【答案】 [B] Respect the past
45. 【答案】 [A] Stay positive

Section III Translation (15 points)

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【参考译文】

你知道那一刻——对话慢了下来，然后出现了停顿。这很尴尬，尴尬到有些人会惊慌失措，说出任何话来。我们所有人都觉得这样的沉默如此有压力吗？

研究人员分析了对话中超过 2 秒的停顿的频率和影响，包括对先前研究的概述，这些研究表明对尴尬沉默的恐惧可能非常强烈，以至于人们避免与陌生人交谈，尽管这样做很可能会是一次愉快的体验。

在对话中，短暂的停顿让人们感觉与对话伙伴更加亲近。但当进入长时间的停顿时，这种连接感会显著下降。陌生人之间的长时间停顿可能会由话题的转变而改变。

但对于朋友之间的对话来说，情况似乎正好相反。在朋友之间，长时间的停顿反而增加了连接感。在朋友之间，更长的停顿似乎提供了自然的反思和表达时刻。

Section IV Writing (25 points)**Part A (10 points)****【参考范文】**

Dear John,

I am writing with sincerity to inform you of some necessary information about a short play based on a classic Chinese novel.

I am going to hold it in order to shed light on some Chinese conventional cultures. It is a fantastic and inspiring play, from which you

can learn an essential quality for life — persistence, and I am writing in hope that you could attend the activity as an amateur. The play is scheduled to be held in the No. 2 Lecture Hall at 7 o'clock in the evening, December 28th, 2024.

Your attendance would be a great honor to me. Were there anything unclear, please do not hesitate to contact me at Liming@mail.com.

Yours sincerely,

Li Ming

Part B (15 points)

【参考范文】

The bar chart clearly presents different proportions concerning the main daily leisure activities of the elderly in a community. As can be seen, the proportions of watching TV, taking a walk, growing flowers and playing chess are 90.8%, 86.3%, 34.7% and 18.4% respectively. What is noticeable is that reading books accounts for 31.8%.

The portrayal is designed to awaken us to the social phenomenon of leisure activities for the elderly, which is not uncommon in this day and age. There exist multiple reasons behind this phenomenon. First of all, due to the prosperity of economy in China and the increase of residents' income in recent decades, a large body of old people are paying more attention to colorful and comfortable life style, which boosts the diversification of leisure activities. Here is a story. Even more the aged are

willing to take a walk, grow flowers and play chess with their family. In addition, we have to admit that plenty of spare time also motivates old people to read more books or watch TV, which brings about a far-reaching impact on their old daily lives.

Based on the above-mentioned analysis, we may safely arrive at a conclusion that the trend is an inevitable result of multiple daily leisure activities for senior citizens. Hence, there is every reason to believe it will keep going in the foreseeable future.