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# 高等学校英语应用能力考试(B 级) PRACTICAL ENGLISH TEST FOR COLLEGES



## 试 题 册 (GZAES)

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- 一、将学校、姓名、学校代号、准考证号和试卷代码 (a 或 b) 填涂在答题卡上。
- 二、所有答案均应做在答题卡上, 写在试题册上的答案一律无效。翻译和作文做在答题卡的反面。
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**Directions:** *This part is to test your listening ability. It consists of 4 sections.*

**Section A**

**Directions:** *This section is to test your ability to give proper responses. There are 7 recorded sentences in it. After each sentence, there is a pause. The sentences will be spoken **two times**. When you hear a sentence, you should decide on the correct answer from the 4 choices marked A), B), C) and D) given in your test paper. Then you should mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.*

**Example:** *You will hear:*

*You will read:*

A) I'm not sure.

B) You're right.

C) Yes, certainly.

D) That's interesting.

*From the question we learn that the speaker is asking the listener to leave a message. Therefore, C) Yes, certainly is the correct answer. You should mark C) on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.*

[A] [B] [C] [D]

*Now the test will begin.*

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|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1. A) Take care.            | C) I think so.                   |
| B) Good idea.               | D) Sure.                         |
| 2. A) Here you are.         | C) Never mind.                   |
| B) Yes, thank you.          | D) That's too bad.               |
| 3. A) Yes. Have a nice day. | C) No, thanks. I'm just looking. |
| B) I'm from the UK.         | D) After you.                    |
| 4. A) Yes, Tom speaking.    | C) No, it's far away.            |
| B) My pleasure.             | D) You're welcome.               |
| 5. A) It doesn't matter.    | C) Sounds good.                  |
| B) No problem.              | D) This way, please.             |
| 6. A) Help yourself.        | C) Don't mention it.             |
| B) Very good.               | D) Glad to meet you.             |

7. A) Good luck. C) Of course not.  
B) Not at the moment. D) Fine, Thank you.

### Section B

**Directions:** *This section is to test your ability to understand short dialogues. There are 7 recorded dialogues in it. After each dialogue, there is a recorded question. Both the dialogues and questions will be spoken **two times**. When you hear a question, you should decide on the correct answer from the 4 choices marked A), B), C) and D) given in your test paper. Then you should mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center. Now listen to the dialogues.*

8. A) Whom to ask for help. C) Where to take a bus.  
B) How to go to the airport. D) When to leave the hotel.
9. A) Change the clock. C) Get his money back.  
B) Repair the clock. D) Buy another clock.
10. A) Walking there. C) Going there by subway.  
B) Taking a bus. D) Taking a taxi.
11. A) Office director. C) Senior manager.  
B) Team leader. D) Personal assistant.
12. A) She has a friend there. C) She has been there before.  
B) She is living nearby. D) She is working in the area.
13. A) A project. C) An interview.  
B) A product. D) An advertisement.
14. A) She has finished her paper. C) She has been awarded a prize.  
B) She has been promoted. D) She has received a job offer.

### Section C

**Directions:** *In this section, there are 2 recorded conversations. After each conversation, there are some recorded questions. Both the conversations and questions will be spoken **two times**. When you hear a question, you should decide on the correct answer from the 4 choices marked A), B), C) and D) given in your test paper. Then you should mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center. Now listen to the conversations.*

### Conversation 1

15. A) Discouraging. C) Doing well.  
B) Losing money. D) Lacking clients.
16. A) Interesting. C) Boring.  
B) Wonderful. D) Challenging.
17. A) Start her own business. C) Find an interesting job.  
B) Work with a big company. D) Further her education.

### Conversation 2

18. A) Two years. C) Two months.  
B) Four years. D) Two weeks.
19. A) Much room to improve. C) Fluent.  
B) Hard to understand. D) Poor.

### Section D

**Directions:** *In this section you will hear a recorded short passage. The passage is printed in the test paper, but with some words or phrases missing. The passage will be read **three times**. During the second reading, you are required to put the missing words or phrases on the Answer Sheet in order of the numbered blanks according to what you hear. The third reading is for you to check your writing. Now the passage will begin.*

I volunteered as an interpreter for the 2022 Winter Olympic Games in Beijing. This was an opportunity to fulfill my lifelong dream. I saw people from all over the world with different backgrounds, 20. We worked together to make the Games a success. The sense of unity shared by volunteers was truly 21. I've never imagined being so 22 to the competitions, and to athletes. We were together for a shared 23! The joy of working with these people is a reward enough for me. I would encourage anyone interested to try. You will have 24!

### Part II

### Vocabulary & Structure

(10 minutes)

**Directions:** *This part is to test your ability to construct correct and meaningful sentences. It consists of 2 sections.*

## Section A

**Directions:** *In this section, there are 10 incomplete sentences. You are required to complete each one by deciding on the most appropriate word or words from the 4 choices marked A), B), C) and D). Then you should mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.*

25. Hardly had I arrived at the office \_\_\_\_\_ the meeting began.  
A) as C) while  
B) when D) until
26. The countries in \_\_\_\_\_ English is spoken can be grouped into different categories.  
A) what C) that  
B) where D) which
27. She says China has been in her blood \_\_\_\_\_ she lived there as a young girl.  
A) ever since C) so that  
B) as if D) now that
28. I am going to spend the summer holidays in Beijing, \_\_\_\_\_ I have some former classmates.  
A) which C) where  
B) when D) that
29. If I \_\_\_\_\_ in your position, I would turn down the job offer.  
A) am C) will be  
B) were D) have been
30. Don't be afraid of \_\_\_\_\_ mistakes when you learn to speak English.  
A) doing C) having  
B) making D) showing
31. This letter is to inform you that I need to \_\_\_\_\_ sick leave starting today.  
A) take C) put  
B) carry D) turn
32. People will be more open to communicating with you \_\_\_\_\_ you show respect for them and their ideas.  
A) unless C) although  
B) until D) if

33. You might be ready for a change, but that doesn't mean you should start \_\_\_\_\_ a job right away.  
A) turning on C) applying for  
B) looking after D) breaking down
34. One challenge for driverless cars is how they deal \_\_\_\_\_ anything unexpected.  
A) on C) with  
B) in D) about

## Section B

**Directions:** *There are 5 incomplete statements here. You should fill in each blank with the proper form of the word given in brackets. Write the word or words in the corresponding space on the Answer Sheet.*

35. Using social media can be a highly (effect) \_\_\_\_\_ method of increasing your B2B sales.
36. According to a report, job (grow) \_\_\_\_\_ for taxi drivers is expected to reach 20% from 2018-2028.
37. You can send an email to the company to ask if they (interest) \_\_\_\_\_ in purchasing your products.
38. According to the survey, 61% of parents say that parenting is (difficult) \_\_\_\_\_ than it was 20 years ago.
39. While (speak) \_\_\_\_\_ about the Internet of Things, he mentioned the steps taken by our company.

## Part III Reading Comprehension (35 minutes)

**Directions:** *This part is to test your reading ability. There are 5 tasks for you to fulfill. You should read the reading materials carefully and do the tasks as you are instructed.*

### Task 1

**Directions:** *After reading the following passage, you will find 5 questions or unfinished statements, numbered 40 to 44. For each question or statement, there are 4 choices marked A), B), C) and D). You should make the correct choice and mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.*

Opening your drive-thru (不必下车可得到服务的) coffee shop won't come without challenges. Here are some of them:

Space. The new shop will require an area for the drive-thru line. If you have a small, takeout-only space, you can use a line to surround the building. If your existing space also welcomes dine-in guests, you need to consider safety and not blocking your parking lot.

Competition. Your company can stand out as a local business, but make sure your speed, convenience, and customer service don't fall short of customers' expectations.

Harder to build connection and culture (but not impossible!). Although some business owners fear drive thrus as a cold transaction (交易), you can still ensure your customers get a real connection. Have a question of the day without using common statements like "Nice weather we're having." Customers love it, and regular customers will be excited to see what the new question of the day is at every visit. You can also have a pay-it-forward (预先捐赠) program, or other ways to promote your brand. Customer service may not look exactly the same as it does in-store.

40. According to the passage, to open a drive-thru coffee shop, you need \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) a lot of money
- B) a detailed business plan
- C) an area for the drive thru line
- D) some well-trained shop assistants

41. When talking about speed, convenience, and customer service, the writer asks that \_\_\_\_\_.

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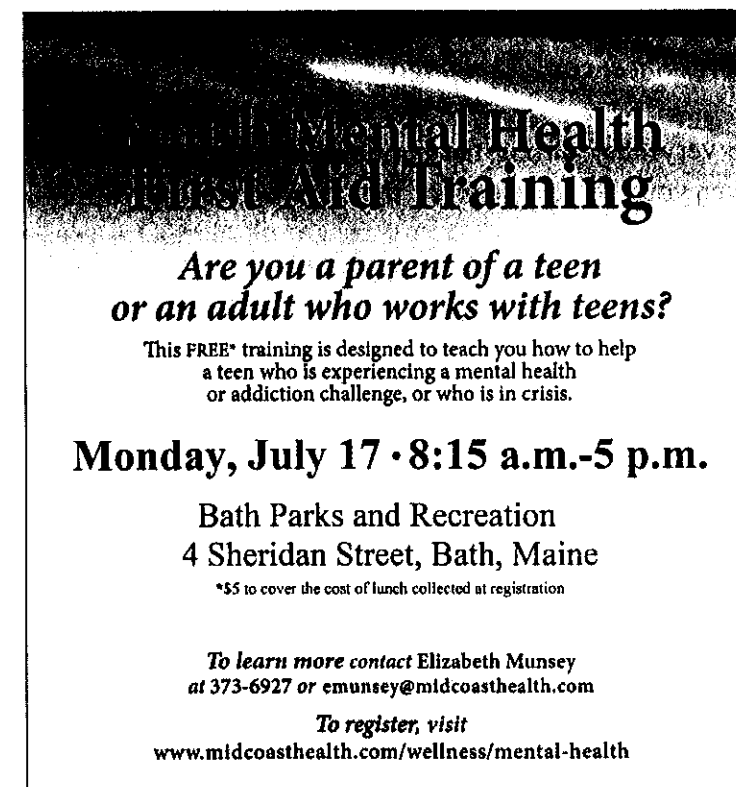
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- C) new ways to run a drive-thru coffee shop
- D) the importance of a drive-thru coffee shop

## Task 2

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To learn more contact Elizabeth Munsey  
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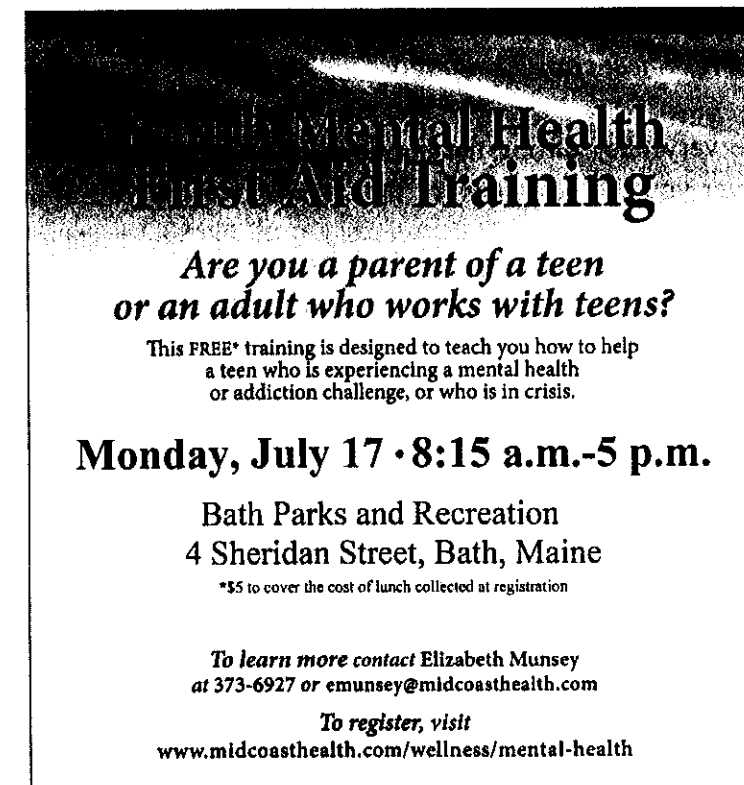
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45. The training is mainly for \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) teens and their friends
- B) parents or adults
- C) customers or shop assistants
- D) a manager and his/her employees

46. The training will take place on \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) June 1
- B) June 17
- C) July 1
- D) July 17

47. How do you register for the training, according to the poster?

- A) By visiting the website given.
- B) By going to the office in person.
- C) By calling Elizabeth Munsey.
- D) By sending an email to the organizer.

### Task 3

**Directions:** Read the following passage. After reading it, you should complete the information by filling in the blanks marked 48 to 52 (*in no more than 3 words*) in the table below. You should write your answers on the Answer Sheet correspondingly.

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2) toy books, 50 and more

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3) visiting 52

### Task 4

**Directions:** The following is a list of terms related to cell phones. After reading it, you are required to find the items equivalent to those given in Chinese in the table below. Then you should mark the corresponding letters with a line through the center in order of the numbered blanks, 53 through 57, on the Answer Sheet.

- A ----- Touch screen
- B ----- Ear piece
- C ----- Mouth piece
- D ----- Power switch
- E ----- Incoming call
- F ----- Battery cover
- G ----- Memory card
- H ----- Call divert
- I ----- Volume button
- J ----- Current time
- K ----- Current date
- L ----- Home screen
- M ----- Airplane mode
- N ----- Text message
- O ----- Call register
- P ----- Photo album
- Q ----- Screen brightness

**Examples:** (H) 呼叫转移 (O) 通话记录

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|--------------|----------|
| 53. ( ) 飞行模式 | ( ) 当前日期 |
| 54. ( ) 屏幕亮度 | ( ) 电池盖  |
| 55. ( ) 触摸屏  | ( ) 主屏幕  |
| 56. ( ) 电源开关 | ( ) 相册   |
| 57. ( ) 音量按钮 | ( ) 耳机   |

**Task 5**

**Directions:** Read the following letters. After reading it, you are required to complete the answers that follow the questions (No.58 to No.62). You should write your answers (in no more than 3 words) on the Answer Sheet correspondingly.

**Letter 1**

Dear Mr. Li,

I am sorry I missed our appointment yesterday. I had been looking forward to our meeting today, but when I rechecked my calendar (日程表) I discovered that the meeting was, in fact, scheduled for yesterday.

I realize how busy you are and that your time is valuable, but I hope this oversight (疏忽) will not prevent us from rescheduling our appointment. Meeting with you means a great deal to me, and I assure you, this will not happen again.

Best regards,  
John Smith

**Letter 2**

Dear Jane,

I apologize for coming late to the division meeting this morning. One of my staff came to my office with a serious personal problem and I had to make a choice. I stayed to talk with him. I realize that I missed an opportunity to give my report. I hope I can still give it at our next meeting. Please accept my heartfelt apology.

Best regards,  
Wang Xing

58. Why does Mr. Smith make an apology to Mr. Li?

He missed their \_\_\_\_\_.

59. When did Mr. Smith find the error?

When he \_\_\_\_\_.

60. What does Mr. Smith hope in the letter?

This oversight will not prevent them from \_\_\_\_\_.

61. According to the second letter, why was Wang Xing late for the division meeting?

He had to stay to \_\_\_\_\_ one of his staff.

62. Where does Wang Xing hope to give his report?

At their \_\_\_\_\_.

**Part IV****Translation -- English into Chinese****(25 minutes)**

**Directions:** This part, numbered 63 to 67, is to test your ability to translate English into Chinese. Each of the four sentences (No.63 to No.66) is followed by three choices of suggested translation marked A), B), and C). Make the best choice and write the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center. And then write your translation of the paragraph (No.67) in the corresponding space on the Translation/Composition Sheet.

63. Some driving schools might offer courses in taxi driving, which include map reading, local regulations and customer service.

- A) 有些驾校会为出租车司机提供专业的培训, 内容有交通标识识别和客户服务。  
B) 有些驾校可能会提供出租车驾驶课程, 包括地图阅读, 当地法规和客户服务。  
C) 有些驾校会为学员准备交通法规模拟考试训练, 你可在所规定的时间内参加。

64. When planning to hold an event, you need to ensure that everyone in your team can attend.

- A) 你在计划举办活动时, 要确保团队的每个成员都能参加。  
B) 你在考虑举行聚会时, 须要选择交通方便和安全的地方。  
C) 你在打算举办活动时, 应该征询团队每一位成员的意见。

65. I must write and thank you for your help to me during my visit to your company earlier this month.

- A) 我写信真诚地邀请您下月有空的话来本公司予以工作指导。  
B) 我必须写信感谢您在我本月初访问贵公司时对我的帮助。  
C) 对您在我访问前所给予我的大力帮助, 我表示衷心的感谢。

66. We welcome anybody who is willing to offer their skills to assist us in all areas of our work.

- A) 我们欢迎每一位有专业特长的人, 这样能在工作的各领域帮助我们。  
B) 我们欢迎你们加入这充满活力的团队, 期望我们互相学习共同提高。  
C) 我们欢迎任何愿意提供技能的人, 在我们工作的所有领域协助我们。

67. It is important to understand the difference between dreams and goals. There are several differences. Goals are things you can achieve someday by taking action. For example, your goal is to become a store manager in five years. There are things you could do to meet that goal. However, a dream is something you hope to happen, or something you create in your mind.



**(25 minutes)**