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考试科目: 英语语法

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1. Fill in each blank with an appropriate preposition or adverb particle: (10%)

- (1) The first days of school are meant to orient the freshmen \_\_\_\_ campus life.
- (2) His writings were reminiscent \_\_\_\_ ancient classic writers.
- (3) If the weather isn't too cold, people sit \_\_\_\_ front.
- (4) Her heart was rent \_\_\_\_ grief.
- (5) The price of gasoline climbed way \_\_\_\_.
- (6) Her desire for domination \_\_\_\_ the others caused trouble in the family.
- (7) I have a little money laid \_\_\_\_ for a rainy day.
- (8) You place me in something \_\_\_\_ a dilemma.
- (9) Mr. Jones is very orthodox \_\_\_\_ his attitude to Shakespeare.
- (10) Cathy was particular \_\_\_\_ the jewellery she wore.

2. Correct errors, if any, in the following sentences without altering the basic intended meaning. Leave out those you deem acceptable : (15%)

- (1) Statistics tells part of the story.
- (2) The dinner is cooking.
- (3) The soldiers dispersed along a wide front.
- (4) Walking through the park, the daffodils looked very beautiful.
- (5) He was furious at his command to be disobeyed.
- (6) Is she qualified for a doctor?
- (7) In the Foreign Languages Bookstore is to find books in various languages.
- (8) He listened only distractingly to my advice.
- (9) No one except my parents know anything about it.
- (10) His power is in wane now that the war is over.

- (11) Though reducing in numbers, they gained with fighting capacity.
- (12) There being a bus stop so near the house is a great advantage.
- (13) He dislikes having to ask a favor to anyone.
- (14) Coward as he was, Bob ran back at the sight of the enemy.
- (15) The car accident was owing to the driver's carelessness.

**3. Put the verbs (in the brackets) into the proper forms: (15%)**

(1) A: Your hands are dirty!

B: Well, I \_\_\_\_\_ (repair) my bike.

(2) He is worthy \_\_\_\_\_ (take) the position.

(3) Peter didn't mention \_\_\_\_\_ (meet) you.

(4) She could do nothing but \_\_\_\_\_ (weep).

(5) If he \_\_\_\_\_ (receive) six more votes, he \_\_\_\_\_ (be) our chairman now.

(6) Leave off \_\_\_\_\_ (bite) your nails.

(7) Scarcely I \_\_\_\_\_ (step) out of the house when I \_\_\_\_\_ (hear) a shot within.

(8) He is very easy \_\_\_\_\_ (convince).

(9) I must remember \_\_\_\_\_ (remind) him that the garden needs \_\_\_\_\_ (water).

(10) It is highly desirable that every effort \_\_\_\_\_ (make) \_\_\_\_\_ (reduce) expenditure and that every member of the staff \_\_\_\_\_ (economize) whenever possible.

(11) I suspected that we \_\_\_\_\_ (follow) so I turned round to have a look from time to time.

(12) I dread \_\_\_\_\_ (think) what will become of her.

(13) I appreciate \_\_\_\_\_ (give) this opportunity.

(14) He didn't feel like \_\_\_\_\_ (work), so he suggested \_\_\_\_\_ (go) out for a walk.

(15) Your composition leaves much \_\_\_\_\_ (desire).

**4. Combine each group of sentences into one by means of subordination and in the most logical and coherent way: (10%)**

(1) The weather keeps fine. I see no season why the village fete should not be a success.

(2) I lost my pen somewhere. The auditorium might be the place.

- (3) He couldn't go to medical school. First he had to get his B.A. degree.
- (4) We should mainly rely on our own efforts. (Simultaneously) we should not close our doors to international exchanges.
- (5) The Chinese government has resumed the exercise of sovereignty over Hong Kong.
- This is a consolation to numerous revolutionary martyrs and veterans.
- It has wiped out the century-old humiliation of the Chinese nation.

**5. Rewrite the following using suitable non-finite clauses, verbless clauses, or absolute constructions: (15%)**

- (1) If we consider it as a work of art, the building is rather disappointing.
- (2) The tree had fallen across the road. It had been uprooted by the gale.
- (3) The criminal removed all traces of his crime. He left the building.
- (4) The watchman reported that he had found the door open.
- (5) He sat down. He wiped his forehead and smiled complacently. His good humour was quite restored.

**6. Translate the following into English: (15%)**

- (1) 他告诉我昨天晚上她可能在洗东西。
- (2) 那个女人我们以为是她，结果却是她的姐姐。
- (3) 我知道我随时可以找你帮忙，这对我来说是个极大的安慰。(using an appositive clause)
- (4) 我们的缺点，不管是什么人，谁向我们指出都行。
- (5) 他不会游泳，就像我不会飞一样。

**7. Write an essay of no fewer than 300 words with "Cultivating Good Study Habits." You should not only try to use causal analysis and examples to develop your thesis but also try to demonstrate your good command of the English syntactic devices of coordination and subordination: (20%)**