

Final Exam

Lessons 1–10

Section I: Listening Comprehension (20%)

Part A

Directions: For each question in this part, you will hear a short exchange. Read the question and the four choices in your booklet, choose the one that correctly answers the question, and mark the corresponding letter on your answer sheet. (10 %)

1. How would you interpret the second speaker's response?
 - a. The second speaker agrees with the first speaker.
 - b. The second speaker wants the first speaker to repeat his/her words.
 - c. The second speaker is showing his/her modesty.
 - d. The second speaker is angry with the first speaker.
2. What does the second speaker think of the first speaker's shirt?
 - a. The color is not right, but the size is OK.
 - b. The color is OK, but the size is not right.
 - c. Both the color and the size are OK.
 - d. Both the color and the size are not right.
3. What color shoes does the second speaker like?
 - a. only black
 - b. only brown
 - c. both black and brown
 - d. neither black nor brown
4. What is the second speaker going to do?
 - a. He will stay at home.
 - b. He will wait for the first speaker.
 - c. He will find someone else.
 - d. He will go to the movie alone.
5. What does the second speaker think about yesterday's test?
 - a. He thinks the test was very easy.
 - b. He thinks the test was very difficult.
 - c. He thinks he did pretty well on the test.
 - d. He thinks he made too many mistakes on the test.
6. What does the second speaker mean?
 - a. He thinks Little Wang dances well, and he will practice dancing with her tomorrow.
 - b. He thinks Little Wang dances well, but she doesn't have time to practice tomorrow.
 - c. He thinks Little Wang dances poorly, and he will practice dancing with others.
 - d. He thinks Little Wang dances poorly, but she is the only one available tomorrow.
7. How much does the shirt cost?
 - a. \$20

- b. \$30
- c. \$40
- d. \$50

8. What does the second speaker want to do this Sunday?

- a. only play ball
- b. only study Chinese
- c. only listen to music
- d. listen to music, study Chinese, and play ball

9. At what time could the student go meet the teacher at school?

- a. 8:30
- b. 10:30
- c. 11:30
- d. 12:30

10. Who is the little boy?

- a. the man's son
- b. the man's younger brother
- c. the man's older brother's son
- d. the man's younger brother's son

Part B

Directions: In this part of the test, you will hear a conversation or message. After you listen to the conversation or message, read the questions and the options printed in your booklet; choose the best answer to each question and mark the corresponding letter on your answer sheet. (10%)

Questions 11–13 are based on the following conversation.

11. This conversation most likely takes place between

- a. a sister and a brother
- b. a mother and a son
- c. a teacher and a student
- d. a salesperson and a customer

12. What does the first speaker promise to the second speaker?

- a. He will not get sick again.
- b. He will never turn in his homework late.
- c. He will go to bed earlier.
- d. He will never give the second speaker trouble again.

13. What was the first speaker doing at 8:00 a.m. this morning?

- a. doing his computer homework
- b. doing his Chinese homework
- c. having his Chinese class
- d. sleeping

Questions 14–15 are based on the following conversation.

14. Why does 高文中 call 白英爱?

- a. to ask for help from 白英爱.
- b. to thank 白英爱 for telling him about the exam.

- c. to give 白英爱 information and offer his assistance.
- d. to teach 白英爱 how to surf the internet.

15. Which of the following statements is true?
- a. 白英爱 is not ready for tomorrow's exam yet.
 - b. 高文中 is going to help 白英爱 with the exam.
 - c. 白英爱 knows there is an exam tomorrow.
 - d. 白英爱 studied alone for the exam.

Questions 16–20 are based on the following voice message.

16. What is the purpose of this message?

- a. to make an appointment
- b. to give notice
- c. to ask for help
- d. to extend an invitation

17. How many times in total did 王朋 call 李友?

- a. one
- b. two
- c. three
- d. four

18. Whose birthday is this Saturday?

- a. Wang Peng
- b. Li You
- c. Little Bai
- d. Little Gao

19. What sequence of activities does 王朋 suggest for this Saturday?

- a. eating Chinese food, watching a movie, and chatting
- b. chatting, eating Chinese food, and watching a movie
- c. watching a movie, eating Chinese food, and chatting
- d. eating Chinese food, chatting, and watching a movie

20. What number does 王朋 want 李友 to call?

- a. 328-7496
- b. 328-5496
- c. 368-7496
- d. 368-5496

Section II: Grammar and Structure (40%)

Part A

Directions: For each question in this part, choose the appropriate place to insert the missing word in order to produce a meaningful and grammatically correct sentence. Mark the corresponding letter on your answer sheet. (20%)

1. 她是谁 A? 请 B 你给 C 我介绍 D。
一下

2. A 八点上课 B, 他 C 七点 D 来了。
就
3. A 我觉得 B 这一课的生词 C 多 D。
有点儿
4. 他跟 A 小高每天晚上 B 看 C 电视 D。
都
5. 他 A 到我家的时候, B 我和同学 C 喝咖啡 D。
正在
6. A 我和我妹妹 B 喜欢 C 看电影和 D 上网。
都
7. A 除了 B 看电视以外, 我 C 喜欢 D 看书。
还
8. A 这么晚了, B 你 C 怎么 D 来。
才
9. A 我的宿舍 B 很方便 C, D 不漂亮。
可是
10. 这本书 A 跟 B 那本书 C 一样 D。
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Part B

Directions: Fill in the blank in each sentence by selecting the correct answer from the four options.
Mark the corresponding letter on your answer sheet. (20%)

1. 我上个周末给我妈妈打电话了, 这个周末我要_____ 给她打电话。
A. 再
B. 只
C. 就
D. 都
2. 如果这双鞋大小合适的话, 我_____ 买了。
A. 就
B. 才
C. 还
D. 能
3. 我觉得汉语 _____ 难了。
A. 很
B. 真
C. 太
D. 那么
4. 王朋昨天买了一 _____ 衬衫。
A. 条
B. 件
C. 双

D.个

5. 我很忙，常常_____看书，_____吃饭。

- A. 一边 ... 一边
- B. 虽然 ... 可是
- C. 因为 ... 所以
- D. 除了 ... 以外

6. _____ 第十课的语法很难，_____ 我都懂了。

- A. 除了 ... 以外 ...
- B. 虽然 ... 但是 ...
- C. 因为 ... 所以 ...
- D. 一边 ... 一边 ...

7. _____ 我的听力不好，_____ 我常常听录音。

- A. 先 ... 再 ...
- B. 的时候 ... 正在 ...
- C. 因为 ... 所以 ...
- D. 除了 ... 以外 ...

8. 你想明天下午一点半_____ 两点来我家？

- A. 还是
- B. 还有
- C. 或者
- D. 都是

9. 我今天_____。

- A. 有点儿忙
- B. 忙有点儿
- C. 忙一点儿
- D. 一点儿忙

10. 你怎么_____ 高？

- A. 这么
- B. 什么
- C. 怎样
- D. 为什么

Section III: Reading Comprehension (20%)

Part A

True/ False Questions: Based on the information given in the following reading passages, answer the true/false questions below. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

Text 1

小高喜欢跟朋友一起打球、聊天、看电视，他不喜欢做功课，也不喜欢学习。可是因为他下星期要考试，所以这个星期他不打球，不看电视，也不跟朋友聊天了，一个人在家看书。他很早就起床，很晚才睡觉，所以他上课的时候常常想睡觉。

() 1. 小高喜欢跟朋友玩儿，也喜欢学习。

- () 2. 如果下星期不考试的话，小高不会学习。
() 3. 小高这个星期很忙，他睡觉的时间不多。

Text 2

小张今天很忙，除了上午三节课以外，他还有一个电脑考试。中午小张跟朋友一起吃饭，下午在图书馆看书、做功课，晚上在商店工作，十点钟才坐地铁回家吃饭。晚饭以后，他一边看电视，一边预习明天的功课，十二点半睡觉。

- () 4. 小张下午不在家，他在图书馆学习。
() 5. 小张吃晚饭以前在商店工作。
() 6. 小张看电视以后才预习明天的功课。

Part B

Multiple-Choice Questions: Based on the information given in the following reading passages, choose the most appropriate answer for questions 7 to 10. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

Text 3

李美是中国学生，现在在美国大学学英文。昨天下午她在图书馆做功课。她觉得英文生词太多，语法也不容易。一个美国男学生帮她复习生词和语法，所以她做功课做得很快。那个美国男生很帅，也很酷。今天李美想给他打电话，才知道没有问他的名字和电话。

7. Which of the following statements about Li Mei is true?
a. She is a Chinese student tutoring an American student in Chinese.
b. She is a Chinese student learning English in America.
c. She is an American student learning Chinese in China.
d. She is an American student tutoring a Chinese student in English.
8. Which of the following statements is true?
a. Li Mei has the man's phone number.
b. The man Li Mei met yesterday was a Chinese student.
c. We can assume that Li Mei likes the second speaker she met.
d. Li Mei completed her homework quickly because the grammar was easy.

Text 4

昨天我买了一双黑色的鞋。可是那双鞋太小了，所以我去换别的鞋。售货员告诉我，那样的鞋没有大号的，所以我换了一双咖啡色的。我虽然不喜欢咖啡色，可是那双鞋大小合适。售货员告诉我，那双咖啡色的鞋便宜一点儿，所以他找给我五块钱。

9. The narrator wanted to exchange the black shoes because of their:
a. color
b. price
c. size
d. style
10. Which of the following is NOT true of the brown shoes?
a. Their size is suitable.
b. Their color is one of the narrator's favorites.
c. They are cheaper than the black shoes.
d. They are larger than the black shoes.

Section IV: Writing (20%)

Directions: You will be asked to write two passages in Chinese. In each case, you will be asked to write for a specific purpose and to a specific person. You should write in as complete and as culturally appropriate a manner as possible. Write your responses on your answer sheet.

Task 1. E-mail Response

Read this e-mail from a friend and then write a response, answering all the questions.

发件人(From): 小白
收件人 (To): 小高
主题(Subject): 去中国玩?
日期 (Date): 十二月十八日

小高:

好久不见! 你最近怎么样? 学习忙吗? 中文课怎么样? 我觉得中文很难, 可是很有意思。你觉得呢? 因为我最近有四个考试, 所以这几个星期每天都在图书馆学习得很晚, 晚上十二点才回家。你呢, 最近忙吗? 有考试吗?

我寒假想去中国玩, 也想去学中文。我大姐在北京工作, 所以我可以去找她。你想不想跟我一起去? 如果你也能去, 那就太好了, 我们可以做很多有意思的事。你有空的时候, 请给我写信。新年快要到了, 祝你新年快乐!

小白

Task 2. Personal Letter

Imagine that you have received a letter from a pen pal at a Chinese sister school. The letter asks about your typical school day and your experience learning Chinese. Please write a letter in reply on your answer sheet, addressing your pen pal's questions. Your letter should be at least 150 characters long.

Name: _____ Section _____

Final Exam Answer Sheet
Lessons 1–10

Section I: Listening Comprehension (20%)

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| 1. () | 2. () | 3. () | 4. () |
| 5. () | 6. () | 7. () | 8. () |
| 9. () | 10. () | 11. () | 12. () |
| 13. () | 14. () | 15. () | 16. () |
| 17. () | 18. () | 19. () | 20. () |

Section II (40%)

Part A (20%)

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| 9. () | 10. () | | |

Part B (20%)

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Section III: Reading Comprehension (20%)

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| 1. () | 2. () | 3. () | 4. () |
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| 9. () | 10. () | | |

Section IV: Writing (20%)

1. _____

2. _____
