## Section B 阅读拓展

## 一、(郑州八中单元卷)完形填空。

How can we practice our spoken English?

The first and most important thing is to believe in 1. You should always be full of confidence, or you 2 be able to improve your English. You should often encourage yourself, "Come on, don't be afraid!"

You should never lose heart and never give up. Maybe you are afraid of losing face, but you should think since we are students and we're \_\_3\_\_, there's no need to worry \_\_4\_\_ anything. You must always be active in practice. It's no problem that your pronunciation and intonation (语调) won't be as good a native speaker because we are Chinese, and

we haven't had the chance to live in foreign countries and talk with the people there 6. But you must know that the main way to study English is to make ourselves understood and 7 other people. You should believe that native speakers will not laugh at you. 8 they will encourage you. So if you are brave enough, you'll certainly make rapid progress in your 9 English. 10 be shy or afraid! Just try your best.

1. A. itself B. yourself

> C. themselves D. myself

)2. A. can't never B. are never

> C. will D. will never

)3. A. learning B. saying

C. students D. teaching

)4. A. / C. about D. for B. to )5. A. so B. with C. as D. that )6. A. for some time B. sometime C. sometimes D. all the time 7. A. to be understood B. understand C. understood D. understanding )8. A. So B. Instead C. Or D. Nor 9. A. speaking B. speech C. spoken D. spoke )10. A. Don't B. Not C. No D. Do 二、阅读理解。

Most of us should find 15 minutes or half an hour each day for learning English. It may be a free period or a regular wait. For example, when you are waiting for a bus or a meal even while eating break-

fast. One famous physician always made it rule to spend at least 15 minutes on general reading before he went to sleep each night, whether he went to bed at 10:00 p. m. or 2:30 a. m. It is a good idea to make sure you always have an interesting book in your pocket. Don't forget it should be a book which entertains(娱乐) you and the language should not be too difficult for you.

( )1. The writer advises learning English \_\_\_\_\_\_a day.

A. two hours

B. one hour

C. a quarter or half an hour

D. three hours

( )2. We can carry a book with us to read, such
as
A. a book we will never forget
B. a serious book
C. a book about movies
D. an easy book that we like
( ) 3. The underlined word "period" in the pas-
sage means " in Chinese.
A. 次数 B. 日期
C. 一段时间 D. 时代
( )4. The main idea of the passage is how to
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A. find time to learn English
B. do English reading practice
C. learn physics

## D. read before going to sleep

三、(兰州市中考)任务一 用方框中所给单词的适当 形式完成短文。

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difference, fill, agree, be, once, shake, beautiful, have, by, leave
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Once upon a time, there lived a teacher in a small town. He often taught his students in special ways.

he sent four of his students to go to a small farm to see apple trees in 2. seasons. The first student went in winter, the second in spring, the third in summer, and the last in autumn.

After the four students came back, the teacher

called them together. Then pictured(描述) their feel-
ing to the teacher. The first student said that there
were no 3. on the trees. It made him very
disappointed. The second student said his eyes were
4. of light green. It made him feel hopeful.
The third one 5 "What are you talk-
ing about? How pretty the trees were! The sweet
smell of the beautiful flowers spread(传播) here and
there." The last one 6. his head. He only
saw a lot of apples on the beautiful trees.
The teacher smiled and told his students none of

The teacher smiled and told his students none of them 7. \_\_\_\_ wrong. They each just saw one season.

He continued, "The trees are not the same in different seasons. You can't judge(判断) a tree 8.

only one season. Don't let the regret of one season destroy the 9. of the rest."

Everything 10. \_\_\_\_ different sides in our life. Don't hurry to make a conclusion(结论) before seeing the whole of it.

## 任务二 根据短文内容,判断句子正(T)误(F)。

- ( )1. Four students were sent to see apples in different seasons.
- ( )2. The first student left for the small farm in winter.
- ( )3. The last student saw the beautiful trees with many apples.
- ( )4. The teacher thought his four students were completely wrong.
- ( )5. The passage mainly tells us that we should judge things by only one side.