Unit 1 Passage 1：

This summer, Wen Jiayi, a 14-year-old student from Yucai Middle School Attached to Chengdu No.7 High School, worked at the Wolong China Giant Panda Garden in Sichuan. During her time as a 1.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (voluntary), Wen had the opportunity to work with a panda 2.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (call) Jingke.

Before starting her work, Wen had to ask for 3.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (permit) to join the program, which is organized by the garden. The Garden makes each person 4.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(work) for a minimum of one day. Wen found the experience of working as a volunteer both 5.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (joy) and inspiring.

Wen learned that collecting feces (粪便) was important as it helps to analyze what the pandas have been eating and also check for 6.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (ill). The keepers use this information to ensure the pandas are healthy.

The program allowed Wen 7.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (contact) with a panda, Jingke, and learn more about the importance of caring for these endangered animals. By 8.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (offer) her services, Wen was able to contribute to these animals 9.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that they can continue to raise the 10.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (spirit) of people around the world.

Unit 1 Passage 2：

Hinichijou, a new cafe on Shanghai's Yongkang Road, is very popular these days. The cafe has only a wall with a hole in it. Customers can simply scan a QR code (二维码) to pay1.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their orders and receive their coffee from the fluffy (毛茸茸的) bear paw. One customer said that the coffee handed by a cute and fluffy paw was so warm.

However, what makes this cafe special is that it also provides jobs for the people with hearing or speaking disabilities. According to Wang Haiqing, the cafe's co-founder (联合创始人), he tried 2.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (express) his hope that more businesses like Hinichijou will take part 3.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ providing jobs for the people 4.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (need).

There are 5.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (million) of people who face 7.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (difficult) in finding work because 8.\_\_\_\_\_\_ their disabilities. Hence(因此), it's necessary 9.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (ensure) equal work opportunities for everyone. As Hinichijou 10.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (continue) to support the disabled community, it shows an example for other businesses to pay attention to and follow.

Unit 1 Passage 3：

Mental illness is a 1.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (grow) concern among children and teenagers in China. As People's Daily, around 30 million Chinese under the age of 17 have experienced mental illnesses such as ADHD (多动症), depression (抑郁症), and self-harm. It will be one of the five leading causes of disability and 2.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (die) in children.

However, only about 20 percent of children with mental illnesses receive proper treatment. This may cause 3.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (hurt) for children both in the short term and 4.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the future. To ensure a 5.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (peace) tomorrow, it is essential to provide professional support.

Liu Huaqing, head of the psychology department (心理科) at Beijing Huilongguan Hospital, notes that enhanced social awareness(加强的社会意识) is necessary in order 6.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ fight the mental illness. 7.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(find) treatment in the hospital or close 8.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ home can be an important step for children with mental health issues.

If you or someone you know is suffering 9.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ mental illness, it's essential to seek help. Don't be afraid of10.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (give) a hand to yourself or others. Parents and teachers can help you get the professional treatment you need. Help is out there.

Unit 2 Passage 1：

The 1.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (communicate) of emotions through facial 2.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (express) is impressive. A smile from a teacher can make you feel 3.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (encourage), while a frown (皱眉) from your mother 4.\_\_\_\_\_ (mean) anger. In both cases, emotions are communicated through the 5.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (appear) instead 6.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ words.

According 7.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the research of the University of California, Los Angeles, in most conversations, over 93 percent of the communicating is done without 8.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (speak). If people can read faces, they may be better at 9.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (know) other people’s feelings. Different faces can remind us of certain emotions such 10.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ worry or anger, surprise, and joy. However, there are certain taboos (禁忌) to keep in mind when reading face. It is not polite to stare at someone while trying to read their thoughts as this may be rude.

Unit 2 Passage 2：

The 1.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (late) trend (趋势) in city planning is the introduction of "scramble crossings" (全向十字路口), which have a great 2.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (mean) for pedestrian (行人) safety. At a scramble crossing, when the traffic light at a four-way crossing turns green, all cars stop and pedestrians can walk in any 3.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (direct) they like. Beijing had its first scramble crossing in 2018, and more cities around the world are 4.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (set) up their own scramble crossings to help pedestrians cross the street more quickly and 5.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (safe). People don't need to look down 6.\_\_\_\_\_\_ their phones while they are7.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (cross) the street anymore. It's also a more 8.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (friend) way for people with disabilities who may need more time to cross the road. You might just be interested 9.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the unique experience of 10.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (try) this kind of crossing.

Unit 2 Passage 3：

As in China, the relationship between a kid's parents and his or her school is very close in 1.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (west) countries, and it is 2.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (accept) as the key 3.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a child's successful education. Parents are asked to be 4.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (close) involved in their child's education

Parents go to school to meet with teachers usually twice a semester. They sit up with each other and have a talk about 5.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the kid is doing with their math or science. If a child is 6.\_\_\_\_\_\_ (bore) and not working hard, there will 7.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (sure) be trouble for them. But if a child is working hard but having problems, then parents and teachers will try 8.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (find) a way to help the kid out.

Parents go to school at other times as well. For example, they come to see their children compete on Sports Day. Sports Day is like a miniature(微型) Olympic Games 9.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (take) place once a year. Schools will also put on a play which kids act in, often at Christmas or on some other festivals. The proud parents look forward to 10.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(see) their young ones' first steps in acting.

Unit 3 Passage 1：

If you're interested 1.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ both the ocean and playing video games, then ABZU is an 2.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (attract) choice. The game's 3.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (describe) is from old Sumerian (苏美尔人的) stories where "Ab" means ocean and "zu" means to know. 4.\_\_\_\_\_\_ (develop) by Giant Squid, a US company, this video game puts players in the role of a 5.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (dive) who explores the underwater world.

Players can enjoy 6.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (work) their way through the game by traveling around the seas, swimming with fish, and waking up 7.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (love) sea animals such as turtles. If they are 8.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (luck) enough, they will wake up more wildlife and make the waters 9.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (rich) with life.

Further into the game, players will discover broken underwater robots and they can use them 10.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (find) underwater temples (庙宇) which hold the key to the main story of the game. Although ABZU is a short adventure, many people believe it will be an amazing experience.

Unit 3 Passage 2：

Every year at the end of October, children in the US and Canada start to get 1.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (excite). They are looking forward 2.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Halloween – a scary but fun night on October 31.

Halloween is a festival of “monsters”. 3.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ dark, kids wear scary clothes and get ready 4.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the festival. They set 5.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to knock on the doors of their neighborhoods. When a person comes to the door, they say loudly: “Trick or treat!” Those who are good 6.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ giving out treats are greatly welcomed, while those 7.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (luck) enough to not have any treats may find themselves the victims(受害者) of a trick.

One of the most popular Halloween traditions is making pumpkin lanterns (南瓜灯) with monster faces. The face is 8.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (simple) done by cutting a big hole in a pumpkin and then carving (雕刻) out two eyes, a nose, and a mouth. Finally, a candle is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (put) inside it to make the pumpkin look scary.

Children like the excitement of dressing up and receiving candy while their parents 10.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (require) to watch their young ones as they go trick-or-treating.

Unit 3 Passage 3：

Nowadays, not only adults but also more children ask for help from meditation (冥想) 1.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (practise). Meditation is a 2.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (health) way to stop us 3.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ feeling depressed(沮丧的) and 4.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (ready). Here are some simple examples for kids.

On nice days, find a piece 5.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ grass outside, lie down and look up at the sky. As you watch the clouds 6.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (move) through the sky, your mind will become clear and free.

Fill a bottle with water. The bottle of water stands for our mind. Then add red and blue sand to it. Red stands for the 7.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (think), while blue stands for the 8.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (feel). Now shake the bottle and make the sand swirl (旋动) up 9.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ down. Finally, our mind will settle down just like the sand.

Sit comfortably, close your eyes and hold a bell or anything that makes a simple sound in your hands. Ring the bell and feel the sound as it 10.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (reach) your ears. When the sound stops, open your eyes and focus on your mind. You will find relaxation and peace through it.

Unit 4 Passage 1：

Emilia Clarke is an English 1.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (act) best known for her role as Daenerys the “Mother of Dragons” in Game of Thrones. However, behind her fame (名声), she faced a/an 2.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (please) problem that nearly 3.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (take) her life.

In 2011, while getting ready 4.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Game of Thrones, Emilia got very bad headaches. After seeing a doctor and having some tests, she received a 5.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (warn) that she had an aneurysm (动脉瘤) in her brain. She needed urgent surgery (紧急手术), which made her so afraid. The surgery was 6.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (success), but the recovery (恢复) was difficult. Emilia found it hard 7.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (remember) things and speak properly.

Although she had some serious problems, Emilia kept working on Game of Thrones and finished the series. She became famous 8.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her role and set up a charity (慈善机构) to help others 9.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ brain problems like her.

Sometimes bad things happen, but it's important to think 10.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ how to live through them. Emilia’s bravery has encouraged many people, and she continues to help others.

Unit 4 Passage 2：

Do you often listen to music at loud volumes? You should know that this habit is bad 1.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your hearing, according 2.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the World Health Organization (WHO). Over 1 billion young people are at risk of hearing loss because 3.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ listening to loud noise for a long time, said WHO. Listening to a 4.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (record) or watching a TV show at loud volumes can harm your hearing.

5.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (basic), there are about 16,000 hair cells (听毛细胞) in our inner ears. Loud noise can make these cells work too hard and die. This is the 6.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (detail) explanation for the hearing loss.

Some people think that their music is not too loud. But the volume of your music can seem different 7.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ what it actually is, depending 8.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ where you are. For example, if you are in a noisy place, you might turn up your music 9.\_\_\_\_\_\_ (match) the noise level around you.

WHO said the “safe level” for most sound is below 80 decibels (分贝) for up to 40 hours a week. A level of 80 decibels is 10.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (rough) equal to a subway.

Unit 4 Passage 3：

If you're trying to decide 1.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a sport that is both competitive and social, frisbee (飞盘) might be the perfect 2.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (choose). According to research by 36KR, this sport now beats skateboarding, cycling, and other sports and appears 3.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (be) one of the most popular sports among young people - about 60 percent of people surveyed (被调查的) expressing an interest 4.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ making new friends through the game.

Frisbee is a very social game. Men and women can play the sport 5.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (separate) or together without body contact, making it accessible to everyone. For those who want to play 6.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ others, there are also many options. They can try the team disc sport 7.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (call) “disc golf”, players try to hit far targets with a disc. Unlike some games, frisbee 8.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (courage) honesty and fair play with no judges.

Now, this sport can be seen in many cities around the country. Playing frisbee is a great 9.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (please) because it puts the social fun and the competition together to make an 10.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(impress) experience.

Unit 5 Passage 1：

Clowns play 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ important role in bringing joy and happiness to many people. One 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(organize), called Clowns Without Borders, worked on this task. They send clowns to provide free 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(show) for refugees(难民) worldwide, including 4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(Asia) children, because the refugee population were facing 5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(danger) situations.

Established in 1993, this organization has 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(bring) laughter to 7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(hundred) and thousands of refugees, particularly children, as reported by NPR. It 8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(weight) heavily in helping refugees forget their troubles and sadness for a moment.

The organization's efforts go beyond entertainment. The clowns bring a smile to the refugee’s faces even if only for a short time, and it is 9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(true) great for them 10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(spread) laughter for these people.

Unit 5 Passage 2：

On October 27, all my roommates and I attended a bone marrow donation(骨髓捐赠) program. In the morning we did a blood test, the 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(center) step for marrow donation.

We want to donate marrow to a young soldier close 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_our hearts. He is battling leukemia(白血病) and could die 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ it if he doesn't get treatment soon. Even a small amount of matched marrow can save his life. As college students, we felt it was our 4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(obligate) to take action for him. We also want to save babies who have leukemia 5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ birth.

6.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, when we told other people that we wanted to donate our marrow, they thought we were crazy. They thought that donating marrow would damage our health. They believed that marrow donation would weigh(有影响) 7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(heavy) on our health.

This is a commonly held misunderstanding about marrow donation. But in fact, it does not harm 8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（one） health at all. The small amount of marrow donated will be recovered in a short time.

To encourage more individuals to volunteer, we must spread medical knowledge about marrow donation. By doing so, we can help dispel（消除） concerns and make people realize that they are able enough 9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(contribute) in such a meaningful way on 10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(they) own.

Unit 5 Passage 3：

Have you heard about the snow leopard(雪豹)? It's a big wild cat that can jump as much 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 15 meters. Snow leopards live 2.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the high mountains of 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(center) Asia, where they display surprising 4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(behave).

In 1986, the International Union for the Conservation of Nature (IUCN,世界自然保护联盟) listed the snow leopard as a/an "5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(endanger) animal" on its Red List. There were fewer and fewer of the cats in 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ wild. Some people used to kill them 7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their beautiful fur or to keep them away 8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ farm animals.

Fortunately, after lots of effort, there is some good news. On Sept 14, the IUCN reclassified（重新分类） the snow leopard as "vulnerable（易危的）." They reported that in some areas, snow leopards are living well, and their population is increasing.

However, the IUCN notes that the number of snow leopards 9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(be) still declining(降低). This is why they need our help. It is our responsibility 10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(prevent) their endangerment and protect them for the future.

Unit 6 Passage 1：

Alex Westgate, a 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（responsibility） 14-year-old from the UK, celebrated his birthday on December 9 by achieving a/an 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(common) feat（壮举）. On this special day, he became the world's 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（young） glider pilot(滑翔机飞行员), showed his passion for flying. He said, “There is no one else in the world who flies 4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（fast）than me.”

Since March, Alex has been spending his free time 5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（learn） how to fly gliders. Guided by his father, Guy Westgate, a pilot, and instructor, Alex has been 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（feed） knowledge and skills directly from his experienced dad.

Finally, on his birthday, Alex took to the sky alone for the first time. His flight was a remarkable success, as he showed responsibility and 7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（faithful） in his abilities.

"Being up in the air all by myself felt amazing," Alex shared. "I constantly spoke to myself to make sure everything was perfect and that I could land 8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（safe）."

Alex's achievement is a testament(证明) to his 9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（choose） path and the supportive environment that 10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（lie）in his family.

Unit 6 Passage 2：

American teenagers, like students all over the world, often 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（complaint） about having too much homework. However, a study showed a surprising truth: American students do not have enough homework. On average, they spend just 20 minutes on homework 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（day）. Just one-third of students aged 13 to 17 spend an hour or more on homework each day.

The reasons 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ this lie in the education system and the 4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（choose） made by educators. Some think that more homework would burden(带来负担) students. 5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, experts(专家) suggest that increased homework could improve students’ grades and better prepare students 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_college and careers.

Despite the debate, American students have no choice but 7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（complete） their homework. With such little time on homework, many students cannot 8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（full）take part in their subjects and understand them well.

The present state(状况) of homework in America causes concerns. While less homework allows for extracurricular activities（课外活动）, a large number of students 9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（have）no homework at home 10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（near）. Without necessary academic challenges, they have a risk of intellectual stagnation(停滞). This situation needs attention as neglecting the future of American education would be a terrible mistake.

Unit 6 Passage 3：

These days, many Chinese students follow a busy schedule. They often study from 9 am to 9 pm. According 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ China Youth Daily, 61.7 percent of 1,876 parents expressed their concerns that their children cannot get enough sleep and often doze off(打瞌睡) during classes.

These parents 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(strong) believe that not getting enough sleep can harm their children's school performance and well-being. About 73 percent of the parents surveyed want their kids to have a more 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（reason） timetable.

To solve these problems, it is crucial to create a new schedule that allows enough time for rest. Reduce 4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（noisy）and stress(压力) to help students focus better. Parents and teachers should emphasize（强调） the 5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（believe）that getting enough sleep is necessary for doing well in school and staying healthy.

Sun Hongyan said it is important to care 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_students' sleep patterns and pay attention 7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（complaint） their sleep hygiene. By doing so, we can ensure that students keep on 8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（learn） effectively and prevent them from 9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（sleep） during class. We must keep student from being overwhelmed(压垮) or 10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（scare） by their busy schedules. Instead, we should put their physical and mental health in the first place, as it helps them succeed in their education.

Unit 7 Passage 1：

In a small town, a curious boy Max discovers a/an 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(known) object in his attic. The object has blinking lights and strange buttons. Max watched it 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ fear but he curiously presses a button on it, and a gate appears. Max steps through and enters a future city with floating cars and robots. What a thrilling 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(discover)!

Max meets aliens in desperate(急切的) need. Facing a 4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(terrible) serious threat, they seek a hero. Despite the fear, Max refuses 5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(stand) by. He agrees 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the poor people’s idea – they should not give up.

With newfound courage, Max sets out to find 7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ solution. Along the way, he makes friends with others and learns about teamwork. He thinks the journey is a/an 8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(please) and exciting adventure.

Max's determination saves the alien planet from damage. Returning home, his life does not change, but his story 9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(spread) to the alien world. Others mention the story 10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their children and grandchildren….

Unit 7 Passage 2：



In the picture, the students are not fighting with the policeman; they are having a kung fu class. These students, 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ attend Nanya Middle School in Changsha, Hunan, are learning valuable self-defense(自卫的) techniques. The local policeman is showing 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to effectively escape from mobsters(歹徒) and handle dangerous situations with 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（knife）.

It is a 4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(please) to watch the 5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(creature) and active way that was taken by the Changsha Police Station. They have reached a/an 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (agree) with the schools to provide specialized training to students, equipping them with 7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ skills to protect themselves. This action is worth a recommendation, as it helps alleviate（缓解） the 8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(fear) atmosphere caused by potential encounters with mobsters.

The Changsha Police Station is known 9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ its promise to student safety. They are praised for their efforts in safeguarding the well-being of students. By teaching these essential skills and knowledge, they make the students stronger and make sure they are 10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(prepare) and confident when faced with uncertain situations.

Unit 7 Passage 3：

Growing up in Australia and China has both similarities and differences. When I was 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ child in Gympie, a small town on the east coast of Queensland, I 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(wake) up at 7 am and went 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ soon as possible for school. Weet-Bix was my favorite cereal(麦片) because 4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ its delicious taste.

Besides playing sports, I also played the saxophone. Sometimes, I had band practice before class and wondered 5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to do next. I was satisfied 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ English and PE at school. During lunch breaks, my friends and I played tag or handball, not being 7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(fright) of any challenges.

School ended at 3 pm, and I would rush to sports training. My teacher would give me some 8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(explain) for doing sports. In summer, I played cricket, 9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in winter, I enjoyed hockey. Sometimes, I even played tennis!

By the time I reached home, it was already late 10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ night. My mother or father cooked dinner, and then I did my homework and read a book. Being aware of time, I always went to sleep before 9 pm.

Gympie was a great place to grow up!

Unit 8 Passage 1：

Yesterday you had a fight with your best friend while you 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (play) computer games. You are both angry 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ shamed. However, it is important 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(apology), even in situations where you fight with friends. Though difficult, it's a 4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(recommend) to say sorry rather than make the bad feelings longer. Regardless of your friend's wrongdoings, an apology brings 5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(satisfy) comfort and allows you to let go. Through apology, you show maturity(成熟) and take 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(responsible) for your actions. It's important to be connected 7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the moment in 8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ present and recognize the value of the agreement. Don't hesitate to say sorry and work towards peace, even 9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you are feeling anger or dislike. Taking this step will 10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（certain） benefit both of you.

Unit 8 Passage 2：

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ present, leisure time is 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（wide） enjoyed through 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(electricity) means. After a busy day, people often relax by watching TV shows or playing video games online. A 4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(recently) report showed that the average daily online leisure time for Chinese individuals has increased to 4.9 hours. Those born in the 1970s or 1980s spent one to three hours on 5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(relax), 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ those born in the 2000s spent five to eight hours engaging in leisure activities.

The report also highlighted(强调) the quick growth of live streaming, which can be seen as a new type of entertainment. This trend 7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(influence) by the need for "safe" entertainment choices during the COVID-19 pandemic in 2020. As of March 2020, live streaming attracted 560 million viewers, accounting for 62 percent of all Chinese users 8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the internet.

These online activities have become a popular means of entertainment, and people often write 9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their experiences and thoughts through 10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(post).

Unit 8 Passage 3：

Who says the British only have fish and chips? Beef Wellington is a dish that they can 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(true) be proud of.

Beef Wellington is a 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(mix) of special flavors. Its origins are 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_（connect） to the first Duke(公爵) of Wellington, who famously defeated（打败） Napoleon in the Battle of Waterloo. The 4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(prepare) of Beef Wellington requires the finest ingredients(原料).

In this dish, a good cut of beef is mixed 5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a fine combination(组合) of mushroom sauce and foie gras（鹅肝酱）. It is then wrapped in a layer of ham and pastry, before being glazed with egg yolk. The result is a golden-yellow crust that covers a tender and juicy inside.

The art of 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(create) Beef Wellington involves(包括) the skillful combination of various elements. It 7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(wide) the horizons of delicious food, offering a delightful experience for food lovers. If you are 8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(certain) about what to prepare 9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a special festival, you can try to make Beef Wellington—a perfect dish for you to find 10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ excuse to indulge (放纵) in cooking pleasure.

