

2021-2022年高二上学期第一次月考英语题免费试卷（福建省莆田第一中学）

1. 阅读理解

When I was a boy there were no smart phones, and our television or only got one channel clearly. Still, I was never bored. The fields, hills, and woodlands around my home were the perfect playground. I can remember once hiking to a nearby lake. At the backside of it I was amazed to find an old dirt road that I had never seen before. It was full of muddy tracks and deep woods bordered it on both sides, but exploring it still seemed like a fine adventure.

I walked on and on for hours. I was sure my guardian angel was whispering in my ear "Turn around and head back home", but I was stubborn, so I walked on. There was still neither a car nor a house in sight. I noticed that the sun was starting to go down and I grew scared. I didn't want to end up trapped on this road, and I was worried that it would be dark before I could make my way back to the lake again.

I continued to walk on with something growing inside of me. My heart was pounding and my legs were aching. I was almost in tears when I turned one last curve and saw something in the distance. It was a house that I recognized. I jumped up and down and laughed out loud. It was still over a mile away, but my legs felt like feathers and I hurried back to my house in no time. I walked in with a big smile on my face just in time for dinner.

I remembered this recently when I saw a sign that said "All roads lead home." It is true. In life, all roads, no matter how they twist and turn, can lead us home again. What is important, though, is how we travel them. Are we going to go forth in fear or are we going to go forth in faith? Are we going to make this life a terrible trip or are we going to make this life a joyful journey? The choice is ours.

【1】 Why did the author hardly feel bored when he was young?

- A. Because he could have fun in nature. B. Because he could watch TV all day.
C. Because he had many friends. D. Because he used to explore the old dirt road.

【2】 How did the author feel when he was exploring the dirt road?

- A. He thought he would be scolded by his parents. B. He felt contradictory in mind.
C. He thought he would be trapped in the woods. D. He was unconscious.

【3】 What does the author mainly intend to tell us?

- A. Always make choices on our own. B. All roads lead home.
C. It's our attitude that matters in our life. D. Every effort is worthwhile.

2. 阅读理解

"What kind of rubbish are you?" This question might normally cause anger, but in Shanghai it has brought about complains over the past week. On July 1st, the city introduced strict trash-sorting regulations (规则) that are expected to be used as a model for our country. Residents must divide their waste into four separate categories and toss (扔) it into specific public bins. They must do so at scheduled times, when monitors are present to ensure compliance (服从) and to inquire into the nature of one's rubbish.

Violators face the possibility of fines and worse. They could be hit with fines of up to 200 yuan (\$29). For repeat violators, the city can add black marks to their credit records, making it harder for them to obtain bank loans or even buy train tickets.

Shanghai authorities are responding to an obvious environmental problem. It generates 9 million tonnes of garbage a year, more than London's annual output and rising quickly. But like other cities in China, it lacks a recycling system. Instead, it has relied on trash pickers to examine carefully through the waste,