

2022广西高二上学期人教版高中英语月考试卷

1.

Popular music in America is what every student likes. Students carry small radios with earphones and listen to music before class, after class, and at lunch. Students with cars buy large speakers and play the music loudly as they drive on the street.

Adult drivers listen to music on the car radio as they drive to work. They also listen to the news about sports, the weather, and the life of American people. Most of the radio programmes are music.

Pop or popular music singers make much money. They make a CD or tape which radio stations use in many places. Once the popular singer is heard all over the country, young people buy his or her tape.

Some of the money from these tapes goes to the singer. Wherever the singer goes, all the young people want to meet him or her. Now the singer has become a national star.

There are other kinds of music that are important to Americans. One is called folk (民间) music. It tells stories about the common life of Americans. Another is called western or country music. This was started by cowboys (牛仔) who would sing at night to the cows they were watching. Today, any music about country life and the love between a country boy and his girl is called western or country music.

21. When pop singers _____, they will become national stars.
- A. make much money B. make a CD or tape
C. are loved by all the young people D. are wanted to sing on the radio
22. From the passage we know that country music is about the _____.
A. common life of Americans B. country life and love stories
C. life of cowboys D. school life in America
23. Which of the following is TRUE according to this passage?
A. Most students in America like popular music.
B. Students with cars in America like to listen to music while driving.
C. Adult drivers in America listen to music all the time while driving.
D. Everyone in America wants to meet pop singers wherever they go.
24. What would be the best title (标题) for this passage?
A. American Music B. Popular Music
C. History of Music D. Western Music

2.

Since smoking is considered (认为) to be very dangerous to the health, it is especially difficult for children to buy cigarettes (香烟). Our shopkeeper, Mr. Soames, has always been careful about this. If his customers (顾客) are very young, he always asks them whom the cigarettes are for.

One day a little girl walked into his shop and asked twenty cigarettes. She had the exact amount of money in her hand and seemed very sure of herself. Mr Soames was so surprised by her confident (充满自信的) manner that he forgot to ask his usual questions. He asked her what kind of cigarettes she wanted. The girl replied quickly and handed him the money. While he was giving her the cigarettes, Mr