

英语参考答案及听力材料

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1—5 BCAAC 6—10 CABCA 11—15 CBAAB
16—20 BBCBA 21—25 DABBD 26—30 CBBBB
31—35 AACCB 36—40 CDCAB 41—45 ADADC
46—50 ACBCD 51—55 ACBBD 56—60 ABBDA
61—65 CAAAD

66. official 67. actually 68. series 69. has suffered
70. teenagers 71. curtains 72. Germans 73. based
74. accent 75. latter 76. have 后加 been
77. concerning 改成 concerned 78. up 改为 out
79. 去掉 was 80. warning 改成 warned 81. more 改为 rather
82. has 改成 had 83. attend 后加 to
84. sense 后加 of 85. 去掉 to

One possible version:

Today our class went to the Xishan Park to do some cleaning. Early in the morning, we start out together. As soon as we got there, we began to work. First, we collected the rubbish near the river bank and in the woods. Then we put up some signs to tell people not to destroy the beauty of the nature. At the same time, some of us stood by the roadside, explaining the importance of protecting the environment. Having finished the whole work, we said goodbye to the workers there and went back home.

Though it was a tiring job, we think it is worth doing.

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1—5 CACCA 6—10 BAAAB 11—15 BCBBC
16—20 CBBAC 21—25 ADABC 26—30 DBABC
31—35 DADBD 36—40 ABBCB 41—45 DABCB
46—50 CBCAB 51—55 ADCDA 56—60 CBBDB
61—65 DADCB

66. altitude 67. more reliable 68. persuading 69. stubborn
70. Judging 71. congratulations 72. electricity
73. sincerely 74. graduating 或者 graduation 75. breathe
76. 去掉 despite 后的 of 77. down 改为 out
78. has 改成 was 79. 去掉 a
80. hers 改为 her 81. 去掉 he 82. her 改为 them
83. took 改为 take 84. because 加 of
85. across 改成 about

Dear Li Ming,

I am glad that you want to study English well in the senior high school. I am writing to share some advice with you.

First of all, if I were you, I would choose to read the new words loudly as possible as I can. Usually the pronunciations of the words have something to do with the spellings of the words. The more you read them, the better you will remember

them. Besides, practice makes perfect. In my opinion, such as English newspaper it would be more beneficial if you could read more English in your daily time. By doing so, you will know the meanings of new words naturally.

I hope you will find these suggestions useful. Looking forward to your good news.

Best wishes.

Yours,
Li Hua

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1—5 CBAAB 6—10 ACCCC
11—15 CBCCC 16—20 BBCCA
21—25 CDCCC 26—30 ADDAB
31—35 CBABB 36—40 ABACD
41—45 CDBBC 46—50 BDCBA
51—55 CBDDB 56—60 BAACD
61—65 BDDAC

66. organized 67. were buried 68. quality 69. equal
70. cruelty 71. period 72. Dynasty 73. exploded
74. survivors 75. decorated 76. are 改成 is
77. determining 改成 determined 78. matters 改为 matter
79. than 后加 that 80. 去掉 been 81. it 改成 one
82. along 后加 with 83. water 改为 watering
84. silently 改为 silent 85. 去掉 a

Dear Li Ming,

I am glad that you will study in the senior high school. Now I would like to give you some suggestions on how to adapt to the life there quickly.

First of all, it would be better if you could learn to be independent. And meanwhile it is very important to get along well with your teachers and classmates. Above all, you must develop a good habit of study, which will benefit you all your life. Finally, to keep fit, you should have a balanced diet and take enough exercise, which will give you enough energy to study.

I hope these suggestions are helpful and I am looking forward to your good news.

Yours,
WangLin

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1—5 ABCBA 6—10 BCABC 11—15 BCACA
16—20 CCABB 21—25 DCADA 26—30 DAACB
31—35 CBBDD 36—40 BACBD 41—45 BACBD
46—50 ACDAD 51—55DCCAC 56—60 DCABD
61—65 CDBCA

66. honesty 67. relation 68. has admitted
69. Competition 70. birth 71. analyze 72. create
73. is advertised 74. magical 75. Stadium
76. were 改成 was 77. 去掉 of 78. in 改为 into
79. bad 前加 of 80. what 改成 that 81. heard 前加 had
82. takes 改成 took 83. which 改为 that 84. 去掉 he
85. anybody 改为 somebody

One possible version:

Should students make friends online? Some people say yes. The Internet helps make many friends. By chatting online, students can express their feelings and opinions more freely and even get help with their foreign language studies.

Others, however, think students should not make friends online. They say making friends online is a waste of time, which should be spent more meaningfully on study. Besides, some students get cheated online.

It is my opinion that students should place study, health and safety before other things. As for friendship, we can readily find it among our classmates and other people around us.

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1—5 BBCCC 6—10 ABCAC 11—15 BAAAB
16—20 ABCCA 21—25 BACAC 26—30 BCDAB
31—35 DADDC 36—40 BCABB 41—45 CDCBD
46—50 BACDB 51—55 DABCA 56—60 CDCAD
61—65 ABCDB

66. Reserve 67. wildlife 68. calculated 69. Bitten
70. form 71. sort (out) 72. extra 73. directions
74. independent 75. European 76. whisper 后加 that
77. because 改成 that 78. so 改为 neither/nor
79. sooner 后加 had 80. Such 改为 So
81. belongs 改成 belonging 82. 第一个 to 划掉
83. by 改为 at 84. work 改成 working 85. tell 改为 telling

With the rapid development of our country's economy, more and more cars are coming into common families, which causes serious traffic jams, environmental pollution as well as loss of economy.

Some places have taken some measures to improve it as follows: First of all, restrict the amount of car-buying, and meanwhile raise the expenses of owning private cars. In addition, the governments develop the reasonable traffic systems of their own cities.

I think the government should encourage the public to use more green vehicles. In a word, the traffic jams have increasingly affected aspects of social life. Therefore, we must spare no effort to solve this problem to keep up our country's economy rising.

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1—5 CABCC 6—10 ABACA 11—15 BAABA
16—20 BCBCB 21—25 ACBCB 26—30 BBBDC
31—35 BDCBB 36—40 DBCBA 41—45 DDACC
46—50 CADBA 51—55 DBCDA 56—60 DCBBB

61—65 CDACB
66. balanced 67. lied 68. curiously 69. energetic
70. agricultural 71. apologised/apologized
72. unbelievable 73. manners 74. contrary
75. is floating 76. 去掉 been 77. good 前加 a
78. up 改为 off 79. Each 改成 Every
80. tying 改为 tied 81. carried 改为 carrying
82. want 改为 wants 83. 去掉 a 84. were 改成 was
85. who 改为 whoever

One possible version:

March 13th, 2015

Dear Li Ming,

I am studying in Toronto University in Canada. Here I have a problem. It troubles me so much that I can't bear it any more, so I'm writing to ask you for help.

Tom, who is one of my roommates, never pays any attention to sanitation. He leaves his things everywhere. As he likes music, he often plays music loudly while others are having a rest. What's worse, he often brings some of his friends to our room to have a drink, talking and laughing so loudly that we can't have a good rest. Besides, he is always using others' things without permission. You can't imagine!

I have no idea what to do next. I am looking forward to your advice.

Yours,
Zhang Hua

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1—5 BACBC 6—10 ABABC 11—15 ACABA
16—20 ACBBA 21—25 CBACC 26—30 DCBAB
31—35 DACAA 36—40 ACDBC 41—45 CDACB
46—50 CBABD 51—55 DBCBA 56—60 DCACB
61—65 CBCCA

66. Minister 67. is surrounded 68. impresses / impressed
69. worthwhile 70. to translate 71. equipped
72. regretted 73. nutrition 74. directed 75. homeless
76. absorbing 改为 absorbed
77. out 改为 down 78. picture 改为 pictures
79. 去掉 was 80. frozen 改为 freezing
81. 去掉第二个 was 82. disobey 改成 disobey
83. by 改为 in 84. 去掉 the 85. ranked 改成 ranking

Water plays a very important part in our life. Without water, human beings and animals would not exist any more. Every day all the creatures must take in enough water in order to continue to live. However, more and more problems of water appear with the development of our society. Half of our world are facing the serious absence of water, because a lot of water is being polluted in the industry. Besides, people waste some of it as well. It is time that we should take some measures to stop the situation. Water must be made use of to save it. The government will try to educate people to avoid wasting and polluting the water.

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1—5 BBACB 6—10 BCBA 11—15 AACAB

16-20 BCBBC 21-25 BDDDB 26-30 CBDDD
31-35 DCBDA 36-40 BCDAB 41-45 CABAC
46-50 ABDCB 51-55 BDACA 56-60 ADBCD
61-65 ABDAC

66. whispered 67. Failure 68. approaching 69. likely
70. to defend / defending 71. nodding 72. introduced
73. charged 74. souvenirs 75. swings
76. camera 改为 cameras 77. such 改成 so 78. by 改为 of
79. himself 改为 themselves 80. was 后加 it
81. lately 改成 late 82. such 后加 a
83. words 改成 word 84. be 后加 so
85. them 改为 whom

One possible version:

NOTICE

April 10, 2015

Dear students,

The students' Union has decided to organize a music week. It will be held in the first week of May. The activities include singing pop songs and playing classical and folk music. Bring your own musical instruments, please. A music contest will be included too. The students taking part in the contest will listen to a part of a song or a piece of music, and then guess where it comes from. If you would like to take part in the music week, please come and sign up for it before April 20.

Come to the great fun!

The Students' Union

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1-5 ABACB 6-10 CABCC 11-15 BACBA
16-20 BCACC 21-25 CBCDD 26-30 ADCAD
31-35 BAAAA 36-40 CBDCA 41-45 BDCBA
46-50 CBCAD 51-55 ACCA B 56-60 DADAB
61-65 ACDAC

66. minority 67. scientific 68. expose 69. contributed
70. deliver 71. clarify 72. convenience. 73. to arrange
74. consists 75. separated 76. Hope 改为 Wish
77. absolute 改成 absolutely 78. bought 改为 had
79. with 改为 on 80. choose 后加 from 81. for 改为 to
82. weeks 改为 week 83. on 改为 to 84. 去掉 a
85. up 后加 of

One possible version:

Sharing Housework

One Sunday afternoon, I was going to play football with

some of my classmates on our school playground. But when I saw that Mother was washing clothes and seemed to have got some pain on her back, I changed my mind. I thought it was difficult for her to wash so many clothes, so when she was going away to get water with a bucket, I took over the washing. When my classmate Xiaoming came to ask me to play football, I refused. I did my best to do the washing well. When Mother came back, she was surprised to see all the clothes hanging on the line. She was pleased that I could help with some housework and praised me. I felt very happy. I think it is good for children to share housework with their parents.

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1-5 BACCC 6-10 BCBCB 11-15 BBBCC
16-20 CBCCC 21-25 DABDA 26-30 ADADC
31-35 BCBAD 36-40 DCBCB 41-45 CAACC
46-50 BDCDA 51-55 BABCC 56-60 CDBAD
61-65 CBDCA

66. tablets/pills 67. optimistic 68. remind 69. adjusting
70. dilemma 71. criminal 72. update 73. poisonous
74. swollen 75. is being applied 76. coming 改成 came
77. many 改为 much 78. out 改为 about 79. that 改为 to
80. 第二个 she 改为 her
81. embarrassing 改成 embarrassed 82. do 改为 to
83. fallen 改为 been 84. teach 改成 teaching
85. gift 前加 a

Notice

The Students' Union is to organize a visit to Yangguang Orphanage. All the representatives of the exchange students of our school are required to attend it. This visit is aimed to show our concern and love for the orphans as well as increase our sense of social responsibility.

The visit is scheduled to run from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. on February 4th. To achieve our purpose, the visit will include various activities. In the morning, we're going to present the orphans with gifts like stationary. After that, we will play games together. We plan to make dumplings for lunch and in the afternoon, singing and dancing will be performed to entertain them.

Prepare yourself for the loving activity and don't be late!

The Students' Union

附：听力材料

(一)

第一节

Text 1

W: Excuse me, Sir. What's the time by your watch? I don't know whether I can catch my 9:30 train, which leaves at 9:30 o'clock.

M: Take it easy. You still have a quarter of an hour left.

Text 2

M: Have been here long?

W: Well, just five days. We arrived on the tenth.

M: Will you be staying for some time?

W: Yes, until the twenty-second.

Text 3

M: The food here is very delicious, but I think you have given me the wrong change.

W: Sorry. Let me check the bill again.

Text 4

M: It sounds like some kind of machine.

W: I think it sounds like someone drilling in the street. You'd better close the door and all the windows, then you can go back to sleep.

Text 5

M: Excuse me, can you tell me when the next bus leaves for the airport?

W: It leaves in three minutes. If you run, you might catch it.

M: Thank you. I will try.

第二节

Text 6

M: Have you traveled much in Britain?

W: No, not much. But I travel quite a lot in London every day.

M: What do you think of the London traffic?

W: I think the London underground is OK because it's fast and comfortable. But I also like London buses, especially for short journeys.

M: But don't you think the buses are rather slow?

W: Yes, I do. Particularly in rush hours.

M: What about London taxis?

W: Taxis often get us in traffic jams, and besides, they're too expensive.

M: Well, what do you think is the best way to travel in London?

W: The London underground, I think.

Text 7

M: What's the matter with you?

W: Oh, I feel terrible. I had a fever last night.

M: Did you take any medicine?

W: No, I didn't dare to take any medicine.

M: Let me listen to your chest. Please take a deep breath.

W: Is there anything serious?

M: Don't worry. There is nothing serious.

W: Do I have to lie in bed?

M: Of course, you should lie in bed till the fever is gone.

Here's the medicine for you.

W: Shall I come again?

M: I don't think you need to come again. I'm sure you will be all right soon.

Test 8

W: I've heard you've just come back from America. How are things going there?

M: Everything goes well. But I don't think I can live well there.

W: How long did you live there?

M: Oh, a little over 5 years.

W: Are you a U. S. citizen?

M: Yes, I am.

W: It's said that there is gold everywhere. Lots of young people dream of going and living there. But you came back.

M: Yes, You can't understand unless you live there for some time. It's easy to make big money by hard work. That's true. But I feel very lonely.

W: Don't you have some friends?

M: I have some friends. But they are very busy. It's difficult for us to get together.

W: I have never expected life in America would be like that.

Text 9

Today, I bought a copy of China Daily. This is the first time I have bought an English language newspaper. I know I can only understand a small part of it. I bought it out of my curiosity. I haven't gone into the details of each piece. I have just gone over the headlines. I found it very comprehensive as well as interesting. There are many pictures and a weather report. It has many sections, such as Home News, International News, Business News, Sports News, and so on. Of course, there are some other sections, too, of which I don't know the Chinese equivalents. I like anything from sports and entertainment to politics. I plan to buy it regularly. I can see a great deal of information and important news of both the internal and the world while I'm learning the English language.

Test 10

No one can hope to own all the books he may want to read or use. Fortunately there are libraries in most towns that will lend us the books. Some are school libraries, others are public libraries. There may even be travelling libraries that are for remote areas.

A good library contains thousands of books on all kinds of subjects. They are arranged on the shelves in a certain order so that any particular book is easy to find. If we are looking for a particular book or a book on a particular subject, we will need to look up a card index.

Most libraries have a reference section as well as the ordinary lending section. The books in the reference section are reference books and are for use in the library only. Readers may also be able to read old issues of newspapers on microfilm by means of a microfilm readers.

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第一节

Text 1

M: What's the matter, Anne? Do you have a problem?

W: Yes, I have the chance to get another job and I don't know what to do?

M: If it is a better job, take it. That's my advice.

Text 2

W: My meeting finishes at a quarter to seven, and I'll try to be there at seven.

M: Well, why don't we just get together at the entrance of the meeting hall instead?

Text 3

W: Oh, Terry, it will be nice if Nancy decides to join us for the trip.

M: Linda, I'm afraid the chance is for Mary.

Text 4

M: Excuse me, Madam, but could you tell me your age?

W: My age? It is secret.

M: But I have to...

W: I was just kidding. I had my daughter when I was 26 and now she is 18.

M: I have got it. Thanks.

W: My pleasure.

Text 5

M: Who is that man sitting in the concert?

W: Don't you know him? He has attended our wedding party.

M: Oh, I remember now. Uncle Philip. Your father's cousin.

W: You are right, dear.

第二节

Text 6

M: What do you think of the house?

W: I like the red house best of all. Which one do you like best?

M: The blue one. Do you think the red house is as beautiful as the blue?

W: I think the red one is the most modern and the most beautiful of the three. The blue one is almost as beautiful as the red one. But not so quiet. Of course, the white house is the least modern of all.

M: That's true, but the white house is cheaper and more practical than the blue one. There is more space in the white house than in the red one. It also has more rooms than the red one.

W: Yes. The white one is larger than the red one, but the red one costs the least of the three.

Text 7

M: The plane is leaving in three minutes.

W: Yes, it is.

M: Excuse me, may I know your nationality?

W: I'm from the United States. You're Chinese, I guess.

M: Yes, you are right.

W: Are you going to Romania? I mean, what's your destination?

M: I am on my way to London. Where are you going?

W: Same here. But why don't you fly straight to London?

M: It is cheaper this way for both Chinese and Romanian passengers.

W: Is that so? That's great.

Text 8

W: Robbie, this new walkman is really wonderful.

M: Richard and Marilyn bought it for me for my birthday.

W: They are so kind. You are very lucky, Robbie, to have such a nice family.

M: Is something wrong? Alexandra?

W: No, nothing.

M: Yes, there is. I can tell. What's the matter? Come on, you can tell me. What's up?

W: I received a letter from my parents this morning. I miss them very much. The Molinas treat me so nicely and I love being with your family so much. But when I received the letter with photos of my family, I cried.

M: You really miss your family, don't you?

W: Yes, I know I must seem silly. It is not like I have nobody. I like the Molinas very much, and they are so kind to me.

M: Hey, why don't we go out for a hamburger and French fries? That will cheer you up. And you can use my walkman.

W: That is a good idea. But if we go out, please don't complain about your math teacher or your math homework. I want to have fun.

Text 9

W: Dad, I want to travel around Europe this summer holiday. Do you agree?

M: I am not sure, Mary. You are only seventeen.

W: But I won't be traveling by myself. John and Kate will go with me. And we plan to stay in Youth Hotels.

M: They are not expensive, are they?

W: No, they are cheap. And we may meet a lot of young people there.

M: I don't know what to say.

W: Just say "yes", please.

M: How long are you going to stay there?

W: Just about two or three weeks.

M: I am still not sure. We ought to discuss it with your mother.

Text 10

M: This is a true story about a French couple, Paul and Mary, who were in Hong Kong on holiday and went to a restaurant for a meal.

W: They had a meal in their hotel.

M: No. What they did was go to a restaurant. Anyway, they couldn't speak Chinese or English well, so they had to use sign language to order their meal. Well, this seemed to work all right. The waiter nodded and smiled and started to go to the kitchen.

W: He understood them.

M: Oh, I forgot to mention they had their pet dog, Rosa, with them and Mary reminded her husband that Rosa was hungry. They called the waiter back and they pointed at the dog, Rosa, and made eating gestures. The waiter didn't

seem to understand and looked puzzled. But in the end he smiled and nodded and picked up the dog and took it into the kitchen. Paul and Mary were satisfied and chatted about their holiday experiences until their food was ready. After about an hour the waiter returned with their main course on a silver dish covered with a large silver lid. You will never believe this, but it really happened. When they lifted the silver lid they found their dog inside.

W: Did they eat their meal?

M: No, of course not. What happened was that they both suffered a mild nervous breakdown and took the next plane back to Paris.

W: And that is a true story?

M: It is perfectly true. Really!

(三)

第一节

Text 1

W: Jimmy, take this umbrella with you.

M: Why? It's a fine day, isn't it?

W: Yes, but the weatherman said it's going to rain this afternoon.

Text 2

M: Here is a menu printed in English. What would you like, Judy?

W: Well, I think I'll have fried oysters first.

M: That's a good choice, since this is the season for oysters.

Text 3

M: My father does a lot of business and travels a lot. I like his job.

W: Are you going to study International Business at university, then?

M: I have not made up my mind yet, but very probably, yes.

Text 4

W: Tom.

M: Yes?

W: Will you please take this recorder to my office for me?

M: With pleasure. And let me carry some of the exercise books for you.

Text 5

W: I'll get someone to help you carry your luggage to your car.

M: If you don't mind, I'd like to have it delivered.

第二节

Text 6

W: Good morning, Sir. What would you like?

M: I'd like a red wine, please.

W: Anything else?

M: What snacks have you got?

W: The menu is on the board over there. There's pancake, Greek salad, steak and chips...

M: I'll try the Greek salad, please. Do I pay now?

W: Oh, yes, if you would. That's 75 cents for the wine and 1.30 pounds for the salad.

Text 7

M: Hello. How are you today?

W: Not so good. My leg's playing me up, awful pains in my leg and my toothache!

M: Oh, dear! I've got toothache too and the dentist says he simply can't see me before next week. But what gets me is my headache.

W: I know what you mean, but at least you can do the garden. I can't even do that with my back, the doctor says I mustn't lift or bend.

M: You poor thing. There's nothing worse than back trouble. But I don't do much in the garden now because I've hurt my arm. It's really painful.

W: Like my ankle. It's all swollen up.

Text 8

W: Hi, David, you look awful. What's the trouble?

M: Well, believe it or not, I had an accident in the car this morning. Someone drove into the back of my car.

W: No! How did it happen?

M: I was just turning into my drive when another car came round the corner and drove into the back of mine.

W: Didn't you see him?

M: No, I didn't. I looked in my driving mirror and there was no one coming. Not only that, I also looked in the big mirror on the other side of the road.

W: So he must have been coming very fast if you didn't see him.

M: That's right. And he went straight into me.

Text 9

W: Good morning, Miss Smith's secretary.

M: Good morning, may I speak to Miss Smith, please?

W: I'm sorry. She's in conference at the moment. Do you want to leave a message?

M: Yes, all right. Can you tell her that Mr. Johnson called? And tell her that the meeting about the Trade Fair is on Thursday 12th at 2 p. m.

W: Fine, is there anything else?

M: Yes, could she phone to confirm that she can come before tomorrow?

W: Yes, and what number is it?

M: 802 9714 extension 246.

W: Fine, I've got that. I'll get the message to her as soon as possible.

M: Thank you very much. Goodbye.

W: Goodbye.

Text 10

I flew to New York to take care of some business with Mr. Smith. But as soon as I arrived, I got sick, and could not meet with him. I had to call our appointment off. Then when I felt better I thought about visiting him at his home, but he lived too far away. I tried to telephone him during office hours, but he was busy. His secretary said that Mr. Smith would call me back, but he didn't. I gave up trying to make a new appointment because it would take more time and efforts than I wanted to spend.

A few days later, I saw a man on the street who looked like Mr. Smith, and I called out to him. It was someone else. When I returned to my hotel that day, I found a message which said that Mr. Smith had gone out of town on some sudden unexpected business. I was sorry that I had missed seeing him, but I was really enjoying my sightseeing in New York.

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第一节

Text 1

M: I had my bike repaired. Last night I put it at the gate but can't find it now.

W: It was in my way when I went to the garden. So I put it under the stairs. It's still there.

Text 2

W: Why don't we stay at the Grand Regency Hotel?

M: You are joking! Do you know how expensive that place is? There is no way we can afford to stay there.

Text 3

M: Don't you usually leave for the airport at four o'clock?

W: Yes. I usually do.

M: Well, why are you leaving so early?

W: It's going to snow, so I have to leave half an hour earlier.

Text 4

W: Mr. Stone's lessons were a waste of time. He was always telling funny stories.

M: But he was actually covering what we should learn.

Text 5

M: I'd love to go to the Super Bowl next week, but I don't think there are any more tickets.

W: Why don't you talk to Laura? She's a big football fan. She might be able to give you some advice on how to get a ticket. And I know she is planning to go herself, so maybe you could go with her.

第二节

Text 6

W: So what do you think you are going to do when you graduate, John?

M: I'm not sure. My dad says I should work in information technology. You know something with computers.

W: Is that what your dad does?

M: Not really. He is an engineer.

W: How about you? What are you interested in doing?

M: Well, I'm interested in medicine. I'd love to be a doctor.

W: Yeah. What subject are you good at?

M: Math is my best subject. And I'm also pretty good at science.

Text 7

W: If that man gives me any more letters to type, I'll scream. He's given me ten already today, and there'll be more when I get back from coffee break. I'll be here till midnight.

M: Calm down, Franny. He can't make you stay after five. Finish what you can, and leave the rest for Mary.

W: But they're important letters, Joe. They should go out tonight.

M: That's not your worry. If they're important, he should have given them to you earlier.

Text 8

M: Tell me what happened.

W: Well, I wasn't paying attention when I started to cross the street, and I stepped in front of a taxi. I didn't realize it was still moving.

M: Can you walk?

W: Not very well.

M: Where does it hurt?

W: My side hurts when I take a step.

M: Okay, don't try to walk anymore. Don't worry. An ambulance is on the way. You know, you're very lucky: you could have easily been killed in the accident.

W: Yes, I guess I could have.

M: You'll have to fill out a form. Do you have any identification with you?

W: I have my passport. By the way, how did you get here so fast?

M: Someone dialed 911 and reported the accident. We were in the area and got a radio call. It only took a minute or so to get here.

Text 9

M: Excuse me, can you help me?

W: Of course. What can I do for you?

M: Can you tell me how I can get to the Excelsior Hotel from here?

W: The Excelsior? Let's see, that's in the city, right?

M: Yes, it is. On Forty-third Street, just off Eleventh Avenue.

W: Well, you can take a bus to the city. Just go out of the front door of the terminal and cross the street. There is a sign that says, "Airport-City Bus." Otherwise, you can take a taxi. You can catch one right in front of the terminal.

M: Thank you. Oh, do you know how much the bus fare is?

W: It's five dollars. A taxi costs about fifteen to twenty dollars.

M: I'd better take a bus then. How often does the bus run?

W: I think you just missed one. There is a schedule printed on the sign outside. I think that the buses ran every half hour or so.

M: On second thought, I'd better take a taxi. I have a lot of luggage and it's late. Thank you!

Text 10

W: Yes, Sir. You called?

M: Yes, I wonder if you could bring me another bottle of beer.

W: Certainly. Would you like anything else?

M: Well, my grandson is supposed to meet me in London at the airport. Do you think he'll be able to find me?

W: I'm sure he will. You don't have to worry about that. Are you going to be visiting him?

M: Yes. I've never seen my grandson.

W: I think you'll have a wonderful time in London. It's

beautiful. Is this your first time abroad?
M: No. I saw quite a bit of Europe before, Rome, Berlin, Paris, places like that, but I've never been to London.
W: Oh, then you have flown before too.
M: No, that was during the Second World War and I went to Europe on a large ship carrying soldiers.
W: Things are quite different in Europe nowadays.
M: I'm sure they are. I'm really interested to get there.
W: Well, it's 4:00 now and we'll be there at 6:00. Will you be staying long?
M: I plan to stay five weeks. I was a teacher but I have stopped working. My wife has died and so I can go wherever I want.
W: I think you'll have a good time. I'll go and get a beer for you.

Text 11

There are many ways in which the memory can be improved. In fact, I believe we all have the ability to remember up to six times more than we do.

A lot of people find that visualizing information is very helpful. For example, if you are trying to remember a telephone number, imagine it written down on a piece of paper.

Remembering people's names is a problem for a lot of people. I recommend that when you are introduced to someone you concentrate on his or her first name. It probably won't offend anyone if you have to say, "What was your last name again, Sarah?" but Sarah might be upset if you forget her first name.

Of course, regular breaks are important and it's better not to work for long periods without taking one, stopping for rest about every twenty minutes is best.

Finally, take care of yourself physically. Avoid substances like coffee, alcohol or drugs, because they dull the mind. And don't forget your vitamins — B1 and B2 are particularly good for the memory.

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第一节

Text 1

M: Would you mind my smoking here?

W: Not at all.

Text 2

W: Excuse me.

M: Yes?

W: Does this bus go to Art Museum?

M: No. Not this one. This one goes to Science Museum. To Art Museum, you should take Bus No. 17.

W: Thank you very much.

M: You're welcome.

Text 3

W: Is the meeting held in Room 302 or 303?

M: It should be 302. But I hear that it has been put off till tomorrow.

W: Really? Is it at three in the afternoon?

M: No. It will be two o'clock.

Text 4

W: Will you please come here, John?

M: OK, Mummy.

W: And please bring your books.

M: Oh, do I have to?

W: I won't let you be lazy.

Text 5

W: What do you think of the film?

M: I like it. I think it is great.

W: I like it too. Do you like the acting?

M: Yes. It is excellent. Do you?

W: Not really. It is disappointing.

第二节

Text 6

W: Good morning, Sir?

M: Good morning. My name is Orwell. I've got a reservation, a single room with a shower.

W: Ah, yes, Dr. Orwell. Would you fill in this form, please?

M: Yes, of course.

W: Oh, excuse me. I catch a cold. You're a doctor. You can give me something for it.

M: Give you something for it, for your cold, you mean. I am not that kind of doctor.

W: Oh, aren't you?

M: No, I am a psychologist.

W: Ah, you are a psychologist. Oh I see.

M: Is that all right?

W: Yes. Would you like a newspaper in the morning?

M: Yes. The Times.

W: OK, Sir. Your room is 523, and how long would you stay?

M: Four days. I'll be checking out Saturday morning.

W: And how would you pay?

M: By credit card. Would you like to see it?

W: Yes, please, and here is your key, Sir.

Text 7

W: Did you see the late night film on television yesterday?

M: The one on Channel 8?

W: No, on Channel 5. It was about a couple who hitch-hiked across the Sahara desert.

M: No. I didn't. Was it any good?

W: Well, it was quite good, I suppose, but all those miles of sand did get a bit boring after a while. I think I prefer horror films to travel stories or love stories.

M: I went out for a meal with my friends. They took me to a Greek restaurant.

W: Sounds unusual! What was the food like?

M: Actually, I quite liked it.

W: I'm not keen on foreign food myself. I'd rather stick to roast beef or just fish and chips.

M: Yes, I notice you always eat chips! Don't you ever get sick of chips?

W: No, never. In fact, I'd rather eat chips than bread.

M: Well, I prefer trying new food to eating the same old

things day after day.

W: I see, so you won't be coming to the cafe at lunch time with me, then. You'd rather eat on your own, right?

M: Well...

Text 8

W: And what time do you call this then?

M: Look, I'm sorry, Mrs. Miller...

W: Ten o'clock is a fine time to roll into work, isn't it?

M: Yes, I know I'm a bit late, but...

W: A bit late! Listen to that! A bit late, he says.

M: Please, Mrs. Miller, my train...

W: Oh, don't tell me... your train was late.

M: No, it wasn't, it...

W: Well, what's your excuse this time then, George?

M: The eight thirty train was cancelled so I had to wait for the next train.

W: Cancelled, was it?

M: Yes, they said it had engine trouble.

W: Well, that's rather strange. Harry got here all right. He didn't seem to have any problem with the eight thirty!

M: Oh...er... which machine shall I start on? This blue car, Mrs. Miller?

Text 9

W: I've got tickets for the film of Romeo and Juliet tonight. Do you want to come?

M: Oh, er, well actually...

W: You don't have to come if you don't want to. You can stay in and write your essay on insects if you prefer!

M: No, it isn't that, but you see I have to help organize Jill's party tonight so I'm afraid I can't come to the show. Tell you what I thought? Why don't you come to the party instead?

W: Can I? Do you think Jill would mind if I did?

M: No. I'm sure she wouldn't. You have to bring a bottle of wine, but it doesn't have to be expensive.

W: I hope not! I'm completely broke! The first thing I'll have to do is get rid of these tickets in order to pay for some wine. Who do you think... oh, look, there's Professor Shrimp. He likes Shakespeare's plays. See if he would like tickets.

Text 10

More than 200 people, mostly middle-school students and workers at a nearby construction site, fell violently ill after eating breakfast from a soybean milk shop on Saturday in Nanjing, and several dozens died.

The shop supplies breakfast to the nearby boarding middle school, as well as selling food to walk-in customers. Although it was the weekend many students were taking additional courses, and boarders stayed on the campus.

The victims were sent to 10 local hospitals for emergency treatment. "It is really unbearable to see the young children dying right before my eyes and their parents crying desperately," said one doctor at the rescue site. Another doctor said that conditions of most patients were basically stable.

A father of a victim said that his daughter bought two rife cakes and ate most of them on her way to school. Soon she felt sick and collapsed. "Luckily, she vomited the stuff out on the way to hospital. So the doctors said she was not among the seriously poisoned," the father said.

More than 500 medical specialists are helping in the rescue work and Public Security authorities are still looking into the case.

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第一节

Text 1

W: Would you like to go to the cinema tonight?

M: I'd rather stay at home and watch TV. I have to get up early to attend the meeting tomorrow.

Text 2

W: Hello, can I help you?

M: No, it's OK, thanks. I'm just looking.

W: OK. Ask me if you need any help.

Text 3

W: Excuse me, what time is it?

M: It's almost 11:00.

W: What time do we arrive in Beijing?

M: We'll arrive there at 12:30.

W: That's good. My friend plans to meet me at the airport at 12:45.

Text 4

W: We are having a little party at the weekend. Can you and Mary come?

M: That sounds nice. Thank you. But I'll have to check with Mary first.

Text 5

W: Hi, Jeff, it's Marina. I'm sorry but my computer is not working. Could you get someone to check it?

M: Don't worry. I'll ask an engineer to check it for you, is that OK?

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Text 6

W: So you are leaving for the U. S. tonight?

M: Don't ask. I am not going.

W: Why?

M: Because I have to stay here for a meeting with my boss.

W: Oh, well, never mind. Now you can come to Helen's party tonight.

Text 7

W: Well, it was not what I'd planned to do. In fact, I was never particularly interested in kids. When I was little, I quite like the idea of being a doctor. You know, walking around in the white coat, looking important, and of course, my parents wanted me to go into the bank like them. But then, after school I worked abroad for a year and I discovered I actually enjoyed working with the little ones and helping them to learn. So I trained, and here I am.

Text 8

W: Welcome to the River Bank Cinema Line. To hear showing

times or to book tickets, please stay on the line. If you don't need film or ticket information, please phone the cinema directly on 7946001. For film or ticket information, press the star button now. Please select one of the following choices. To listen to film showing times, press 1; To make an advanced booking, press 2; To listen to direction to the cinema, press 3; adults ticket, \$ 6.50; Students tickets, \$5.50; Tickets for children under 15 years of age, \$4.50. A family ticket is available for two adults and two children, or one adult and three children, for \$ 17. If you would like to hear the choices again, please press 0.

Text 9

W: Do you know what time you will be back this evening, Arek?

M: I'm not sure. It depends on how long the interview lasts. Oh dear, I hope things go OK. I know I can do the job. It's just getting that across to them.

W: Just relax. Everyone has his first time. Don't get yourself worked up. Remember, you've got to make them believe that they need you. Have some more bread, it will make you feel much better. And pass me the milk, will you? What time is your appointment?

M: 2: 30.

W: Make sure you have a proper lunch, more coffee. And don't get there too early, or you have to hang around. You'll manage. OK? I'm sure.

Text 10

W: Please, please, can you help me? Someone just stole my camera.

M: Calm down, Madam. Now you said your camera was stolen.

W: Yes. It was a petards, DF, Super.

M: Color?

W: Black.

M: And how much was it worth?

W: I only bought it last month. It costs 380 pounds.

M: Right. Where was it stolen?

W: In the city center, outside McDonalds, on Hope Avenue.

M: What time was this?

W: About 2: 30.

M: And did you get a look at who ever stole it?

W: It was a young man, maybe 18 with short dark hair, and glasses. He was wearing a green T-shirt.

M: And were there any other people?

W: Lots of people was there but... oh, the ice-cream seller, he was standing on the corner.

M: OK, an ice-cream seller. Now what's your name?

W: Mary Smith.

M: OK, well, Ms Smith, that's all we can do for now, we'll phone you if we have any news.

W: OK, then, thank you very much.

Text 11

W: Welcome, everyone. Welcome to Language International. My name is Ema Waston. And I am the center manager. I hope you will all have a wonderful stay here with us. This

is Mr. Brone, our social organizer.

M: Thank you, Ema. Hello, everyone. I'm Jone Brone, and it's my job to make sure you have some fun while you are here. Now this afternoon we'll go together on the walking tour of the city. And then on Wednesday afternoon, we are off to the legal sports center where you can play volleyball or football, use the gym, or go swimming to keep yourselves fit. And on Friday afternoon, we have a film club. This week's film is Spider Man. On Saturday, we are going on a day trip to Oxford, leaving here at 8: 30 in the morning. Please don't be late, or we'll go without you. And finally on Sunday, we are off to London, leaving at the same time. If there are any other things you'd like to do while you are here, just ask me. And I will see if I can help.

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第一节

Text 1

W: Very nice skirts. How much are they?

M: \$10 each and \$1 off if people buy two. They're on sale.

Text 2

M: I know you want to talk about this report. But I'd like to talk about my new computer.

W: Let's keep to the point. We can talk about that later. All right?

M: OK.

Text 3

W: Bill, that is a lovely painting in your living-room.

M: I'm glad you like it. It's a Christmas gift from my son.

W: Well, it's beautiful. Your son has very good taste.

Text 4

M: So how is your new roommate?

W: She really makes me angry.

M: What happened?

W: She's always making loud noises at midnight. When I remind her, she's always rude.

Text 5

W: Excuse me, I'm looking for Mr Tang.

M: Oh, he is not on this floor. He is on the fourth floor. Go down the stairs and turn left.

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Text 6

M: Did you finish typing that report?

W: Yes, I did, but I worked late.

M: But it must be a long report, I guess.

W: Exactly. Twelve pages. I spent three hours on it.

M: By the way, what time did you go home?

W: I left the office at nine o'clock. I got home at ten.

M: What did you have for dinner?

W: I sent out for a sandwich and ate at my desk in my office.

Text 7

M: Fikky, what's going on? Freggis just told me that you're going to be leaving us.

W: Yes, I really feel bad out of it. But B. N. D. came up with

really good offer.

M: Well, I didn't know you were going to look for a new job.

W: Well, just between you and me. I think we have some real problems in this department. Don't get me wrong. It has nothing to do with you, Frank. Everybody says you are an excellent manager.

M: Problems, what problems? Do we have time to talk about it?

Text 8

W: You know I just finished some very interesting research for the newspaper about things people do in their spare time.

M: Really? What did you learn?

W: Well, I talked to 20 people and 19 of them watch TV.

M: That's interesting. I never watch it, do you?

W: Not much. Anyway, about half of them, 9 people, play some kind of sport.

M: I'm not surprised. People are getting more exercise these days.

W: Yes, a few of them go to movies.

M: Mm, I do, too.

W: But here is the most interesting result: only one of them reads.

M: That's terrible.

Text 9

M: Excuse me, do you mind if I sit here?

W: No, not at all. Go ahead.

M: Thank you.

W: Are you going somewhere or meeting someone?

M: I am on my way to Washington. And you?

W: I am on my way to San Francisco.

M: Really? I think San Francisco is probably the most exciting city in the US.

W: So do I. No other city has as many good restaurants or as much good music.

M: Is San Francisco your hometown?

W: I am from a very small town in Pennsylvania. I wouldn't want to live there again, either. I don't like to live in a small town very much.

M: Neither do I. But small towns have their advantages: less traffic.

W: And friendlier people. You know, I'm beginning to feel homesick. By the way, where are you from?

M: China.

W: China? But you speak English like a native speaker. I didn't have any idea.

M: Oh, excuse me. It's time for my flight. Well, it's been nice talking with you.

W: You, too. Bye!

Text 10

M: Could you suggest some ways to bring family members closer together?

W: Well, I feel it is very important for families to have regular meals together. One of my good childhood memories was dinner with my parents and two sisters. Because my

husband and I both worked and our three children were busy with their studies, we seldom had a chance to get together as a family. But we thought it would be possible for us to sit down and enjoy meals together every week. First we tried setting fixed days: Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. But almost everyone was unhappy. Then my son had the idea that everyone told his or her most convenient days and I would choose the two best days. For a while the children were still unhappy with the idea. They said they would rather spend the time with their friends playing sports. Gradually, though, they began to see the evenings together as interesting and helpful. We loved a lot. We made plans for trips. We discussed each other's problems. After a couple of months anyone who had to miss a family meal felt regretful. And now we all feel that we have been able to build stronger relationships within the family than we had before.

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Text 1

M: Which cap did you finally decide to buy?

W: Well, I would like to buy the blue one, but it was 50 dollar so I bought another one instead and saved 10 dollars.

Text 2

W: Where are you going to plant the tree? By the front door?

M: No, that would be silly. It'll grow too big. I'm going to put it at the back of the garage.

W: I thought it would be better right at the other end of the garden.

M: Oh, no.

Text 3

W: The lecture this morning was so boring.

M: I'll say I had one eye on the clock the whole time.

Text 4

M: I'd like to speak to the manager, please.

W: May I know what it is about?

M: I'd like to see him about the position advertised in today's newspaper.

W: Certainly. Just wait for a while; he is making a phone call.

Text 5

M: Hello.

W: Hello. Can I help you?

M: Yes, I want to know why there's no electricity.

W: Sorry, Sir. There's been a power cut.

M: Well, when will it come on again?

W: It's usually off for about half an hour, so we expect it back at eight thirty.

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Text 6

W: Red House Restaurant. May I help you?

M: I'd like to book a table.

W: For how many?

M: Just two.

W: For what time?
M: 8:00.
W: I'm sorry, there aren't any tables left for 8:00, but we can give you one for 7:00 or 9:00.
M: All right. 9:00 then.
W: May I have your name, please?
M: Miller.
W: A table for two at 9:00 for Mr Miller. Thank you.
M: Thank you.
Text 7
W: ABC Company. Can I help you?
M: Can you put me through to Mr Brown in the Sales Department?
W: I'm afraid Mr Brown is at a meeting at the moment.
M: Can I leave a message?
W: Certainly.
M: Can you ask Mr Brown to call me at 1300-621-7865?
W: Who is calling, please?
M: Alan Peterson.
W: OK. Mr Peterson. Can you repeat the phone number?
M: That's 1300-621-7865.
W: OK. I'll ask Mr Brown to call you as soon as the meeting is over.
M: Thanks. Bye.
Text 8
Hello! My name's Art. I'm 74 years old and I live in a retirement community with my wife Kate. I retired about twelve years ago from the bicycle business. I was in the bicycle business for thirty-five years. Twenty of the thirty five years I ran my own business. After I decided to sell my business, I became an advisor. I worked as an advisor for five years and then I retired. The retirement community I live in requires you be forty-eight years or older. In the community I engage in many activities, oil painting, watercolor painting, and stain glass projects. My major activity, however, is golf. Weather permitting, I play every day. We have a golf course in the community, and since I play more often than I used to before I retired, my game has improved very much.
Text 9
M: Let me see now. Which train do I need to get on?
W: Excuse me. Do you need any help?
M: Yes. I want to go to Tokyo Tower, but I'm really lost. This is my first visit to Japan, so I have no idea on how to ride the trains.
W: First, you need to buy a ticket to your destination. From there, it's a hundred and thirty yen.
M: A hundred and thirty yen. Okay.
W: Then, get on the Hibita Subway Line at Platform 4.
M: Number 4, all right. Oh, and how often do the trains come round this time of day?
W: Usually they come about every six minutes.
M: All right. And where do I get off the train?
W: Get off at Kamiyacho Station, three stops from here. The sign at the station is written in English, so you'll be able

to read it.
M: Three stops. Got it. Thanks for your help.
W: No problem. Good luck.
Text 10
Okay, okay, let's begin. Hello, everyone. My name's Karl Roberts, and I'll be your teacher for this class, Intercultural Communication.
Uh, to begin with, please take a look at the introduction in front of you. As you all should know by now, this class meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:15 to 4:50 pm. We will be meeting in this room for the first half of the course, but we will be using the research lab every other week on Thursdays in Room 405 during the last two months of the class.
Uh, this is the text for the class, Beyond Language. Unfortunately, the books haven't come in yet, but I was told that you should be able to purchase them at the bookstore the day after tomorrow. Again, as you see on your course outline, grade is determined by your performance on a midterm and final test, weekly quizzes, uh, a research project, and classroom participation. My office hours are from 1:00 to 2:00 pm on Wednesdays, and you can set up an appointment to meet with me at other times as well.

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Text 1
W: Do you know about Agatha Christie?
M: Sure. She wrote many detective books.
Text 2
M: The lecture starts at 8:00.
W: Don't rush. We still have fifteen minutes to go.
Text 3
M: Listen! The show is starting.
W: How do you know?
M: Can't you hear the band? They are playing their instruments.
W: Sure, yes. Let's hurry up.
Text 4
W: How did you like the dinner just now?
M: It was quite delicious, but the beef was a bit well done.
Text 5
W: I'm free today. Can you think of doing something?
M: Well... How about taking a ride in the country?
W: Mmm. Good idea. We haven't taken it for ages.

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Text 6
M: We're having a picnic tomorrow. Why don't you come with us?
W: I'd like to, but I think it's going to rain. The weatherman says so.
M: I don't think he is right. It hasn't rained for a week and it isn't cloudy, either.
W: But he is usually correct in his weather news.
M: The temperature is 32 degrees this afternoon. I'm sure

we'll have fine weather for our picnic.
W: Well, I'll go, but I'll take my umbrella with me.
Text 7
W: Excuse me, please. I seem to have lost my purse.
M: Oh, I see. Well, I'll have to fill out this lost and found report for you. It was a purse, you say?
W: That's right.
M: What is it like, ma'am?
W: Well, it's a black leather one with my driver's license, some name cards, and about fifty dollars in it.
M: Where did you last have it?
W: I'm pretty sure I had it when I was in the coffee shop.
M: When was that?
M: About 1:30, I think.
M: Where did you go after that?
W: To the shoe department, and then I came here.
M: I'm sure it will turn up. Now could you give me your name, address and phone number?
W: Mrs. Jane Thomas, 20 King Street, and my phone number is 89362124.

Text 8

M: Are you all right? You look off color.
W: I'm OK. I feel a bit tired. That's all.
M: That is because you work too hard, I suppose.
W: I guess so. Do you remember the new student in my class?
M: The boy from Haiti?
W: Yes, he is having a hard time communicating since he doesn't speak much English.
M: Do you have any other students from immigrant families in your class?
W: Oh, yes. This year we have a Korean, a Japanese, and a Chinese student. I spend a lot of time with them so that they can catch up.
M: I know. It's very kind of you to help them with their studies.
W: But it's really rewarding to see them make progress and fit well into the group.
M: That's true.

Text 9

W: I need to make some money so that I can take a trip to the north in February. Do you know any ways of making money?
M: How about delivering papers?
W: I already thought of that, but I don't have a bike.
M: How about walking dogs?
W: What? Walking dogs?
M: Yeah, you know, there are lots of people around here with little dogs. The dogs have to be walked every day. That's good for their health.
W: I don't know. How much can I make?
M: More than carrying papers.
W: Well, I do like animals. How do you go about finding dogs to walk?
M: Put an advertisement in the Sunday newspaper.
W: And how much is an ad?

M: An ad is under ten dollars, I'm sure. You can try for two dollars for half an hour — that would be ten dollars for five times a week. You can walk three or four dogs every day after school, you can get rich.

Text 10

A 60-year-old Australian woman jumped onto the back of a 4-metre crocodile to stop it from killing a 34-year-old man. The crocodile grabbed the man as he slept in a tent at a beach campsite in Australia. The crocodile entered the tent around 4 a. m. on Monday and dragged the man outside. The woman, who was camping nearby, saw what was happening and jumped onto the crocodile. The crocodile then let the man go and turned on the woman, pulling her towards the water, luckily a third person shot the crocodile dead just in time, saving the woman.

Text 11

Hello and welcome to the university library. This taped tour will introduce you to our library's facilities and operating hours. First of all, the library's collection of books, reference materials, and other resources are found on levels one to four of this building. Level one houses our humanities and map collections. On level two, you will find our circulation desk, current periodicals and journals, and our copy facilities. Our science and engineering sections can be found on level three. You can also find back issues of periodicals and journals older than six months on this level. Finally, group study rooms, our microfilm collection, and the multimedia center are located on level four.

Undergraduate students can check out up to ten books for two weeks. Graduate students can check out twenty books for four weeks. Books can be renewed up to two times. There is a 50-cent-a-day late fee for overdue books up to a maximum of \$15.00. Periodicals and reference books cannot be checked out.

The library is open weekdays, 8:00 a. m. to 10:00 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9:00 a. m. to 8:30 p. m. The library is closed on Sundays.

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Text 1
W: I think I'll have the duck, please.
M: I'm very sorry, Madam. I'm afraid there isn't any left.
Text 2
W: Excuse me, visiting hours are over. It's time for you to leave.
M: I'm sorry, I didn't know the time or I would have left earlier.
Text 3
M: Are you going to London next weekend?
W: Yes, I will visit a friend of mine while I am there.
Text 4
M: I want a single room with a bath, what's the rate?
W: It's 25 dollars a day. Your room number is 213. It is on the

second floor. Here is your key.

Text 5

M: You'd better take your coat with you. It looks like it's going to snow.

W: You may be right. Thank you for mentioning this.

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Text 6

M: Aw, Jane! What did you have to go and do that for?

W: Do what?

M: You know what I am taking about. Why did you go and tell Mrs. Wallace how much money I am going to make? Now she will go and tell the whole world!

W: Well, I am sorry, Paul.

M: Yeah, but you know she talks to everybody and their brothers.

W: Well, I apologize. I guess I wasn't thinking. I got all excited.

M: Oh, well, it's done now. I guess it doesn't matter that much, anyway. They will know in the end. Everyone in this town got a big nose.

W: You know, it is really a lot of money for a first job.

Text 7

M: Susan, please pass me a copy of China Daily.

W: Here you are.

M: I want to find what's on this weekend.

W: Is there anything good on?

M: The Beijing Opera is showing on Saturday evening. Do you like Beijing Opera?

W: Oh, yes. Very much. When and where will it be?

M: At 7:30 in Beihai Park.

W: Let's go and see it, OK?

M: Good idea!

Text 8

W: Where were you yesterday?

M: I was at home asleep.

W: Asleep! I thought that you had to take an exam.

M: I was sick. I had a fever. I couldn't get out of bed.

W: You still look a little sick. You couldn't go back to bed.

M: I'm going now. I just came here to speak to my professor.

W: What did he tell you?

M: He said that I'd be able to take a make-up.

W: Well, that's all right then. Are you going straight home?

M: I have to stop at the drugstore on the way. I need some aspirin.

W: Do you think that you should walk that far?

M: I have to walk. I didn't bring my car. I didn't think I'd be able to drive today.

W: Well, take care of yourself.

M: OK. Thanks.

Text 9

W: What are you doing, Tom?

M: I'm writing to my mother.

W: But you wrote to her only yesterday.

M: Yes, but I have something new to tell her.

W: Something new?

M: Yes. I am telling her I've decided to take up a part-time job as a shop assistant.

W: What do you mean? You've been working at one nearly three months. Have you been fired by Rogers?

M: No. My mother doesn't know I have a part-time job.

W: You mean you didn't tell her before?

M: No. I didn't want her to worry about my study.

W: But why are you telling her now?

M: I don't want her to worry about my life here. You see, I told her that I'd just bought a car in my letter.

Text 10

Now, here is news:

An early morning fire damaged the Historic Geller House today. It destroyed the third floor of the building, but fire-fighters saved the first and the second floors. There were a few elderly people living in the building at the time and they were carried to safety. The Geller House was built in 1718, and was used as a hotel for over 150 years. George Washington stayed here in 1782. The Gellers owned the house until 1930's. Then they sold it to Mill's family. Five years ago, it was made into a building for the elderly. Several fire departments were called to the scene. When we asked Fire Chief Andrew Barnes how the fire started, he answered that most likely a burning cigarette caused it. Chief Barnes promised a further investigation into the cause.