

## 英语参考答案

### (一)

- 1—5 B C C B C 6—10 A A C A B  
11—15 B C B B C 16—20 A C B B C  
21—25 D B C A D 26—30 C B A B D  
31—35 C B B C A 36—40 D A B C A  
41—45 D A B C A 46—50 B C C C D  
51—55 B A C D C 56—60 C C D B A  
61. Pretended 改为 Pretending 62. 去掉 was  
63. most 改为 more 64. put 改为 putting  
65. how 前加 at 66. author 67. unbelievable  
68. exported 69. regretted 70. material 71. chemical  
72. focus 73. Hunger 74. simple 75. native  
76. leads to  
77. The meeting held /that was held last week  
78. to get my car started/to start my car  
79. he(should) go to bed early  
80. is not as/so easy as it is supposed/expected to be  
书面表达

#### Boys and girls,

May I have your attention, please? There's going to be an English lecture on American social problems in our school hall at 3:30 p. m. on October 15. Mr Liu Gu will give us the lecture. He's just come back from a visit to the USA. All the students of Grade One must attend the lecture on time and take careful notes while listening. After the lecture we'll have a discussion about it. Students from other grades who are interested in this topic are also welcome.

That's all. Thank you.

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- 1—5 A C B A B 6—10 A C C A C  
11—15 C B A C B 16—20 A B B C B  
21—25 B B C C C 26—30 B A D D B  
31—35 D B A C C 36—40 C A D B A  
41—45 C C B D B 46—50 D B C A D  
51—55 D A A B C 56—60 D D C C B  
61. plant 前加 a 62. good 前加 is  
63. stood 改为 standing 64. that 改为 what  
65. 去掉 little 前的 a 66. considerate 67. connection  
68. amuse 69. Unfortunately 70. root 71. birthplace  
72. bowed 73. patience 74. indeed 75. ceremony  
76. where/in which the children are swimming  
77. means/meant living abroad  
78. one of the funniest comedy actors  
79. Only when you grow up can you understand  
80. as if nothing had happened  
书面表达

One possible version:

Dear Jim,

I really feel worried about you. You used to do well in your lessons and took an active part in the activities at school, but now you are so crazy about computer games that you have no interest in your schoolwork and don't listen to teachers carefully as before in class. Also, you can't hand in homework on time.

Perhaps playing computer games can make you feel relaxed, but if you spend too much time on it, you will have less time to study and it may do harm to your health.

I hope you should achieve a balance between your schoolwork and your hobbies. Why not join in some outdoor activities when you feel bored? As your friend, I'll be glad to share your happiness and sadness.

Best wishes,

Li Hua

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11—15 B A C A B 16—20 A B B B C  
21—25 C D B C C 26—30 B B B B B  
31—35 B C B A C 36—40 A D B C C  
41—45 B D A C B 46—50 C A D B C  
51—55 D C C A A 56—60 C B C C A  
61. behave 改为 behaving 62. they 前加 and  
63. living 改为 live 64. 去掉 was  
65. 第二个 do 改为 doing 66. supported 67. shade  
68. directing 69. overcome 70. satisfied 71. tourism  
72. treated 73. convince 74. explanation 75. obvious  
76. as carefully as possible/you can  
77. give/send my regards  
78. needs/requires/demands cleaning/to be cleaned  
79. what they are talking about/the thing (that/which) they are talking about  
80. take up  
书面表达

One possible version:

Dear David,

Last week we held a discussion on what we should do for our school before we graduate. The students in our class have different suggestions.

Some students think that we can collect money to buy some books for the school library or something else for the school. Other students think that it's not necessary to spend money, because we can study hard and make our school feel proud of us.

In my opinion, we don't have to spend money. We can do something meaningful without money. For example, we can do some voluntary work to beautify the school's environment or try to get better results in the coming exams so that our school will be proud of us.

(In my opinion, we can collect our pocket money to buy some books for our school library. We can buy some detective stories and English novels, which don't cost much but they are useful and are popular with the younger students. I hope every student in our school can do so.)

I'd like to know your idea. Could you give me some advice?

Best wishes!

Li Ming

### (四)

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11—15 C B C B A 16—20 B A C C B  
21—25 B B C B C 26—30 A D C D A  
31—35 B D A B C 36—40 D B B C D  
41—45 A A C A D 46—50 B A D C C  
51—55 A A C B D 56—60 A D A B C  
61. understand 前加 to 62. who's 改为 whose  
63. this 改为 it 64. 去掉 the 65. exist 改为 exists  
66. modest 67. nest 68. content 69. throughout  
70. attraction 71. embassy 72. campaign  
73. observing/watching 74. apologized 75. personally  
76. when it is convenient to you/ at your convenience  
77. meet the customers' needs/demands  
78. behave(yourself) 79. came to life 80. similar to his  
书面表达

Good afternoon, everyone!

The topic of my speech today is "Teenagers need healthy eating". Healthy eating is very important to us teenagers. However, some of us often eat snacks or other unhealthy food, and some take in either too little or too much nutrition every day. Besides, many of us teenagers often go to school without breakfast, which has a bad effect on our growth. We may even suffer from different illnesses after we grow up.

In my opinion, we should give up our bad eating habits if there is any. We had better not eat or eat less unhealthy food like hamburgers and let's eat more healthy food like fruit and vegetables instead.

That's all. Thank you for listening!

### (五)

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21—25 B B A D D 26—30 B B C D C  
31—35 D C A C A 36—40 A C D B B  
41—45 C A D C D 46—50 B B C D A  
51—55 C D B A B 56—60 B C D C A  
61. with 改为 for 62. easy 改为 easily  
63. where 前加 to 64. 去掉 but 65. How 改为 What

66. balanced 67. benefit 68. preventing 69. Theory  
70. thick 71. Organization 72. minority  
73. consideration 74. brand 75. digest  
76. of poor/bad quality  
77. dreamed/dreamt of  
78. He played so well  
79. it is getting hotter and hotter  
80. advertised for a secretary  
书面表达  
Dear Eric,

You wanted to know about Chinese paper cut. Here I'm glad to tell you something about it. Chinese paper cut has a long history of over 2,000 years. It can be seen in different parts of China. Many people, young or old, are fond of it. People in northern part of China do well in making paper cuts. People cut paper into different shapes, like birds, animals, flowers and so on. I think Chinese paper cuts are not only beautiful but also very useful. People usually put them on doors or windows when they celebrate something happy, especially for the Spring Festival. More and more people are interested in it. I hope you'll come to China to see more Chinese paper cuts one day.

Best wishes.

Li Ming

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11—15 C C A B A 16—20 C A C A A  
21—25 C B D B A 26—30 C B A D D  
31—35 A B D A C 36—40 A C B C D  
41—45 B A D C A 46—50 B A C D C  
51—55 D C A C C 56—60 B D A D B  
61. trouser 改为 trousers 62. hour 改为 hours  
63. is 改为 are 64. part-time 前加 a 65. 去掉 of  
66. climate 67. amazed 68. Customers 69. slim  
70. raw 71. limited 72. worth 73. audience  
74. certain 75. unknown  
76. you'd better smile and reach out your hand/ you'd better smile when reaching out your hand/ you'd better reach out your hand, smiling  
77. It astonished me/I found it astonishing 或 It surprised me/ I found it surprising  
78. Not all cultures greet each other the same way  
79. One of the major tasks in the coming year for the government/ One of the government's major tasks next year  
80. Judging from his facial expression  
书面表达

My good friend Tom

Tom is my good friend who came to China three years ago. He will go back to Canada with his parents soon. Tom is tall and strong. He plays football very well and was in our school football team last term. He wears glasses because of his poor eyesight. Tom is easy-going and creative. He was once the good host of our school English Corner. Tom has

some shortcomings. He likes eating a lot of snacks. I think it's not good for his health. I will advise him to stop doing that. He often spends too much money but I think he'd better not. As students, we don't make money. We should have the habit of saving money.

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21—25 C B C A D 26—30 C C B C A  
31—35 D D C B D 36—40 D B A C C  
41—45 A B B D A 46—50 D B C C A  
51—55 A D B C D 56—60 A C B C D  
61. corner 前加 around 62. buy 改为 bought  
63. were 改为 was 64. live 改为 living 或 live 前加 who/that  
65. 去掉 it 66. official 67. wealthy 68. flight  
69. fastened 70. pressed 71. nearby 72. aboard  
73. greeted 74. impressed 75. global  
76. in time/sooner or later  
77. with the window(s) open/leaving the window(s) open  
78. which quite frightened/terrified her  
79. saw people singing and dancing happily in the streets  
80. those unfortunate people suffering from the earthquake/  
those unfortunate people who were suffering from the earthquake

书面表达

One possible version:

Dear Principal,

I am Li Hua, a senior-three student. I have some suggestions on improving the facility and service of our school library.

Our school library is expected to play a greater role in students' life. I suggest we build an electronic library. In this way, the library can keep up with the times and will offer its services to a larger number of students. What's more, more well-known publications should be bought to feed the students. And students hope the library is open all through the week, including the weekends.

Thanks for your time.

Yours sincerely,  
Li Hua

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11—15 B B B C B 16—20 C C A B A  
21—25 A B C B D 26—30 C D A D B  
31—35 C D B C C 36—40 A B C D C  
41—45 B C A C D 46—50 C D C A D  
51—55 C A B B C 56—60 A A C D B  
61. which 改为 when 或 which 前加 on  
62. puzzling 改为 puzzled 63. 去掉第二个 to  
64. about 改为 of 65. is 前加 it  
66. control 67. positive 68. puzzled  
69. whispered 70. earns 71. functions/roles  
72. general 73. slightly 74. adults 75. citizens

76. of benefit to/ beneficial to/good for  
77. have the machine running all day  
78. when I was spotted/found by a ship  
79. in a very polite manner/politely  
80. to stare at others

书面表达

One possible version:

Dear Sir,

My teacher and classmates have helped me a lot since I came here. They brought me local foods from their homes. They were very delicious. My classmates showed me around our school. They even invited me to their homes to watch TV and enjoy dinners. After school they often ran and played volleyball with me in the playground. They came to talk with me when we were free. We have been good friends. They helped me with my lessons. When I had problems, I went to them for help. I feel very happy here. I hope to make more friends and make progress in my studies.

Looking forward to your reply!

Yours,  
Li Hua

(九)

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31—35 A A D C A 36—40 D A B A B  
41—45 C D C A D 46—50 B C C C B  
51—55 D B A C B 56—60 B A D B A  
61. countryside 前加 the 62. holding 改为 held  
63. help 改为 helps 64. 去掉 in 或 this 改为 the  
65. 去掉 when 或 when 改为 that/which 66. belonging  
67. edition 68. diet 69. appointment 70. inform  
71. misunderstood 72. tradition 73. curiously  
74. origin 75. interview 76. followed Tom into  
77. feeling very frustrated/quite frustrated  
78. hurrying by/passing by/going by in a hurry  
79. On the contrary  
80. until/before Tom comes back

书面表达

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am a middle school student. I have recently learned from the newspaper that you are going to build a factory here in my hometown. There is no doubt that it is good for the development of my hometown and it will provide us with more jobs. Most of us stand by the program. However, some of us are worried that the factory will make much noise and pollute the environment of the area. I would like to know whether you have any plans for the environment protection. Would you please offer us more information about it?

I'm looking forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully,  
Zhang Hua

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1—5 C B C B A 6—10 A B A A B  
11—15 C C B A C B  
16—20 C A B C A  
21—25 B A C C B 26—30 C C B C D  
31—35 D D D C A 36—40 A D B A C  
41—45 B A D C B 46—50 D B D A C  
51—55 A D C D B 56—60 C D A B C  
61. 去掉 the 62. covered 改为 covering 63. has 改为 have  
64. my 前加 about 65. while 改为 when 66. judge  
67. burned 68. Electricity 69. familiar 70. international  
71. government 72. convenience 73. contains  
74. arranged 75. based  
76. Where we live/The place where we live/The place at which we live  
77. What satisfied us most/What made us most satisfied/What was most satisfying  
78. within walking distance of my house 79. close/next to a swimming pool  
80. the second largest country in size in the world/ the world's

second largest country in area

书面表达

One possible version:

Dear Peter,

I'm glad to receive your letter asking for my advice on how to learn Chinese well.

Here are a few suggestions. First, it is important to take a Chinese course, as you'll be able to learn from the teacher and practice with your fellow students. Then, it also helps to watch TV and read books, newspapers and magazines in Chinese whenever possible.

Besides, it should be a good idea to learn and sing Chinese songs, because by doing so you'll learn and remember Chinese words more easily. You can also make more Chinese friends. They will tell you a lot about China and help you learn Chinese.

Try and write me in Chinese next time.

Best wishes.

Li Hua

附：听力材料

(一)

(Text 1)

W: Peter, you look much better today. Shall I bring you some books tomorrow?

M: Thank you. I have borrowed one from a doctor this morning.

(Text 2)

W: The chair is 20 dollars, but I have only 16 dollars.

M: I can give you 2 dollars. That's all I have.

(Text 3)

M: What jobs have you done in the past three years, Lucy?

W: I worked as a waitress and then a nurse. Now I am a secretary in the company.

(Text 4)

W: Bill wants to go with us to the party.

M: But this afternoon, he said he would go by himself.

W: That's typical of Bill. We can give him a lift.

(Text 5)

W: Are you going to Canada on business?

M: Yes. I am taking part in a computer exhibition on behalf of my company.

W: Good luck to you.

(Text 6)

W: What attracted you to our university, Tom?

M: I like the sports facilities, especially the swimming pool. It's bigger than that in my high school.

W: Do you play many sports?

M: Yes. I like basketball and volleyball. I will join a club in this university soon.

(Text 7)

W: The factory outside our town keeps pouring polluted water into the river.

M: How can they do that? It's against the law.

W: Yes, it is. However, many factories take no notice of the law.

M: That's terrible. What should we do now?

W: In my opinion, we should talk to the manager of the factory first.

M: What if that doesn't work?

W: Then we can ask the local government to look into the matter.

M: Good idea. Let's go.

(Text 8)

W: Jim, how did you enjoy your trip to the countryside?

M: It was fun.

W: Will you tell me more?

M: Well, we drove to the village in the morning. What a wonderful sight!

W: So, you stayed in the village?

M: Yes. The villagers were so kind that they gave us delicious food. They sang and danced to welcome us.

W: Good. What did you do then?

M: We had lunch in the village and then went to the lake be-

side the mountain. The water was so clear.

W: Did you go for a swim there?

M: Sure. We really had a good time and I hope I will go there next weekend.

(Text 9)

W: Excuse me?

M: Yes? Can I help you?

W: I am afraid I am lost. I am looking for the Sun Hotel.

M: You are going to the Sun Hall?

W: No. The Sun Hotel.

M: The Sun Hotel? You are totally lost. It is far from here. It is near the airport.

W: What shall I do now?

M: Turn around and drive two miles down the street. When you see a big hospital on the right, turn left. That is the Fifth Avenue. Can you understand me?

W: Yes.

M: OK. Then drive along the Fifth Avenue and you will see the airport on the right, and the hotel is on your left. OK?

W: Yes, thank you very much.

M: Good luck to you.

(Text 10)

Good morning, boys and girls, nice to meet you here. Today we are going to talk about newspapers. A good newspaper usually has several qualities. Firstly, it has to report news stories. TV stations can report news much faster than newspapers, but newspapers give more information than TV stations in a different way, or they may report different stories from those seen on TV. Secondly, news stories have to be attractive. People don't want to read news stories about their ordinary and everyday life. As a result, many of them are involved in dangerous situations and seem to be "bad" news. For example, newspapers never print stories about planes landing safely. On the contrary, they print stories about plane crashed. Thirdly, familiarity is also important to news stories. People are interested in international news. But many prefer to read stories about people, places and events in their own country. Therefore, the main stories in Chinese newspapers are usually very different from those in British, French and Canadian newspapers.

(二)

(Text 1)

W: The train leaves at 6:05. Do we have time to buy a magazine?

M: No. We've only got 15 minutes before it leaves.

(Text 2)

M: Did you hear what the weatherman said just now?

W: Yes, he said the temperature would only be slightly above freezing tomorrow.

(Text 3)

W: John got 92 in the English exam, but Betty got two more points than John.

M: It is fair. Betty always works harder than John. Jack did as

good a job as John this time.

(Text 4)

M: The taxi is waiting downstairs. Let's hurry.

W: Wait a minute. I'll take some food with us. I don't like the food they serve on trains.

M: Oh, come on. We don't have much time left.

W: Relax! The train isn't going to leave without us.

(Text 5)

M: Well, what did you think of it?

W: I didn't think much of it really.

M: Why not?

W: Well, I mean, if I go to the cinema, I expect more than just a laugh. Or at least I want to see my favorite actors. I mean, have you ever heard of Dustin Hoffman? He is quite a famous American actor!

M: I don't think so.

(Text 6)

W: Please sit down. Let's see, you're Mr. Brown.

M: That's right.

W: Well, let's get going. When will you graduate?

M: This June.

W: Have you ever done any work in this field, or something similar?

M: No, nothing. We only did some practice work in class.

W: You seem to be doing well in college. What kind of pay are you hoping to get?

M: From what I've read, it seems that the starting salary should be in the region of 100,000 yuan a year.

W: Here we would start at 89,500 yuan for the first year — a kind of training period. Then you would go to 120,000 yuan. After that, your rise depends on how you have worked.

M: That sounds fair enough. What about other things, like vacations?

W: Those are all explained in this document. You can take it with you and look at it at home.

M: Oh, thanks. Well, do you think I have a chance of getting the job?

W: Well, I'm talking to three people today and four tomorrow, and we'll only be hiring two.

M: I sure hope that I can work here, but I guess I'll just have to go home and wait.

W: You'll hear something back from us next month. Good luck and thanks for coming today.

(Text 7)

W: Did you watch TV last night?

M: Yes, I did.

W: The football game between Miami Dolphins and Chicago Bears was really wonderful, wasn't it?

M: Oh, I didn't watch the football match. I wanted to, but my wife preferred to watch the old film.

W: What a pity! It was quite exciting. Both teams played very well.

M: How did it finish?

W: It finished in a draw. What was the film like?

M: It was quite good. But I missed the beginning of it because I had to eat first.

W: Did your wife enjoy it?

M: No. After half an hour she stopped watching and started to read a book.

(Text 8)

W: Cliff!

M: Er...

W: It's me, Anna!

M: Anna!

W: I haven't seen you since we finished college. How are things? Where are you living? What are you doing?

M: I hardly recognized you! You've let your hair grow. It makes you look older.

W: Come on! I'm not that much older.

M: You must be twenty-seven.

W: You're two years younger, and you look exactly the same as ever. What're you doing?

M: Teaching, what else?

W: How's it going? Where do you live?

M: I still live in London, teaching in a comprehensive school there. Are you teaching, too?

W: No, I got married last year and had a baby recently.

M: Congratulations!

W: Thank. So I'm taking the year off to look after the baby and do some studying. My husband got a job in Cardiff, so we've moved there.

M: Like it?

W: Don't know yet, I've just started to get to know people, and with the baby I don't get about much. How about you? Married?

M: Not yet.

W: I'm surprised. We always used to say you'd get married first of all of us. You are so good-looking. Have you seen any of the others?

M: One or two. Let's go for a cup of coffee somewhere, I'll tell you about them.

(Text 9)

M: This is the Sixth Club. May I help you?

W: Yes, I believe you have a lunch meeting this coming Sunday. Could you give me some more information about that?

M: Yes, of course. The guest speaker is Professor Johnson from Beijing University. He'll be talking about "Bird Flu".

W: I'm a student of Zhongshan Medical College. His speech sounds interesting. When does it begin?

M: Lunch will be served at 12 o'clock and Doctor Johnson will speak at 2:20 in the afternoon.

W: Is there an admission fee?

M: Yes. The lunch and lecture are 56 yuan per person, half price for students.

W: And do you have any idea when it will end?

M: Oh, sorry, I'm not sure. Maybe at about 3:45.

W: Very well, thank you.

M: You are welcome.

(Text 10)

Good morning, ladies and gentleman. I want to take a little of your time to let you know about the International Friends Club. We're a sort of social club for people from different countries. It's quite a big club — we have about 500 members at the moment, and we're growing all the time. We organize many kinds of events. We have social get-togethers and sports events. Every day except Thursday we have a language evening. People can come and practise the language they are learning — you know, over a drink or something. We have different languages on different evenings. Monday — Spanish; Tuesday — Italian; Wednesday — German; and Friday — French. On Thursday we usually have a meal in a restaurant for anyone who wants to come. If you are interested, just give us your name and address, and we'll send you the form and some more information. If you join now, you can have the first month for free.

(三)

(Text 1)

W: I love the beach when the sand is fine and the water is just hardly making waves.

M: I prefer an angry sea. That makes me feel better whenever I'm sad.

(Text 2)

W: Have you seen that huge new building going up near the market?

M: Yes. I can't figure out what it's going to be. Not an apartment building? Not a hotel? Probably a department store.

(Text 3)

W: Your tape recorder is not as good as the one I bought yesterday.

M: Well, but mine is better than Jack's.

(Text 4)

M: Today is Alice's birthday.

W: Really? If I were you, I would get her some flowers.

(Text 5)

M: Please change this into three 20-dollar bills and four 10-dollar bills.

W: Sure. Twenty, forty, seventy, eighty, ninety, one hundred. Here you are, sir.

M: Thank you very much.

(Text 6)

W: Yes, sir. You rang?

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 visit him?

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

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

tiful. Is this your first time abroad?

M: No. I have seen quite a bit of Europe before—Rome, Berlin, Paris, places like that, but never London.

W: Oh, then you've flown before, too.

M: No, that was during the Second World War and I went on a large ship carrying soldiers.

W: Things are quite different in Europe nowadays.

M: I'm sure they are. I'm eager to go there.

W: Well, it's 4 o'clock now and we'll be there at 6 o'clock. Will you be staying long?

M: I plan to stay five weeks. I was a teacher but I've stopped working. My wife is dead, so I can go where I want.

W: I think you'll have a good time. I'll go and get your beer for you. I'll be back in a minute.

(Text 7)

W: Bob? It's me, Barbara. Am I ringing at a bad time?

M: No, no. That's all right. Is it something important?

W: No, not really. Some American friends have been here for a few days. They want to go for a meal this evening. I thought maybe you'd like to come.

M: I'm afraid I can't. I've got a bad headache.

W: Oh, have you? I'm sorry. Why don't you take a couple of aspirin and lie down for a bit? You'll be all right in half an hour.

M: Yes. I know, it's not just the headache. I'm afraid I really ought to do my washing this evening and I've got to write home to my parents, too.

W: All right. Some other time then. Well, have a nice evening, Bob.

M: Wait a minute, Barbara. I'll ring you early tomorrow morning.

W: OK.

(Text 8)

W: What part of the paper are you reading?

M: Travel.

W: Are you thinking about our vacation already?

M: Yes, it's not so far away. I've been looking at some of these ads.

W: Why don't we just go to the same place we went to last year?

M: I won't stay at the hotel again. There wasn't enough to do.

W: Do you have a better idea for this year?

M: Yes, I do. Look at this ad. It looks like a good vacation to me. "Three weeks...Ten exciting ports...Use the ship as your hotel."

W: How much does it cost?

M: We'd have to call the travel office to get the price.

W: It must be expensive if they don't give the price in the ad. And besides, I'd rather we stayed in one place.

M: I don't want to sit on the same beach and eat the same food and look at the same walls every day for three or four weeks.

W: You know the doctor said you shouldn't try to do too much.

M: He didn't say that I had to sit in the same chair all day

long.

(Text 9)

M: What's eating you, Mary? You look upset. Anything wrong?

W: I'm all right. It's all because of my father.

M: Did he scold you?

W: No. He's always very kind to me. I'm worried about his health.

M: Isn't he feeling well? In my opinion, he is strong enough for his age.

W: Yes. He often says he keeps himself well.

M: So what's wrong with him?

W: He's got a bad cold, and coughs day and night.

M: Have you sent him to the doctor's?

W: The doctor said heavy smoking had caused his illness. If he doesn't give up smoking, he'll catch colds more often.

M: Yes, he's a heavy smoker. Smoking does great harm to the health. He should realize this.

W: He knows that. But he says he'd rather die than stop smoking. When my mother brings up this topic, he gets angry. He says he just can't stop.

M: Maybe you should try to persuade him to give up smoking gradually.

W: Yes. The doctor advised him to stop and my father nodded his head. But who knows whether he is determined to do so?

M: He needs your help. I will go to talk with him about it.

W: You're so kind.

(Text 10)

Most American businesses are open five days a week. American school children attend school five days a week as well. American families usually have a two-day weekend. The weekend is Saturday and Sunday. Over the weekend, people spend their time in many different ways. Many families enjoy weekends together. They may also invite friends over and have party at home. Many American families take part in sports during the weekend. Running, biking, playing volleyball and swimming are popular in the summer. Skiing and skating are the favorite winter sports. Weekends are also a time for American families to work on something in their yards or in their houses. Many families plant flowers and have vegetable gardens. Some families use the weekends to paint or repair their houses. For most Americans, weekends are very busy.

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(Text 1)

M: What do you plan to do after graduation?

W: I sent my resumes to some companies that seemed interesting. I'd like to be a computer engineer after I leave college.

(Text 2)

M: I'm into Professor Field these days.

W: Why?

M: I mean, check out the way she handles her life. She's got four kids, teaches six classes and somehow she does it all.

(Text 3)

M: How would you compare the bus with the subway?

W: Well, I think the bus is better. I can just sit back and read, or I can listen to some tapes. Some buses have very comfortable seats. By train it's OK, but it's not great. The train is fast, but the bus is really a nicer way to go.

(Text 4)

M: I'm taking the two o'clock train.

W: That's one of the best trains.

M: Could we start at twelve?

W: There's no need to start out that early. Let's make it one o'clock and we still leave half an hour's margin.

(Text 5)

W: So, since I am here working hard, do you think you might be able to stop over and drop these letters off?

M: Save the speech - it's no sweat. I'm on my way there just as soon as I finish this question.

(Text 6)

W: What's your favorite magazine?

M: I'd say it's the Reader's Digest. It's the most famous monthly in the US.

W: Why do you like it best?

M: It's got many years of experience and extensive coverage.

W: Well, I think it's extremely informative and interesting. The articles in it help me understand your people and culture much better. I always enjoy reading them.

M: I can see you're a careful reader as well as an observer. You know that's why so many people like reading it around the world. And one more thing is that its language is very good. It's really a good magazine, especially for people like you.

(Text 7)

M: 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 with each step I take.

M: Okay, don't try to walk anymore. Don't worry. An ambulance is on the way. You know, you're actually one of the luckiest people I've ever seen; it could have easily killed you.

W: Yes, I guess it 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 8)

W: I wonder if you could tell me how to get to the City Library here.

M: You mean the one on Oxford Road?

W: Yes, that's the place.

M: Well, the easiest way is to just keep going west on Princess East Road until you come to Roosevelt Road.

W: How do I know when I come to Roosevelt Road?

M: You can't miss it. It's the first big crossing you'll come to.

W: Oh, OK. The first big crossing...

M: So, you're at Roosevelt Road and there you turn right.

You'll be heading north then. You keep going on Roosevelt Road a few blocks until you come to the overpass. That's Oxford Road.

Turn right again. Go one block past the second traffic light. It's a brown building on the corner.

(Text 9)

W: Well, do you want to have a picnic in the park Saturday?

M: That's a good idea. And we can ride our bikes for a while, too.

W: Then there's the party.

M: Party? What party?

W: Have you forgotten? Mark and Tina invited us for dinner Saturday night.

M: I had forgotten. What time will we get home, do you think?

W: Probably late. Tina wants to go out after dinner to a place where we can dance.

M: Then we'll sleep all day Sunday.

W: Oh, not all day. Don't you have something special that you want to do on Sunday?

M: We talked about going to that new movie.

W: Oh, yes! We can go in the evening. There are some new paintings at the art gallery that I want to take a look in the afternoon.

M: It sounds like a busy weekend.

W: Our weekends are always busy. But that's why I like New York—there's always so much to do!

(Text 10)

There are millions of left-handed people in the world. There are 25 million in the US alone. A number of them formed an association called Left-handers International in 1975. They want everybody to understand left-handers are neither "strange" nor "sick" nor "dangerous". Many studies have been made recently about hand preference in humans. They have brought interesting results. It has been found, for instance, that many more men than women are left-handed; that all children use both hands about equally until they are three years old; and that hand preference is not clearly marked until the age of six. Above that age, most people not only favor one particular hand, but they also have a favorite eye, a favorite ear and foot. We know that the left side of the body is controlled by the right side of the brain. It seems that this particular half is the seat of

emotions, imagination, and of the sense of space. And indeed, lefties seem to be more athletic and to be better in some professions which — like sports — require a good sense of space.

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(Text 1)

M: Can I help you?

W: I'd like a box of chocolates, please. How much are these?

M: Ten pounds. These are particularly good chocolates.

W: Ok, I'll take them.

(Text 2)

W: Could you help me take this bag to my room, please?

M: Sorry, what did you say?

W: I asked if you could take this for me.

M: Yes, of course.

(Text 3)

M: Hello. Is Mr. Davidson here, please? This is Lin Tao speaking. We met in Beijing.

W: I'm sorry he is on holiday in Paris this week. Would you like to leave a message?

M: Yes. Please tell him to give me a call before next week when I leave New York.

(Text 4)

W: Why aren't you going to your classes?

M: Because they're so boring. I would go if they were more interesting. Anyway, I always get bad marks.

W: Well, that's not surprising. If you spent less time playing computer games and worked harder, you wouldn't have so many problems.

(Text 5)

M: Tell me about your mother. What does she look like?

W: Well, she's quite elderly now. She's of medium height, and has short hair. She's still quite attractive, I think. What else can I say? Oh, well, you can see for yourself in an hour.

(Text 6)

M: Good afternoon.

W: Good afternoon. Can I help you?

M: Have you got any beds for tonight?

W: Yes, I think so. How long would you like to stay?

M: Just two nights.

W: OK. One night costs 65 pounds for a single room.

M: Is it far from the hotel to the center of Canterbury?

W: Yes, it's ten kilometers.

M: Is there a bus service?

W: Yes, it takes about fifteen minutes. There's a bus every hour.

M: When does the last bus leave the city center?

W: I think it leaves at 9 o'clock in the evening.

M: What time do you close the bar in the evenings?

W: 11 p.m.

M: And the last question, are you serving dinner tonight?

W: Yes, we're serving dinner until 8 o'clock. Breakfast star-

ts at 7:30.

M: OK, thank you very much.

(Text 7)

M: Where is the sports club? Is it near here?

W: Yes! It's next to the movie theatre.

M: Oh, I think I know where that is. So when can children use the club? I mean, which days?

W: Well, it's open for everyone from Friday to Tuesday, but it's closed on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

M: Oh. That's very good. They'd like to use it at the weekend. And what are the opening hours?

W: It opens at 9 am. Sorry, 9:15 and it closes every night at 10:30.

M: Excellent!

W: Anything else?

M: Yes, there's one thing. What's the name of the club?

W: It's the Hurley Sports Club. H-U-R-L-E-Y. The same as the road.

M: Right, thanks. And have you got their telephone number?

W: Mmmm. Let me see. Oh, yes. Here it is. It's 400-3197.

M: Thanks very much.

W: That's OK. Perhaps our children will meet at the club.

(Text 8)

W: Hello, Supertravel. How can I help you?

M: I'd like some information about flights to Italy.

W: Where do you want to go?

M: Rome. I want to leave on Tuesday the 6th of May and come back on Saturday the 10th.

W: It'll be much cheaper if you stay the Saturday night and come back on Sunday the 11th.

M: OK then, I'll go from the 6th to the 11th. I'd like to fly early in the morning if possible.

W: There's a flight leaving London at 8:30 on the 6th, getting to Rome at 12:00, and then for the return flight, there's one leaving at 9:00 getting to London at 12:30. Is that OK?

M: Yes, that's fine. Did you say I'll get to Rome at 12:30 on the 6th of May?

W: No, at 12:00. You leave at 8:30.

M: And the flight back gets in at 12:30 on the 11th?

W: That's right.

M: How much does it cost?

W: 195 pounds.

M: OK, that's fine. I'd like to book a return ticket for those flights.

W: Can I have your name please?

M: Yes, Robert Brown.

W: And your credit card details.

M: Yes, it's a Visa card...

(Text 9)

M: So, how long have you been living here?

W: About six months now.

M: Why did you choose Beirut?

W: Because Mike — my husband — and I have always loved Arab culture and the language. Mike's an English teacher

and he got a job here in a language school.

M: Why did you want to take a year off?

W: Basically I wanted a break from teaching. I love teaching children but I needed a change. Also I've been drawing and painting since I was little but I've never really had the chance to study drawing. So this seemed like the perfect opportunity to have a change and learn to draw properly.

M: What have you been doing here since you arrived?

W: Well, I found a fantastic art teacher, called Omayma, and I've been having classes with her since October. She's great and she speaks English, which is lucky, because I don't know much Arabic yet. But I'm learning the language as quickly as I can.

M: Is Arabic a difficult language to learn?

W: Incredibly difficult! Especially the pronunciation. You have to learn to make a lot of new sounds.

(Text 10)

As you all know, Tom's been working here for many years. You're also all very aware that he wouldn't want a big party when he leaves. However, I'm sure you'll agree that we must do something! When he leaves next month, I want him to go out with a bang, with something that he's going to really remember and shows him the way we all feel about how good he's been to work with. So, if anyone's got any suggestions about a suitable location, what to include on the menu, besides his beloved whisky, and, of course, gift ideas, please come and have a word with me in the next day or two. Oh, and if there are any volunteers to take on the organizing, I'd be delighted to hear from them too.

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(Text 1)

W: Excuse me. Could you tell me where the book store is?

M: Yes. Go straight and then turn right at the first corner. It is opposite the hospital.

(Text 2)

M: I'm not feeling so well.

W: Get some rest and take the medicine three times a day and you should feel better. If you don't, come back and see me.

(Text 3)

W: How long have you studied here in Brighton?

M: Five years. I used to live in London.

W: I see. I've lived in this city since 2000. Before that I lived in Oxford.

M: A nice and quiet town, isn't it?

(Text 4)

M: Your spoken English has much improved. Have you been attending any English classes?

W: Yes, I have two classes one day on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings. But I can't go to class on Tuesday evenings for the next few weeks.

(Text 5)

M: Can I help you? This is Parker Company.



W: I'd like to order the machines we talked about. Can I have them within two days?

M: Oh, I know. In such a short time, we have to send them by air. We usually send them by railway.

(Text 6)

W: Hello. Mr. Green.

M: Hello, Ivy. What is up? How's that report of mine going?

W: Actually, I've finished it.

M: You have?

W: Yes. I really wanted to help you, since you had that meeting to go to.

M: Oh, thanks a lot!

W: Look, I'd like you to go over it and see if I've missed anything. Shall I send it here, your office sometime this afternoon?

M: Yes, that'll be fine.

(Text 7)

M: Ms King, I am invited to a party at an American home. Could you tell me how I can be a polite guest?

W: You should follow some rules. First, you should take a small gift such as flowers or wine for your host or hostess. And, you must arrive on time. If the dinner time is 6:00 p.m., don't arrive before 5:30 or after 6:30 without calling.

M: What should I do during the dinner?

W: Be sure to praise your host or hostess for the meal.

M: Can I have a talk with the host or hostess after dinner?

W: Of course, you can. But you should not stay too long.

M: I learned a lot today. Thank you for your advice.

W: That's all right.

(Text 8)

M: Hey, Mary, you look unhappy. Is everything OK?

W: It's my parents. I couldn't bear them. They stick to such old ways and let me do anything as they tell me.

M: Have you tried to communicate with them?

W: Yes, I have. But it doesn't work. They and I have different ideas towards everything. They don't like my style of wearing and force me to wear the school uniform every day and not to go to some parties. Ugh!

I want to live on my own.

M: Well, I get along well with my parents, but we don't agree all the time. They worry too much about me. I'm old enough to live in my way of life. They should trust me, I think.

W: I guess parents are all the same. They are of an age and different from us.

(Text 9)

W: Hello. I'm from China Daily. Could I ask you a few questions?

M: Certainly. What would you like to know?

W: Well, to begin with, would you mind telling me how much pocket money you receive every month?

M: On average, I get something like fifty from my parents.

W: Then, how do you usually spend your pocket money?

M: Well, I spend it on many different things, I buy food and I go to see films. Sometimes I buy CDs and collect cards and I also buy books.

W: Do you often go to a pub?

M: Yes, but not many. I like to chat with my friends in the pub not on the internet with strangers.

W: When you go to college, are you still going to ask pocket money from your parents?

M: I am not sure. It depends on what university I am going to, but I will try to be independent.

(Text 10)

Now before we start our first lab, I'd like to tell you a little bit about the workbook you will be using. It's a big book. What you should do is to choose the activities you want to do. Part of my job is to help you make your choices. Next, I'd like to say that in each lesson, there are usually two parts. The first is called "Experiments" and the second is called "Activities". In the "Experiments" part, the book gives full instructions for all the experiments, including other steps you may take. Choose the steps you wish and there's plenty of equipment in the lab. In the "Activities" part, you'll find activities you can do in your own time. No instructions are given in this part, and you should do them in your own way. If there are no questions, let's turn to Lesson One now.

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(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.

(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 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: 8029714, 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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(Text 1)

W: Excuse me, what time is it now?

M: It's 7:20. But my watch is five minutes fast.

(Text 2)

W: Can I help you?

M: Yes. I want some chocolates and a bottle of orange.

W: Here you are. It's 13 dollars and 60 cents altogether.

M: Thank you. Bye.

W: Don't forget your change.

(Text 3)

M: What's the weather like today?

W: It's a beautiful spring day.

M: Shall we take a walk in the park?

W: Why not? Let's go now.

(Text 4)

M: I can't remember Mr. Liu's telephone number. Is it 8754362?

W: Let me see. Oh, it seems to be 7485362... oh, no I remember, it's 8754362.

(Text 5)

M: What jobs have you done in the last five years?

W: Many kinds of jobs. I was once an official and later an engineer. Up will now I have been a teacher for three years.

(Text 6)

M: Hi, I got them, two tickets to the French painting exhibition.

W: You are joking. How did you do it?

M: I went out there in the morning and lined up. I was surprised there were already a lot of people ahead of me.

W: You should get the tickets.

M: If you are free tomorrow, would you like to come with me?

W: Wonderful! Thank you very much.

M: Don't mention it. I know you an art lover.

(Text 7)

M: Now Jane, did you get a good view of the accident?

W: Oh yes. I was standing outside the bank building and I saw it all quite clearly.

M: Do you know what time it was?

W: Yes. I checked my watch. It was 2:45 exactly.

M: Good. Now, how fast was the truck moving?

W: Well, quite slowly about 10 miles an hour. It was coming up Dongfeng Road. I suppose the truck driver knew the lights were going to change. But they were still red when he went over them.

M: I see. What about the car? Was it also going slowly?

W: It was coming along Beijing Street about 30 miles per hour. The driver stopped his car when the truck was crossing the street.

M: Did you see what color the traffic light was?

W: Yes, it changed to yellow just before he crossed it.

(Text 8)

W: Good afternoon. Mrs. Wang's office..

M: Good afternoon. Can I speak to Mrs. Wang? This is Mike Smith speaking.

W: I'm sorry. Mrs. Wang is at a meeting. Would you like to leave a message?

M: Do you know when I could reach her?

W: Now it's 4:50. The meeting should be over within half an hour. Shall I ask her to call her back?

M: No, I'll call again, in an hour's time.

W: Sorry. Perhaps she will give an official meal to the guests soon after the meeting.

M: In that case, please take a message for me and tell her that some of her former friends will wait for her at the King's Hotel Restaurant at 7:30 tomorrow morning. If she has time, she can call me at 21326584. That's all.

W: OK. I've got that. Good-bye.

(Text 9)

M: What's the weather like today?

W: Nice and bright, not too cold.

M: Much better than yesterday, isn't it?

W: Yes. But it may be rainy and colder later on.

M: I don't mind so long as it doesn't snow.

W: What was the temperature yesterday?

M: It was 7 below.

W: I guess the lake is covered with ice. Skating on it would be nice.

M: But I don't think the ice is hard enough yet. It might be dangerous.

W: Perhaps you are right. I hope for colder weather.

M: I hope so.

(Text 10)

Congratulations, everybody. Welcome to our university. The starting of the university can be exciting on the one hand, and can also be worrying on the other hand. No matter what you are going to learn, you have to make plans. In the first weeks, spend some time walking around the university and find out what it is like. Try your

best to get used to the life here and get to know your professors and classmates. Trying to understand what out university expects of you will help you to become clear about your own goals. Of course, during this time you have to study hard to pass the exams. But what's important for you is to put some energy into learning how to learn. Think about what you want from the university and how you can reach your goals. You should have some difficulties in your studies and learning is not always a pleasant course. Some of you may find your studies are not exciting and are thinking of giving up learning. In this case, just think it over before you make the decision, for learning is so important that it will change your future life. Our university can answer our real learning if you can make up your mind to go through with it. This is what I'd like to say at the moment. If you still have any questions, please come to my office. Thank you.

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(Text 1)

M: I'm not feeling so well.

W: Get some rest and take these three times a day and you should feel better. If you don't, come back and see me.

(Text 2)

M: I met Sam on the street today.

W: Really? Did he say something about his sister?

M: Yes. She ought to be leaving New York very soon, because her husband has taken a job in Los Angeles.

(Text 3)

M: Are you sure you've corrected all the mistakes in the paper?

W: Perhaps I'd better read it through again.

(Text 4)

M: Does this bill belong to you?

W: Oh thanks, I've just lost five pounds.

M: I'm glad that I've found the owner, otherwise I would have to go to the Lost and Found.

(Text 5)

M: We'd better hurry. I think that's our flight.

W: Have I got time to get a newspaper?

M: Well, I don't think we have time. Look...

W: All right, well, you take that bag, and I'll take this one.

(Text 6)

M: Do you want your television repaired?

W: Yes, but not by the man you suggested.

M: Why not? The repairmen are very good and the charges are so reasonable.

W: That may be, but I couldn't find the place.

M: But you couldn't miss it. I told you it is at the first right after the railroad bridge.

W: I took that. I went to the end of the road. There is no such place.

M: Wait a minute. Perhaps it is the second right. Yes, I think it is.

W: I should have known, whenever someone says "You can't

miss it", you can be sure that you won't find it.

(Text 7)

W: Hello, Roger? This is Ann.

M: Hi, Ann. How have you been? And how's your new apartment working out?

W: Well, that's what I'm calling about. You see, I've decided to look for a new place.

M: Oh, what's the problem with your place now? I thought you liked the apartment.

W: I do, but it's a little far from the campus. Do you think you could help?

M: All right. So, what kind of place are you looking for?

W: Well, I'd like to share an apartment with one or two roommates within walking distance of school.

M: Okay, how much do you want to spend on rent?

W: Oh, somewhere under 200 dollars a month.

M: Hmm. And anything else?

W: Yeah, I need a parking space.

M: Well, I know there's an apartment nearby. I'll drop by there on my way to class today.

W: Hey, thanks a lot.

M: No problem.

(Text 8)

M: Is it true that you don't swim at all now?

W: I'm afraid so, I'm too old.

M: But you are only twenty.

W: That's too old for a swimmer. If I swam in an international competition now, I wouldn't win. So I'd rather not swim at all.

M: But don't you enjoy swimming?

W: I used to, when I was small. But if you enter for big competitions you have to work very hard. I used to get up at 6 to go to the pool. I had to train before school, after school and on weekends. I swam thirty-five miles every week!

M: But you were so famous at fifteen. And look at all those cups.

W: It's true that I did have some wonderful memories. The Olympics were very exciting. But I missed some important things too. While other girls were playing, I was swimming.

(Text 9)

W: Please turn off the lights, Harry.

M: Why? What's the matter? I want to read the paper.

W: If we turn on too many lights, all the electricity in the house will go off.

M: Now who told you that?

W: Our new neighbor Mr. Smith.

M: Mr. Smith? When did he come to our home?

W: I had to go to his home and ask for help today.

M: What was wrong?

W: When I turned on the washing machine, all the lights went out.

M: Well, did he take care of it for you?

W: Yes, but he said it would take a lot more work to do a really good job.

M: What does he mean by a really good job?

W: He said we need new electric wires throughout the house and a lot of other things.

M: Did he tell you how much it would cost?

W: Yes, about a thousand dollars.

M: A thousand dollars? That's a lot of money. And just when we need to get some work done on our car, too.

(Text 10)

It was 2:05 in the afternoon. When I entered the classroom, I was surprised to see a video camera. Our class teacher was operating the camera, and my classmates were all talking among themselves slowly. Most of us had never been in front of a video camera before, so we were quite nervous. As for of myself, I had once faced one at home, my uncle was shooting when we were celebrating my sister's birthday. But this was completely different. We had to talk about our articles as if we were reading news on TV. The funny thing was that every time I tried to face the camera and talk about my article, I forgot the article and couldn't resist looking down at it. It was a completely different experience for me, thanks to our class teacher.

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(Text 1)

M: I know the foundation has given the university 20,000 dollars to improve the library.

W: 20,000 dollars! They gave twice that amount. My aunt told me all about it. She's been working in the president's office since the 1990s.

(Text 2)

M: I simply can't get this new table put together in the proper way.

W: If you followed the instructions step by step, you would find everything fit together properly.

M: That sounds reasonable.

(Text 3)

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 here for a while, he is making a phone call.

(Text 4)

M: Hi, Katie. How was your day?

W: Terrible.

M: Why? What happened?

W: Nothing. That's the problem. I've been looking for a job new for over a month. And I can't find one.

(Text 5)

M: I know you're busy studying, Lena, but could you help me for a few minutes?

W: What do you need?

M: Would you give me a hand carrying this computer up the stairs to the lab? It's heavier than I thought, and can't lift

it myself.  
W: Normally I would, but I get dizzy climbing high flights of stairs.  
(Text 6)  
M: It is boiling today, isn't it?  
W: Yes, it's very hot and stuffy.  
M: It's been looking like rain for several days. But it hasn't rained yet.  
W: There are thick black clouds in the sky now. It looks as if a thunder storm is coming.  
M: The wind is rising.  
W: It's a bit windy. But I like the breeze.  
M: It's beginning to sprinkle.  
W: The weatherman says some showers are expected this afternoon.  
M: It's turning warmer, isn't it?  
W: Yes, the temperature is going up today. The temperature has climbed to 36°C.  
M: After a heavy rain, the temperature should drop a lot.  
W: Yes, there will be a cool day tomorrow.  
(Text 7)  
M: Hello. Are you the person who has a house for sale?  
W: Yes, I am.  
M: Well, the advertisement says it has four bedrooms and three bathrooms, just what I need for my family of six. May I ask how much you want for it?  
W: I prefer not to talk about the price on the phone, but let's say it's around 150,000 dollars. I would also require 40,000 dollars to be paid at the time of buying. Why don't you come by and take a look?  
M: Well, I'm not sure whether I can afford such a payment of 40,000 dollars at once. But I guess it won't hurt to see the house. If you can tell me how to get to your place from South Florida Street, my wife and I will be coming.  
(Text 8)  
M: Now some doctors are strongly encouraging arm exercises.  
W: Arm exercises? Is that because arms are too fat or too soft?  
M: Actually that's not the main reason. They say that arm exercises can make you physically healthy.  
W: But I was told that arm exercises could raise your blood pressure.  
M: Yes, but the article I read suggests some ways to make up for that.  
W: Really? How?  
M: By adding leg exercises, so that the arms don't do all the work.

W: And in return I'm sure that there's a good chance of losing weight.  
M: Sounds right to me.  
W: So what exercises do the experts suggest?  
M: They mentioned quite a few exercises, but one of the most popular ones is cycling.  
W: Good, I must try that.  
(Text 9)  
M: I'd like to add some Chinese traditional elements in the decoration of my new house.  
W: That's great! I like this style very much. And I think if you want to embody the Chinese elements, you should use the red color. It is the most representative color in China, sometimes it is called "Chinese Red".  
M: Oh, yes, I agree with you. And as for the door and the windows, I also like to use lattice. I think it is the most important element of Chinese decorating.  
W: Yes, I think you have a good understanding of the Chinese style. And I suggest you'd better hang two Chinese landscape paintings.  
M: Oh, that's a good idea; I will buy them in the afternoon. And I'd like to paint the walls again and buy a new sofa.  
W: What color do you want to paint?  
M: I don't know exactly, but I'd like to use fresh colors, I think these colors look vivid.  
W: What about the sofa?  
M: I have no idea about it.  
(Text 10)  
There are four basic types of college degrees in America, starting with the associate degree. The associate takes about two years to complete when one is enrolled full time. The bachelor's degree takes four years of full time study with the master's taking one to two years, and the doctor's three to four years. The associate degree may be substituted for the first two years of a bachelor's degree if it is a transfer degree. Not all associate degrees are designed for transfer. Some are technical degrees called terminal degrees, which means they do not count toward a bachelor's. The bachelor's is normally required before one can work at the master's level. Likewise, the master's is normally required before one can work at the doctor's level.  
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