

潘多拉新概念一册

— Lesson 43 —

Part 1 Text

- Where do you come from?
- 你是哪国人?
- I come from England.
- 我是英国人。
- What's the climate like in your country?
- 你们国家的气候怎么样?
- It's mild, but it's not always pleasant.
- 气候温和, 但也不总是宜人的。
- The weather's often cold in the North and windy in the East.
- 北部的天气常常寒冷, 东部则常常刮风。
- It's often wet in the West and sometimes warm in the South.
- 西部常下雨, 南部有时则很暖和。
- Which seasons do you like best?
- 你最喜欢哪些季节?
- I like spring and summer.
- 我最喜欢春季和夏季。
- The days are long and the nights are short. The sun rises early and sets late.
- 因为此时白天长而夜晚短, 太阳升得早而落得晚。
- I don't like autumn and winter.
- 我不喜欢秋季和冬季。
- The days are short and the nights are long. The sun rises late and sets early.
- 因为此时白天短而夜晚长, 太阳升得迟而落得早。
- Our climate is not very good, but it's certainly interesting.
- 虽然我们国家的气候并不很好, 但确实很有意思。
- It's our favorite subject of conversation.
- 天气是我们最喜欢谈论的话题。

• Practice •

Where does Jim come from?
(吉姆是哪国人?)

England (英国)
Austria (奥地利)
Canada (加拿大)

The weather's often ____ in the North and ____ in the East. (北部的天气常常...东部的天气则...)	mild, warm (温和的, 温暖的) cold, windy (寒冷的, 有风的) wet, mild (潮湿的, 温和的)
Which seasons does Jim like best? (吉姆最喜欢哪些季节?)	Autumn and winter (秋季和冬季) Summer and winter (夏季和冬季) Spring and summer (春季和夏季)
Why doesn't Jim like autumn and winter? (为什么吉姆不喜欢秋季和冬季?)	Because the days are short and the nights are long. (因为此时白天短而夜晚长。) Because the days are long and the nights are short. (因为此时白天长而夜晚短。) Because the days are short and the nights are short. (因为此时白天短而且夜晚也短。)

Part 2 Pronunciation and Intonation

• 双元音 /ɔr/ •

原文例词

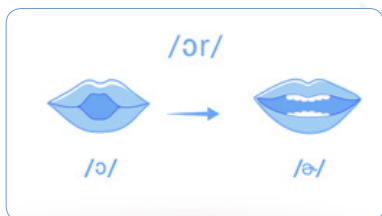
north /nɔrθ/

warm /wɔrm/

short /ʃɔrt/

发音解析

• 双元音 /ɔr/ •



由长元音 /ɔ/ 和 卷舌音 /r/ 组成
先将嘴唇稍稍收圆, 向前突出发出 /ɔ/ 音
迅速将舌头卷起, 发出类似汉字“尔”的卷舌音

sport /spɔrt/

before /bɪfɔr/

born /bɔrn/

north /nɔrθ/

warm /wɔrm/

short /ʃɔrt/

The weather's often cold in the **North** and windy in the East.
 It's often wet in the West and sometimes **warm** in the South.
 The days are long and the nights are **short**.
 The days are **short** and the nights are long.

Part 3 Words & Phrases & Grammar

1 ▶ - Where do you come from?

- I come from England.

- 你是哪国人?

- 我是英国人。

2 ▶ - What's the climate like in your country?

- It's mild, but it's not always pleasant.

- 你们国家的气候怎么样?

- 气候温和, 但也不总是宜人的。

询问某个季节的天气情况

What's the weather like in spring / summer / autumn / winter?

春 / 夏 / 秋 / 冬季天气如何?

mild 形容词 (天气) 温和的, 温暖的

We've had a mild winter this year.

我们今年过了个暖冬。

mild 形容词 (人) 温和的, 随和的

He is a mild guy.

他为人很随和。

always 副词 总是

It's always hot in this room.

这间屋里总是这么热。

always 副词 永远, 一直 (forever)

I will always remember you.

我会永远记着你。

3 ▶ The weather's often cold in the North and windy in the East.

北部的天气常常寒冷, 东部则常常刮风。

often 有两个读音, /əfən/ 或 /ɑften/ 两者都是正确的读法

in the north of England 英国的北部

in the east of England 英国的东部

north 名词 北方

The wind is coming from the north.

风从北边吹来。

north 形容词 北部的

the north coast of Iceland 冰岛的北部海岸

east 名词 东方

Which way is east?

哪边是东啊？

- 4 ▶ **It's often wet in the West and sometimes warm in the South.**

西部常下雨，南部有时则很暖和。

- 5 ▶ **- Which seasons do you like best?**

- I like spring and summer.

- 你最喜欢哪些季节？

- 我最喜欢春季和夏季。

season 名词 季节

How long does the dry season last?

旱季要持续多久？

in season 在旅游旺季

Hotel rooms are more expensive in season.

在旅游旺季，酒店的房间比较贵。

best 副词 最

Which evening would suit you best for the party?

你哪天晚上最合适来聚会？

- 6 ▶ **The days are long and the nights are short. The sun rises early and sets late.**

因为此时白天长而夜晚短，太阳升得早而落得晚。

night 夜晚

day 白天

It gets cold at night.

夜间天气转凉。

rise 动词 升起

What time does the moon rise?

月亮几点升起？

rise 动词 增加，上涨，升高

The wind is rising.

风越来越猛烈。

set 动词 (太阳) 落下去

We sat on the mountain and watched the sun set.

我们坐在山上观看日落。

early 副词 早

late 副词 晚, 迟

If you finish early you can go home.

如果你提早完成就可以回家。

late 形容词 晚, 迟

This bus is always late.

这趟公交总是晚点。

- 7 ▶ **I don't like autumn and winter. The days are short and the nights are long. The sun rises late and sets early.**

我不喜欢秋季和冬季。因为此时白天短而夜晚长, 太阳升得迟而落得早。

autumn 名词 秋天

in autumn 在秋天

fall 名词 秋天

in the fall 在秋天

I'm starting college in the fall.

我秋天开始上大学。

- 8 ▶ **Our climate is not very good, but it's certainly interesting.**

虽然我们国家的气候并不很好, 但确实很有意思。

interesting 形容词 有趣的, 有意思的

原形 interest 兴趣

interest + ing 形式 令人感兴趣, 引起兴趣的

She's quite an interesting woman.

她是一个很有趣的女人。

interest + ed 形式 某人对某事 / 人感兴趣

be interested in 对...感兴趣

You are interested in anything.

你对任何事情都感兴趣。

- 9 ▶ **It's our favorite subject of conversation.**

天气是我们最喜欢谈论的话题。

subject 名词 话题

I've got some very interesting things to say on this subject.

针对这个话题, 我有些有意思的事要说。

conversation 名词 谈话

have a conversation with sb 与某人谈话

She had a conversation with a man at the bar.

她在酒吧和一位男士进行了交谈。

Part 4 Paraphrase

- I saw Hans and Jim talking about the weather during the lunch time. Jim's from England. Weather is their favorite subject of conversation. Hans asked, 'What's the climate like in your country?' Jim replied, 'It's mild, but it's not always pleasant.' Hans said, 'Can you explain in detail?' Jim said, 'The weather's often cold in the North and windy in the East. It's often wet in the West and sometimes warm in the South.' Hans kept asking, 'Which seasons do you like best?' Jim replied, 'I like spring and summer. The days are long and the nights are short. The sun rises early and sets late.' Hans asked, 'What about autumn and winter?' Jim said, 'I don't like autumn and winter. The days are short and the nights are long. The sun rises late and sets early.' Hans asked at last, 'How do you think of the climate in your country?' Jim replied, 'Our climate is not very good, but it's certainly interesting.'