

雅思剑4真题TEST1 Section1

Good Morning.

早上好!

Good Morning. How can I help you?

早上好, 有什么可以帮到您?

I understand that the school organizes umm, trips to different...

我了解到学校有组织去不同地方的旅行.....

Yes, we run five every month: three during weekends and two Wednesday afternoon trips.

是的, 我们每月共有五次, 3次周末出发, 2次周三下午出发。

What sort of places?

都去些什么地方呢?

Well, obviously it varies, but always places of historical interest and also which offer a variety of shopping, because our students always ask about that.

嗯, 很多地方, 但是都基本上是历史古迹。还有一系列购物点, 因为学生总是咨询这些信息。

And then we go for ones where we know there are guided tours, because this gives a good focus for the visit.

我们会去有导游解说的地点, 因为这样更有针对性。

Do you travel far?

去的地方远吗?

Well, we are lucky here, obviously, because we're able to say that all our visits are less than three hours' drive.

嗯, 我们显然是比较幸运的, 可以这么说吧, 我们的旅行团车程少于3小时。

How much do they cost?

价钱多少呢?

Again, it varies-between five and fifteen pounds a head, depending on distance.

这要看具体旅游团, 根据距离的差异, 每人五到十五镑之间。

Ah ha...

啊...这样。

Oh, and we do offer to arrange special trips if, you know, there are more than twelve people.

哦, 还有如果你们超过12人, 我们可以提供定制旅行团。

Oh, right, I'll keep that in mind. And what are the times normally?

那好, 我记住了。通常什么时间出发呢?

添加的词汇

Tower

英:/'taʊə/ 美:/'taʊə/

n. 塔; 高楼; 堡垒 vi. 超越; 高耸

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We try to keep it pretty fixed so that...that students get to know the pattern.

我们尽量固定时间，好让学生知道我们的出团模式。

We leave at eight-thirty a. m. and return at six p. m.

我们早上八点半出发，下午六点回程。

We figure it's best to keep the day fairly short.

我们觉得最好还是短途的。

Oh, yes, and how do we reserve a place?

哦，对，那我们怎么预订呢？

You sign your name on the notice board. Do you know where it is?

在公告栏上签名就好。你知道在哪里吗？

Ah, ha, I saw it this morning.

嗯，我今天早上看到了。

And we do ask that you sign up three days in advance, so we know we've got enough people interested to run it.

我们要求提前三天签名，这样我们就能统计感兴趣的人数了。

And we can cancel if necessary, with full refund of course. -That's fine.

Thanks!

如果有必要我们会取消发团，当然报名费会全额退款。-那好，谢谢！

Before you hear the rest of the conversation, you'll have some time to look at questions five to ten.

在下面对话开始前，你将有时间看5到10题。

Now, listen and answer questions five to ten.

现在听并回答5到10题。

And what visits are planned for this term?

这个学期有什么出团安排呢？

Right, well...I'm afraid the schedule hasn't been printed out yet.

对，我估计这个学期的计划表还没打印出来。

But we have confirmed the dates and planned the optional extra visits which you can also book in advance if you want to.

但我们已经确定好了出团日期，并规划了可选的额外景点。如果你想说的话可以提前预定。

Oh, that's all right. If you can just give some idea of the weekend ones, so I can, you know, work out when to see friends, etcetera.

哦，那可以，如果你能先给我周末的出团信息，这样我就好安排什么时候见朋友等等。

Oh sure. Well, the first one is St Ives. That's on the thirteenth of February and we'll have only sixteen places available 'cause we're going by minibus.

哦，没问题！第一个是2月13号去圣艾夫斯，我们只有16空位，因为我们是坐小巴去。

And that's a day in town with the optional extra of visiting the Hepworth Museum.

这个团是小镇一日游，可额外选择参观海浦沃斯博物馆。

Oh right...yeah...that sounds good.

好啊，这个听起来不错。

Umm, then there's a London trip on the sixteenth of February and we'll be taking a medium-sized coach so there'll be forty-five places on that.

然后2月16号还有一个伦敦游团，我们坐中型客车，所以那上面有45个位置。

And let's see, the optional extra is the ***Tower*** of London.

让我看看，这个团可额外选择参观伦敦塔。

Oh, I've already been there.

哦，我已经去过那儿了。

Err, after that there's Bristol on the third of March. -Where?

呃，这个团之后是3月3号布里斯托团。-哪儿？

Bristol...B-R-I-S-T-O-L.

布里斯托，B-R-I-S-T-O-L.

OK.

好的。

That's in a different minibus with eighteen places available.

那是乘坐有18个座位的另一种小巴。

Oh, and the optional extra is a visit to the S.S.Great Britain. -OK...

可额外选择参观大不列颠号。-好吧。

We're going to Salisbury on the eighteenth of March, and that's always a popular one because the optional extra is Stonehenge, so we're taking the large coach with fifty seats. -Oh good.

3月18号是索尔兹伯里的团，这个团很受欢迎，因为可以额外选择参观巨石阵。所以我们会乘坐50人的大巴车。-哦，很好啊。

And then the last one is to Bath on the twenty-third of March.

最后一个是3月23号去巴斯。

Oh yes. Is Bath the Roman city?

是吗，巴斯是那个罗马城市吗？

Yes, that's right, and that's in the 16-seater minibus.

是的，我们会坐 16 座的小巴过去。

And where's the optional visit?

额外景点是？

It's to the American Museum - well worth a visit.

是去美国博物馆，那是个很值得去的景点。

OK, well that's great, thanks for all that...

好的，真好，谢谢你啊。

My pleasure. By the way, if you want more information about any of the trips, have a look in the student newspaper. -Ok.

不客气。顺便说下，如果想了解更多旅行团信息，你可以浏览学生报。-好。

Or, have a word with my assistant; her name is Jane Yentob - that's Y-E-N-T-O-B.

或者可以问下我助手，她叫简·严拓，就是YENTOB。

Right, I've got that. Thank you very much for all your help.

好，我知道了。非常感谢你的帮助。

You're very welcome. I hope you enjoy the trips.

不客气，希望你旅途愉快。

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Section 2

第二节

You'll hear a tour guide giving a talk about a museum center called Riverside Industrial Village.

你将会听到一个导游介绍滨河工业村。

First, you have some time to look at questions eleven to thirteen.

首先请读题11到13.

Now listen carefully and answer questions eleven to thirteen.

现在仔细听并回答11到13题。

Good afternoon everybody and welcome to Riverside Industrial Village.

各位下午好，欢迎大家来到滨河工业村。

To start your visit, I'm just going to give you a brief account of the history of the museum before letting you roam about on your own. I won't keep you long. OK?

参观开始前，首先容我在你们自由游览前简短介绍下博物馆的历史，不会耽误大家很长时间，可以吗？

Now, from where we're standing you've got a good view of the river over there.

现在我们所站的地方，你们可以将对岸河景尽收眼底。

And it was because of this fast-flowing water that this site was a natural place for manufacturing works.

因为水流急，这里是生产工作的天然地点。

The water and the availability of raw materials in the area, like minerals and iron ore, and also the abundance of **local** fuels, like coal and firewood, all made this site suitable for industry from a very early time.

水，还有这个区域的原材料例如矿物和铁矿，还有丰富的本地燃料，例如煤和柴。这些都使这里成为早期工业的合适地点。

Water was the main source of power for the early industries and some of the water wheels were first established in the twelfth century would you believe?

早期工业主要靠水力提供能源，你信吗？早在12世纪这里就有水磨了。

At that time, **local** craftsmen first built an iron **forge** just behind the village here, on the bend in the river.

那个时候，本地工匠在村后河的转弯处首先建了一个炼铁炉。

By the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, the region's rivers supported more than a hundred and sixty water mills, and many of these continued to operate well into the nineteenth century.

添加的词汇

local

英:/'ləʊk(ə)l/ 美:/'ləkl/

n. 当地居民；本地新闻；局部 adj. 局部的；当地的；地方性的；乡土的

forge

英:/fɔ:dʒ/ 美:/fɔ:rdʒ/

n. 熔炉，锻铁炉；铁工厂 vi. 伪造；做锻工



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到17和18世纪，这带河流支持超过160个水磨，直到19世纪，其中有很多还运作良好。

But then the steam engine was invented and then the railways came and the centres of industry were able to move away from the rivers and the countryside and into the towns. So, industrial villages like this one became very rare.

但是后来发明了蒸汽机，随后火车的引入，工业的中心从河边和郊区迁移到镇上，所以像这样的工业村变得很罕见。

So that's the history for you.

这就是它的历史了。

If you'd like any more information, you can ask me some questions, or you can read further in our excellent guide book.

如果你想要更多信息，可以提问或者阅读下我们很棒的游览手册。

Before you hear the rest of the talk you'll have some time to look at questions fourteen to twenty.

下面内容开始前，你将有时间预览14到20题。

Now listen, and answer questions fourteen to twenty.

请听，并回答14到20题。

Now, I'm going to give you a plan of the site and I'd just like to point out where everything is and then you can take a look at everything for yourself.

现在我给大家介绍下分布图，告诉大家具体位置，然后你们可以自行参观。

I've already pointed out the river, which is on the left.

我之前已经指出河在左边。

And of course running along the bottom is Woodside Road.

当然沿河到底是Woodside路。

Got it? OK. Now we're standing at the entrance.

明白吗？我们现在所在地区位置是入口。

See it at the bottom, and immediately to our right is the Ticket Office.

看，在图的最底下。右手边就是售票处。

You won't need that because you've got your group booking.

你们是团购，所以不需理会售票处。

But just past it are the toilets - always good to know where they are.

过了售票处就是厕所，提前知道总是好的。

In front of us is the car park, as you can see, and to the left, by the entry gate is the Gift Shop.

在我们前方是停车场，入口的左边是礼品店。

That's where you can get copies of the guide, like this one here.

在那可以买到像这本一样的引导手册。

Now, beyond the car park, all the buildings are arranged in a half circle with a yard in the middle.

现在看到停车场前面，所有的建筑物都是以中间的庭院为中心，呈半圆型分布。

The big stone building at the top is the main Workshop.

最顶那个大石头建筑就是主要的作坊。

That's where the furnace is and where all the metal was smelted and the tools were cast, as you'll be able to see.

炼铁炉就在这里，所有的金属在这熔炼，工具也在这铸造，后面你可以看到。

Now, in the top right-hand corner, that building with bigger windows is the Showroom, where samples of all the tools that were made through the ages are on display.

现在看到右上角，那个窗户稍大的建筑就是展示厅。那个时期所锻造的工具样本都在那展出。

In the top left corner is the Grinding Shop, where the tools were sharpened and finished.

在左上角是打磨作坊，所有工具在那进行磨尖和完成。

And on one side of that you can see the Engine Room, and on the other, is the Cafe, which isn't an antique, you'll be pleased to know, though they do serve very nice old-fashioned teas.

在打磨作坊的一边是引擎房，另一边就是咖啡厅，咖啡厅不是古董，知道这点你们应该会很开心，尽管咖啡厅供应传统茶饮。

The row of buildings you can see on the left are the cottages.

在左边那排建筑是小木屋。

These were built for the workers towards the end of the eighteenth century and they're still furnished from that period, so you can get a good idea of ordinary people's living conditions.

这些小木屋在18世纪末为工匠们建造，现在依然沿用旧时的布置，所以你可以很一目了然的知道当时人们的居住环境。

Across the yard from them, you can see the stables where the horses were kept for transporting the products.

穿过庭院就是马厩。负责运送货物的马匹都饲养在这。

And the separate building in front of them is the Works Office, and that still has some of the old accounts on display.

马厩前的独立建筑是事务办公室。这里依然有一些老账户本展出。

Right, if anyone wants a guided tour then I'm starting at the Engine Room. If you'd like to come along, this way please, ladies and gentlemen.

好了，如果有人需要导游陪同参观，我会从引擎房开始讲解。请跟我来，女士们先生们。

That is the end of section two, you now have half a minute to check your answers.

第二节已完，你有30秒检查答案。

Now turn to section three.

现在翻到第三节。

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Section 3

第三节

You'll hear Melanie a student, talking to one of her lecturers about her studies.

你将会听到一名叫梅兰尼的学生与她的讲师讨论她的研究。

First, you have some time to look at questions twenty-one to twenty-seven.

首先请浏览21至27题。

Now listen carefully, and answer questions twenty-one to twenty-seven.

现在仔细听，并回答21至27题。

Excuse me, Dr Johnson.

您好，约翰逊博士。

May I speak to you for a minute?

我能跟您聊一会吗？

Sure, come in.

当然，请进。

I'm Melanie Griffin. I'm taking your course in population studies.

我叫梅兰尼。格瑞芬。我是您人口研究课的学生。

Right, well, Melanie, How can I help you?

嗯，那我能帮你什么呢？

I'm having a bit of trouble with the second assignment, and it's due in twelve days.

第二个作业我遇到点问题，还有12天就要交了。

What sort of trouble are you having?

什么问题呢？

Is the assignment question a problem?

是作业题目吗？

Well, that's part of the problem.

嗯，其中一部分吧。

I'm also having - been having - trouble getting hold of the books.

我有，其实一直有个问题是找不到需要的书。

I've been to the library several times and all the books were out.

我已经去过几次图书馆了，所有书都借出了。

Sounds like you should have started borrowing books a bit earlier.

听起来你该早点开始借书啊。

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Well, I had a really big assignment due in for another course, and I've been spending all my time on that, and I thought...

嗯，其实是我另外一门课有个大作业要交，我一直把时间都花在那上面，想着...

You might get an extension of time to finish your assignment for me?

想着在我这，你可以延迟交作业的日子？

If that's possible. But I don't know...

可能吗？但是，我不知道...

Well, yes, it is possible, but extensions are normally given only for medical or compassionate reasons.

嗯是可能的，不过一般延迟日期只批给医疗和私事原因。

Otherwise, it's really a question of organizing your study, and we don't like giving extensions to students who simply didn't plan their work properly.

否则这就是你组织学习的问题了，我们也不愿意让一些不会合理安排学习时间的学生延迟交作业。

What did you get for your first assignment?

那你上次的作业分数是多少？

I got eighty-seven percent.

我拿了87分。

Mmm, yes, you did very well indeed. So obviously you can produce good work.

嗯，成绩很好！显然，你可以把作业做好。

I don't think I'll need too much extra time, as long as I can get hold of some of the important references.

我不需要延迟太久，只要我拿到一些重要的参考书目。

Well, since you did so well in your first assignment, I'm prepared to give you an extra two weeks for this one.

鉴于你上次作业做得那么好，我就批你延迟2个星期交吧。

So that'll mean you need to submit it about a month from now.

也就是你得下个月交。

Oh, thank you!

太感谢了！

Now, what about the reading materials. Have you checked out the journal articles in the list?

那你的阅读资料到底怎么了？你查阅过单子上的期刊文章吗？

Umm, no, not yet. There were about twenty of them and...I wasn't sure which ones would be most useful or important.

额，还没呢。有20个，我不是很清楚到底哪些最有用和最重要。

Well, they are all useful. But I don't expect anyone to read them all, because a number of them deal with the same issues.

都很有用，但是我也不指望你们都读了，毕竟里面很多讲得是同一个问题。

And let me give you some suggestions.

让我给你点建议吧。

The article by Anderson and Hawker is really worth reading.

安德森和霍克写的文章很值得一读。

Right, I'll read that one.

好，我会看那个的。

You should also read the article by Jackson, but just look at the part on the research methodology — how they did it.

你还该看杰克逊写的那篇文章，但是只需看研究方法论，就是他们如何做的。

OK, Jackson, got that.

嗯，杰克逊，知道了。

And if you have time, the one by Roberts says very relevant things, although it's not essential.

如果时间充裕的话，罗伯茨的文章有说到一些相关的信息，但是不是必须的。

So...OK, if it's useful I'll try to read that one.

那...如果有用的话我会读读看。

Now, the one by Morris. I wouldn't bother with that at this stage if I were you.

还有莫里斯的，我是你的话，现在阶段来说可以不要理会。

OK, I won't bother with Morris.

好的，忽略莫里斯的。

Oh now, someone told me the article by Cooper is important.

噢，还有人告诉我库伯的文章也很重要。

Well, yes, in a way, but just look at the last part, where he discusses the research results.

嗯，某程度来说是。但是只要看最后讨论研究结果那一部分就好。

And lastly, there is Forster. I can't think why I included that one.

最后是福斯特。我都不知道为什么我要加上他的。

It's not bad, and could be of some help, but not that much.

不错，有点用但是又不是很重要。

Before you hear the rest of the conversation, you have some time to look at questions twenty-eight to thirty.

下面内容开始前，请浏览28至30题。

Now listen and answer questions twenty-eight to thirty.

现在听并回答28至30题。

Now, let's deal with the assignment question.

现在我们来看看作业的问题。

What's the problem there?

有什么问题啊？

It's the graph from page two.

是第二页的图。

What seems to be the problem? It's just the bar graph, showing reasons why people change where they live.

有什么问题呢？就是一副描述人们迁移住所原因的柱状图。

Well, I've got the photocopy, but the reasons at the bottom are missing.

嗯，我有复印件，但是底下的原因没印上。

Ah, Ok, look at the first bar on the graph.

噢，这样！先看看图中第一个柱形。

Now that indicates the number of people who move because they want more space.

说得是因为需要更多空间而搬的人数。

Oh, I see, bar one, ok, now what about the next bar?

噢，我懂了第一个。那第二个柱形呢？

Bar two is to do with people living nearby disturbing them, so they chose to move away to somewhere quieter.

第二个柱形说的是因为邻居扰民，为了搬去安静点的地方的人数。

Now let's look at bar number three, another reason people change their place of living is because they want to be closer to the city.

现在来看看第三个柱形，说的是因为想住的近市区而搬的人数。

OK, proximity to the city is an issue.

嗯，靠近市区是个问题。

Now, bar number four refers to problems when the owner of the property won't help fix things that go wrong.

第四个柱形是因为房东不肯负责维修而搬迁的人数。

In other words, the owner is not helpful, and so the tenants move out.

换句话说就是房东不给力，租客搬离。

OK, now what about bar five?

那第五个呢？

Ah, bar five is about those people who move because they need a bus or train to get them into the city or to go to work.

第五个柱形图指的是因为需要坐巴士或火车到市区上班的人数。

OK. And bar six?

好，第六呢？

Bar number six is interesting, that reason was given quite a lot.

第六个原因挺有意思和包含意思也很广。

People moving because they want to be in a more attractive neighbourhood.

说的是，搬是因为想住在更好的小区。

Oh, yes, thank you very much.

嗯，太谢谢您了。

That is the end of section three. You now have half a minute to check your answers.

第三节结束。你现在有30秒检查答案。

Now turn to section four.

现在请转到第四节。



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Section four.

第四节。

You'll hear a talk on the subject of the urban landscape.

你将会听到一个关于城市景观的演讲。

First, you have some time to look at questions thirty-one to forty.

首先请浏览31至40题。

Now listen carefully and answer questions thirty-one to forty.

现在请仔细听，并完成31至40题。

Good day, ladies and gentlemen.

女士们，先生们，大家好。

I have been asked today to talk to you about the urban landscape.

今天的演讲是关于城市景观。

There are two major areas that I will focus on in my talk.

我的演讲主要针对两点。

How vegetation can have a significant effect on urban climate?

植被是如何对城市气候产生重大影响的？

And how we can better plan our cities using trees to provide a more comfortable environment for us to live in.

如何利用树木更好地规划更加舒适的城市居住环境？

Trees can have a significant impact on our cities.

树木对我们城市的影响是巨大的。

They can make a city, as a whole, a bit less windy or a bit more windy, if that's what you want.

总的来说，如果需要的话，它们能使城市少些风或者多些风。

They can make it a bit cooler if it's a hot summer day in an Australian city, or they can make it a bit more humid if it's a dry inland city.

如果是澳洲市区炎热的夏天，树木能使天气凉快一点，又或者如果是干燥的内陆城市，树木能使空气湿润些。

On the **local** scale - that is, in particular areas within the city - trees can make the **local** area more shady, cooler, more humid and much less windy.

在本地区域，尤其是城市内某些区域，树木能使该区域更多树荫，更凉快，更湿润，也同时大大减少风力。

In fact trees and planting of various kinds can be used to make city streets actually less dangerous in particular areas.

事实上，在市内特定的区域，树木和各类植被能使城市路面危险度降低一些。

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local

英:/'ləʊk(ə)l/ 美:/'ləʊkl/

n. 当地居民；本地新闻；局部 adj. 局部的；当地的；地方性的；乡土的



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How do trees do all that, you ask?

树木是如何做到这些的呢？

Well, the main difference between a tree and a building is a tree has got an internal mechanism to keep the temperature regulated.

嗯，树木和建筑最主要的区别是树木自身的内部机制能调节温度。

It evaporates water through its leaves and that means that the temperature of the leaves is never very far from our own body temperature.

水分通过树叶蒸发，这意味着树叶的温度不会和人类的体温相差太远。

The temperature of a building surface on a hot sunny day can easily be twenty degrees more than our temperature.

艳阳炙烤下的建筑物表面温度轻易就能超过体温20度。

Trees, on the other hand, remain cooler than buildings because they sweat. 而另一方面，树木能持续保持比建筑物温度低，因为他们能出汗。

This means that they can humidify the air and cool it- a property which can be exploited to improve the **local** climate.

这就意味这它们能湿润空气，然后降温，而这个特质能被用于改善本地气候。

Trees can also help break the force of winds.

树木还能帮助分解风力。

The reason that high buildings make it windier at ground level is that, as the wind goes higher and higher, it goes faster and faster.

之所以高楼的底层风力更大是因为随着风向增高，风速会越来越快。

When the wind hits the building, it has to go somewhere.

当风撞击到建筑物时，风必须吹向一个方向。

Some of it goes over the top and some goes around the sides of the building, forcing those high level winds down to ground level.

有些风走向建筑物顶端，而有些则围绕建筑物，这迫使高处的风走向建筑物底层。

That doesn't happen when you have trees.

当有树木的时候，这就不会发生。

Trees filter the wind and considerably reduce it, preventing those very large strong gusts that you so often find around tall buildings.

树木能过滤风并很大程度上减低风力，阻止形成高楼周围常见的强风。

Another problem in built-up areas is that traffic noise is intensified by tall buildings.

在高楼林立区域的另外一个问题是高楼会加强交通噪音。

By planting a belt of trees at the side of the road, you can make things a little quieter, but much of the vehicle noise still goes through the trees.

通过在路两旁种植树带能使马路安静些，但是大部分的噪音还是会穿树而过。

Trees can also help reduce the amount of noise in the surroundings, although the effect is not as large as people like to think.

树木还能减低周围环境的噪音，虽然不如我们想象中有效。

Low-frequency noise, in particular, just goes through the trees as though they aren't there.

特别是低频噪音无视树木的存在，直接穿过他们释放出来。

Although trees can significantly improve the **local** climate, they do however take up a lot of space.

虽说树木能大大改善本地气候，但确实也很占空间。

There are root systems to consider and branches blocking windows and so on.

例如根系，树枝挡着窗等。

It may therefore be difficult to fit trees into the **local** landscape.

所以将树放置在本地景观中可能有困难。

There is not a great deal you can do if you have what we call a street canyon - a whole set of high-rises enclosed in a narrow street.

如果碰到街道峡谷，就是高楼成排街道狭窄，那也就无能为力了。

Trees need water to grow. They also need some sunlight to grow and you need room to put them.

树木生长需要水和太阳，你需要空间种植。

If you have the chance of knocking buildings down and replacing them, then suddenly you can start looking at different ways to design the streets and to introduce...

如果有机会推倒建筑再建，那时就可以开始用不同的方式审视街道设计了，引入...

That is the end of section four, you now have half a minute to check your answers.

第四节已完。你有30秒检查答案。

That is the end of the listening test.

听力部分结束。

In the IELTS test, you would now have ten minutes to transfer your answers to the listening answer sheet.

在雅思考试中，你现在有10分钟把你的答案誊写在答题卡上。

雅思剑4真题TEST2 Section1

W: Oh, Peter, there you are. You've been ages. What kept you so long?

噢, Peter, 原来你在这儿啊。已经过了很长时间了。什么事情耽搁了?

M: I'm Sorry I'm so late, Sally. Have you been waiting long?

对不起, 我迟到了, Sally。你等很久了吗?

W: Oh, half an hour. But it doesn't matter. I've had a coffee and I have been reading this guidebook for tourists.

哦, 半个小时了。但不要紧。我喝了杯咖啡, 还一直在读游客指南。

Sally has been waiting half an hour for Peter, so C has been circled.

Sally等了Peter半小时, 所以应该圈C。

Now we shall begin.

现在开始。

You should answer the questions as you listen, because you will not hear the recording a second time.

现在边听边回答, 因为你不会听到第二遍。

Listen carefully and answer questions 1 to 5.

仔细听并回答1到5题。

W: Oh, Peter, there you're. You've been ages. What kept you so long?

噢, 彼得, 原来你在这儿啊。已经过了很长时间了。什么事情耽搁了你?

M: I'm Sorry, I'm so late, Sally. Have you been waiting long?

对不起, 我迟到了, Sally。你等很久了吗?

W: Oh, half an hour. But it doesn't matter.

哦, 半个小时了。但不要紧。

I've had a coffee and I've been reading this guidebook for tourists. Sit down.

我喝了杯咖啡, 还一直在读游客指南。

W: You look very hot and tired. What would you like to drink?

你看起来又热又累。想喝点什么?

M: I'd love a really chilled mineral water or something. Will you have another coffee?

我真想来点儿冰镇矿泉水什么的。你想再来杯咖啡么?

W: Yes, I will. The waitress will be back in a moment. Why were you so late? Did something happen?

是的。服务员一会儿就回来。你为什么迟到了? 发生了什么事吗?

M: Yes. You know I went to the bank to cash some travellers cheques?

是的, 我去了银行兑现旅行支票。

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tower

英:/'taʊə/ 美:/'taʊə/

n. 塔; 高楼; 堡垒 vi. 超越; 高耸



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Well, the exchange rate was looking healthy, but when I went to the teller, they told me the computer system was temporarily down, so they couldn't do any transactions.

汇率之前看起来很好，但我去了之后柜员告诉我电脑系统暂时出现故障。因此无法进行任何交易。

They said the problem would be fixed in a few minutes, so I waited.

他们说问题一会儿就可以解决，所以我等着。

And then I started talking to another guy in the bank, and I forgot the time.

然后我开始和另一个在银行的伙计聊天，忘了时间。

W: Oh, really? Someone you met in the bank? Does he work there?

哦，真的吗？你在银行遇见的人。他在那里工作吗？

M: No, he was a tourist, from New York. His name is Henry, and he's been here for a week, but he's moving on to Germany tomorrow.

不，他是一名游客，来自纽约。他叫Henry。他在这儿已经一周了，但他明天要去德国。

He's an architect, and he's spending four weeks travelling around Europe.

他是一个建筑师，他准备花四周时间在欧洲旅行。

W: Just like us!

就像我们一样？

M: Yeah, just like us. He told me the names of some places where we should eat.

对，像我们一样。他告诉我了一些该去的餐厅的名字。

Great food, and not too expensive, he said.

他说那里的食物好吃而且不太贵。

Oh, and he also gave me this map of the bus system. He said he didn't need it anymore.

哦，他还给了我个公交系统地图，他说他用不着了。

W: That's useful. Pity he's moving on tomorrow.

这很有用。真遗憾他明天就走了。

Ah, here's the waitress. Let's order.

啊，女服务生来了，我们点餐吧。

Do you want anything to eat, or shall we just have a drink?

你想吃点什么吗？还是我们就只喝点东西？

M: Well. I'm hungry, and we've got a lot of sightseeing to do, so let's just have a snack and a drink.

嗯，我饿了。而且我们要逛很久。让我们去弄点儿小吃和饮料吧。

W: Sounds good to me.

这听起来不错。

Before you hear the rest of the conversation you'll have some time to look at questions 6 to 10.

下面内容开始前，你将有时间预览6到10题。

Now listen, and answer questions 6 to 10.

请听，并回答6到10题。

M: Well. Let's decide what we'll see today.

嗯，让我们来决定我们今天游览什么。

I guess the best place to start is the Cathedral, and then the Castle.

我觉得最好的游览起点是教堂，然后是城堡。

What are the opening times for those two?

那两个的开放时间是什么时候？

W: Well, according to this guidebook, the Cathedral is only open from 9.30 in the morning until midday.

嗯，根据游览指南，教堂只从早上9：30分开放到中午。

Oh, no, hang on. That's the Cathedral Museum.

哦，不，等等，那是教堂博物馆的开放时间。

The Cathedral itself is open morning and afternoon.

教堂本身在早上和下午开放。

The Castle is just open from 1 to 5, so we can't go there until after lunch.

城堡只从下午一点开到五点，所以我们直到吃过午餐后才能去。

I really want to spend some time in the Art Gallery, because they've got this wonderful painting by Rembrandt that I've always wanted to see.

我真的想花点时间待在艺术画廊，因为那里有我想一睹为快的伦勃朗的画。

M: What else should we see?

我们还应该去看什么？

W: Well the guidebook says the Botanical Gardens are worth spending some time in.

嗯，游览指南说植物园值得一花时间一去。

And they're open all day from 8 to 6 so we can go there anytime.

那里全天8点到6点开放，所以我们随时可以去。

I'd like to go to the Markets near the river too, but...Oh...no, wait, that's only in the mornings, too.

我也想去河边的市场，但是...哦，不行，那只在早晨开。

M: As well as today and tomorrow, we can see some other places on Monday you know.

不仅是今天和明天，我们可以在周一去看更多的地方。

But I don't think the Markets will be open then; they only open on Thursdays, so we've missed them for this week.

但是我觉得那是市场不会开。他们只在周四开。所以我们这周要错过了。

Maybe we should go to the Cathedral today because it's Sunday tomorrow.

也许我们今天应该去教堂，因为明天是周日。

And even though it's open every day, it might be more difficult to get in tomorrow because of the church services.

即使它每天开放，明天也可能因为礼拜仪式更难进去。

W: Em, that's true, but the Art Gallery isn't open on Sundays at all, so we'll have to go there today.

嗯，是的。但是艺术画廊周日根本不开，所以我们今天必须去。

The Castle's open every day except Monday, so we're OK there, and the Gardens of course only close at night.

城堡除了周一每天都开放。所以那里是可以的，当然花园晚上是不开的。

M: Are all these places free or do we have to pay to go in? What does the guidebook say?

所有这些地方都免费吗？还是需要付钱进去？旅游指南上怎么说？

W: I think there's a charge for all of them except the Botanical Gardens. Oh, and the markets, of course you don't pay to go in.

我觉得除了植物园，其他都是收费的。哦，还有市场。当然你不用花钱进入。

M: Okay, well, it looks like our plan is this: we'll go to see the painting you like first, the Rembrandt, then have lunch and go on to the Castle after that, and then the Cathedral.

好吧，嗯，看来这就是我们的计划了。我们将会去看油画，你喜欢的先来，伦勃朗之类的。然后吃午饭，去城堡，最后去教堂。

W: Okay. It says here that the roof of the Cathedral is really beautiful.

好的，听说教堂的穹顶非常漂亮。

M: Is that right? What I really want to do at the Cathedral is climb the **tower**.

真的吗？但是我真的想去教堂爬塔。

The view is supposed to be spectacular!

据说景色壮观极了。

W: Okay, well, that'll be more than enough for today.

好吧，这样今天就足够了。

Then, tomorrow, let's go to the Botanical Gardens and have a picnic.

那么明天我们去植物园野餐吧。

I want to sit by the river and watch the swans. This city's famous for them.

我想坐在河边看着天鹅。这座城市因此而出名。

That is the end of section one, you now have half a minute to check your answers.

第一节已完，你有30秒检查答案。

Now turn to section two.

现在翻到第二节。

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So the counselling services we offer deal with any problems arising from your studies or in your life outside the university.

我们的咨询服务，致力于你学习生活中或校园外产生的任何问题。

Let's take academic counselling.

我们先谈谈学业方面的咨询。

If you're confused about subjects or how to combine them in your degree, then we can advise you and discuss the career you are aiming for, so that you can see it all in context.

如果你对课程感到困惑，或者不知道如何把它们融入到你的学位中去，我们可以为你提供建议，并讨论你的职业规划。这样你就可以把这样的问题放到一个大环境下去考虑了。

We can also chase up your tutor if you're not getting proper feedback on how you are getting on in your subject.

如果你没有得到有关课程进展的合适反馈，我们也可以提醒你的导师。

Besides help with academic problems, you may also need personal counselling.

除了帮助解决学术问题，你也许需要个人咨询。

If you think you're already under stress, well, just wait till classes begin next week.

如果你觉得有压力，嗯，等到下周课程开始。

You'll have to start adjusting to teaching and learning methods that may be unfamiliar to you, as well as the mounting pressure as the deadline for that first assignment creeps up on you.

你要必须开始适应你不熟悉的教学与学习方法，以及随着第一份作业的截止日期临近而逐渐增加的压力。

And of course, you'll have to cope with all this without your usual social network, you know, the social contacts, family and friends you could normally rely on for help.

当然，你要必须学会在没有日常的社会关系网中处理所有事情，你知道的，交往的人，家庭和朋友，他们通常可以信赖和帮助你。

All of this causes anxiety. Studying overseas can trigger a personal crisis.

所有这些都会造成焦虑。海外学习可能触发个人危机。

You may have left a lot of what you might call 'unfinished business' back in your own country.

你可能已经落下很多在祖国没有处理的事情。

Or you may have interrupted personal relationships or even sometimes broken them off to come overseas.

或者，你可能会因为出国而被阻断个人关系，或者甚至有时关系破裂的情况。

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n. 当地居民；本地新闻；局部 adj. 局部的；当地的；地方性的；乡土的



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And so the student often feels lonely, unhappy, unmotivated and unable to concentrate on studying. Or there may be other things bothering you.

所以，学生经常感到孤单，不开心，没有动力，不能集中精力到学习上。或存在其他困扰。

Our resident chaplain can offer you spiritual guidance if that's what you want or we can put you in touch with community groups that can provide you with social contacts and friendship.

如果你想要（这些服务），我们的常驻牧师可以给你提供精神指导，我们可以和你的社区团体保持联系，为你提供社交联谊。

Before you hear the rest of the talk, you have some time to look at questions 15 to 20.

下面内容开始前，请浏览15至20题。

Now listen and answer questions 15 to 20.

现在听并回答15至20题。

What about exam stress?

关于考试压力呢？

It affects nearly everyone to some extent, but especially overseas students like yourselves.

在某种程度上，它几乎影响每个人，但尤其是像你们这样的海外学生。

There may be a huge amount of family pressure on you to succeed.

你可能为了成功，身上有巨大的家庭负担。

And if you fail a subject or drop out of a course because it's too difficult, then your self-esteem can suffer. But it's not the end of the world if you don't pass an exam.

而且如果你挂了科或未完成学业是因为它太难，然后自尊心可能受挫。但是考试没过并不是什么世界末日。

I had to resit First Year Anthropology, so I can certainly offer you a sympathetic ear!

我大一学人类学时也曾补考过，所以我会很乐意倾听你们的遭遇！

Anyway, exam failure can lead to worrying changes in the way you normally behave.

总之，考试失败可能导致你日常行为出现令人担忧的变化。

You may also be off your food, or you may have dietary problems because the **local** food is not to your liking and upsets you, and this can affect your health and studies.

你可能会不再有胃口，或因不喜欢当地食物而产生饮食问题，让你沮丧，这些可能影响你的健康和学习。

Glenda Roberts is our dietician in the Health Service and we can put you on to her.

Glenda Roberts是我们的健康服务饮食专家，有什么问题可以问她。

And we all have money problems, don't we?

我们都有资金问题，对吗？

But remember, full-time students can get a low-interest loan of up to six hundred dollars to buy books and for similar study-related expenses.

但是记住，全日制学生可获得一笔600元的低息贷款，用来买书或支付其他相关学习费用。

That's right, and you can get double that amount if you can't afford an item of equipment you need for your course – a musical instrument, for example.

对。如果你买不起课程需要的器材，例如乐器，你可以得到双倍数量的贷款。

And it doesn't stop there.

还不止这些。

When you move into a flat, starting-up expenses, including furniture for it, can be covered by a loan through the Welfare Service. See Jill Freeman for details.

当你搬进公寓，那些包括家具的起始花费，通过福利服务社也可以被包含在贷款项目内。看看 Jill Freeman 具体怎么说。

Can we help you? Well, last academic year in spite of staff cuts, we counselled two hundred and forty international students for a total of twenty-six hundred hours counselling.

我们能够帮你吗？上个学年，尽管进行了裁员，我们对240个国际学生进行了咨询，共2600小时。

And finally we won all but just one of the twelve appeals that we launched on behalf of students.

我们代表学生们提起了12宗申诉，除了一宗之外，最终全部获胜。

Not too bad for an understaffed service, don't you think?

在人手不够的情况下不算太坏吧？

That's all from me. Thank you.

就这样，谢谢。

That is the end of section two. You now have half a minute to check your answers.

第二节结束。你现在有30秒检查答案。

Now turn to section three.

请转到第三节。

雅思剑4真题TEST2 Section3

W: Oh, there you are, good.

哦，你在这儿啊，不错。

Sorry I'm a bit late. There was a long queue.

对不起，有点迟了。排了很长的队。

So have you worked out how to deal with this assignment then?

那你知道如何解决作业了吗？

M1: Not yet. We've only been here a couple of minutes ourselves.

还没有，我们在这里待了没多久。

W: Can you just remind me what the task is exactly?

你能再提醒我一下到底是什么任务吗？

M2: Well, there are two, err, no, three parts to it.

嗯，有两个部分，哦不，是三个。

First we've got to write an essay about ways of collecting data. Then...

第一，我们需要写一个关于数据收集的小文章，然后...

W: What's the title of the essay exactly?

确切的论文题目是什么？

M1: I've got it here: 'Assess the two main methods of collecting data in social science research'.

题目是：评定在社会科学研究中的两种收集数据的方法。

W: And how much do we need to write?

我们要写多少字？

M1: Fifteen hundred words. That's for the essay.

1500字。那是论文的字数。

Then, for the second part of the assignment, we have to choose one method of data collection, and carry out a small-scale study, making appropriate use of the method chosen to gather data from at least five subjects.

然后对这个任务的第二部分是我们必须选择一个数据收集的方法，适当实施一项小规模的研究方法，至少从5个被试中获取数据。

W: And then we have to write a report on the study?

然后我们要写一个关于研究的报告吗？

M2: That's right, of three to four thousand words.

对。三四千字。

W: Did you get as far as discussing which form of data collection we should go for - questionnaire or interview, isn't it?

你们已经讨论了调查问卷和采访这两种数据收集方法之中我们选择哪种这个问题了，是不是？

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M1: Yeah, I think we should use a questionnaire. It'll be so much less time-consuming than organising interviews, I reckon.

是的，我觉得我们应该做调查问卷。我觉得那会比采访更节省时间。

Once we've agreed on the wording of it, we only have to send it out and wait for the responses.

一旦我们已经达成一致，就只需发出去等待回应。

W: Yes, I think it probably would be quicker.

是的，我觉得那样可能更快一些。

But what did that article he gave us last week say about the quality of data from questionnaires?

但上周给我们的那篇文章说了关于问卷中数据质量什么？

M1: I'm pretty sure it recommended questionnaires as a source of 'highly reliable data'. As long as you design the questionnaire properly in the first place, the data will be fine.

我非常确定，推荐的问卷是有效数据的来源。只要一开始就设计出正确的问卷，数据不会有问题的。

W: No. I'm sure it talked about drawbacks as well, didn't it? something about the response rate and the problems you get if it's too low.

不，我确定它还谈论了一些缺陷，不是吗？一些关于回应率低的问题。

M1: Yeah, but we only need data from five subjects, anyway.

是的，但我们只需要从五个对象中获得数据。

W: Oh, I suppose so. Another drawback I remember it mentioned was that questionnaire data tends not to reveal anything unexpected, because it is limited to the questions fixed in advance by the researcher.

哦，似乎是这样。我记得它提到的另外一个缺陷在于，调查问卷不太可能揭示出乎意料的东西，因为问卷仅限于研究者事先确定好的问题。

M1: Come on, Rosa. This is only a practice. It's not meant to be a real research, is it?

拜托，Rosa，这只是个练习而已。它原本就不是真正的研究，不是吗？

W: Well, I'm not sure about that.

嗯，我不是很确定。

Before you hear the rest of the conversation, you have some time to look at questions twenty-seven to thirty.

下面内容开始前，请浏览27至30题。

Now listen and answer questions twenty-seven to thirty.

现在听并回答27至30题。

W: Maybe I'd better go through the article again, just to be sure. Can you remember what it was called?

或许我应该再读一遍那篇文章，好弄清楚到底怎么回事。你记得它的名字么？

M: 'Sample Surveys and Social Science Research', I think. By Mehta.

Mehta写的《样本调查和社会科学研究》。

W: M-E-H-T-A?

M-E-H-T-A?

M: Yeah. And he also recommended a more recent book called Survey Research by Bell, I think. It's in that series published by London University.

是的。我认为他还推荐了一本更近代的书，是Bell写的《调查研究》。它是伦敦大学出版的艺术系列书籍。

M2: And if we tried to use interviews instead, I saw a book in the departmental library that will be helpful: it's called 'Interviews that work', by Wilson, published in Oxford in nineteen eighty-eight.

如果我们试着用访谈法，我在部门图书馆看了一本书，Wilson编写牛津1988年出版的《Interviews》，这会对我们非常有用。

W: Right. Oh, I have got a tutorial now. Can we meet up again later this week?

哦，我现在有一节指导课，要不这周晚些时候我们再碰一次面？

What about Friday morning?

周五早上如何？

M: Suits me. Eleven o'clock?

好的，11点？

W: Fine.

好的。

M: Before Friday, I think we should all look through the reading list.

周五之前，我觉得我们应该看完书单的所有内容。

That is the end of section three. You now have half a minute to check your answers.

第三节结束。你现在有30秒检查答案。

Now turn to section four.

现在请转到第四节。

雅思剑4真题TEST2 Section4

So far, in these lectures, we've been looking at crimes like robbery and murder - both from a historical viewpoint and also in contemporary society.

到目前为止，在这些讲座中，我们从历史的角度和当代社会的角度上已经看到了很多种犯罪，例如抢劫和谋杀。

And we've seen that the preoccupation in Western society with crime and with lawlessness is part of a long and continuous tradition, rather than something which is new and unique to modern society.

我们看到在西方社会关注犯罪与不法行为是长期持续的传统的一部分，而不是现代社会的新生事物。

But over the past seventy years or so, there has been a massive increase in one type of crime which is what's known as 'corporate crime'.

但是在过去的70年中，有一种犯罪呈大量增长趋势，这就是企业犯罪。

Corporate crime is crime which, as the name suggests, is connected with companies, with business organisations.

企业犯罪，顾名思义是与公司和商业组织有关。

It includes illegal acts of either individuals or a group within the company.

它包括公司内个人或群体的不法行为。

But what is important is that these acts are normally in accordance with the goals of the company.

但重要的是这些行为通常与公司的目标一致。

They're for the good of the company rather than the individual.

他们是为了公司而不是个人的利益。

It's been defined as, quote, 'crime which is committed for the corporate organization' - the company - 'not against it', unquote.

它是这样定义的，“企业犯罪是为了公司的利益，而不是违背公司的利益。”

So crimes like theft by employees - things like...err...embezzlement or fraud against one's actual employer are excluded according to this definition.

所以根据这一定义，它不包括员工的偷窃、盗用公款和欺诈上级的行为在内。

The employees may be involved but they're acting in the first place for the company.

其中也许涉及员工自己，但是他们的行为首先是为了公司。

They may not even realize that they are committing a crime, or they may realise but they feel it's excusable because it's policy, or because otherwise they may lose their jobs.

他们可能甚至没有意识到自己在犯罪，或者他们知道，但是觉得根据公司政策可以被原谅，又或者他们反抗的话，就会失业。

So here, really, we're talking about the links between power and crime.

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所以我们在这里真正谈论的是权力和犯罪的关系。

Now, this is one area that much less is generally known about than conventional or traditional crime.

相比传统犯罪来说，这是人们鲜为人知的一部分。

It has been relatively ignored by the mass media.

大众媒体也相对忽视了这部分。

For example, it tends to be underreported in comparison with conventional crime in news broadcasts, and in crime serials and films and so on.

例如，对比传统犯罪在新闻广播、犯罪期刊和电影等媒介中的报道，这方面往往被报道得很少。

They very rarely deal with corporate crime.

他们很少讨论企业犯罪。

And it also tends to be ignored in academic circles, there's been far more research on conventional crime and far more data is available.

而且学术界也常常忽略这方面，只是过于研究传统犯罪，对此有大量的数据可循。

There are several reasons for this lack of interest in corporate crime, compared with other types of crime.

对企业犯罪兴趣的研究不及其他犯罪形式有几点原因。

It's often very complex, whereas with conventional crime, it's usually possible to follow what's going on without specialist knowledge.

它往往很复杂，而传统犯罪，不需要专业知识也能理解发生了什么。

As well as this, whereas conventional crime usually has a lot of human interest, corporate crime often has much less.

除此之外，传统犯罪通常涉及很多人的利益，而企业犯罪在这方面涉及的很少。

The third reason, and possibly the most significant one, is that very often the victims are unaware.

第三个原因，可能是最重要的一个原因，受害者通常毫无察觉。

They think their misfortune is an accident, or that is the fault of no-one in particular.

他们认为自己的不幸是一件意外，或者不是特定某个人的错误。

They're unaware that they've been victims of a crime.

他们没有意识到自己成为了犯罪的受害者。

So when we look at the effects of corporate crime, we may find it's very difficult to assess the costs, but these costs can be very considerable in both their economic and social aspects.

所以当我们看企业犯罪的影响时，我们可能发现很难评估其损失，但是在经济和社会方面的损失是巨大的。

Let's look at the economic costs first.

让我们先看看经济上的损失。

For example, if a company is producing fruit juice, and it dilutes its product, so that it's just a little below the concentration it should be, many millions of people may be paying a small amount extra for their carton of orange juice.

例如，如果一个果汁公司在生产中稀释它的产品，使产品略低于本应达到的浓度，那么数百万人在买他们的盒装橙汁的时候就会多付一点钱。

Now small amounts like this may seem insignificant for individual customers, too small to worry about.

这样一小部分对个人客户来说似乎显得无关紧要，不值得引起人们的担心。

But for the company, this deception might result in massive illegal profit.

但是对于公司来说，这种欺诈可以带来巨大的非法收入。

However, all studies of corporate crime agree that the individuals are in fact deprived of far more money by such crime than they are by conventional crime like robbery and theft.

然而，所有关于企业犯罪的研究表明，相比较于传统的犯罪如抢劫、偷盗，企业犯罪从个人那里攫取了更多的钱财

In addition to this we have to consider the social costs of corporate crime, and these are again very difficult to assess, but they are considerable.

另外，我们还得考虑企业犯罪造成的社会代价，而且这些也非常难以评估，但是数量可观。

They're important because they can undermine the faith of the public in the business world.

它们很重要，因为它们可以在商业界破坏公众的信心。

And also, more importantly, because the main group of people they affect are, in fact, not the richer sections of the society but the poorer.

另外，更重要的是因为它们影响的主要社会群体是穷人，而不是富人。

So here, companies are robbing the poor to benefit the rich.

所以在这一点上，公司通过榨取穷人，满足富人。

There are two more points to do with corporate crime that I'd like to illustrate with the reference to a specific event which occurred several years ago.

还有两点跟企业犯罪有关，我将以几年前发生的具体案件为例，加以说明。

This was an explosion of a large oil tanker which caused the loss of more than fifty lives of the crew.

这是一场大型油轮爆炸，造成50多名船员丧生。

It was an explosion which never should have happened, and a subsequent inquiry laid the blame not on anyone who had actually been on the tanker at the time, but on the owners of the tanker.

这是一起本不应该发生的爆炸，随后的调查没有将责任归咎于当时实际在油轮上的人，而是归咎于这只油轮的所有者。

They had deliberately decided not to carry out necessary repair work on the tanker as it was due to be sold.

他们故意决定不对油轮进行必要的维修工作，因为它马上要售出了。

And it was this lack of repair work which was directly responsible for the explosion.

正是缺少维修工作才直接导致了爆炸。

Now this illustrates two points to do with corporate crime.

这说明了与企业犯罪有关的两点。

First of all, that it does not have to be intentional.

首先，可以不是故意行为。

The owners of the tanker certainly did not intend it to explode but very serious consequences can result from people or organisations not considering the possible results of their actions seriously enough.

油船的主人肯定不是蓄意让它引爆，但是人们和公司不计后果的行为可以造成严重的后果，他们的行为足够严重了。

The main crime here was indifference to the human results rather than actual intention to harm anyone.

本案中主要的过错是对于可能造成人身伤害的结果的漠视，而不是真正要去伤害别人。

But that didn't make the results any less tragic. And this leads me to my second point that corporate crime can have very severe consequences.

但这并没有使悲剧性的结果有任何改变。这也就引向了我的第二个观点，企业犯罪可能导致很严重的后果。

It's not just a matter of companies making bigger profits than they should do, but of events which may affect the lives of innocent people.

这不仅仅是一个公司获得比应得的要多的利益问题，而是可能会影响到无辜人性命的事情。

And yet very often companies, because they say they didn't intend to harm anyone, can avoid taking responsibility for the results of their actions, and that has been a very dangerous loophole in the law.

然而，因为公司通常会说他们不是故意伤人，所以他们可以免于为自己的所作所为负责，这也是法律上的一个非常危险的漏洞。

A further example of corporate crime was fade out.....

企业犯罪的另一个例子是.....

That is the end of section four, you now have half a minute to check your answers.

第四节已完。你有30秒检查答案。

That is the end of the listening test.

听力部分结束。

In the IELTS test, you would now have ten minutes to transfer your answers to the listening answer sheet.

在雅思考试中，你现在有10分钟把你的答案誊写在答题卡上。

雅思剑4真题TEST3 Section1

W: Sara, I've heard that you want to move into a home-stay family, is that correct?

W: 萨拉, 我听说你想搬进住宿家庭, 是吗?

S: Yes, that's right. I've been staying with my aunt and now my cousin is arriving from Singapore and my aunt needs the room for him.

S: 没错。我一直和我姑姑一起住, 现在我表弟从新加坡回来了, 我姑姑需要给他准备一个房间。

W: Oh, that's bad luck. Well, I'll need to get some particulars first. Err, Sara, what's your full name?

W: 真不走运。那么我首先需要了解一些情况。萨拉, 你的全名是什么?

S: Sara Lim, and that's Sarah without the h at the end.

S: 萨拉·林穆, 萨拉的结尾没有h。

Linda asks for Sara's full name Sara Lim, so this has been written in the notes.

琳达问萨拉的全名萨拉·林穆, 所以应该把萨拉·林穆写下来。

Now we shall begin.

现在开始。

You should answer the questions as you listen, because you will not hear the recording a second time.

现在边听边回答, 因为你不会听到第二遍。

Listen carefully and answer questions 1 to 4.

仔细听并回答1到4题。

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W: En, how old are you Sara?

W: 萨拉, 你多大了?

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S: 23, only just. It was my birthday on the 21st of August.

S: 刚23岁。8月21日是我的生日。

W: Ah, happy birthday for yesterday. How long have you been in Australia?

W: 祝你昨天生日快乐。你来澳大利亚多久了?

S: A year in Adelaide and 6 months in Sydney. I prefer Sydney. I've got more friends here.

S: 我在阿德莱德待了一年，悉尼待了六个月。我更喜欢悉尼，我在这里有很多朋友。

W: What's your address at your aunt's house?

W: 你姑姑家的地址是什么?

S: Flat 1,539 Forest Rd. Canterbury and the post code is 2036.

S: 坎特伯雷，福雷斯特路539号，1号公寓，邮编是2036。

W: Okay. What are you studying now?

W: 好的，你现在学什么?

S: I was studying general English in Adelaide. And now I'm doing academic English because I'm trying to get into medicine next year.

S: 我曾经在阿德莱德学习通用英语。现在我正在学习学术性英语，因为我明年想学医。

W: That sounds good, but it'll take you a long time. When would you like to move out from your aunt's?

W: 听起来不错，但是这会花费你很长时间。你想什么时候从你姑姑家搬走?

S: My cousin arrives on Friday morning. So I'd better be out on Thursday.

S: 我表弟周五早上回来。所以我最好周四就搬走。

W: What...the 7th of September.

W: 9月7日。

S: Yes, that's right.

S: 是的，没错。

W: That doesn't leave us much time. Right, okay.

W: 只剩下多少时间了。好吧。

I need to know what kind of accommodation you'd like, so I can get you something suitable.

我想知道你喜欢什么样的住处，这样我好给你找到适合的房子。

S: Can I share a room with someone else.

S: 我能和别人合住吗?

I've been alone in my room at my aunt's and I've always shared with my sister and I like that.

在我姑姑家我是一个人住，但我总和我姐姐合住，我喜欢这样。

W: Yes. Fine. That'll save you money too.

W: 当然好。这样也能帮你省钱。

Would you like to live with the family or do you think that a single person will be better for you.

你想和一个家庭合住还是觉得单身人士适合你。

I have lots of very nice single people on my books.

我的本上记载着许多不错的单身人士。

S: Do you have any women living alone, retired women?

S: 你那里有单独居住的退休女士吗?

W: Yes, I have quite a few whose children have grown up and left home.

W: 有, 我这里有几个, 她们的孩子都长大成人离家了。

In fact, I have some really lovely retired ladies living by themselves who just love the company of students.

事实上, 我这里有一些很和善的独居退休女士, 她们喜欢有学生的陪伴。

Most of them live in flats but that's not a problem for you, is it?

她们多数住在公寓里, 不过这个对你不是问题吧?

S: Not at all. I'm used to that. My aunt lives in a flat too, remember?

S: 没关系。我习惯了。我姑姑也是住在公寓里, 记得吗?

I'm not used to a big house with a garden, swimming pool, pets and all that.

我对有花园、游泳池、宠物或这类东西的大房子不习惯。

W: Okay fine. I know quite a bit about what you want now.

W: 好的, 我现在差不多知道你想要什么样的了。

I should let you know that your rent will be 160 dollars per week.

我该让你知道你的房租每周是160美元。

You'll have to pay me 320 dollars as a deposit before you move in.

在你搬进去之前, 你要付给我320美金的押金。

The deposit is as insurance in case you break something.

押金是以防你弄坏一些东西。

You need to pay monthly to me by cash or cheque, I don't mind.

你按月付款, 我不介意是现金还是支票。

You don't need to pay for gas, electricity or water. But you'll need to pay your proportion of the phone bill.

你不用付煤气费、电费和水费。但是你得付你那部分电话费。

Most families do that on an honor system but you'll have to wait and see.

多数家庭用他们的信用制处理账单, 不过你得等等看。

En, Have you got any more questions for me?

你有什么问题问我吗?

S: When will you know where I can go?

S: 什么时候你知道我能搬去哪儿?

W: I'll work on it now. So come and see me tomorrow and I should have some news for you then.

W: 我现在就开始找。明天你再来看看, 那时候我应该会有一些消息给你。

S: Thanks a lot.

S: 非常感谢。

W: Goodbye, see you tomorrow. After lunch will be better for me.

W: 再见，明天见。最好午饭过后来找我。

S: Okay, see you then. Bye.

S: 好的，到时候见。

That is the end of section one, you now have half a minute to check your answers.

第一节已完，你有30秒检查答案。

Now turn to section two.

现在翻到第二节。

雅思剑4真题TEST3 Section2

GEOFFREY: Good evening, and in this week's edition of 'Focus on the Arts', Jane Hemmington is going to fill us in on what's in store for us at this year's Summer Festival. Over to you, Jane.

晚上好，这期的《聚焦艺术》简·海明顿将告诉我们今年的夏季嘉年华会有什么。交给你了，简。

Jane: Thank you, Geoffrey. This year, the Summer Festival is the biggest we've ever seen, so there should be something for everybody.

谢谢，杰弗里。今年的夏季嘉年华是我们所见过的最盛大的一场，所以那里肯定会为大家呈现精彩的一幕。

This is the third year they've run it and the timing's slightly different: for the last couple of years it's been around the fifth to seventeenth, but this year they wanted to allow everyone enough time to recover from the first of January celebrations and they've put it at the end of the month.

这次是他们举办的第三年，而时间上会稍有不同。前几年是在5日到17日左右，但是今年他们想让每个人有足够的时间从元旦的庆祝中缓过来，所以他们将日期安排在了月底。

The programme has sensational theatre, dance and also a large number of art exhibitions, but the thing the Festival is most famous for is its great street music.

节目包括引人轰动的戏剧，舞蹈和大量的艺术展览，但是嘉年华最著名的是它的街头音乐。

For today's report though, Geoffrey, I'm looking at some of the theatrical events that you might like to see; in particular, at this year's theme - circuses.

杰弗里，至于今天的报道，我看到了一些你也许也想看看的剧场演出。特别是今年的主题是马戏团。

I'm going to tell you about two circus **performances**, but there're plenty of others in the program.

我打算跟你们讲讲其中两个马戏团的表演，不过这里还有很多其他的马戏团。

I've chosen these because they represent distinct movements within circus **performance**.

我选择这两个是因为它们在马戏团的表演中与众不同。

The first is the Circus Romano from Italy.

第一个是来自意大利的罗马诺马戏团。

As this is a traveling circus, it follows a long tradition by performing in a marquee, which is really like a canvas portable building, usually put up in a green space or car park, rather than in a theatre or stadium.

这是一个巡回马戏团，它遵循传统在大帐篷里表演，它像是一个帆布的便携式建筑，通常建在绿地和停车场，而不是在剧院或体育场里。

In spite of this, Circus Romano isn't at all like the traditional circuses I grew up with.

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n. 表演，演出；工作情况，表现；（投资的）业绩；执行，履行；（汽车的）性能；（语言学）语言表现，言语行为

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n. 表演，演出；工作情况，表现；（投资的）业绩；执行，履行；（汽车的）性能；（语言学）语言表现，言语行为



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尽管如此，罗马诺马戏团并不像陪我长大的那些传统马戏团一样。

There are no animals, just very talented clown and acrobatic routines.

这里没有动物，只有非常聪明的小丑和杂技。

The show has a lot of very funny moments, especially at the beginning, but the best part is the music and lighting. They're magical.

表演有很多有趣的场面，特别是开始的时候，但是最棒的是音乐和灯光，非常魔幻。

At forty-five dollars it's very expensive anyway. It's really for adult tastes.

总之，45美元是很贵的，很符合成人的口味。

In fact, much of it would be wasted on children, so I suggest you leave them at home.

事实上，对孩子来说有点浪费，所以我建议你们把孩子留在家里。

The second circus **performance** is Circus Electrica at the Studio Theatre.

第二个马戏团表演是在小剧场的电力马戏团。

The purists are suggesting that this isn't a circus at all.

纯粹主义者说这根本不是一个马戏团。

It's a showcase for skills in dance and magic, rather than the usual ones you expect in a circus.

这里展示的是舞蹈和魔术的技巧，而不是你期望在马戏团里看到的那些普通节目。

With only six performers, it's a small production, which suits the venue well - the Studio only seats about two hundred people.

里面只有6名艺人，它是一个小型演出，很适合这个场地。剧场只能容纳大约200个人。

For my money it's the aerial displays which are outstanding as well as the magical tricks - features which are missing from Circus Romano.

在我看来，空中表演和魔术一样精彩，这些特色是罗马诺马戏团没有的。

An interesting feature of the show is the performers are so young - the youngest is only fourteen.

节目的一个有趣的特点是表演者都很年轻，最年轻的一位只有14岁。

But it's still well worth seeing, a good one for the whole family.

但是仍然非常值得一看，是一个适合全家看的好节目。

And finally, as it's summer, you may wish to see some of the Festival **performances** that are being presented outdoors.

最后，正值夏日，你也许想看看一些室外的嘉年华表演。

Like the famous Mekong Water Puppet Troupe, performing in the City Gardens this week.

比如这周在城市花园表演的湄公河水木偶剧团。

Now water puppetry is amazing.

水上木偶戏太棒了。

It's large puppets on long sticks, controlled by puppeteers standing waist deep in the lake.

长棍上有一个大的木偶，由操纵木偶者在及腰的湖水中控制。

The puppets do comedy routines and there is some terrific formation dancing.

木偶会做一些喜剧节目和出色的团体舞。

This is a fantastic show and the best moment comes at the end -seeing the puppeteers.

这是一场极其棒的节目，最好的部分是在结尾的时候见到操作木偶者。

When the troupe walks up out of water, you get this amazing feeling.

当团队从水中出来，你会感到很震惊。

It's really hard to believe that what you've been watching is lifeless wood and cloth.

你很难相信看到的只是一些没有生命的木头和布。

As an adult, I had a great time, but I did note that other older people in the audience weren't quite as taken with it as I was.

作为一个成年人，我度过了美好的时光，但是我也注意到一些比我年龄大的观众并不像我一样享受。

It's a must for young children though, and that's the audience it's really aimed at.

它肯定更适合小孩子，这也是他们的受众群体。

Well, that's all I've time for today, but I'll be back next week with more news of what's worth seeing and what is best to miss.

今天就是这样，但是下周我会带来更多值得观看和最好还是错过的消息。

That is the end of section two. You now have half a minute to check your answers.

第二节结束。你现在有30秒检查答案。

Now turn to section three.

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雅思剑4真题TEST3 Section3

Officer: Hello. Er, I'm Dawn Matthews.

你好，我是道恩·马修斯。

Student: Yes, hello. I've been referred to you because I'm enquiring about the refresher courses that you run. I'd like to find out a bit more about them.

你好。我想找你询问一下你的进修课程。我想多了解点儿信息。

Officer: OK. Well, we run quite a few different short courses for students who are either returning to study or studying part-time. Um, tell me about your situation.

好的，我们为重返校园和利用业余时间读书的学生提供一些不同的短期课程，跟我说说你的情况。

Student: Well, I think that I really need some help in preparing for the coming semester, especially to build up my confidence a bit and help me study effectively because you see, I've been out in the work-force for nearly twelve years now, so it really is a long time since I was last a student.

我想我真的需要一些帮助为了下学期做准备，特别是重塑我的自信心，提高我的学习效率。因为我已经离校工作了将近12年，所以离我还是学生的时代有点久远了。

Officer: Yes, it can seem like a long time, can't it?

是的，确实是很长时间了，不是吗？

Um, well, let me start by telling you what courses we have that might suit you.

我先告诉你我们的哪些课程可能适合你。

Are you an undergraduate or a postgraduate? Arts or Sciences?

你是本科生还是研究生，文科还是理科？

Student: Undergraduate, and I'm in the business faculty.

我是本科生，在商学院。

Officer: Right then. First of all, there's our intensive 'Study for Success' seminar on the first and second of February.

好的。首先，我们在二月第一天和第二天有集中化的“成功学习”研讨班。

It's aimed at students like you who are uncertain about what to expect at college, and looks at a fairly wide **range** of approaches to university learning, to motivate you to begin your study and build on your own learning strategies.

受众群体是像你一样不确定在大学学些什么，没有一个具体的学习方法的学生们。目的是激发你们的学习动力，建立你们自己的学习策略。

Student: Mm, that sounds good. Um, what're some of the strategies that are presented?

听起来不错，你提到的策略是什么？

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Officer: Well, we try to cover all aspects of study.

我们试图覆盖各个方面的学习。

Some of the strategies in writing, for example, would be improving your planning for writing, organizing your thinking and building some techniques to help you write more clearly.

例如，在写作方面提高你的策划能力、组织你的思路、建立一些技巧帮你把内容写得更清晰。

With reading, there will be sessions aimed at getting into the habit of analysing material as you read it, and tips to help you record and remember what you've read.

有些读书方面的课程会帮你养成分析内容的习惯，还有一些帮你牢记你所读内容的窍门。

It really is very important to begin reading confidently right from the beginning.

从一开始就充满自信的读下去很重要。

Officer: There's also advice on how to get the most from your lectures and practice in giving confident presentations as well as how to prepare for exams.

还有一些建议是关于如何充分利用讲座、练习自信的演讲和备考。

Student: What about the motivational side of things?

关于激励的那方面是怎样的？

Officer: Ah, well, there's a **range** of motivational exercises that we do to help the students feel positive and enthusiastic about their study.

我们有很多的激励锻炼使我们帮助学生积极、热情的面对他们的学业。

The process of learning and exploring a subject can lead to a whole new way of looking at the world and the study skills and techniques you build up can be applied in all sorts of different ways.

学习、探索一个学科的过程可以引导我们用一种新的方式看世界，而且你建立的学习技能可以用在各个不同的方面。

Student: Actually, I...I'm very excited about the whole thing of taking up study again but, you know, I'm a little nervous about whether I'll manage to get everything done.

事实上，我很激动又能重新学习了。但是我对于自己是否能搞定这一切而感到紧张。

Er, I suppose it's the same for all mature students?

我想所有的成年学生都有这种感觉吧？

Officer: Of course, it is. Two of the key components of the course are time management and overcoming procrastination.

当然。课程的两个关键部分是时间管理和克服拖延症。

People discover that, once they learn to plan their days, all the work can be accomplished and there'll still be time for leisure.

人们发现一旦他们学会规划好每一天后，所有的工作都能完成并且还有休闲时间。

Student: Is there an enrolment fee?

需要注册费吗？

Officer: Well, er, oh, just a minute, let's see...Ah, the cost is 30 pounds, which includes all course materials and morning tea. You have to arrange your own lunch.

稍等，让我看看。需要交30英镑，其中包括所有的材料费和早茶。午餐需要你自行解决。

Student: Em, that wouldn't be a problem. Er, I already make sandwiches for my three kids and my wife and myself everyday. I won't have to change my routine.

这不是问题。我每天都为我的三个孩子、妻子和我自己做三明治。我的日常套路是不会改的。

Officer: No. Now, I need to tell you that this is a very popular course and it's essential that you book well ahead of time.

是的，现在我得告诉你这是非常受欢迎的课程，你有必要提前预订。

In fact, the Course Convenor tells me that there're only five places left.

事实上，课程的召集人告诉我只剩下5个名额了。

Student: Er, what other course might be good for me?

还有什么其他的课程对我有帮助吗？

Officer: There's one other that you could benefit from. It's simply called 'Learning Skills for University Study' and is on three consecutive mornings starting on a Monday from 9 to 12 and costs 25 pounds.

还有一个课程你能受益。它叫“大学学习技巧”，开始于周一的9点到12点，连续3个早晨的课程，花费25英镑。

This is aimed at upgrading the study skills most school-leavers have and help them cope with the increased demands of university study.

目的是帮助多数离校的人员提高学习技能，帮助他们应付要求渐高的大学学习。

It focuses mainly on making students more responsible for their own success.

重点是让学生为他们自己的成功负责。

Student: What sort of things are covered in this course?

这门课程包括什么？

Officer: Well, basically, it's more advanced thinking, note taking, reading and writing strategies but also some input about stress management.

基本上，更多的是培养先进思想、记笔记练习、读写策略和一些压力管理方面。

Student: Um, I think I'd be better off starting from the basics and looking at all the strategies, don't you?

我想我最好从基础开始，看看所有策略，你说呢？

Officer: Yes, from what you've told me, I think that's more in line with your situation.

是的，从你告诉我的情况看，我认为这么做更适合你。

Student: All right then, um, can I book a place on the 'Study for Success' seminar course now?

好的，我现在能预定一个“成功学习”的课程名额吗？

Officer: Yes, let me just get out a registration form and take down your details.

当然。让我拿一张登记表记下你的详细资料。

That is the end of section three. You now have half a minute to check your answers.

第三节结束。你现在有30秒检查答案。

Now turn to section four.

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雅思剑4真题TEST3 Section4

We're very grateful that the Committee has agreed that a representative for the Students' Union can present students' suggestions about the design for the proposed new Union Building.

我们非常感激委员会已经同意，一名学生会的代表可以对拟建的联合大厦提出学生们的意见。

We appreciate that some of our ideas may not be feasible in the circumstances.

在这种情况下，我们认为自己的有些想法可能不具备可行性。

But we do feel that it is important that the ultimate beneficiaries of the facilities should have some say in its design.

但是我们认为建筑的最终受益人提出的建设意见是很重要的。

If I could start by briefly explaining what steps were taken to find out student opinion, and how we have arrived at conclusions.

如果我能先简单解释一下我们是如何听取学生意见及如何得出结论的。

Firstly, a meeting was held in the current Union for our SU committee to explain the options.

首先，开了一个会议为学生委员会解释这个想法。

Then we invited all students to submit written suggestions for the design, placing cards in a suggestion box.

之后我们邀请所有学生就设计问题填写书面意见，在建议箱里放卡片。

These suggestions then provided the basis for the design of a questionnaire which was completed by approximately two thousand of the College students over a period of three weeks.

这些建议为问卷的设计提供了依据，3周内大约有2000名大学生提交了意见。

Finally, the SU Committee collated the results and drew up a report.

最后，学生委员会在核对结果后起草了一份报告。

If I can just hand around the copy of that report.

如果我可以传阅一下这个报告的复印件的话。

This presentation is essentially a summary and discussion of the key points of this report.

这次讲座主要是对这份报道的关键点进行概括、论述。

So, in broad terms, the consensus was as follows.

所以大体上，意见如下。

Firstly, regarding the crucial matter of the site, we presented the three options that you have proposed. One: in the city centre, near the Faculty of Education; two: on the outskirts of the city, near the park, and three: out of town, near the halls of residence.

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首先，考虑到位置的重要性，我们提出了三条你们的观点。第一：在市中心，临近教育学院。第二：在城市郊区，临近公园；第三：在城外，临近宿舍。

We ask students to cite reasons for and against these sites, and.... and there was remarkable agreement on all three.

我们让学生对这些地点写出支持与否的原因，结果三点出奇的一致。

Site One was unpopular because of traffic and parking problems.

第一处由于交通和停车问题而不受欢迎。

Site Two had a number of supporters, mainly because it was close to most lecture rooms.

第二处有许多支持者，主要是因为临近多数教室。

And Site Three, out of town, near the halls of residence, was clearly the most popular because of access from living quarters.

第三处在城外，显然是因为接近住宿区而最受欢迎。

It was clear that the Union was mainly to be used after lectures.

很显然大厦的用途主要是在放学后使用。

It was also felt the larger site would allow more room for a choice of facilities.

更大的场地可以容纳更多的房间放置更多的设备。

Our second area of interest was obviously the facilities.

我们第二关心的显然是设施。

There was minimal interest in having a library on the premises. But one option seemed to be a reading room instead, more useful.

人们对楼内建设图书馆的兴趣最低。但是有一种观点认为读书室更有用。

We would like the current table games room to be replaced with a small gym and if possible, small swimming pool, not, of course, Olympic size.

如果可能的话，我们希望目前的桌面游戏室换为小型体育馆，当然小型的游泳池不必像奥林匹克的尺寸一样大。

There was a large number of respondents in favour of a travel agent's and insurance centre.

大量的受访者希望有一个旅行中介和保险中心。

We also request that there be the offices of the Student Counselling Centre, moving this from the Refectory.

我们还要求应该有一个学生咨询中心办公室，从餐厅移过来。

There was however much disagreement about whether to build a drama theatre.

关于是否建剧院有很多的分歧。

Just over forty percent of the respondents were in favour, but a largish minority were strongly against it, claiming that it is elitist and a waste of funds.

超过40%的人同意，但是稍大的少部分人强烈反对，他们认为这是高级建筑且浪费资金。

Essentially the jury is out on that.

这个问题基本上还没有定论。

Finally, given the number of unfortunate incidents in the current Union over the past few months, a strong point was repeatedly made about security.

最后，在过去的几个月里，考虑到大量的不幸事件发生在当前的大楼里，安全问题成了不断重复强调的重点。

The recommendations would be at least video surveillance and security personnel who would check Student Union cards on request.

建议是至少设置视频监控并且让安保人员按要求检查学生卡。

We doubt if it would be feasible to have a check at reception of all people coming in.

我们怀疑检查所有进出人员的可行性。

Well, this is the summary of the views of the student population.

这就是关于学生建议的概括。

As I say, fuller details are given in our report but I'm happy to take any questions if you have them...

正如我所说，更多的详情将在报告中指出，如果你们还有问题，我很乐意回答.....

That is the end of section four, you now have half a minute to check your answers.

第四节已完。你有30秒检查答案。

That is the end of the listening test.

听力部分结束。

In the IELTS test, you would now have ten minutes to transfer your answers to the listening answer sheet.

在雅思考试中，你现在有10分钟把你的答案誊写在答题卡上。

雅思剑4真题TEST4 Section1

W: Hi, Tony. Thanks ever so much for coming. You know we've been asked to organise something for John's farewell?

W: 你好, 托尼。非常感谢你能来。人们想让我们准备约翰的欢送会?

M: Yeah, sure. It's about time we started working out details.

M: 当然, 我们是时候该解决细节问题了。

W: Exactly. We don't want to leave it so late that it's double the work.

W: 没错, 我们不想拖太久, 最后增加工作量。

M: Mmm, mm, right, do you want me to take notes?

M: 好的, 你想让我记笔记吗?

W: That'd be great, thanks.

W: 这样太好了, 谢谢。

M: Right, first thing is when is the best time to hold it?

M: 好的, 首先是举行的最佳时间是什么?

W: Well, he leaves on the twenty-fourth of December. -M: So what about the twenty-second?

W: 他在12月24日离开。-M: 那么22日怎么样?

W: Yeah, I think that's about right. We want it quite near the time, don't we?

W: 好的, 我觉得很合适。我们要在他快走的时候举行, 不是吗?

The date of the goodbye party is the 22nd of December, so 22nd December has been written in the space.

告别晚会的日期是12月22日, 所以应把12月22日写在这个地方。

Now we shall begin.

现在开始。

You should answer the questions as you listen, because you will not hear the recording a second time.

现在边听边回答, 因为你不会听到第二遍。

Listen carefully and answer questions 1 to 4.

仔细听并回答1到4题。

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M: Sure, and what about a venue? In college? A hotel?

M: 对。场地呢？在大学还是酒店举行？

W: I think a hotel will probably work out rather expensive and I've been looking at the College Dining Room: that seems pretty reasonable.

W: 我认为酒店可能太贵了，学校的餐厅比较合适，价钱好像很合理。

M: Fine, yeah, why not?

M: 好的，为什么不呢？

W: And then we ought to be thinking about invitations...Who mustn't we forget to invite?

W: 之后我们应该想想邀请函的事了，谁是我们必须不能忘记请的？

M: Well, obviously, John and his wife.

M: 显然是约翰和他的妻子。

W: Right.

W: 没错。

M: And the Director. The office staff. -W: Ah ha. Yep, and all the teachers and all the students?

M: 还有主任，办公室员工。 -W: 是的，还有所有的老师和学生？

M: Anyone else?

M: 还有吗？

W: Faculty Heads?

W: 系里的领导？

M: No, better draw the line, I don't think it's necessary.

M: 不，最好就到这里了，我觉得没必要。

W: Yeah, you're right.

W: 是的，你是对的。

M: I don't mind writing the invitations. When shall we get them out for?

M: 我不介意写邀请，我们什么时候发出去？

W: Em, enough time, but not too early. What about the fifteenth of December?

W: 时间很充足，不要太早了。12月15日怎么样？

M: Well, there are exams on the sixteenth, better avoid them.

M: 16日有考试，最好错过它们。

W: Em, tenth?

W: 10号？

M: Yeah, that should do it.

M: 好的，就这天了。

Before you hear the rest of the conversation you'll have some time to look at questions 5 to 10.

下面内容开始前，你将有时间预览5到10题。

Now listen, and answer questions 5 to 10.

请听，并回答5到10题。

W: So, what does that leave? Oh, yes, a present.

W: 那么还剩下什么？对了，礼物。

M: Em, would you mind doing that?

M: 你介意做这个吗？

W: No, not at all; we usually go round with an envelope during coffee break, don't we?

W: 不介意。我们经常在咖啡时间拿着信封走来走去，不是吗？

M: Yeah, coffee break's always the best time, cos people have got their money handy.

M: 是的，喝咖啡的休息时间很合适，因为人们手边正好有钱。

W: Yeah, exactly. Do we suggest an amount? Or does it seem a bit unfair?

W: 没错。我们得要求数额吗？或者这么做是不是有点不公平？

M: No, I think people welcome it. We suggested six dollars last time. Is that Ok?

M: 没事，我觉得人们不介意。我们上次建议交6美元，这样可以吗？

W: Yeah, plenty I would have thought, which should leave us with about ninety dollars?

W: 可以，我觉得足够了，这样我们应该就有90美元了？

M: Em, have you any ideas for presents?

M: 你想好买什么礼物了吗？

W: Well, I've been having a little think. I thought, you know, he loves music.

W: 我有一点想法，你知道，我想他喜欢音乐。

M: Em, yeah, and books.

M: 是的，还有书。

W: So, I thought I'd check on prices for, well, perhaps CD players?

W: 所以我想根据价钱也许CD播放器合适？

M: Em, yeah. That's a good idea and also I thought maybe, you know, a set of dictionaries. I heard him say he needed a good one.

M: 好的，好主意，我还觉得一套字典也不错。我听他说他想要一套好字典。

W: The other thing he was saying last week was that his computer printer had broken.

W: 上周他还说过他的电脑打印机坏了。

M: Umm. No, I'd be really frightened about getting the wrong type.

M: 不，我怕买到错误的机型。

W: Ok, yeah.

W: 好的。

M: The other thing is something for the home. Jill suggested a coffee maker.

M: 另一件是给家里预备的，吉尔建议买咖啡机。

W: Oh, yeah, I'll certainly find out what they cost. Ok, have you got all that down?

W: 好的，我肯定会去看看它们的价格。好的，你都记下了吗？

M: Yes.

M: 是的。

W: Now, we need to think a little more about the money. I know we've got a set amount from the Social Fund.

W: 现在，我们得再考虑一下资金问题。我知道我们已经从社会筹资上得到了一部分钱。

M: Right, what does that cover?

M: 是的，都能包括什么？

W: It's meant to cover the cost of the room.

W: 这包括房间的花费。

M: Yeah.

M: 好的。

W: And a certain amount for food.

W: 还包括一部分食物。

M: And also drinks?

M: 也包括酒水吗？

W: Oh yeah, certainly.

W: 肯定的。

M: But will it be enough?

M: 这是不是就够了？

W: What we've done in the past is to ask guests to bring some snacks.

W: 过去我们是让客人自己带一些点心来。

M: Right.

M: 好的。

W: We don't ask them to bring more drinks, because we figure that's...that should come from the Social Fund.

W: 我们不要求他们带酒水来。因为我们认为这些应该出自社会筹款的部分。

M: Ok. Anything else for the guests to bring?

M: 好的，还有什么要求客人带来的吗？

W: Well, oh some music, because there'll be a tape deck there in the room, and we can have some dancing later on.

W: 一些音乐。因为房间里有录音机，我们之后可以跳跳舞。

M: Anything else?

M: 还有什么要准备的吗？

W: Well, it's just a thought, but a couple of years ago, that we had a really good party where we set up, you know, some simple games.

W: 只是一个想法，但是几年前我们举办过一个很棒的聚会，我们会设置一些小游戏。

M: Yeah, great. Wasn't it based on photos from the students and teachers?

M: 太好了。是不是根据师生的照片？

W: That's right.

W: 没错。

M: So we should ask the guests to bring photos. Ok, I'll put it on the invitations.

M: 那么我们应该要求客人带照片来，好的，我把这点写在邀请信上。

W: Now the last thing is, who shall we ask to do the speech?

W: 最后的事情是我们请谁来发表演讲。

M: Don't you think it might be nice to have one of the students?

M: 你不觉得让其中某位学生来做会很好吗？

W: Well then, the Student Leader?

W: 那么，学生干部怎样？

M: Yeah, much better than the Director giving speeches again.

M: 是的，这比主任再次发表演讲要好得多。

W: Ok then, I'll ask her. Lovely, so is that all?

W: 好的，我会问问她。不错，就这么多了吧？

M: Looks like it.

M: 看起来是的。

W: Great. Thanks ever so much.

W: 太棒了，很感谢你。

That is the end of section one, you now have half a minute to check your answers.

第一节已完，你有30秒检查答案。

Now turn to section two.

现在翻到第二节。

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雅思剑4真题TEST4 Section2

Speaker 1: Thank you for calling the free Travelite Travel Agency Information Line. You will not be charged for this call.

感谢你往Travelite旅行社拨打免费的咨询电话，这条通话将不收取费用。

In order to deal with all calls effectively, we offer you a number of options.

为了更有效的处理每条通话，我们为你提供几个选择。

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请仔细听好并在适当的时间按下相应的号码，或拨打新号码。

If you want to hear about special offers, please press one.

如果你想了解特价活动，请拨一。

If you want to hear our latest price lists, please press two.

如果你想了解我们最新的报价单，请拨二。

If you want to make a complaint, please press three.

如果你想投诉，请拨三。

If you want information about our new walking holidays, please press four now.

如果你想了解我们的徒步旅行，现在请拨四。

Speaker 2: Thank you for calling our Travelite Walking Holidays Line.

感谢你往Travelite徒步旅行拨打电话。

We have been offering a wide variety of walking holidays to suit all tastes for just three years, but already we have won two awards for excellence in this field.

三年我们为不同爱好者提供了各种各样的徒步旅行，在这一领域我们已经取得了两项卓越奖。

We offer guided walking tours to suit the discerning traveller in twelve different centres throughout the whole of Western Europe.

我们在遍布整个西欧的12家不同的中心为独具慧眼的旅行者提供适合的徒步旅行指导。

We are planning to open our first centre outside this area in the coming year, so watch out for developments.

我们明年计划在这些地方以外开辟首家中心，所以请关注我们的发展。

But the pride of Travelite is the level of guidance and support we offer on our walks.

但是Travelite骄傲的是我们提供给顾客最好的指导和支持。

All are planned in detail by our highly trained guides, who all work in a variety of different Travelite locations, so we can guarantee standards.

一切都由我们受过高度训练的指导员详细安排，他们在Travelite的各个地区工作，所以我们的水准可以受到保证。

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local

英:/'ləʊk(ə)l/ 美:/'ləkl/

n. 当地居民；本地新闻；局部 adj. 局部的；当地的；地方性的；乡土的



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Each day we offer three separate walks catering for all skills and fitness levels.

每天我们提供3种不同的徒步计划来迎合各种技能和健康水平的人。

We also pride ourselves on our friendly service, particularly important for the increasing numbers of people who choose to holiday alone.

我们还为自己热情的服务感到自豪，这特别是对越来越多只身度假的人很重要。

Unlike almost all travel operators who happily charge large supplements for single rooms, we guarantee that no single client will pay more, even when only double rooms are available for them.

我们不像其他所有旅行机构一样对使用单人房的人索取高额费用，我们保证单独的顾客不会交更多的钱，即使当时只有双人房间可供他们选用。

And the day doesn't end with the return to base...after our dinner at communal tables designed to make all our guests feel part of a family atmosphere...Entertainment is laid on nearly every night with tour leaders on hand to organise lectures, games, quizzes and respond to any special requests from guests.

并且我们的行程不是在回到基地那天就终止了。在公共餐桌吃完晚餐后让所有客人都能感受到家庭的气氛，几乎每晚我们的领队都会安排娱乐节目，讲座、游戏、竞答和回应客人的特殊要求。

Before you hear the rest of the message, you have some time to look at questions 16 to 20.

下面内容开始前，请浏览16至20题。

Now listen and answer questions 16 to 20.

现在听并回到16至20题。

The following is a summary of costs and special inclusive offers on holidays for the coming summer.

接下来的是这个即将到来的夏季假期成本和特殊报价的总结。

We have three lengths of holiday: three-day, seven-day and fourteen-day.

我们有三种时间跨度的假期：3天、7天、14天。

The three-day holiday costs one hundred and eighty dollars for all accommodation, food and walking, and for the first time this year we are including in that price...the cost of picking you up from the nearest station.

三天的假期需要180美元，其中包括食宿、徒步费用，并且我们今年第一次涵盖了从最近的车站接你的费用。

The seven-day holiday costs three hundred and fifty dollars per person and, as well as including the offers of the three-day holiday, also includes a magnificent book giving the *local* history.

七天的假期每人需要350美元，除了包括三天假期的内容外，还送你一本精美的介绍当地历史的书。

On top of that, we are able to include free maps...for you to better enjoy the walking and even plan in advance, if you wish.

不仅如此，我们还有免费地图。如果你愿意，你可以更好的享受徒步旅行甚至提前做好计划。

For the fourteen-day holiday, our special price is six hundred and ninety dollars per person and that includes all the offers for the three and seven-day holidays plus...membership of a **local** walking club...so you can better enjoy the full flavour of the **local** life.

我们十四天假期的特价是每人690美元，这不仅包括三天和七天的内容，还包括当地徒步俱乐部的会员资格。这样你就能更好的享受各种各样的当地生活。

For further information, please contact your **local** travel agent. Thank you for calling the Travelite Travel Agency Information Line...

想要了解更多信息，请联系当地旅行社。感谢你致电Travelite旅行社咨询电话。

That is the end of section two. You now have half a minute to check your answers.

第二节结束。你现在有30秒检查答案。

Now turn to section three.

请转到第三节。

雅思剑4真题TEST4 Section3

MIKE: Hi Sue.

你好，休。

SUE: Hi Mike, so what happened to you last week?

你好，迈克，上周你怎么了？

MIKE: Oh, I was sick with the flu. What's this I hear about a big assignment we've got to do?

我得了流感。我听说我们有一个重要的作业要做？

SUE: Well, basically, we've got to find two science experiments to do with a group of eight-year-old children at the **local** primary school, and we've got to complete it by the end of the week.

我们要找到两个与当地小学的一组8岁孩子有关的科学实验，并且在周末前完成。

MIKE: Oh, that sounds like hard work. Where are we supposed to get the ideas for these experiments from?

听起来很难。我们应该从哪儿找到实验的灵感呢？

SUE: Well, I managed to get hold of two books from the library.

我设法从图书馆拿到了两本书。

MIKE: Oh, well done!

做得好！

SUE: How about if we take a look at the experiments in this book first and see if anything looks suitable?

我们先看看这本书上的实验，看看是否有合适的怎么样？

I can make notes as we go, about equipment and the purpose of the experiments.

当我们处理设备和实验目的时，我可以记笔记。

MIKE: OK, let's see, um, the first experiment is called 'Make your own hovercraft', which sounds very ambitious!

好的，我看看。第一个实验叫“自制气垫船”，听起来真有野心！

Mind you, you only need twenty balloons and a table-you don't need any special engines or anything like that.

注意，你只需要20个气球和一张桌子，你不需要任何特殊的引擎之类的东西。

SUE: What do you do with it all?

用这些做什么？

MIKE: Er, you blow up the balloons and you balance the table on them, upside down of course, and the kids get to ride around on it.

你把气球吹起来，绑在桌子上使它平衡，当然桌子要颠倒一下，这样孩子就能骑上去了。

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local

英:/'ləʊk(ə)l/ 美:/'ləkl/

n. 当地居民；本地新闻；局部 adj. 局部的；当地的；地方性的；乡土的

string

英:/'strɪŋ/ 美:/'strɪŋ/

n. 线，细绳；一串，一行 vt. 扎，缚；使排成一行，串起；伸展，拉直



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You know, the other kids sort of push them around the room.

其他孩子就在房间里面推他们。

The main purpose is to show how hovercrafts work, and how things hover around on just a cushion of air.

主要目的是展示气垫船是如何工作的，在气垫上是如何来回运动的。

SUE: OK, that doesn't sound too bad.

好的，听起来还不错。

MIKE: OK, ready for number two?

好的，准备好听第二个了吗？

SUE: Uh-huh.

是的。

MIKE: Now this one is called 'Unusual Measures of Lengths', and you basically use lots of paperclips.

现在这个叫做“不同寻常的长度测量”，基本上，你会用到很多曲别针。

The kids go around the class measuring things - you know, how long the desk is, and that sort of thing, um, and then they all compare their answers, Er, and, basically, because not all paperclips are the same lengths, they should come up with some strange answers.

孩子们会在教室到处测量东西，比如课桌多长之类的。然后，他们会对比答案。基本上，不是所有的曲别针都是一个长度，所以他们会得出一些奇怪的答案。

It's supposed to demonstrate the importance of having fixed units of measurement.

目的是证明用固定的单位进行测量很重要。

SUE: Hmm, yes, that's not bad.

这也不错。

MIKE: OK, now for number three you need rock salt or copper sulphate.

好的，第三个实验需要你准备石盐或硫酸铜。

SUE: Oh, I'm not sure about that.

这点我不敢确定。

MIKE: Well, just put down the rock salt then. Um, apart from that you only need a jar of water.

先记下石盐。除了这个你只需要一罐水。

Um, and basically you dissolve lots of salt into the water and watch the crystals form, so it basically teaches the kids about growing crystals.

大体上，你在水中溶解很多盐，看着它凝结成晶体状，这是教孩子晶体的形成。

SUE: Yeah, I suppose it would be nice to grow something. Hmm, let's move on and have a look at number four.

是的，我想生成一些东西是好事。让我们看看第四个实验。

MIKE: OK, this one is called 'Spinning colour wheel'.

好的，这个叫做“旋转多彩轮”。

It looks like you get some cardboard and draw a circle on it, divide it into six equal segments and colour each one in using different colours, then you thread a piece of **string** through the middle.

你需要一些卡纸并在里面画上圈，把它分成6个等份并用不同的颜色在每一个上面涂色，之后你用一根线从中间穿过去。

SUE: So we'd need some **string** as well.

那么我们还需要一些细绳。

MIKE: Yes, sorry...um...and you spin the wheel around and if you can get it spinning fast enough, hopefully the colours all merge and show up as white.

是的，抱歉，你将它转动起来，如果你转的足够快，你就会发现颜色全都融合了，只露出白色。

SUE: Oh, I didn't know that. What's the principle behind it?

我不知道这个。背后的原理是什么？

MIKE: Well it's pretty elementary physics, really. It teaches them about how white light or ordinary light is made up.

这是普通物理学，告诉他们白光或普通光是如何形成的。

SUE: Hmm, well that doesn't sound too bad. Now there's only one more left in this book, isn't there? What does that one say?

听起来不错。现在书上还剩下一个实验吧？那个实验是什么？

MIKE: Um, well it's another one where they'd get to make something.

另一个关于如何制作一些东西的实验。

SUE: Sounds very interesting.

听起来很有趣。

MIKE: You need quite a lot of equipment actually -a hand drill, an old record, a pin or needle, some paper and a bolt.

事实上，你需要很多材料。一个手摇钻、一个旧唱片、一个大头针或针，还有一些纸和一个螺钉。

SUE: Hmm, go on, what do they have to do?

继续，需要这些做什么？

MIKE: Well, they basically make a record player. The main idea is to teach them about recording sound, but hopefully they'd also see that you need motion and an amplifier to make the sound heard.

大体上是要做一个留声机。主要意图是教他们录制声音，但是你需要运转机器还需要一个扩音器来使人听到声音。

SUE: OK, well it does sound interesting. Shall we go through all of those again and decide if any of them are going to be suitable?

好的，听起来很有趣。我们要不要把这些实验再过一遍，然后决定哪个更合适？

Before you hear the rest of the conversation, you have some time to look at questions 27 to 30.

下面内容开始前，请浏览27至30题。

Now listen and answer questions 27 to 30.

现在听并回答27至30题。

MIKE: Right, number one. I thought this one sounded nice: there'd be lots of activity and it doesn't need too much in the way of equipment.

好的，第一个。我觉得这个不错。有很多的活动，也不需要很多准备材料。

SUE: Yes, that's true. But don't you think it's a bit risky to get a group of eight-year-olds pushing each other around a classroom like that?

没错，但是你不觉得让一组8岁的孩子在教室里推着走有点危险吗？

Someone could get hurt. Now I don't like the sound of that one at all.

有人可能会受伤。现在我一点都不喜欢那个了。

MIKE: Maybe you're right.

也许你是对的。

SUE: What about number two, with the paperclips? It sounds tame enough.

第二个用曲别针的怎么样？听起来没什么危险。

MIKE: Yes, a bit too tame if you ask me. I think it needs to be something a bit more active and interesting than that, don't you?

是的，但是有点太平淡了。我希望活跃、有趣一点的实验，你说呢？

SUE: Yes, I suppose you're right. We won't get a very good mark if the children don't actually enjoy the experiments.

你是对的，如果孩子们不喜欢这些实验，我们可能会得不到好成绩。

And I suppose we could turn them off science for good! Well, what about the next one, number three?

而且我们可能让他们永远对科学失去兴趣！第三个怎么样呢？

MIKE: Now, I quite like the idea of this one.

我很喜欢这个。

SUE: Yes, so do I, but I seem to remember when we did it at high school we had to wait up to a fortnight before we saw any halfway decent results.

是的，我也是。但是我记得我们在高中演示的时候，我们不得不等两周才能看到像样的结果。

MIKE: Oh, yes. Well, that won't be any good then. We'll only see the kids for one or two hours at the most.

是的，这样不好。我们最多只跟孩子们待一、两个小时。

SUE: Yes, and we have to do the experiments and write up our results within a week, so that one won't do at all.

是的，我们要在一周内做完实验，写好结论。所以这个也不行。

MIKE: OK, well, what did you think of number four?

好的，那么第四个怎么样？

SUE: I like the idea of it. But do you think it will be a bit elementary for them?

我喜欢这个主意，但是对他们来说是不是有点太初级了？

MIKE: Well, they are only eight you know!

他们才8岁！

SUE: I know, but you know what I mean. Don't you think the activity itself is a bit babyish?

我知道，但是你懂我的意思。这个活动是不是有点幼稚？

MIKE: Hmm, maybe you're right.

也许你是对的。

SUE: They might have fun but, I mean, cutting out a circle and colouring it in?

他们可能会很高兴，但是裁出一个圈，在里面涂色？

MIKE: OK, well, what about number five?

好的，第五个呢？

SUE: I thought this one sounded a bit too good to be true-great equipment!

我觉得这个好的令人难以置信，很棒的设备！

MIKE: Yeah.

是的。

SUE: But don't you think it's a bit ambitious for this age group?

但是你不认为对这个年龄群的人来说有点太宏大了吗？

I mean, I don't want to start off something and then have to abandon it if they just can't cope with it.

我是说我不想开始了一件事，然后因为他们不能应付而导致最后放弃。

I could see us ending up doing just about all of the work for them.

我能预料到我们最后会为他们做所有的工作。

MIKE: I guess you're right. Oh well, maybe we could store that idea away for later.

我想你是对的，也许我们可以待会再想想这个点子。

SUE: Yep, let's hope this second book has something better!

是的，希望第二本书有一些好主意。

That is the end of section three. You now have half a minute to check your answers.

第三节结束。你现在有30秒检查答案。

Now turn to section four.

现在请转到第四节。

雅思剑4真题TEST4 Section4

Today we are going to look at one of my favourite fish -the shark.

今天，我们来看看我最喜欢的鱼，鲨鱼。

As you know, sharks have a reputation for being very dangerous creatures capable of injuring or killing humans, and I'd like to talk about sharks in Australia.

如你所知，鲨鱼以危险的生物著称，它可以伤害或杀死人类。我想谈谈澳大利亚的鲨鱼。

Sharks are rather large fish, often growing to over ten metres and the longest sharks caught in Australia have reached sixteen metres.

鲨鱼是庞大的鱼类，经常长到10米多长，在澳洲曾经捕获过最大的鲨鱼达16米。

Sharks vary in weight with size and breed, of course, but the heaviest shark caught in Australia was a White Pointer -that weighed seven hundred and ninety-five kilograms-quite a size!

鲨鱼的体重因尺寸和品种而不同。但是澳洲捕获的最重的鲨鱼是一只大白鲨，重达795公斤，真大啊！

Sharks have a different structure to most fish: instead of skeleton made of bone, they have a tough elastic skeleton of cartilage.

鲨鱼与多数鱼类的骨架不同，它有结实、有弹性的软骨骨架，而不是骨头组成的骨架。

Unlike bone, this firm, pliable material is rather like your nose, and allows the shark to bend easily as it swims.

与骨头不同，这种结实、柔韧的材质很像你的鼻子。它使鲨鱼在游的时候轻松弯曲。

The shark's skin isn't covered with scales, like other fish: instead the skin's covered with barbs, giving it a rough texture like sandpaper.

鲨鱼的皮肤不像其他鱼类一样由鳞覆盖。相反，它的皮肤布满了倒钩，形成砂纸一样的粗糙质地。

As you know, sharks are very quick swimmers.

如你所知，鲨鱼是游泳健将。

This is made possible by their fins, one set at the side and another set underneath the body, and the tail also helps the shark move forward quickly.

这归功于它的鳍，一组在一侧，另一组在身体下面，尾巴也帮助鲨鱼快速的向前移动。

Unlike other fish, sharks have to keep swimming if they want to stay at a particular depth, and they rarely swim at the surface.

与其他鱼类不同，如果鲨鱼想停留在某一特定的深处就得不不停的游，它们很少在海面游。

Mostly, they swim at the bottom of the ocean, scavenging and picking up food that's lying on the ocean floor.

多数情况下，它们在海底游弋，搜寻捕食海底的食物。

While most other animals, including fish, hunt their prey by means of their eyesight, sharks hunt essentially by smell.

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多数动物，包括鱼类都用它们的视力捕食，而鲨鱼基本上靠嗅觉。

They have a very acute sense of smell-and can sense the presence of food long before they can see it.

它们的嗅觉十分敏锐，可以探测到视力范围很远以外的食物。

In Australia, where people spend a lot of time at the beach, the government has realised that it must prevent sharks from swimming near its beaches.

在澳洲，人们会经常去海滩，所以政府意识到应该防止鲨鱼游到海滩附近。

As a result, they have introduced a beach-netting program.

结果，他们引进了沙滩网计划。

Beach-netting, or meshing, involves setting large nets parallel to the shore; this means that the nets on New South Wale beaches are set on one day, and then lifted and taken out to sea on the next day.

沙滩网或者建网是设置一张与海岸平行的大网。这意味着新南威尔士海滩的网（在陆上）展开要一天，第二天再搭起来并放置进海里。

When shark-netting first began in 1939, only the sydney metropolitan beaches were meshed, these beaches were chosen because beaches near the city are usually the most crowded with swimmers.

捕鲨网初次于1939年建立，只在悉尼都市的海滩建网，因为这些海滩靠近城市，通常是游泳者最多的地方。

Ten years later, in 1949, systematic meshing was extended to include the beaches to the south of Sydney.

10年后，在1949年，建网系统扩展到了悉尼南部的海滩。

As a result of the general success of the program in Sydney, shark-meshing was introduced to the state of Queensland around 1970.

由于该工程在悉尼取得了普遍的成功，捕鲨网在1970年左右被引进到昆士兰州。

The New Zealand authorities also looked at it, but considered meshing uneconomical - as did Tahiti in the Pacific.

新西兰官方也看好它，但是认为建网太浪费，太平洋的大溪地岛也是同样的看法。

At around the same time, South Africa introduced meshing to some of its most popular swimming beaches.

同时，南非在一些受欢迎的海滩建网。

When meshing began, approximately fifteen hundred sharks were caught in the first year.

刚建网的时候，第一年捕获了大约1500只鲨鱼。

However, this declined in the year that followed, and since that time, the average annual catch has been only about a hundred and fifty a year.

然而接下来开始下滑，自从那时，每年平均捕获量只有150只。

The majority of sharks are caught during the warmest months, from November to February, when sharks are most active and when both the air and the ocean are at their maximum temperature.

大多数鲨鱼在11月到2月之间最暖和的月份被捕，那时是鲨鱼最活跃的季节，空气和海洋达到最高温度。

Despite quite large catches, some people believe that the shark meshing is not the best way to catch sharks.

尽管捕捉量很大，但是一些人认为捕鲨网不是捕捉鲨鱼最好的方法。

It's not that they think sharks are afraid of nets, or because they eat holes in them, because neither of these is true.

他们认为鲨鱼不怕渔网或因为它们撕咬渔网，这些都是错误的。

But meshing does appear to be less effective than some other methods, especially when there are big seas with high rolling waves and strong currents and anything that lets the sand move - the sand that's holding the nets down.

但是建网不如其它方式有效，特别是惊涛骇浪和其他事情使沙子移动的时候，沙子会使网下沉。

When this moves the nets will also become less effective.

这种移动会使网失效。

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