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P1

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Name

1. Can you tell me your full name?

My name is **中文名**, and you can call me **英文名** if you like.

2. Does your name have any special meaning?

My name is a precious gift from my grandparents and they said it symbolizes prosperity, longevity and happiness in traditional Chinese culture, so I have always believed that it would bring me good fortune.

3. Does anyone in your family have the same name as you?

No, it seems to be an established tradition **约定俗成的传统** in Chinese families that almost everyone in the family has a different name.

4. Are there any differences between how Chinese parents name their children now and in the past?

Yes. Traditionally, names were often chosen based on family virtues and meaningful characters. Nowadays, parents prefer names that are unique, easy to pronounce, and have a pleasant sound. However, whether it is now or in the past, names often emphasize positive meanings.

5. How would you choose names for your next generation?

There were many famous and remarkable **不同凡响的** poets such as Li Bai and Du Fu in ancient China, so I intend to choose some meaningful and catchy words from their poems as my child's name.

Hometown

1. What's the name of your hometown?

Name + location + title

I come from **城市名**, which is located in the **方位** of China. It is a poetic and picturesque city, so people always call it as the heaven on earth.

2. Is that a big city or a small place? “交”

Metropolis + infrastructure + go out + transportation options + e.g.

My hometown is a metropolis with a thriving economy, where the infrastructure is well-developed. For example, transportation system of that place is excellent, with many subway stations and bus stops throughout the streets, making it convenient for me to get around.

3. How long have you lived there? “食”

Native + born + d snacks + e.g. + foodie + appetite

I am a native of **你的城市名字**, and I was born and raised there. What I like the most of my city is the delectable snacks, especially Beef dumplings. As a foodie, living here can satisfy my taste buds.

4. Have you learned anything about the history of your hometown? 【频率很高】

According to historical records, my hometown is a city with a history of 2,000 years. Therefore, my hometown boasts various magnificent historical buildings, including bell towers and drum towers, among others.

The area you live in

1. Do you live in a flat or a house?

I am living a flat now, which is located in the city centre, making my daily travel very convenient.

2. Which part do you like the most of your living area? **如果问你想搬家吗? -不想-答案同一个**

I particularly appreciate the excellent transportation system in my living area. There are numerous subway and

bus stations nearby, which makes it incredibly convenient for me to get around. Because of this, I have no desire to move to another place.

3. Do you know your neighbours? “外表”

Yes, I know my neighbour Liqiang very well. He is not only my best friend but also my classmate. Now, he is around 20. In my eyes, he looks so imposing, with big eyes and a high nose.

4. Do you live with your family or alone? “人”

I live alone but I don't feel lonely because my neighbour Jack is a good-natured and obliging person. Whenever I get into trouble, he lends me a helping hand without any hesitation.

5. When do you stay at home more often, during the week or on weekends?

I tend to stay at home more often during the week. [This is primarily because](#) I need to struggle with my studies until the midnight. During the weekends, I usually take the opportunity to go out, socialize, or engage in recreational activities to [unwind](#).

Study/work

工作者由于问题不可控，建议说自己是学生，如果不好意思可以说自己是 Chinese language teacher,这样考官就不怎么展开了

1. What do you like about your studies?

I think the subject I am studying is quite interesting because the teachers often take us on various experiments in class to test theories and occasionally take us on field trips 实地考察.

2. How much time do you spend studying every week? “横轴 10”

Due to China's vast population and intense competition, I often have to struggle with my homework until the midnight if I want to be stand out. You see, I spend a lot of time studying during the week.

3. What transport do you usually use to get to work or school? “交”

The subway is my favourite mode of transport because of the fast speed. It runs on a strict schedule and is unaffected by surface traffic, making it perfect for city commutes.

4. Who helps you the most in your study? “人”

My tutor, Liqiang, helps me the most with my studies. He is very good-natured and obliging, and whenever I encounter any academic difficulties, he always lends me a helping hand without any hesitation.

Spare time

1. Do you often have free time? 横轴 10

Of course not. Due to China's vast population and fierce competition, I often have to struggle with my homework until the midnight. So, I really need a long holiday to take a break.

2. What do you usually in your spare time? 横轴 5

Besides studying, I usually listen to some light music like Canon, as it is a good way to relieve my pressure from study deadlines. I mean, the gentle melody and beautiful tune can transport me to a fascinating world, helping me escape from troubles in real life.

3. Which day do you have more free time, Saturday or Sunday?

I have more free time on Saturday because I am required to attend a self-study class on Sunday evening. This obligation makes me feel a bit upset starting from Sunday morning.

4. Would you like to have more free time in the future? 横轴 4

Absolutely. Having more free time would allow me to engage in activities that I truly enjoy. I could use that time to [pursue my dreams and fulfill my hobbies](#). These activities are essential for reducing the risk of mental health issues, especially depression.

Being busy

1. Do you like being busy? “横轴 10”

Of course not. Due to China's vast population and fierce competition, I often have to struggle with my homework until the midnight. So, I really need a long holiday to take a break.

2. Are you busier now than when you were a child?

Yes. When I was a kid, I didn't have to get up so early to read books, and my mom made breakfast for me at that time. However, now, as I mentioned earlier, my free time is very limited.

3. When was the last time you were busy?

Hmm~, let me think about it. Wow! About 6months ago, I stayed up late to finish an essay assigned by my Chinese teacher. To complete it, I sent over 100 questionnaires and conducted more than 20 interviews. That was a nightmare for me.

Flower

1. Do you love flowers? “横轴 1”

Yes, especially peonies. Not only are peonies beautiful, but they also represent prosperity and longevity in traditional Chinese culture. We believe that giving peonies as a birthday gift can bring good fortune to the recipient.
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2. Do you know anyone who loves flowers?

Yes, my neighbor Lina is a beautiful girl who loves flowers so much. She even looks like a stunning flower herself, with big eyes and a high nose. She buys various flowers to decorate her house each week.

3. Are there a lot of flowers where you live?

Sure, my neighbourhood is surrounded by diverse beautiful flowers, including sunflowers, lilies, jasmines and so on. They blossom in different seasons, making our living environment quite dreamy and attractive.

4. Do people in your country often send flowers to others?

Yes, as I just mentioned, we usually send others peonies on their birthdays to express blessings.

Taking photos

1. How often do you take photos? 【用紫金 14 页横轴 2】

I seldom take photos in my daily life, but during the journey, I will take many photos of natural landscape and cultural relics to save as my beautiful memories. These photos can relieve my stress when I open them one day.

2. Do you like selfie?

Yes, I do like taking selfies. It's a fun way to capture moments and memories, especially when I'm with friends or visiting new places. Also, selfies allow me to quickly document my experiences and share them with others on social media.

3. Do you have a favourite family photo? 【用紫金 12 页 “关系逻辑”】

One of my favourite photos was taken at the top of Yellow Mountain. In the middle of the photo are my grandma and me. She is the closest family member to me because she brought me up. So, whenever I see the photo, it reminds me of the good old days.

4. Do you want to improve your photography skills? 【注意发音!!!】

Yes, I want to improve my photography/feˈtɒɡrəfi/ skills, and I'm currently working on it. I'm learning a lot of advanced techniques from videos posted by professional photographers on TikTok and other social media. Beautiful photos not only make me happy but also give me a sense of fulfilment when receiving praise from others.

Saying thank you

1. Have you sent a thank you card to others? “人”

Yes. When I was middle school, I sent an exquisite thank you card to my Chinese teacher. He was very good-natured and obliging because whenever I encountered difficulties in that subject, he would help me immediately and patiently.

2. On what occasions do you say thank you?

I say thank you on many occasions, such as when I receive help from others or get praised. It is a good way to show my politeness and appreciation.

3. Do people in your country often say thank you?

Of course. China has a long history that dates back about 5000 years, and there are many records about [etiquette](#) /'etɪkət/ 礼仪 in historical books. From ancient times to the present, Chinese people have regarded treating others politely as a virtue.

Praising

1. Have you had any achievements recently? 横轴 10

No, my recent life is dull because I have to struggle with my assignments until the midnight almost every day, leaving me with limited chances to engage in other activities.

2. How do you feel when you are praised?

When I am praised, I feel very happy and motivated. It boosts my confidence and encourages me to keep doing my best. Praise from others makes me feel appreciated and recognized for my efforts.

3. When was the last time you praised someone? 风

About six months ago, I praised my friend Jack for his excellent travel plan. We had an unforgettable experience in Suzhou city, thanks to his well-thought-out plan. The natural beauty and cultural relics he included in the plan left a deep impression on us and effectively relieved our stress.

4. Do you think parents should often praise their kids?

Yes, I believe parents should often praise their kids. Positive reinforcement can boost a child's self-esteem and encourage them to continue good behavior. Praise helps children feel valued and loved, and it can motivate them to strive for excellence.

Birthday

1. What do you usually do on your birthday? “聚餐-食”

Inviting friends and close family members over to have a meal is the thing I always do on my birthday. As a foodie, enjoying delectable food with people I care about always satisfies my taste buds and makes me happy.

2. What did you do on your birthday when you were young?

As I just mentioned, I did the same thing when I was a child.

3. Do you think it is important for you to celebrate your birthday?

Yes, I do think it's important. Celebrating my birthday gives me a chance to reflect on the past year, set new goals, and spend quality time with family and friends. It also makes me feel appreciated and loved.

4. Which birthday do you think is the most important to celebrate in China? “横轴 1”

In China, the most important birthday to celebrate is often considered to be the 18th birthday. This milestone means that a child has grown up and should shoulder their own social responsibilities. Besides, 18 represents prosperity and happiness in traditional Chinese culture, and we all believe celebrating 18th birthday would bring us good fortune.

Machine

1. What is your favourite machine in your home? “食”

What I like the most is the microwave-oven. As a foodie, the machine allows me to make a variety of delectable foods to satisfy my taste buds. Besides, it helps me heat food in a very short time.

2. Do you think washing machines and sweeping machines are important?

Yes, these machines have [freed our hands](#) from boring housework, allowing us to spend time on more meaningful or interesting activities. Additionally, they can clean clothes and rooms more efficiently than humans.

3. Do you read the instructions before using a machine?

For some complicated machines like new computers or new phones, I do read the instructions to grasp the operation as quickly as possible. However, for simpler devices like lamps, we all know how to use them based on experience.

4. Do you think it is important to read the instructions?

因为第三问，不出现了

Snacks

1. What snacks did you like to eat when you were a child? “横轴 4”

Actually, I seldom ate snacks, whether in the past or now, because I know that most snacks are high in sugar and additives, which increase the risk of diseases such as obesity, high blood pressure and diabetes. To stay healthy, I have always preferred homemade food.

后面的基本都没了，问到了就说 “as I just mentioned, I seldom eat snacks.”

2. What snacks do you like to eat now?

3. Do you like to eat healthy snacks or unhealthy snacks?

Housework and cooking

1. Do you do some cooking or help your family cook at home now? “横轴 4”

I cook almost every day, because take-out food is usually greasy and salty, which increases the risk of diseases, especially obesity and high blood pressure. To stay healthy, I seldom eat out.

2. Did you do some housework when you were young? “横轴 8”

I often swept the floors when I was young because I understood how hard my parents worked. Doing housework was my way of sharing their burdens. Also, I found it to be an effective antidote to boredom and melancholy at the time.

3. Do you want to learn how to cook well? “食”

Sure. As a foodie, delectable dishes always satisfy my taste buds and make me happy. Additionally, learning to cook well improves my independence and helps expand my social circle. For example, I could invite friends over to have a meal on weekends.

4. What housework do you like or dislike doing?

I enjoy cooking, as I mentioned easier. However, I dislike changing sheets, which is rather boring and complicated.

5. Do you think the restaurant chef is a good job?

This is very difficult to judge. The salary of a chef is usually very high, and the praise and recognition from diners can bring a great sense of achievement. But being a chef is very hard because a large amount of ingredients need to be processed every day.

Patience

各读 5 遍: [monotonous](#) /mə'notənəs/ [tedious](#) /'ti:diəs/

1. Are you a patient person?

I'm not entirely sure. I can persist in doing something for a long time, but sometimes, I get annoyed if I can't do something well after trying two or three times, like tying my shoes or drying clothes

2. What can make you impatient?

As I just mentioned, [monotonous](#) /mə'notənəs/ 乏味的 tasks can easily make me impatient. To manage this, I often listen to light music, such as Canon, to calm myself down.

3. How do you feel when you have to do sth for a long time?

For activities I'm interested in, such as doing sports or cooking, I can concentrate very well. However, for more [tedious](#) /'ti:diəs/ 冗长无聊的 tasks like studying, I need to take a break every one or two hours to recharge my batteries.

4. Are you more patient now than when you were a child?

Yes, I believe I am more patient now than when I was a child. Growing up 在成长中, I didn't really understand the value of patience and often wanted things to happen instantly. However, [as I've matured](#), I've learned that good things often take time and that [patience is crucial for achieving long-term goals](#).

Staying up late

1. Do you often stay up late? “10why”

Actually, I do often stay up late. Due to China's large population and fierce competition, I have to struggle with my homework until midnight. I know this habit is bad for my health, but there's little I can do about it [given the circumstances](#).

2. Did you stay up late when you were young?

When I was a child, I only slept late on weekends and during holidays. This is because most Chinese parents believe that going to bed early and waking up early will help their children's [physical fitness and development](#).

3. What do you do when you stay up late? “横轴 5”

[Besides studying](#), I usually listen to some light music like Canon, as it is a good way to relieve my pressure from study deadlines. I mean, the gentle melody and beautiful tune can transport me to a fascinating world, helping me escape from troubles in real life.

4. What does it feel like the next morning if you stay up late?

I usually feel dizzy and have trouble seeing things clearly. Worse still, concentrating on what needs to be done becomes quite difficult.

Puzzles 数独、七巧板那一类益智游戏

1. Did you do puzzles a lot when you were a kid?

Yes, I did, especially jigsaw puzzles 拼图. They were the effective antidote to boredom and melancholy. I mean, the sense of achievement that came from successfully solving a puzzle always transported me to a fascinating world, helping me escape from troubles in reality.

2. What benefits do puzzle games bring to you?

As I just mentioned, they not only provide entertainment but also help me relieve pressure.

3. When do you do puzzles, during your trip or when you feel bored?

I don't do puzzles during the trip. There is a stable internet connection on all public transport in China, so I basically pass the time playing with my mobile phones. Also, the [occasional bump](#) in the road can easily cause the loss of puzzle pieces.

4. Do you think it is good for old people to do puzzles? “横轴 4”

Sure, puzzles require players to think carefully, so they are a good way to exercise the brains of old people, which can lower the risk of some diseases, like [senile dementia](#) /,siːnaɪl dɪˈmenʃə/ 老年痴呆.

Public transportation

1. What kind of public transportation do you usually take?

I take the subway most frequently due to its fast speed. The subway is underground and has exclusive tracks, which helps avoid traffic jams during rush hour. Therefore, taking it can save time effectively.

2. When do you usually take public transportation, in your every day life or when you are travelling?

I take it in my daily life. When I am travelling, I prefer taxi more, as they make it easier to handle my heavy belongs. Also, it is more convenient to take a taxi in an unfamiliar city.

3. Do most people prefer public transportation in your country?

Sure. Public transportation is relatively cheaper in China because it receives [financial subsidies](#) from governments each year. Also, as I mentioned easier, public transportation like the subway can save time.

4. Did you take public transportation when you were young? “横轴 12”

Yes. As a student without much pocket money, I tended to make budget-friendly choices when I was a kid. Apparently, public transportation was the best option for me at the time.

Geography

1. Do you like geography? “风”

Yes, I do. This subject allows me to explore the natural beauty and diverse landforms of different regions. As a travel enthusiast, geography helps me relieve stress when I feel annoyed.

2. Do you think geography is useful?

Absolutely. As I just mentioned, it's useful for me in understanding the world and planning my travels.

3. Have you learned geography? “人”

Sure. I studied geography in middle school, where I gained some basic knowledge about the world. My geography teacher was quite good-natured and obliging. Whenever I had questions about geography, he was always willing to lend a hand without any hesitation.

4. Do you want to be a geography teacher? “ielts 大法”

Actually, I don't know. I haven't really thought about it before, as my main focus right now is passing the IELTS exam.

5. Will you learn more about the geography of other countries?

Maybe I will in the future, but not at the moment. Currently, I have to struggle with my homework and papers until the midnight.

P2

地点类

A part of your country that you would recommend to visitors

1. Which place you would recommend
2. How you learned about it
3. Whether many visitors go there
4. Explain why you would recommend this part of your country to visitors

The place I'd like to describe is a city called Tianzhen, which is located in the southwest of China. It's a poetic and picturesque place, with a history dating back about 1000 years.

I went to this place last summer with my friend Peter, as we had just finished our essays at that time, hoping this journey would relieve the stress from studying.

Every year, there are tens of millions of tourists here, generating a large amount of tourism revenue for the local government and providing sufficient employment opportunities for local residents.

I recommend this place to visitors for several reasons. 【人；风】

First of all, people there are particularly good-natured and obliging. For example, if you encounter any trouble, they will lend you a helping hand without any hesitation, making your journey smoother and more enjoyable. In addition, the place boasts a lot of natural beauty and cultural relics, like the Tianlong Temple and Yun tai Lake. Visitors can take numerous photos of these beautiful scenes and appreciate them, which can be a great way to relieve stress.

P3

1. Is it important to take photos while travelling?

I think so. Taking photos to record the amazing sights and fun things you see on your trip is a useful way to preserve your memories. Because you can look through these photos when you're bored and your inner stress can be effectively relieved.

2. Can we trust other people's travel journals on the internet?

I think we can learn from it but should not trust it all. Due to lax censorship, there is a lot of false information on the internet now. A lot of businesses will pretend to be people who have been there to attract tourists by posting articles that glorify the scenery and services of the attraction, which is difficult to distinguish if you are not experienced enough.

3. What factors affect how people feel about travel?

There are many factors that can affect how people feel about travelling, and the first one that comes to my mind is about the weather. Imagine if it rains for 5 days in one place and you have to watch TV in the hotel, it will be a very bad trip. Besides, the quality of the population in a tourist destination is also a huge influencing factor. For example, if you arrive in a place where the inhabitants are very indifferent and no one will talk to you when you ask for directions, you will have a very terrible feeling about the trip.

4. What kinds of comments do travelers typically leave online after a trip?

Travellers typically leave a variety of comments online after a trip, reflecting their overall experience. They often review accommodations, discussing the quality of hotels, hostels, or vacation rentals by mentioning aspects like cleanliness, comfort, and service. Restaurant and food reviews are also common, with travellers highlighting the taste, presentation, and value of the food they enjoyed. Additionally, people frequently review tourist attractions, cultural sites, and activities they participated in, offering insights into what to expect.

Describe a city you've been to and would like to visit again

同上题

Describe a shop you often visit

1. What the shop is
2. Where it is
3. How often you visit it
4. And why you like to visit it

名位 title 历

The shop I'd like to describe is a snack store called TIANZHEN, which is located in the heart of my hometown. Tianzhen shop is almost the biggest snack shop in this area, and was opened about 2 years ago.

When+why

I go there to buy snacks I need almost every week. Given the vast population and intense competition in China, I often have to struggle with my homework until midnight. These snacks help me focus on my studies better when I am hungry at night.

I like the store so much for several reasons, 人; 食; 交

First of all, the shopping assistants here are particularly good-natured and obliging. If you are confused about what to buy, they will lend you a helping hand without any hesitation. Therefore, you can get what you need quickly here.

In addition, there are various delectable snacks that cannot be bought in other places, such as ice sugar haws, peanut candies, to name a few. As a foodie, snacks sold in this shop always satisfy my taste buds.

Lastly, the traffic system around the shop is extremely excellent. You can see many subway and bus stations nearby, making my shopping very convenient.

P3

1. Do **people** in your country go to the shopping mall frequently?

It depends. People who are affluent and have ample free time often go shopping to pass the time and satisfy their shopping desires. On the other hand, those who are **less well-off** and more frugal seldom visit shopping malls. They primarily focus on work and usually opt for online shopping when they need to purchase necessities.

2. How have people's shopping habits changed in recent decades?

In the past, economic backwardness led to low purchasing power and productivity, so people mainly bought essential items like salt and clothes. However, with the rapid develop of economy, people today **are more inclined to** purchase accessories and products that fulfill emotional needs, such as dolls and jewelry. Additionally, technological advancements have made online shopping more accessible and affordable, leading to a significant increase in the number of people who prefer buying things through apps.

3. Do you think shops and shopping malls will disappear in the future?

Although online shopping makes life more convenient and offers cheaper goods, I don't think shopping malls will disappear. There are individuals who prioritize the quality of products and prefer to inspect **检查** items in person before making a purchase. Moreover, the enjoyable experience of shopping in stores is something that online shopping cannot replicate **复制**.

4. What are the differences between shopping in street markets and in big shopping malls?

Firstly, street markets are usually more vibrant, with a unique atmosphere characterized by the sounds, smells, and sights of various vendors selling their goods. You can often find fresh produce, handmade crafts, and unique items that you might not encounter in a typical shopping mall.

On the other hand, big shopping malls offer a more controlled and comfortable environment. They typically feature a wide range of branded stores, dining options, and entertainment facilities. Besides, the quality of products in malls is usually more consistent **一贯的**, and there are often better **return policies** and customer service.

首先，街市通常更具活力，有着独特的氛围，充斥着各种摊贩叫卖声、食物香气和琳琅满目的商品。在这里，你常常能买到新鲜的农产品、手工制品以及在普通购物中心见不到的独特商品。另一方面，大型购物中心提供了一个更稳定且舒适的环境。它们通常拥有众多品牌店、餐饮选择和娱乐设施。此外，购物中心的商品质量通常更稳定，而且往往有更完善的退货政策和客户服务。

5. What are the differences between the shopping habits of different age groups?

The aged tend to buy health care products. They are prone to diseases due to their weaker immune system, so they often seek items that can help them maintain healthy and longevity. Also, old people are generally more frugal, preferring to buy necessities from markets rather than spending money on luxury items from [high-end stores](#).

On the other hand, young people are more likely to buy goods that bring them joy, such as CDs or electronic devices. They often have to struggle with work or study until the midnight because of the intense competition in China, and those goods can help them relieve stress.

Describe someone else's house that you like/the home of someone you know well and visit often

1. Whose house it is
2. What it looks like
3. What special features it has
4. And why you like the house

The ideal house I am going to describe is the home of my friend Jack, which is located inside the biggest community of our city, the Bigui Garden. And his house was built about 10 years ago.

I visited his house 2 years ago, as Jack invited close classmates to his house for his birthday party, and I was instantly shocked by the luxury of his house.

It is about 10 metres high with three floors. From the outside, the house looks like a castle. The exterior walls of this house are yellow, which is my favorite color. And when it comes to the details, the decoration style of the house is in Chinese style.

I wish I could have bought the same house in the future to be his neighbour.

The first reason is about the convenience. Transportation system around that community is excellent, as there are many metro and bus stations near the gate of it. Therefore, it would be very convenient for me to travel if I lived there.

Second, a lot of ornamental trees and artificial rock formations can be seen in the neighbourhood, such as the stunning pine trees and willows. I often imagine myself walking in the garden after dinner.

More importantly, Jack also told me that the neighbours around his house are good-natured and obliging, because when he gets in trouble, they would be willing to give him a hand without hesitation. If I lived in a place like this, I should feel very welcome 温馨的.

P3

1. What are apartments like in your country?

As much as I love China, I must admit that the buildings in Chinese cities are ugly and featureless 毫无特色的.

As the characteristic buildings in China are all wooden, which is not only difficult to preserve but also contains a fire hazard, the modern buildings are just very ordinary tall buildings.

2. What would people normally consider when they rent or buy a house or an apartment?

I think the house price is the most important factor, because most people's salaries are difficult to buy an ideal house in big cities. If the house price is too high, it means that we need to work overtime every day to pay off the high mortgage. People will lose their leisure time to do what they love, and they are likely to suffer from depression; secondly, the infrastructure around the house, such as transportation, medical care, and education, are other factors that people will consider.

3. Do different people have different preferences for houses or apartments?

Yes. Compared to a house, the price of an apartment is relatively cheap because of its smaller size. But we can meet a lot of people through living in an apartment because we will have a lot of neighbours around.

If you live in a house, then you can grow all kinds of flowers in your own garden to enrich your life and also be able to invite your friends over for a party at the weekend, because it is more spacious.

4. What do you think the houses will be like in the future?

With the development of society, I believe that people will increasingly value the environment, so future building materials will prioritize environmental protection and sustainability. Therefore, the energy system of

future houses may utilize wind or solar /'səʊlə(r)/energy.

Moreover, Nowadays, people's demand for entertainment is increasing, so future homes will place more emphasis on creating public spaces such as public gardens, gyms, libraries, children's play areas, etc.

5. Why do some people like to live in expensive houses?

Some people like to live in expensive houses for several reasons. Firstly, these homes often offer high levels of comfort and luxury, with spacious rooms, modern appliances, and beautiful interiors that enhance their quality of life. Secondly, living in an expensive house can serve as a status symbol, showcasing one's success and social standing. Additionally, expensive houses are usually located in desirable areas with good schools, low crime rates, and convenient access to shopping centers, parks, and restaurants.

人物类

Describe a person who inspired you to do sth. interesting

1. Who the person is
2. How you got to know the person
3. What interesting thing you did
4. And how the person inspired you

名职年外

The person I'd like to describe is my neighbour Jenny, who is an artist. Now, Jenny is around 30. In my eyes, she looks quite imposing, with big eyes and a high nose.

When + why

I got to know her 2 years ago when she moved next door to me, and her vibrant smile left a deep impression on me.

We usually talk with each other, sharing updates about our lives.

And last month, she advised me to travel to Suzhou, a gorgeous city located in the southeast of China.

She told me that there are numerous attractive and amazing things there.

For example, food sold in that city is extremely delectable, especially Dongpo pork. As a foodie, I am planning to buy some food here, hoping it can satisfy my taste buds.

In addition, there is a lot of natural beauty and cultural relics in Suzhou, such as Zhuozheng Garden and Tai Lake. I want to take photos of those stunning views to relieve my stress caused by study deadlines recently.

Her vivid descriptions of Suzhou truly inspired me to take a break and explore this beautiful city.

P3

1. What qualities make someone a role model?

A role model should have noticeable strengths compared to others, so that people are attracted to learn from them. Besides, role models should also be [approachable](#) and helpful. This way, those who seek their advice can feel comfortable and receive the help they need to improve.

2. What types of people will inspire children to do interesting things?

I think it's the patient ones. It takes a lot of patience to communicate with children and encourage them to try new things. Children often find it hard to sit still and listen quietly due to their young age, let alone follow instructions. Patient people can take the time to explain things in a way that captures a child's interest and keeps them engaged.

3. Who do you think will inspire children more, parents or teachers?

I think both parents and teachers can make a big difference. Before children enter school, they spend most of their time with their parents, who can help them develop many habits and interests during this period. Once children start school, they often seek praise and attention from their teachers. This desire for approval 赞扬 encourages them to consciously learn and follow what their teachers suggest. So, both parents and teachers play crucial roles in inspiring children.

4. Should adults encourage young children to set their own goals?

I think it is necessary, but the target should not be too big. Good goals help children to improve their

perseverance /pəˈseɪvərəns/ **毅力**, as achieving them requires sustained effort over time. Apparently, this process will increase children's endurance and strengthen their beliefs. It also improves children's confidence if the goal is achieved. However, if the goal is too big, such as setting a child the goal of winning an Olympic gold medal, it is unlikely to be achieved and this can lead to frustration.

Describe a person who persuaded you to do sth.

1. Who the person is
2. When it happened
3. What he/she persuaded you to do it
4. Why he/she persuaded you to do it and whether you did it at last

P2 同上题

P3

1. What impact does advertising have on children and their parents?

Advertising can greatly influence both children and their parents. For children, it often makes them want the latest toys or snacks, leading to constant requests. Advertisements always beautify the functions and appearances of products, which has a strong appeal to children. This can put financial pressure on parents, who may feel the need to buy these advertised products. Overall, advertising can promote consumerism /kənˈsjuːməɪzəm/ and materialism /məˈtɪəriəlɪzəm/ in families.

总的来说，广告会在家庭中导致消费主义和物质主义。

2. What do parents often persuade their children to do?

Parents often persuade their children to study hard because most children have poor self-control. This means they cannot concentrate on boring things, such as studying, for a long time. Therefore, constantly persuading children to study is the main way to ensure their learning efficiency and outcomes.

Secondly, children have limited life experience, so it's difficult for them to distinguish the right from wrong. Persuading children to develop good habits and manners is also something that parents often need to do. Otherwise, children are likely to be misled by some bad behaviours or negative values.

3. Who do children listen to more, their parents or their teachers?

I think both parents and teachers can make a big difference. Before children enter school, they spend most of their time with their parents, who can help them develop many habits and interests during this period. Once children start school, they often seek praise and attention from their teachers. This desire for approval **赞扬** encourages them to consciously learn and follow what their teachers suggest. So, both parents and teachers play crucial roles in inspiring children.

4. What are some good ways to persuade children?

One good way to persuade children is through positive reinforcement **正强化**. When they do something good, praise them and give them small rewards, like extra playtime or a favourite snack. This makes them feel appreciated and motivates them to repeat the good behavior.

Another effective method is to set a good example. Children often copy what adults do. If you want them to read more, let them see you reading. If you want them to be polite, always use polite words yourself. Seeing you do these things makes them more likely to follow along.

Describe a person you disliked at first but ended up being friends with

1. Who the person is
2. How did you know the person
3. Why you dislike him/her at first
4. Why you became into friends later

名职年外

The person I'd like to describe is my neighbour Jenny, who is an artist. Now, Jenny is around 30. In my eyes, she looks quite imposing, with big eyes and a high nose.

When + why

I got to know her 2 years ago when she moved next door to me, and her vibrant smile left a deep impression on me.

Her dressing style varies a lot. Sometimes I see her wearing a [trench coat](#) 固搭：英式风衣 and long boots, looking like a modern, sophisticated woman. Sometimes, she wears cute and fresh clothes, resembling a high school girl. Initially /ɪˈnɪʃəli/, because of stereotypes, I preferred more traditionally dressed women and found her style off-putting 不爽的.

However, we became friends later because I realised how kind-hearted she is after getting to know her better. First of all, she is good-natured and obliging, always donating money to help the impoverished. Her actions have deeply impacted me, making her my role model.

In addition, what surprised the most is that she is a distinguished graduate from Peking university, which ranks among the top universities in China. Whenever children in our community encounter academic difficulties, she can help them solve problems easily.

P3

1. What do you think of making friends online?

I think making friends online can be a great way to meet new people, especially those who share similar interests. It allows you to connect with others from different parts of the world, which can be very enriching. However, it's important to be cautious and aware of potential risks, such as people who may not be genuine /dʒenjuɪn/ or who might have bad intentions.

2. Is it a good idea to make friends with people who are much older than you?

Yes. Older friends can offer valuable life experiences and advice that you might not get from peers your own age. They can provide different perspectives and insights that can help you grow and learn. However, it's important to ensure that the friendship is based on mutual respect and understanding, and that both parties feel comfortable and valued in the relationship.

3. Do you think friendship is important?

Absolutely, friendship is very important. Friends provide emotional support, companionship, and a sense of belonging. They can help you through difficult times and celebrate your successes with you. Good friendships can boost your mental health and overall well-being. They also teach valuable social skills and can enrich your life in many ways. In short, having strong, positive friendships is essential for a happy and fulfilling life.

4. Why is it difficult for some people to make friends with others?

Making friends takes a lot of time because we have to meet each other frequently to maintain relationships, but some people are busy with their work or study and have limited time to meet this requirement. In addition, some people are introverts, and frequent communication and interaction can be challenging for them. They prefer to stay at home and do things they are interested in when they have free time.

5. What are the benefits of having friends with different personalities?

Having friends with different personalities has many benefits. First, it helps you see things from different perspectives. This makes you more open-minded.

Second, they can complement 补足 your strengths and weaknesses. For example, an extroverted friend can encourage you to be more social, while you might help them to enjoy quieter activities.

Third, your social life becomes more interesting. Different personalities bring new activities and conversations into your life.

Describe a person you know who loves to grow plants

1. Who the person is

2. What he/she grows

3. Where he/she grows plants

4. And why he/she enjoys growing plants

名职年外

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When + why

I got to know her 2 years ago when Jenny moved the next door to me, and her vibrant smile left a deep impression on me.

There are diverse beautiful flowers in her garden, including sunflowers, lilies, jasmines, and so on.

She enjoys growing plants for several reasons, 横轴 1; 横轴 5+5why

First of all, she told me that different flowers have different unique meanings. For example, the peony, our national flower, represents prosperity and longevity in traditional Chinese culture. So she usually picks some peonies she planted from her garden to give to others on their birthdays, hoping the flower would bring them good fortune.

In addition, she said that growing stunning and attractive flowers is a good way to relieve her stress. As she often has to struggle with new works until the midnight, looking at beautiful flowers can help her escape from the troubles in real life for a while.

P3

1. Are there many people growing their own vegetables now?

Growing vegetables is more common in rural areas than in cities. Urban land is limited, and most city dwellers live in high-rise buildings, which do not provide the space needed for vegetable gardening. In contrast, in the countryside, many families grow their own vegetables for daily needs due to the inconvenience of shopping.

2. Do you think it's good to let kids learn how to plant?

Yes, I think it's beneficial for kids to learn how to plant. Understanding the growing process is not only educational and enriching, but it also teaches children to appreciate food. By experiencing the hard work involved in harvesting, they learn to respect farmers and the fruits of their labor.

3. What do you think of the job as a farmer?

I believe agriculture is a vital industry. Without the hard work of farmers, there would be no development for humanity, as everyone needs food. In a vast country like China, agriculture is not fully automated /'ɔ:təmentɪd/ in many areas, and many farmers work very hard just to make ends meet. Their dedication and effort are truly commendable 值得赞扬的.

4. What are the differences between traditional and modern agriculture?

Traditional agriculture is typically family-based and self-sufficient, with families occasionally selling surplus /'sɜ:ples/ products 剩余产品 at the market for other necessities. Modern agriculture, on the other hand, is characterized by mechanized production. The use of machines for plowing /'plauɪŋ/ 耕地, sowing /'seuɪŋ/ 播种, and harvesting has greatly increased productivity.

Describe a friend of yours who is well-dressed and is good at dressing up

1. Who the person is

2. How did you know the person

3. What his/her dressing style is

4. And why do you think the person is good at dressing up

名职年外

The person I'd like to describe is my neighbour Jenny, who is an artist. Now, Jenny is around 30. In my eyes, she looks quite imposing, with big eyes and a high nose.

When + why

I got to know her 2 years ago when she moved next door to me, and her vibrant smile left a deep impression on me.

She doesn't have a fixed style of dressing. Sometimes I see her wearing a trench coat and long boots, looking like a modern, sophisticated woman. Sometimes, she wears cute and fresh clothes, resembling a high school girl.

I think she is good at dressing up for several reasons. “外；艺”

First of all, she looks very beautiful, which makes her outfit appear even more elegant. She has a face like the moon of the mid-autumn and a complexion like the flowers at dawn. Yes, the sentence comes from the famous novel “A Dream of Red Mansions”, and Jenny looks like the character in it. Therefore, no matter how she matches her clothes, she always looks stunning.

In addition, Jenny is incredibly versatile. She can sing, dance, paint and play almost every kind of musical instrument. When important festivals arrive, she wears different costumes and puts on corresponding programs to entertain us. So her dress sense always leaves a deep impression on people.

P3

1. Do you think online shopping will replace in-store shopping in the future?

As convenient as online shopping is, I don't think it can replace in-store shopping. This is because the quality or colour of many items is very difficult to identify through pictures, after all, retouching technology 修图技术 is very advanced nowadays. Also, we need to try on clothes or shoes in person to make sure that the item fits our figure.

2. Why is fashion very important to some people?

Many people have high expectations of their quality of life and they do not allow themselves to appear in public in a slovenly /'slʌv(ə)nli/ manner. 邋遢的形象 Others have to stay stylish because of their work, such as models or celebrities, who need to be at the forefront 前沿 of fashion in order to have access to more relevant work.

3. Are older people as fashionable as young people?

I think so. As we see many fashionably dressed young people appearing in the downtown area every day, either dressed in glamorous /'glæməərəs/ clothes 衣着华丽 or covered in designer labels. However, this does not mean that the elderly are necessarily at a disadvantage in this area, as we can also see well-dressed elderly people on the streets of big cities.

4. Are women more fashionable than men?

I think this subject has nothing to do with men and women, but depends on one's preference, family conditions and talent. People from well-off families 小康之家 are generally more fashionable because they are used to seeing all kinds of designer clothes in the shopping malls. Others are gifted, they have a unique sense of fashion and even in a small town, they still dress well.

物品类

Describe a photo you took that you were proud of

1. When you took it
2. Where you took it
3. What is in this photo
4. And why you were proud of it

名位 title 历

The photo I'd like to describe was one I took in Suzhou city. Suzhou is a poetic and picturesque place located in the southeast of China, with a history that dates back about 2000 years.

When+why

I went there 6 months ago after finishing my essay, hoping the journey would relieve my stress caused by study.

This photo was taken in Zhuozheng Garden, the most famous ancient park in Suzhou. It covers an area of over 3000 acres, featuring different types of scenery in all four seasons.

I am proud of the photo for several reasons.

First of all, it captures the main natural beauty and cultural relics of Zhuozheng Garden, including attractive ornamental trees and artificial rock formations. So whenever I am annoyed, I look at the photo to unwind.

In addition, I posted the photo on my TIKTOK account 2 months ago, which helped me gain a lot of likes and

attention from other users. This gave me a sense of achievement and reinforced my love for photography.

P3

1. Why do some people like to record important things with photos?

When you're bored, looking through these photos can remind you of a good or proud moment from the past, which not only passes the time but also brings satisfaction to your heart.

2. What can people learn from historical photographs?

The most visual way to understand our past is through historical photographs. We can see how people lived, how they dressed and so on to enrich our knowledge. In addition, old photographs are also a useful way of remembering the past, as they allow us to see how something happened more directly than a written record.

3. Is taking photos the best way to remember something?

Even if photographs are visual, they are still inferior to 不如 video recordings. After all, photographs are static/'stætɪk/ 静态的 and can lead to very different messages being conveyed through people's narratives 叙述, whereas video is dynamic and this is much harder to fake. What's more, video can also record sound.

4. What do you think of beautified selfies?

Everyone has a love of beauty, so moderately beautified photos are acceptable. But it's not good to over-embellish/'ɪm'beɪlɪʃ/ 修图 a photo to the point where it bears no relation to 与~无关 the original look, as this can cause frustration for online lovers. This may not seem like a big deal, but many violent incidents occur because the photos don't match the real person.

Describe an object that you think is beautiful

1. What it is

2. When you first saw it

3. Why do you think it is beautiful

4. How you feel about it

上一题的照片

P3

1. Do you think there are more beautiful things now than in the past?

It is not absolute. Thanks to economic development, today's houses, clothes and buildings are more beautiful and richer than before, but economic development has also led to an increase in pollution. For example, once clear rivers have become muddy and blue skies have turned grey.

2. What beautiful scenery spots are there in your country?

There are numerous beautiful scenery spots in China, and the first one that comes to my mind is the Yellow Mountain in Anhui province. It is a poetic and picturesque place as it is surrounded by clouds all year round. Another attraction I would like to introduce is Jiuzhaigou Valley in Sichuan because not only does it have one of the most stunning karst landscapes 喀斯特地貌 in the world, it is also home to numerous protected animals, such as pandas and golden monkeys.

3. Where do you think people usually have access to beautiful things?

I think beauty is everywhere, the key is whether people have a heart to find it. I think it is beautiful when the leaves of the trees sway /sweɪ/ 摇曳 in the wind in a neighbourhood at sunset. The neon/'ni:ɒn/ lights on the city streets at night make the place look vibrant, which is also attractive.

4. Why do you think people enjoying visiting beautiful places? 【效率；精神】

Firstly, beautiful places often have a profound impact on our spiritual well-being. Natural landscapes, such as mountains, forests, and beaches, can evoke a sense of peace and tranquility that is hard to find in our daily lives. This is a good way to relieve stress from study or work.

Secondly, visiting beautiful places can significantly enhance productivity. Taking a break from the routine and immersing oneself in a new and inspiring environment can lead to a mental reset. When people return to their everyday tasks, they often find themselves more focused, motivated, and efficient.

媒体类

Describe a movie you watched recently and would like to watch it again

1. What type of movie it is
2. What the movie is about
3. Where you watched it
4. And why you would like to watch it again

该题有限定词为 [interesting](#) 的版本，答案一样

The movie I'd like to describe is a romantic movie called "Anne's youth", directed by Li Qiang, a popular young director in China. Despite being only 30 years old, he has already achieved 3 film prizes.

横轴 9 讲剧情

The movie tells a love story between a brave man named Jack and a clever girl named Anne. All that the movie narrates, the meetings and partings, the joys and sorrows, and the ups and downs of fortune, are recorded vividly.

名位 title 历

And I watched it with my friend Peter in a local cinema in our hometown. It is located in the city centre, and is almost the largest cinema in this area. I remember it was opened about 2 years ago.

The movie touched me deeply, and I want to watch it again for several reasons. 横轴 6; 横轴 5

First of all, the movie conveys a powerful message: "no matter how your heart is grieving, if you keep on believing, the dream that you wish will come true." so now, whenever I feel upset, I remind myself of this message to cheer myself up.

In addition, there are many [heartwarming plots and exquisite visuals](#) in this movie, which relieved my stress the first time I watched it. So I hope it can have the same calming effect on me again.

P3

1. Where do people normally watch movies?

People normally watch movies in two main places: cinemas and at home. Some people prefer going to the cinema to see the latest movies because it satisfies their curiosity and allows them to enjoy better sound and visual effects, such as 3D effects.

On the other hand, others choose to watch movies at home to save money and enjoy more freedom. At home, they can drink beer and eat snacks while watching, making it a more relaxed experience.

2. What are the differences between watching movies at home and in a cinema?

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3. Are actors or actresses important to movies?

Of course, many people read the original book before watching the TV show or movie. They have certain expectations about the main characters. If the director chooses actors or actresses who don't match these expectations, the film might face boycotts.

Additionally, a good actor or actress can bring the characters in the script to life, making them feel real and [genuine](#) / 'dʒenju:n/ 真情实感的 to the audience.

此外，优秀的演员能够将剧本中的角色演绎得栩栩如生，让观众觉得这些角色真实可信、充满真情实感。

4. Why are there fewer people going to the cinema to watch movies nowadays?

Firstly, the rise of [streaming services](#) 互联网媒体 has made it convenient to watch movies at home. People can access a wide variety of films anytime without leaving their homes.

Secondly, watching movies at home is more cost-effective. Cinema tickets, along with snacks and drinks, can be expensive. By staying home, people save money and can enjoy their favorite snacks without additional costs.

Describe an advertisement which introduced a product you have seen

1. When you saw the advertisement
2. Where you saw the advertisement
3. What the product was
4. And how you felt about it

“用物品题的音箱逻辑解决”

The advertisement I'd like to describe was a commercial introducing a stereo, which was shown in a fashion magazine called "The Youth" last year..

名位 title 历

I happened to see the advertisement in a local cafe, which is located in the city centre of my hometown. The cafe is one of the largest in this area and has been open for about 2 years. I was waiting for a friend to discuss our coming journey next. To pass the time, I picked up some magazines that were available in the cafe.

外形描述

The stereo shown in the ad was about 30 centimeters long and 20 centimeters wide. It was entirely yellow, which is my favourite colour. As for the details, it featured a beautiful pattern of a Chinese dragon on its surface.

The ad actually made me consider buying the stereo, and here are my reasons.

First of all, it highlighted many useful functions and emphasized its excellent sound quality. I suffered from insomnia due to intense competition last year, so I wanted to use it to play some soothing music before bed, hoping it would improve my sleep quality.

Additionally, I believed that the stereo could help relieve my stress from study deadlines. The beautiful melodies it played could transport me to a wonderful world, helping me escape from troubles of real life.

P3

1. What types of products are often advertised in your country?

I think household products such as toothpaste 牙膏 and shampoo have the most ads. They cover all aspects of people's lives, so they are in high demand, but the large number of peers also adds to the competitive pressure. Therefore, advertising their products can make them more brandable and thus help companies to gain more revenue.

2. Is it a good idea to use famous people in advertisements?

Quite a good idea. A lot of fans are crazy enough to spend more money than they can afford for their favourite celebrities to buy those celebrity endorsed products, so using famous people in advertisements can greatly increase the sales of products.

3. Which one is more effective, print advertising and online advertising?

This is the age of technology, and online advertising is more effective. Most people pass the time by browsing through short videos on social media like TikTok, so the type of advertising that people are most exposed to is online advertising.

4. Is it important to educate children about the dangers of advertising?

Of course, because many advertisements exaggerate the features of the product to attract users, but this can mislead children. For example, the Snickers' advertising constantly emphasises that if you're hungry, eat a Snickers bar. This can lead children to believe that eating a Snickers bar when they are hungry is the right decision, but excessive sugar intake can not only increase the risk of getting various diseases, but can even affect their normal physical development.

Describe an article about health you read in a magazine or on the internet

1. What it was
2. Where you read it

3. Why you read it

4. And how you felt about it

the article about health I read is called "How to Be Forever 18", which was published on a health magazine last year. I was deeply attracted by it the first time I read it.

名位 title 历

I happened to read this article in a local cafe in my hometown. The place is located in the heart of the city and is almost the largest cafe here because it occupies two floors. I remember the cafe was opened about 2 years ago.

Actually, I was waiting for my friend to discuss where to travel that day, and I initially picked up the magazine just to kill time.

I think it is a useful and great article, and here are my reasons. 横轴 3; 横轴 5+5why

First of all, it [suggests](#) doing some exercise like running or playing badminton for 30mins every morning, as these activities can help us stay in good shape. The process of exercising engages muscles and burns excess fat. In addition, it [recommends](#) listening to some light music before going to bed because this can reduce the pressure caused by study or work. The gentle and beautiful melody of light music will transport us to a wonderful world, helping us escape from troubles in real life.

Lastly, this article also [introduces](#) other tips like eating more vegetables and enjoying sunshine on weekends, which can effectively improve our immune system.

P3

1. How do today's people keep healthy?

Today's people use a variety of methods to keep healthy, including maintaining a balanced diet, exercising regularly, and getting enough sleep. Many also do meditation and stress-reducing activities like yoga. Additionally, people often keep up with regular medical check-ups to prevent illnesses.

2. Is it difficult to keep healthy?

Yes, it can be quite challenging to keep healthy. Busy lifestyles, overtime work, and the convenience of fast food make it hard for many to stick to a healthy routine. Moreover, stress and lack of time can make it difficult for people to exercise and get adequate rest.

3. Why cannot many people keep healthy?

Many people struggle to keep healthy due to a combination of factors such as lack of time, insufficient knowledge about proper health practices, and financial limitations. The fast-paced nature of modern life often leads to poor dietary [/ˈdæʃətəri/ 饮食的](#) choices and a sedentary lifestyle. Additionally, stress and mental health issues can also impede one's ability to maintain a healthy lifestyle.

4. Where can people find information about keeping healthy?

People can find information about keeping healthy from a variety of sources. These include healthcare professionals, fitness trainers, and so on. Additionally, reputable websites, health blogs, books, and even social media platforms offer a wealth of information. Public health campaigns and educational programs also provide valuable insights into maintaining good health.

5. Do schools have to responsibility to provide health education?

Yes, schools do have the responsibility to provide health education. Educating children about healthy habits from a young age can lay a strong foundation for their future well-being. Schools can teach students about nutrition, the importance of physical activity, and mental health awareness. This knowledge empowers students to make informed choices and adopt a healthy lifestyle.

事件类

Describe a skill that you think you can teach other people

1. What it is

2. When you learned it

3. How can you teach others
4. How you feel about the skill

题干+who

The skill I'd like to describe is speaking German, which I learned from my neighbour Jack when I was in middle school. He used to be a German teacher. I remember he was just 30 years old at the time. And in my eyes, he looked very handsome, with big eyes and a high nose.

德语原因

I learned the skill at the time because my parents were planning to send me to study in Germany, making the language a compulsory task for me.

德语学习

To enhance others' learning, I would offer them a variety of ways to learn the language in free time, including listening to German songs, watching relevant animations, and establishing connections with proficient speakers.

I think the skill is difficult to learn.

Its grammatical structure and pronunciation patterns are different from those of Chinese, making people often forget the way to form a full sentence.

However, I believe that if you have the faith that no matter how your heart is grieving, if you keep on believing, the dream that you wish will come true.

With diligent efforts, I believe anyone can acquire proficiency in speaking German, which will give them a sense of achievement.

P3

1. Should teachers be funny when they teach?

Yes, teachers should use humor when they teach. It makes lessons more enjoyable and engaging. Humor can also help reduce stress and create a positive learning environment. However, it's important to balance humor with maintaining focus on the lesson.

2. What qualities should teachers have?

Teachers should be knowledgeable, patient, and empathetic. They need good communication skills and the ability to inspire and motivate students. Flexibility is also important so they can adapt their teaching methods to suit different learning styles.

3. Which do you think is more important, practical skills or academic skills?

Both are important. Academic skills provide a strong foundation and critical thinking abilities. Practical skills are essential for applying knowledge in real-world situations. A balance of both is the best, as it prepares individuals for various challenges.

4. Which age group is the best at learning new things?

Young children, especially those aged 3 to 7 years, are usually the best at learning new things. Their brains are highly adaptable and they are naturally curious. However, people of all ages can learn effectively with the right motivation and methods.

5. What are the differences between online and face-to-face learning?

Online learning offers flexibility and convenience, allowing students to study at their own pace and from any location. It includes a variety of resources and interactive tools. Face-to-face learning, on the other hand, provides personal interaction, immediate feedback, and a sense of community, enhancing the learning experience. Both can be effective depending on the learner's needs.

Describe an English lesson that you really enjoyed

1. When you had it
2. Where you had it
3. What the lesson was about
4. Why you enjoyed it so much

The English lesson I'd like to describe was the one I had in my high school, which was truly out of the ordinary. The class was taught by the best English teacher in our school, Mr. Li Qiang, a wise and polite middle-aged man.

The class took place in the school's academic lecture hall, a lotus-shaped building that was built about 20 years ago. It is the largest classroom in the school.

The lesson was an introduction to the history of the UK and its natural beauty, which left a deep impression on all of us.

We were all fascinated by the lesson for some reasons, 人；风；德语学习（改编）

First of all, Li Qiang teacher was incredibly good-natured and obliging. Whenever we encountered difficulties with words or grammar during that class, he helped us patiently and immediately.

In addition, unlike other teachers who focused on the boring knowledge itself, Mr Li's teaching style was more varied/'veəriəd/. He used multimedia to show us numerous photos and videos of the UK's natural beauty and cultural relics, which not only helped us build up a more visual understanding, but also helped us relieve stress from study.

More importantly, before the course ended, he shared some effective ways for learning English outside of school, such as listening to English songs, watching relevant animations, and establishing connections with proficient speakers of the language.

Therefore, we learned a lot and had a great deal of fun in his classes.

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1. Why do people learn foreign languages?

There are many benefits to learning a foreign language. Firstly, most of the best essays are written in English, so if you want to write well, you must be able to read English. Secondly, society has developed to the point where globalisation is an unstoppable trend and we need to use foreign languages to communicate and cooperate with businesses in other countries.

2. Why do some people learn less common foreign languages?

Well, there are several reasons. Firstly, it can be a way to stand out in the job market. Knowing a rare language can make someone more competitive and valuable to employers. Secondly, it might be due to personal interest or cultural heritage. People may want to connect with their roots or explore a culture that fascinates them.

3. What makes a good foreign language teacher?

A good teacher should have many characteristics and the first one that comes to mind is patience. Learning a language is a complex process, so students are bound to encounter various problems regarding grammar or vocabulary, and a patient teacher can give them more help. Secondly, creativity is also crucial for a good foreign language teacher, because language learning is boring, the ability to use various ways to stimulate the classroom atmosphere is key to improving learning, and a creative teacher can make full use of multimedia to solve this problem.

4. Do you think grammar is important when learning foreign languages?

Of course, grammar helps us to learn how to organise sentences more quickly in language learning, and it also helps us to capture the meaning of sentences when reading texts. More importantly, if grammar is not good enough, it can easily be misunderstood by others in the process of speaking.

5. Is it interesting to be a foreign language teacher?

I don't know, but I don't think so because a language teacher has to deal with boring grammar every day and it gives me a headache just thinking about it.

Describe an impressive conversation you had with someone

1. Who you had it with
2. When and where you had the talk
3. What you talked about
4. And why you think it was impressive

“和人物类：Describe a person who inspired you to do sth. interesting 基本一致”

3w+who

2 years ago, my friend Jack and I had an impressive conversation together. I remember he was 18 years old at the time. In my eyes, he looked very imposing, with big eyes and a high nose.

As I just mentioned, we had the talk 2 years ago when we had finished our essay. We were planning to travel to somewhere, hoping the journey could relieve our stress caused by study deadlines.

So we talked about where to go.

It was an impressive conversation because I was deeply attracted by the contents described by Jack. I mean, he spoke a lot about a poetic and picturesque city, Suzhou.

For example, he mentioned that the food sold in that city is extremely delectable, especially Dongpo pork. As a foodie, I was eager to buy some food there, hoping it could satisfy my taste buds.

In addition, there is a lot of natural beauty and cultural relics in Suzhou, such as Zhuozheng Garden and Tai Lake. I wanted to take photos of those stunning views to ease my tension.

His vivid descriptions of Suzhou truly inspired me to take a break and explore this beautiful city.

P3

1. What are the differences between online conversations and offline conversations?

Online conversations often miss the non-verbal cues like body language and facial expressions, which can lead to misunderstandings. They can also happen at different times, unlike offline conversations which usually happen in real-time. Online chats often have a text record, which can be useful later.

2. What are the differences between online meetings and offline meetings for a company?

Online meetings allow people to join from different places, saving time and travel costs. However, they can have technical problems like bad internet connections, and it can be hard to build personal connections. Offline meetings allow for direct interaction and are often better for brainstorming and negotiations.

3. Why do some people refuse to communicate with others?

Some people may refuse to communicate because they are shy or have social anxiety. They might feel insecure about their communication skills or fear being judged. Past negative experiences or conflicts can also make them reluctant to talk. Sometimes, cultural or personality differences play a role.

4. In what industries do you think communication is a necessary skill?

Communication is vital in almost every industry, but especially in healthcare, education, customer service, and business management. In healthcare, clear communication is needed for accurate diagnosis and treatment. Teachers need to effectively convey information to students. Customer service depends on good communication to solve problems and keep customers happy. Business management requires communication for leadership, teamwork, and negotiation.

Describe an outdoor activity you want to do

1. What it is
2. Where you want to do it
3. Who you want to do it with
4. Why do you want to try this outdoor activity

该题有 ed 和将来时两种问法，注意根据考官给题调整时态

The out activity I'd like to do in the future is having a long walk on the Yellow Mountain.

名位 title 历

Yellow Mountain is a famous tourist attraction located in the southeast of Chin. It is also called “the heaven on earth” because of its poetic and picturesque scenery. The mountain was formed about 20,000 years ago.

名职年外

I want to do this with my friend Jack, who is my neighbour and also my classmate. He is around 20 years old. In my eyes, Jack looks quite imposing, with big eyes and a high nose. So, having a long walk with him would be an exciting thing.

I want to do this activities for several reasons. “风；食；运动好处”

Firstly, there is a lot of natural beauty and cultural relics on Yellow Mountain, including the YuTai temple, Lotus Peak, and so on. So, we would like to appreciate those stunning views while walking, hoping the activity can relieve our stress caused by study deadlines.

Additionally, we learned from some travel notes on social media that there are many vendors selling delectable local specialties on both sides of the mountain road. As foodies, we want to buy some of them to taste, especially the Huangshan dumplings, a kind of dumpling with tofu inside. These will not only satisfy our taste buds but also recharge our energy.

Lastly, I have been frequently sick in recent years. Hiking would be an effective method to enhance my immune system by speeding up metabolism and blood circulation.

P3

1. What outdoor activities are popular in China?

The popularity of outdoor activities in China depends largely on the age group. For older people, leisure outdoor activities like tai chi and square dancing are very popular. These activities are not too difficult, which is important because older individuals have fragile bones and are easier to get hurt. Engaging in such activities helps them stay healthy and active.

On the other hand, younger people tend to prefer more exciting and fun outdoor activities. Having a picnic with family or going mountain climbing are quite popular among the younger generation. Given China's vast population and fierce competition, many young people struggle with their work or studies and often feel tired. These outdoor activities offer a great way for them to relax and forget about their troubles in real life.

2. Are those people who like dangerous activities more likely to be successful?

I don't think so. The fact that one likes to try dangerous activities only shows that the person likes adventure and a sense of excitement. He or she may dare to start a business or come up with different ideas, but success is not just about courage. Those who are reluctant to try dangerous activities are obviously more calm and thoughtful, and their care and patience are essential to success as well.

3. Should young people try as many new activities as possible?

Of course not, although trying as many activities as possible is not only a quick way to enrich your knowledge but also an effective way to widen your social circle, the effort involved is enormous. In the end, we may end up with nothing, because we have been exposed to everything, but we have not specialised in anything.

4. What influence does the weather have on outdoor activities?

Weather greatly affects outdoor activities. Good weather with clear skies and mild temperatures makes activities like hiking, picnics, and sports more enjoyable.

However, bad weather, such as heavy rain or extreme heat, can make outdoor activities difficult or unsafe. People might cancel their plans or choose indoor activities instead.

In short, nice weather encourages outdoor fun, while poor weather can limit what you can do outside.

5. What can people learn from outdoor activities?

Firstly, they can improve their physical health by staying active, which helps with fitness and overall well-being.

Secondly, outdoor activities often teach important life skills such as teamwork, problem-solving, and patience. For example, hiking can teach navigation skills and perseverance.

Lastly, spending time outdoors allows people to connect with nature, which can reduce stress. It also helps people appreciate the environment and understand the importance of conservation.

Describe a time when you made a plan to do an activity with a lot of people

1. What it was

2. When you where you made it

3. What the activity was

4. And how you felt about it

“继续旅游”

3w+where

2 years ago, I made a plan to travel to Suzhou city with my family. Suzhou is a poetic and picturesque place located in the southeast of China. Its history dates back about 2000 years.

When+why

I made the plan because my family and I had a 7-day vacation at the time, and we all hoped to travel somewhere to relieve our stress from study and work.

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Luckily, we eventually had an unforgettable journey in Suzhou together. Here are some reasons why.

First of all, Suzhou citizens are so good-natured and obliging. We got lost on the first day we arrived, so we asked some locals for help. They all lent us a helping hand without any hesitation.

Additionally, food sold in Suzhou is extremely delectable, especially Dongpo pork and Kunpao chicken. As foodies, we bought some famous dishes to try, which truly satisfied our taste buds.

More importantly, there is a lot of natural beauty and cultural relics there, such as Zhuozheng Garden and Tai Lake. We appreciated these stunning views, and the experience was an effective antidote to boredom and melancholy for us.

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1. What do young children learn from being with others in class?

Children can learn to get along with people at school. I mean, they will come into contact with teachers and classmates, so that their personality and emotional quotient 'kwəʊf(ə)nt/ 情商 can be improved by getting along with others.

Furthermore, their sense of responsibility can be enhanced by being grouped and assigned tasks, because in order to work together with others to complete tasks, children need to learn how to cooperate.

2. Is it important for school children to like their classmates?

Liking their classmates allows children to integrate better into the class, which not only helps them make more friends, but also encourages them to actively participate in various school activities to improve their abilities.

3. What makes someone a good colleague?

I think the most important characteristic a colleague should have is to be responsible, which means that they should be responsible for their work, for the company and for their partners. If a colleague who works with us is always thinking of slacking off 偷懒, this increases our workload.

4. Is it the most important to have good colleagues in a job?

Yes. Firstly, good colleagues can lighten our workload because they can do their jobs well; secondly, good colleagues can give effective guidance and advice to newcomers, which can help those who are new to the job to take the easy way out 少走弯路.

Describe a time when you had to find some information 旅游计划

1. What information you had to find
2. When you looked for the information
3. Where you looked for the information
4. Why you needed the information

Last summer, our family planned a holiday to a new destination, hoping the journey could relieve stress from study and work. To ensure the trip was smooth and enjoyable, I looked up a lot of information on the internet related to the destination.

I had to find information such as the best places to visit, accommodation options, and local attractions. I started looking for this information a couple of months before our trip to make sure everything was well-organized.

TikTok, the most popular social media platform in China, was incredibly helpful. There are many travel videos and experience tips uploaded by travel bloggers, which provided a wealth of information for me to refer to.

I needed this information because planning the trip well in advance would prevent a lot of unnecessary hassles,

such as hotels running out of rooms or tickets to popular attractions being sold out. Additionally, understanding the local customs and traditions was crucial to ensuring a safe and enjoyable trip.

The information I collected from the internet was indeed very helpful during our journey. For instance, there is a lot of natural beauty and cultural relics in our travel place, including mountains, lakes, and rivers. Given our limited time, we chose to visit the most famous places based on recommendations from travel journals.

Moreover, the restaurants we visited were all highly rated based on real online reviews. The dishes they served were absolutely delectable. As foodies, these dishes not only satisfied our taste buds but also enhanced the overall experience of our trip.

P3

1. How can people search for information now?

With the development of the internet and the advancement of technology, today we are more likely to use social media such as Weibo to search for information, as the information provided by it is usually in the form of videos, which not only helps us to better understand but also deepens our memory.

2. What information can people get from television?

It depends on what channel you watch on TV. There are many types of official Chinese TV channels including travel channels, movie channels, news channels and so on, so you can get a wide range of information from TV.

3. Do you think libraries are still important in the digital age?

Of course it is important, because a library is not just a place to consult materials and borrow books, it is also a place where people learn and engage in academic exchange. Libraries are usually built in quiet locations and have good study facilities, which help people to study or work more efficiently.

4. Does the development of the Internet have any impact on some disadvantaged people?

The development of the internet can be considered a benefit for the disadvantaged, especially for children in small towns, as it can reduce the knowledge generation gap between them and children in the city. What I mean by this is that educational resources used to be concentrated in cities, so only the children from middle and high class families could receive a good education, but the internet has made online teaching a reality and has given children in remote areas a chance to hear lessons from advanced teachers.

Describe the sports event that you would like to watch as an audience

1. What it is

2. Who you want to watch it with

3. Why you want to be an audience

4. And how you feel about it

根据性别选择：男生-女子 200 米自由泳；女生-男子 200 米自由泳

The sports event I'd like to describe is the men's/women's 200-meter freestyle swimming event. It will be held in the Water Cube in Beijing next month. The Water Cube is the largest swimming competition venue in China. It is located in the north of Beijing and was built about 20 years ago. Also, it was once the swimming competition venue for the 2008 Olympic Games.

I want to watch the event with my friend Jack, who is my classmate and also my neighbour. He is around 20 years old and likes swimming as well.

I want to be an audience of this event for several reasons, “横轴 3”；“外”

First, I enjoy the sport itself so much. Actually, I used to struggle with obesity when I was young, so my mom suggested I swim for 30mins every day and said it would help me shed weight as the sport could engage muscles and burn excess fat. Indeed, I have become healthier because of it.

In addition, I want to cheer for the athlete Wang Qiang/Wang Na whom I like. He/she looks quite imposing,

with a face like moon of the mid-autumn and a complexion like the flowers at dawn. The sentence comes from the famous novel A Dream of Red Mansion, and Wang Qiang/Wang Na looks like the character in it. To be honest, if he/she were my boyfriend/girlfriend, I would be so delighted.

Moreover, being in a live sports event brings a different kind of excitement.

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1. Why do businesses like to hire athletes to endorse their products?

People mainly learn about sports stars through sports competitions, so they generally leave a positive, active, competitive, and hardworking impression on the public. By associating their brand with successful athletes, businesses hope to enhance their product's image and appeal to consumers who admire these sports stars. Athletes' endorsement can also create a sense of trust and credibility among consumers, leading to increased sales for the business.

2. Why do some people believe in the advertisements of bad athletes?

I think this is complicated. People may buy related products simply because they like them or have a need for them, and they may not even know the endorser of the brand. Another situation is that most people don't follow sports news, so ordinary people don't know about the dirty conduct of the athletes.

3. What sports do Chinese people enjoy watching?

Although different people have different favourite sports, I think that most Chinese people enjoy watching badminton, table tennis, gymnastics /dʒɪmˈnæstɪks/ 体操, and so on, because these are China's strong sports, and we can feel a sense of pride and honor when our athletes win.

4. What qualities do you think a good athlete should have?

Good athletes should have a sense of responsibility. They should be responsible for their own performance, which means that they need to train constantly to increase their strength and try to win prizes in competitions; Secondly, patience is also a characteristic that good athletes need to have. The process of training is not only hard, but athletes will also encounter a lot of difficulties, and patience can help them overcome the difficulties.

5. What is the most popular sport in your country?

It's hard to say which sport is the most popular in China, because different people have different choices. For most young people, they prefer exciting sports such as badminton and basketball, which give them a sense of achievement when they win; but because the bones of the elderly are more fragile, they choose leisure sports such as Tai Chi or jogging.

Describe a time when you received money as a gift

1. When it happened

2. Who gave you the money

3. Why he/she gave you money

4. And how you used the money

3w+春节介绍

Last year, I received some lucky money at the Chinese New Year party organised by my grandparents. Chinese New Year is one of the most important festivals in China. We usually celebrate it on the 1st day of the 1st lunar month. People working away from home and university students return to their hometowns on that day to have a reunion dinner with their families.

My grandma gave me a red envelope with lucky money inside during that festival. She is around 80 years old now, but in my eyes, she still looks very energetic and elegant, with clear and bright eyes.

用“食”“横轴1”凑长度

To make the party better, my grandma also cooked a table of delectable and exquisite dishes, including Kunpao chicken, Dongpo pork, Beef dumplings, and so on. As a foodie, that party truly satisfied my taste buds. More importantly, I was so delighted to receive the lucky money because it represents prosperity and longevity in traditional Chinese culture, and I believed the gift would bring me good fortune.

用“性”

Actually, I think I am a good-natured and obliging person because I later donated the money to help some children in impoverished areas. This action surprised my family and they were all proud of me.

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1. Do you think money is the root of all evil?

While it's true that the pursuit of money can lead some individuals to [commit crimes](#) such as corruption 贪污 or selling illegal products like drugs, money is also essential for meeting our material needs. Without it, we wouldn't be able to buy food when we're starving or receive medical treatment when we're ill. Therefore, it's crucial for people to [regulate their own desires](#) and strive to earn money through legal means.

2. Do people in your country use credit cards more or cash more?

In China, neither credit cards nor cash are as commonly used as online payment methods. We primarily 主要地 use platforms like Alipay or WeChat Pay for everyday transactions. [Thanks to technological advancements](#), almost every popular app in China offers a payment feature, allowing us to purchase products simply by scanning a QR code.

3. When do children begin to comprehend the value of money?

I believe it depends on the environment in which children live.

Children who live in a more economically disadvantaged family 经济拮据的家庭 will feel the importance of money early on, almost from the time they start school, and will gradually learn that life is not easy through the words and actions of their parents.

However, children from more affluent /'æfluənt/ 富裕的 families will learn about the importance of money later than those mentioned above, as their parents are able to provide for their needs in their daily lives.

4. Should parents reward children with money?

[Monetary /'mʌnɪtri/ rewards](#) 金钱奖励 can be used as a form of reward, but they should never be the main focus, as this can easily lead to children measuring everything in terms of money. Occasional cash [incentives](#) 激励 can be motivating at home, but if used too often, they can lead to children developing [a money-worshipping mindset](#). I think it is also important to reward them mentally. Sometimes a compliment or a word of recognition in front of others can be very satisfying and also serve as motivation for children.

金钱奖励可以作为一种奖励形式，但绝不能成为重点，因为这很容易导致孩子凡事都用金钱来衡量。偶尔在家给予现金激励可能会起到激励作用，但如果使用过于频繁，可能会导致孩子形成拜金主义的心态。我认为精神上的奖励也很重要。有时在他人面前给予一句称赞或认可的话，会让孩子感到非常满足，也能起到激励作用。

5. Is it necessary to teach children to save money?

Frugality /'fruː'gæləti/ is a traditional Chinese virtue, so teaching children to save money can help them become well-behaved and not wasteful. However, too much frugality can have serious negative effects on children. For example, it can hurt a child's self-confidence. They might be afraid to spend money and [feel inferior](#) 自卑的 when they see other students with new toys and clothes. So, teaching children to save money is very complex, and we need to find a balance.

节俭是中国的传统美德，所以教导孩子存钱有助于他们养成良好的习惯，不浪费。然而，过度节俭会对孩子产生严重的负面影响。例如，这可能会伤害孩子的自信心。当他们看到其他同学有新玩具和新衣服时，可能会害怕花钱，从而感到自卑。所以，教导孩子存钱是很复杂的，我们需要找到一个平衡点。

特殊类

Describe a beautiful sky you enjoyed seeing

1. Where you saw it

2. Who you saw it with

3. What you saw

4. And how you felt about it

全场最难题 “背，无体系可用”

One of the most beautiful skies I ever enjoyed seeing was during a trip to the countryside last summer. My family and I had decided to spend a weekend at a little farmhouse far away from the city lights. Located in the

northwest of our hometown, the farmhouse is one of the best places here for people to visit on holidays. And it was opened about 10 years ago.

I went there with my best friend Jack, who is also my classmate. Jack is around 20 years old now, and he looks quite imposing, with big eyes and a high nose.

As we stepped outside, we were greeted by a stunning sunset. The sky was a breathtaking picture of colors, with shades of pink, orange, and purple. The sight was so captivating that we all stopped in our tracks to take it in.

As the sun dipped below the horizon and the sky darkened, a lot of stars began to appear. It was a clear night, and the lack of light pollution made it possible to see countless stars twinkling above us. The [Milky Way](#) 银河 was visible too, stretching across the sky like a ribbon 丝带 /'rɪbən/.

It was an unforgettable experience that made me appreciate the natural beauty of our world. Sharing this moment with my friend made it even more special, as we all stood in silent admiration, feeling a deep sense of connection to each other and to the universe. The experience truly relieved our stress from study deadlines.

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1. What kind of people are interested in stars?

People who are curious about the universe, enjoy science, or love looking at the night sky are often interested in stars. This includes both amateur stargazers and professional astronomers. Campers and hikers who spend time outdoors at night may also develop an interest in stars.

2. Is high technology helpful for star watching?

Yes, high technology is very helpful for star watching. Advanced telescopes provide clearer and more detailed views of stars and planets. Apps and software can help identify different celestial objects and track their movements. High-tech cameras can take amazing photos of the night sky. Overall, technology makes star watching easier and more fun.

3. Should kids know more about stars and planets?

Yes, kids should know more about stars and planets. Learning about the universe can make them curious and interested in science. It also teaches them about the size of the universe and where we fit in. Understanding stars and planets can help kids develop thinking and observation skills, and it can inspire them to study science and technology in the future.