**情态动词can**

七年级下册我们已经学过情态动词can表示能力。本单元我们主要学习情态动词can表示请求和可能性。

◆can表示请求时，可用来发出邀请，相当于Would you like to ...?，这时答语比较灵活。如果接受邀请，答语可用Sure, it sounds great. / Sure, I'd love to.等；如果拒绝邀请，答语可用Sorry, I must / have to ... / I'm afraid not. / Sorry, I can't. / I'd love to, but ...等。如：

—Can you go to the zoo with me?

—Sure, I'd love to. / Sorry, I have to study for my tests.

◆can还可表示一种“可能性”，可用来询问打听第三方能否参加某项活动。其句型为Can he / she / they ...?，这类问句的肯定答语为Yes, he / she / they can.；否定答语为No, he / she / they can't. / No, he / she is / they are not available.等。如：

—Can Bob go to Anna's party?

—Yes, he can. / No, he's not available. He has to look after his grandpa.

**【运用】**

**Ⅰ. 根据情景提示，写出句子或将句子补充完整**

1. 你想邀请Alice下班后和你一起去购物，你可以这样问：

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with me after work, Alice?

Alice接受你的邀请，她可以这样说：

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Alice拒绝你的邀请，理由是她得去见她朋友，她可以这样说：

I'm sorry, I can't. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

2. 你想向David打听Eric这周日能否来参加你的乔迁派对，你可以这样问：

David, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ this Sunday?

David得知Eric这周日没有空，理由是他可能得在农场帮他父母，David可以这样说：

No, he's not available. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**Ⅱ. 单项选择**

1. —\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you please peel the potato for me?

— OK, Mom, but I have to fold the clothes first.

A. Must  B. Should      C. Can    D. May

2.—\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you help me move this table? It's too heavy.

—No problem.

A. Can   B. Should      C. Must  D. Need

3.—Can you play tennis with me at 4:00 p.m.?

—\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Let's make it at 5:00 p.m.

A. Yes, I can  B. No, I hope not

C. Sure, I'd love to       D. Sorry, I'm quite busy

**答案**

Ⅰ. 1. Can you go shopping;

Sure, I'd love to. / Sure. That sounds great;

I must / have to meet / see my friend(s)

2. can Eric come to my housewarming party;

He might have to help his parents on the farm

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