

直播四:

lssue高频题目精析

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- 读题
- 思维分析 (参考写作要求)
- 决定观点、结构、内容
- 写文章



【自然】Issue 31

Society should make efforts to save endangered species only if the potential extinction of those species is the result of human activities.

Write a response in which you discuss your views on the policy and explain your reasoning for the position you take. In developing and supporting your position, you should consider the possible consequences of implementing the policy and explain how these consequences shape your position.



- (1) impossible to know all the species that are endangered by humans;
- (2) hard to ascertain the linkage;
- (3) not enough financial and technical support choice dilemma

based on our own economic self-interest



合理性: culpability,

self-preservation;

values: Genetic Diversity

不合理性: Darwinian, natural selection

other endangered species

Examples: Dodo bird, Bison, Leatherback Turtle

Panda - Not only panda, but also the temperate forest ecosystems.



【教育】Issue 13

Universities should require every student to take a variety of courses outside the student's field of study.

Write a response in which you discuss the extent to which you agree or disagree with the claim. In developing and supporting your position, be sure to address the most compelling reasons and/or examples that could be used to challenge your position.



定义: the definition of university, or the purpose of university education:

a value system, a moral standard, a set of ideas

合理性: (1) interdisciplinary

(2) work, society

不合理性: Interest, ability, intelligence

可行性: selection of courses, assessment of implementation

针对every的拆分: ...



(1) the definition of university, or the purpose of university education:

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- (2) interdisciplinary (Nash Equilibrium, NASA)
- (3) (challenge) Interest, ability, intelligence, work
- (4) (address) work, society



【科技】Issue 101

Although innovations such as video, computers, and the Internet seem to offer schools improved methods for instructing students, these technologies all too often distract from real learning.



合理性: distract, lazy, impatience

不合理性: (1) the definition of learning: process, goal

(2) process: convenience

(3) goal: creativity, imagination, cognition

(4) learning: interest, intelligence, efficiency, practice

一点引申: abuse VS self-control



【政治】Issue 8

Claim: In any field—business, politics, education, government—those in power should step down after five years.

Reason: The surest path to success for any enterprise is revitalization through new leadership.

Write a response in which you discuss the extent to which you agree or disagree with the claim and the reason on which that claim is based.



拆分: in any field: business, politics, education, government, ...

定义: five years

revitalization through new leadership



- (1) too long in business: acceptable (Steve Jobs, INAMORI KAZUO)
- (2) too long in government: totalitarian, autocracy (Adolph Hitler, Benito Mussolini, Francisco Franco)
- (3) too short: unstable,

pursuit of short-term interests (K – Mart, doom loop)

(4) competition: elite, efficiency



【社会】Issue 28

The surest indicator of a great nation is represented not by the achievements of its rulers, artists, or scientists, but by the general welfare of its people.



定义: indicator, a great nation, general welfare

拆分: rulers, artists, scientists



people: (1) the general welfare is the foundation of a great nation

the definition of a great nation (Franklin Roosevelt)

finance support: tax, private (Medici, Bill Gates, Mark Zuckerberg)

elites: (1) the achievements of elites promote the welfare.

(2) common wealth of mankind (Pablo Picasso, Arthur Schopenhauer)

feasibility: unified and comparable standards



【社会】Issue 38

It is primarily through our identification with social groups that we define ourselves.



- (1) define: self recognition
- (2) reflect characteristics (political group, religious group)
- (3) preference
- (4) Barnum effect
- (5) incompatible groups



【历史】Issue 57

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(1) science and technology changed our life dramatically (smart phone, computer)

(2) human nature

curiosity: explore the outer space

greedy: economic crisis, the World War & regional conflict

- (3) society: caste system, gap between the rich and poor
- (4) others value: experience, comprehensive understanding



【艺术】Issue 55

In order for any work of art—for example, a film, a novel, a poem, or a song—to have merit, it must be understandable to most people.



定义: merit

aesthetic enjoyment, rational enlightenment, reveal hidden ideas

most people

拆分: a film, a novel, a poem, or a song



(1) the themes of some great art works are plain.

The avengers

(2) exclusive expressions of artists' inner feeling, uncertainty and lack of reason.

Vincent Willem van Gogh: Starry Night, Proust: Remembrance of Things Past,
Ludwig van Beethoven: Fate Symphony

- (3) misinterpretation, superficial
- (4) rational enlightenment: Renaissance

reveal hidden ideas: Pablo Picasso: Guernica , Peace dove, Mark Twain upset old ways of artistic creation.



【学习】Issue 143

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拆分



- (1) ancient Greek: philosophy
- (2) significant breakthrough, like gravity, evolution
- (3) technical approach: gravitational wave detector
- (4) the way of thinking: John Nash, Elon Musk
- (5) inspiration: bionics



【文化】Issue 77

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理解: 年轻人的心理、行为、状态, 在文化中的折射

拆分



(1) fashion culture: snapchat, pop music, cool things

(2) influence culture: ACG, Banksy

(3) cultural diversity:

mainstream, domestic culture, history

(4) the characteristics of youth:

diversity

quick – change, hard to predict



【行为】Issue 11

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定义





(1) absolute limitation: natural law

(2) certain restriction: physical condition, family

(3) thinking ability, cognition, creation adjust behavior, weaken the restriction

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