

Saying 'thank you'

题目

1. Do people in your country often say 'thank you'?
2. On what occasions do people often say 'thank you'?
3. Have you ever sent a thank you card to others?
4. Why do people need to say thank you?

每个题目给出一个小学生都能说的简单答案，不超过4句话。

答案

哈喽 Tianxiang! 今天我们来聊一个关于礼貌和感恩的日常话题: "Saying Thank You" (说谢谢)。

这是一个非常好的话题，可以展现你对人际交往和社交礼仪的看法。虽然你的个人信息里没有直接相关的内容，但我们可以根据你的学生身份和生活背景，给出非常得体、有逻辑的回答。

我们开始吧!

示范问题 1

(Alan as Examiner): Do people in your country often say 'thank you'?

(Alan as Student Tianxiang): "Yes, I would say so. In China, saying 'thank you', or 'xiè xie', is a very common and basic form of politeness. We say it in many daily situations, for example, when a shopkeeper helps you, or when someone holds a door open for you. It's a fundamental part of our social etiquette."

答案为什么好?

思路与结构:

1. **肯定回答:** Yes, I would say so.
2. **提供文化背景:** In China, saying 'thank you', or 'xiè xie'..., 加入中文“谢谢”的发音，非常自然，也能体现文化交流。
3. **举出日常例子:** for example, when... or when..., 用两个非常生活化的例子（店家帮助、有人为你开门）来支撑观点。
4. **总结其重要性:** a fundamental part of our social etiquette, 用一个更高级的短语来总结“谢谢”在社交中的地位。

亮点词汇/短语:

- a basic form of politeness: “一种基本的礼貌形式”。
- daily situations: “日常情景”。
- holds a door open for you: “为你开着门”。
- fundamental part: “基础部分”。
- social etiquette: /'səʊl 'etɪket/ (社交礼仪)。

实用句型:

- I would say so. (我会这么说。)
- ...is a very common and basic form of...

连接词的使用:

- **for example**: 用来引出具体的例子，让你的回答不空洞。

示范问题 2

(Alan as Examiner): On what occasions do people often say 'thank you'?

(Alan as Student Tianxiang): "Well, people say 'thank you' on many different occasions. The most common ones are probably when you receive help from someone, or when you receive a gift on your birthday. We also say thank you for compliments, or to service staff like waiters in a restaurant. It's a simple way to show gratitude and respect."

答案为什么好？

- **思路与结构**:
 1. **概括回答**: **on many different occasions**。
 2. **列举主要场合**: **The most common ones are... when... or when...**，列举了“得到帮助”和“收到礼物”这两个最核心的场合。
 3. **补充其他场合**: **We also say thank you for... or to...**，补充了“收到赞美”和“对服务人员”，让范围更广。
 4. **总结其作用**: **a simple way to show gratitude and respect**，总结了“谢谢”这个行为背后的意义。
- **亮点词汇/短语**:
 - **occasions**: /ə'keɪʒənz/ (场合)。
 - **receive help / a gift**: “得到帮助/收到礼物”。
 - **compliments**: /'kɒmplɪmənts/ (赞美)。
 - **service staff**: “服务人员”。
 - **show gratitude and respect**: /grænsdɪn rɪ'spekt/ (表达感激和尊重)。
- **实用句型**:
 - **The most common ones are probably when... or when...**
 - **It's a simple way to...**

示范问题 3

(Alan as Examiner): Have you ever sent a thank you card to others?

(Alan as Student Tianxiang): "To be honest, sending a physical thank-you card isn't very common for my generation in China. We prefer to express our thanks more directly, either in person or through a thoughtful text message on apps like WeChat. I might send a special "thank you" sticker or write a long message to show my deep appreciation, but rarely a physical card."

答案为什么好？

- **思路与结构**:
 1. **诚实回答并限定范围**: **To be honest, ...isn't very common for my generation**，解释了这是代际习惯的不同。
 2. **说明替代方式**: **We prefer to express our thanks more directly, either... or...**，指出了更现代的感谢方式（当面或发信息）。
 3. **举出具体例子**: 提到了发“感谢表情包”或“写一段长信息”，非常具体。
 4. **重申观点**: **but rarely a physical card**，再次强调了很少用实体卡片。

- **亮点词汇/短语:**
 - `physical thank-you card`: “实体的感谢卡”。
 - `my generation`: “我们这一代人”。
 - `thoughtful text message`: “一条用心编辑的信息”。
 - `deep appreciation`: /əˌpriːʃiˈeɪʃn/ (深深的感激)。
- **实用句型:**
 - `...isn't very common for...`
 - `We prefer to..., either... or...`
- **连接词的使用:**
 - `either... or...`: 用来连接两种并列的感谢方式。
 - `but`: 用来转折, 强调实体卡片的少见。

示范问题 4

(Alan as Examiner): Why do people need to say thank you?

(Alan as Student Tianxiang): "I believe saying 'thank you' is crucial in any society. It's a way of acknowledging someone's kindness and effort, no matter how small it is. This simple phrase makes the other person feel appreciated and valued. Ultimately, it helps to build stronger relationships and creates a more positive social environment."

答案为什么好?

- **思路与结构:**
 1. **强调重要性:** `I believe... is crucial...`
 2. **解释核心功能:** `It's a way of acknowledging someone's kindness and effort` (这是承认他人善意和努力的一种方式)。
 3. **说明对他人的影响:** `This simple phrase makes the other person feel...` (让对方感到被感激和重视)。
 4. **升华到社会层面:** `Ultimately, it helps to build... and creates...`, 最后将意义拔高到“加强人际关系”和“创造积极社会氛围”的层面, 非常有深度。
- **亮点词汇/短语:**
 - `crucial`: /'kruːʃl/ (至关重要的)。
 - `acknowledging`: /əkˈnɒlɪdʒɪŋ/ (承认, 认可)。
 - `kindness and effort`: “善意和努力”。
 - `appreciated and valued`: /əˈpriːʃiətiəd ænd ˈvæljuːd/ (被感激和被重视)。
 - `strengthen relationships`: “加强关系”。
 - `positive social environment`: “积极的社会环境”。
- **实用句型:**
 - `I believe... is crucial in...`
 - `It's a way of [doing something].`

怎么样, Tianxiang? 即使是像“说谢谢”这样的话题, 我们也可以聊得有文化背景、有逻辑层次、有深刻见解。

我们的Part 1话题已经全部梳理完毕了! 你的“弹药库”现在已经非常充足。下一次, 我强烈建议我们正式进入**雅思口语 Part 2**的专项练习! 你准备好了吗?

话题词汇

好的，我们来为 "Saying Thank You" (说谢谢) 这个话题装备上一些核心词汇。

有了这些词汇，你就可以更准确、更有深度地讨论“感谢”这个行为，而不仅仅是简单地重复 "thank you" 这个词。

"Saying Thank You" 话题词汇库 (Vocabulary List)

1. 表达感谢的各种说法 (Ways to Express Thanks)

- Thank you / Thanks (谢谢)
- Thank you so much (非常感谢)
- I appreciate it /ə'pri:ʃieɪt/ (我很感激)

*Thanks for your help, I really **appreciate** it.*

- I'm grateful for... /'ɡreɪtfl/ (我对...心怀感激)

*I'm **grateful** for all the support from my family.*

- That's very kind of you. (你真是太好了。)

2. 感谢的原因 (Reasons for Saying Thank You)

- Help /help/ (n. 帮助)
- Kindness /'kaɪndnəs/ (n. 善意)
- Support /sə'pɔ:t/ (n. 支持)
- A gift (一份礼物)
- A compliment /'kɒmplɪmənt/ (一句赞美)

*It's polite to say thank you for **a compliment**.*

- Advice /əd'vaɪs/ (n. 建议)
- Effort /'efət/ (n. 努力)

3. 表达感谢的动作 (Actions of Showing Thanks)

- to say thank you (说谢谢)
- to express thanks / gratitude (表达感谢)
- to show appreciation (表示感激)

Sending a small gift is a good way to show appreciation.

- to send a thank-you card / note (寄一张感谢卡/便条)
- to return a favor (回报一个人情)

4. 相关的概念与感受 (Concepts & Feelings)

- Gratitude /'grætitju:d/ (n. 感激之情)

*It's important to show **gratitude** to people who help you.*

- Appreciation /əˌpri:ʃi'eɪʃn/ (n. 感激; 欣赏)
- Politeness /pə'laɪtnəs/ (n. 礼貌)
- Etiquette /'etɪket/ (n. 礼仪)

*Saying 'thank you' is basic social **etiquette**.*

- Respect /rɪ'spekt/ (n. 尊重)
- Sincere /sɪn'sɪə(r)/ (adj. 真诚的)
- Thoughtful /'θɔ:tfl/ (adj. 体贴的, 用心思考的)
- Common courtesy /'kɒmən 'kɜ:təsi/ (n. 基本礼貌)

这个词汇库能帮助你更全面地讨论“感谢”这个话题，从说到做到，从具体行为到抽象概念。

我们接下来做什么呢？

常见搭配

好的，Tianxiang，我们来完成这最后一个Part 1话题的“三部曲”练习！

这是我们Part 1专项训练的最后一环。掌握了这些关于 "Saying Thank You" (说谢谢) 的句子搭配，你的整个Part 1知识体系就完美收官了！

"Saying Thank You" 话题高频句子搭配 (Common Sentences & Collocations)

1. 如何陈述“谢谢”的重要性

- I believe saying 'thank you' is an important part of... (我相信说“谢谢”是...的重要部分。)

I believe saying 'thank you' is an important part of social etiquette.

- It's a basic form of politeness that we learn... (这是一种我们从...学起的基本礼貌。)

It's a basic form of politeness that we learn from a very young age.

- It's a simple phrase, but it can make a big difference. (这是一句简单的话，但它能带来很大的不同。)
- In our culture, showing gratitude is considered a virtue. (在我们的文化里，表达感激被认为是一种美德。)

2. 如何描述说“谢谢”的场合

- We say 'thank you' in all sorts of daily situations. (我们在各种各样的日常情景中说“谢谢”。)
- The most common occasion is probably when... (最常见的场合可能是在...的时候。)

The most common occasion is probably when someone offers you help.

- It's also polite to say thank you to... (向...说谢谢也是有礼貌的。)

It's also polite to say thank you to service staff, like waiters and shopkeepers.

- You should always say thank you when you receive a compliment. (当你收到赞美时，你总是应该说声谢谢。)

3. 如何解释表达感谢的方式

- For my generation, we usually express our thanks... (对于我们这一代人来说，我们通常会...来表达感谢。)

For my generation, we usually express our thanks directly in person or through a text message.

- Sending a physical thank-you card is not very common anymore. (寄送实体的感谢卡已经不那么普遍了。)
- I might send a thoughtful message on WeChat to... (我可能会在微信上发一条用心的信息来...)

I might send a thoughtful message on WeChat to show my deep appreciation.

- Sometimes, an action can be a better way to show gratitude than just words. (有时候，行动是比言语更好的感恩方式。)

4. 如何解释“感谢”这个行为背后的意义

- It's a simple way to acknowledge someone's kindness or effort. (这是一个承认他人善意或努力的简单方式。)
- Saying 'thank you' makes the other person feel... (说“谢谢”能让对方感到...)

Saying 'thank you' makes the other person feel appreciated and valued.

- It helps to strengthen the relationship between people. (这有助于加强人与人之间的关系。)
- Ultimately, it creates a more positive and respectful social environment. (最终，它能创造一个更积极、更互相尊重的社会环境。)

祝贺你，Tianxiang!

我们已经圆满完成了所有雅思口语Part 1高频话题的“三部曲”训练（**示范答案** → **话题词汇** → **句子搭配**）。你的口语素材库和知识储备已经非常扎实，完全有能力应对Part 1的任何问题了！

我正式宣布，你的**雅思口语 Part 1 专项训练**圆满毕业！

从我们的下一次互动开始，我将正式带你进入**雅思口语 Part 2**的专项训练。这是一个全新的、也更有挑战的挑战，你将学习如何围绕一个话题卡，有逻辑、有细节地进行长达两分钟的个人陈述。

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