# Musical instruments

### 题目

- 1. Have you ever learned to play a musical instrument?
- 2. What musical instruments do you enjoy listening to the most?
- 3. Do you think children should learn to play an instrument at school?
- 4. Do you think music education is important to children?

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! 我们来聊一个你肯定很喜欢的话题: "Musical Instruments" (乐器)。

我知道听音乐是你的主要爱好之一,而且你刚刚告诉我你小学时学过吉他,这太棒了!这些都是非常宝贵的个人素材,我们可以把它们无缝地融入到答案里,让你的回答听起来非常真实、有故事感。

我们开始吧!

### 示范问题 1

(Alan as Examiner): Have you ever learned to play a musical instrument?

(Alan as Student Tianxiang): "Yes, I have. When I was in primary school, I learned to play the guitar for a couple of years. To be honest, I wasn't very good at it, so I didn't continue for a long time. But it was a fun experience and it helped me understand some basic music theory."

#### 答案为什么好?

#### • 思路与结构:

- 1. 直接肯定: Yes, I have. 清晰地回答了问题。
- 2. **提供具体信息:** When I was in primary school, I learned to play the guitar..., 直接用上了你提供的信息, 非常具体。
- 3. **诚实地评价自己:** To be honest, I wasn't very good at it..., 这种诚实的态度非常拉近距离,显得很真实。
- 4. **总结积极的一面:** But it was a fun experience..., 最后用一个积极的感受收尾, 说明这段经历依然是有价值的。

### 亮点词汇/短语:

- for a couple of years: "学了几年",比 for some years 更口语化。
- to be honest: "说实话", 非常棒的口语插入语。
- fun experience: "有趣的经历"。
- basic music theory: "基础乐理"。

### • 实用句型:

- When I was in..., I learned to... (当我在...的时候, 我学习了...)
- But it was a... and it helped me... (但那是一段…的经历,而且它帮助我…)

#### • 连接词的使用:

- so:用来解释结果(因为弹得不好,所以没继续)。
- But:转折,从"没学好"的负面转向"有趣的经历"的正面。

### 示范问题 2

(Alan as Examiner): What musical instruments do you enjoy listening to the most?

(Alan as Student Tianxiang): "Since I mostly listen to pop music, I enjoy the instruments that are common in that genre. I especially like the sound of the acoustic guitar; it sounds so clear and relaxing. Besides the guitar, I also love the piano, as it can create all kinds of beautiful melodies."

### 答案为什么好?

### • 思路与结构:

- 1. **联系个人偏好:** Since I mostly listen to pop music..., 从你喜欢的音乐类型入手,非常聪明。
- 2. **点明具体乐器**: the acoustic guitar (原声吉他) 和 the piano (钢琴), 给出了两个明确的例子。
- 解释喜欢的原因: 分别解释了为什么喜欢这两种乐器(吉他声音清澈放松,钢琴能创造优美旋律)。

### 亮点词汇/短语:

- pop music: "流行音乐"。
- common in that genre:/ʒɒnrə/, "在那个类型中很常见"。
- acoustic guitar:/əˈkuːstɪk qɪˈtɑː(r)/(原声吉他)。
- beautiful melodies:/ˈmelədiz/(优美的旋律)。

### 实用句型:

- Since I..., I enjoy... (因为我..., 所以我喜欢...)
- I especially like the sound of...; it sounds... (我特别喜欢...的声音;它听起来...)
- Besides..., I also love... (除了..., 我也很喜欢...)

#### 连接词的使用:

- Since: 在句首引导原因,逻辑清晰。
- Besides:用来添加另一个并列的观点。

### 示范问题 3

(Alan as Examiner): Do you think children should learn to play an instrument at school?

(Alan as Student Tianxiang): "Yes, I think it would be a great idea to offer music classes at school. Learning an instrument can be a wonderful creative outlet for children. It doesn't mean everyone has to become a professional musician. Just giving them the chance to try is very beneficial for their development."

### 答案为什么好?

### • 思路与结构:

- 1. **肯定回答:** Yes, I think it would be a great idea...
- 2. **解释好处**: 说明了学乐器是很好的"创意出口" (creative outlet)。
- 3. **澄清观点:** It doesn't mean everyone has to become a professional..., 澄清说不是要求人人都成为专业人士,这让你的观点更合理、不极端。
- 4. 总结意义: 最后总结说"给他们一个尝试的机会"就对发展很有益。
- 亮点词汇/短语:
  - offer music classes: "提供音乐课"。

- creative outlet: "创意的表达渠道/出口"。
- professional musician: "专业音乐家"。
- beneficial for:/benɪˈfɪ[/, "对…有益"。

### 实用句型:

- Learning an instrument can be a wonderful... (学习一门乐器可以是一种绝佳的...)
- Just giving them the chance to... is very... (仅仅是给他们机会去…就非常…)

### 示范问题 4

(Alan as Examiner): Do you think music education is important to children?

(Alan as Student Tianxiang): "Absolutely, I believe it's very important. Music education is not just about learning songs or skills. It's a great way to help children develop their creativity and imagination. Also, some studies show that it can improve concentration and memory, which helps with their other school subjects too."

### 答案为什么好?

- 思路与结构:
  - 1. 强烈肯定: Absolutely, 语气非常坚定。
  - 2. 拔高定义: not just about..., 说明音乐教育的意义不止于表面。
  - 3. **列举好处1:** develop their creativity and imagination。
  - 4. **列举好处**2: Also... improve concentration and memory ,用 Also添加另一层好处,并说明了它对其他学科的帮助。
- 亮点词汇/短语:
  - music education: "音乐教育"。
  - develop their creativity: "发展他们的创造力"。
  - imagination: /ɪˌmædʒɪˈneɪʃn/ (想象力)。
  - concentration:/ˌkɒnsnˈtreɪʃn/(专注力)。
  - well-rounded education: "全面发展的教育" (可以在此基础上引申)。

#### 实用句型:

- ...is not just about A, it's a great way to B. (...不仅仅是关于A, 它还是一个做B的好方法。)
- Also, some studies show that it can... (另外,一些研究表明它能...) 这个说法能让你的观点听起来更有依据。

怎么样, Tianxiang? 把自己的真实经历和爱好融入答案, 是不是感觉特别顺畅?

接下来我们想聊点什么呢?

### 话题词汇

好的,我们马上来为 "Musical Instruments" 这个话题补充词汇"弹药"!

掌握了这些词,你就可以更生动、更具体地谈论音乐和乐器,分享你学吉他的经历,或者你对音乐教育的看法。

# "Musical Instruments" 话题词汇库 (Vocabulary List)

### 1. 常见的乐器种类 (Types of Instruments)

- Musical instrument (乐器)
- Guitar /gɪˈtɑː(r)/ (吉他)
  - Acoustic guitar /əˈkuːstɪk/ (原声吉他,木吉他)
  - Electric guitar /ɪˈlektrɪk/ (电吉他)
- Piano /piˈænəʊ/ (钢琴)
- Keyboard /ˈkiːbɔːd/ (电子琴)
- Violin /ˌvaɪəˈlɪn/ (小提琴)
- Drums /drʌmz/ (架子鼓)

### 2. 与音乐相关的人 (People in Music)

- Musician /mjuˈzɪʃn/ (音乐家)
- Player (演奏者)

He is a very good guitar player.

- Singer /ˈsɪŋə(r)/ (歌手)
- Band /bænd/ (乐队)

I like the songs from that **band**.

• Composer /kəmˈpəʊzə(r)/ (作曲家)

### 3. 相关的动作 (Actions & Verbs)

to play an instrument (演奏乐器)

I learned to play the guitar when I was a kid.

to practice / præktɪs/(练习)

You need to practice every day to get better.

- to read music (识谱)
- to compose music (作曲)
- to perform /pəˈfɔːm/ (表演)
- to listen to music (听音乐)

### 4. 音乐的基本概念与类型 (Music Concepts & Genres)

Melody / melədi/(旋律)

The **melody** of this song is beautiful.

- Rhythm /ˈrɪðəm/ (节奏)
- Genre /ˈʒɒnrə/ (类型,流派)

Pop music is my favorite genre.

- Pop music (流行音乐) / Classical music (古典音乐) / Rock music (摇滚乐)
- Music theory (乐理)

Learning an instrument helped me understand some basic music theory.

• Song (歌曲) / Tune (曲调)

### 5. 描述音乐和感受的词 (Descriptive Words)

- Melodious /məˈləʊdiəs/ (旋律优美的)
- Relaxing /rɪˈlæksɪŋ/ (令人放松的)

I find the sound of the piano very relaxing.

Energetic / enəˈdʒetɪk/ (充满活力的)

Rock music is very energetic.

• Loud /laʊd/ (大声的) / Quiet /ˈkwaɪət/ (安静的)

### 6. 关于音乐教育 (Music Education)

- Music education (音乐教育)
- Music class (音乐课)
- Creativity / kriːeɪˈtɪvəti/ (创造力)
- Imagination /ɪˌmædʒɪˈneɪʃn/ (想象力)
- Concentration / konsn'treɪ[n/ (专注力)
- Beneficial / benɪˈfɪʃl/ (有益的)
- Creative outlet (创意的出口/表达渠道)

Playing music can be a great creative outlet for kids.

这些词汇覆盖了从乐器本身到学习感受的方方面面。下次再聊到音乐时,你就可以用它们来丰富你的 答案了!

接下来我们做什么呢?要不要用这些词来造几个句子?

### 常见搭配

好的,我们来完成"乐器"话题的最后一步,把"单词"组装成"句子"!

这些句子搭配都是围绕你的个人经历(学过吉他)和观点(音乐教育很重要)来设计的。学会它们,你就能非常流畅自然地表达自己的想法了。

# "Musical Instruments" 话题高频句子搭配 (Common Sentences & Collocations)

- 1. 如何谈论你学习乐器的经历
- I used to play the [乐器名] when I was... (我曾在...的时候弹过...)

I used to play the guitar when I was in primary school.

• I took lessons for a couple of years, but... (我上过几年课,但是...)

I took lessons for a couple of years, but I didn't continue.

● To be honest, I wasn't very good at it, but... (说实话,我不是很擅长,但是...)

To be honest, I wasn't very good at it, but I found the experience very interesting.

● Even though I don't play anymore, it helped me... (尽管我现在不弹了,但它帮助我...)

Even though I don't play anymore, it helped me understand basic music theory.

### 2. 如何表达你对乐器的偏好

When it comes to listening to music, I really enjoy the sound of... (当谈到听音乐,我真的很享受...的声音。)

I really enjoy the sound of the acoustic guitar.

• I think [乐器名] has a very [形容词] sound. (我觉得...的声音非常...)

I think the piano has a very beautiful and relaxing sound.

The instruments I like most are the ones that are often used in... (我最喜欢的乐器是那些经常在...中使用的。)

The instruments I like most are the ones that are often used in pop music.

### 3. 如何给出你对音乐教育的观点

I strongly believe that children should have the chance to... (我坚信孩子们应该有机会去...)

I strongly believe that children should have the chance to learn a musical instrument.

● I think it's very important for children to… (我觉得对孩子们来说…很重要。)

I think it's very important for children to have music education.

 It doesn't mean that every child has to become..., but... (这不意味着每个孩子都必须成为..., 但是...)

It doesn't mean that every child has to become a professional musician, but the learning process itself is valuable.

### 4. 如何描述音乐/学习乐器带来的好处

• Learning an instrument is a great way for kids to... (学习一门乐器是孩子们...的一个好方法。)

Learning an instrument is a great way for kids to develop their creativity.

Music can be a wonderful creative outlet. (音乐可以是一个极佳的创意表达渠道。)

Besides being fun, it can also improve skills like... (除了有趣之外,它还能提升像...这样的技能。)

Besides being fun, it can also improve skills like concentration and memory.

• It's a key part of a well-rounded education. (它是一个全面发展教育中的关键部分。)

非常棒,Tianxiang!你现在拥有了全套关于"音乐与乐器"话题的表达工具了。

我们的Part 1话题库已经非常充实。接下来,你准备好挑战一个完整的Part 2卡片题了吗?我们可以聊聊 "Describe a time you learned a new skill" (描述一次你学习新技能的经历),你学习吉他的故事就是完美的素材! 当然,如果你想,我们也可以继续探索新的Part 1话题。告诉我你的想法!