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#### 前言

《乘务英语》教材自 20 世纪 80 年代问世以来,受到机上服务人员的青睐,先后成为我国各大航空公司英语培训的首选教材。乘务员的英语水平也有了相应的提高。然而,随着我国改革开放步伐的加快,我国加入了 WTO,民航竞争日趋激烈,社会各方面对客舱服务人员的服务水平,尤其是他们的英语交际能力,提出了更高的要求。为了使我国乘务员的英语水平再上新台阶,以适应新世纪客舱服务的要求,为此,我们按照中国民航总局英语工程《乘务专业考试培训大纲》的要求,对原《乘务英语》进行了修改,编写了《新世纪民航乘务英语(中级)口语教程》。

#### 一. 编写宗旨:

《口语教程》是《新世纪民航乘务英语》(中级)的主干教材之一。该教程旨在帮助学生掌握语言的交际功能,结合客舱服务的工作程序,有针对性地培养学生口头表达能力。

本教材在编写中努力注意以下几点:

- 1. 自始至终以客舱服务工作程序为主线,以语言交际能力为中心。
- 2. 改变以往教材中每篇材料均配有生词、词组的编写模式。
- 3. 各类练习均编有可供选择的材料,为因材施教创造条件。
- 4. 多方为学生提供口语表达的素材。学生可根据 Substitutions, Communicative Functions, Useful Expressions 以及 Word Bank 中给予的用语开展口语活动。
  - 5. 全教材强调各部分的有机配合。

#### 二. 编写框架:

本教材共分18个单元,每单元由四部分组成。

Part A Dialogues in the Cabin 客舱会话

该部分旨在设定情景,要求学生根据样板进行口语活动。

Part B Communication Functions 交际功能

该部分重点是培养学生的口头交际能力。提供 Expressing Greeting, Possibility and Certainty 等交际功能紧密结合的样板对话,要求学生根据提供的 Useful Expressions,参考样板以及设定的情景进行口语活动。

Part C Pronunciation and Intonation 语音语调

该部分配有与客舱服务相关的机上广播词以及城市景点介绍,旨在帮助学生提高英语广播的水平。

Part D Aviation Language 民航用语

该部分旨在帮助机上乘务员了解客舱服务的相关知识,扩大相关专业术语,从而提高她们的工作水平。

#### 三. 使用说明:

- 1. 全教材共 18 个单元,每单元 4 课时。其中 Part A 与 Part B 需要在课内完成。 Part C 宜在上课前几分钟在老师的指导下,进行模仿学习。 Part D 可让学生在课外完成。
- 2. Part A 和 Part B 是本教程的重点。为保证课内能较顺利地开展口语活动,可要求学生在课前对该部分内容进行预习。考虑到课堂的时间有限,教师亦可视学生水平,选择一个对话

及一个情景组织教学。其他部分让学生在课外完成,上课时作适当检查。

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## Unit One

#### The Cabin Crew

#### Part A

- · Dialogues in the Cabin
- Substitution
- · Discussion

### Dialogues in the Cabin

 CA: Good morning, sir. I'm Linda, the purser<sup>1</sup> of this flight. We're happy to be of service to you.

PAX: Pleased to meet you.



2. CA: Morning, madam. Welcome board!

PAX: Morning.

CA: My name is Helen and my service number is 128. I hope you have a pleasant flight.

PAX: Thank you. Nice to meet you.

3. CA: May I introduce myself, ladies and gentlemen? I'm Margaret, the chief purser<sup>2</sup> of this flight.

**PAX:** Good morning, Margaret. When do we take off?



<sup>1.</sup> purser: 乘务长

<sup>2.</sup> chief purser: 主任乘务长



5. CA: Excuse me; are you Mr. Smith, the manager of Tianlong Air Transportation?

PAX: Yes, that's right.

CA: Oh, glad to meet you. I'm Judy, the purser of the flight?

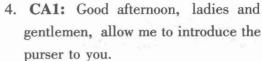
PAX: Glad to meet you, Miss Judy.

CA: Mr. Smith, may I introduce you to Captain Gibbon, the captain of the flight?

**CAPTAIN:** Hello, Mr. Smith. We've been looking forward to<sup>5</sup> meeting you.

PAX: It's very kind of you both to greet me.





CA2: How do you do? My name is Li Ping. I'm in charge of 3 the cabin. If there is anything I can do for you, please don't hesitate4 to call me.

PAX: How do you do? Miss Li. We will call you.



6. CA: Morning, Miss Stewart! Welcome aboard!

**PAX:** Morning, Miss Helen. How are you?

CA: Fine. And you?

**PAX:** Fine, thank you. This is my friend, Harry.

CA: Very nice to meet you. This way, please.

<sup>3.</sup> in charge of: 掌握;掌管

<sup>4.</sup> hesitate['heziteit]v. 犹豫

<sup>5.</sup> to look forward to: 盼望

#### **Substitution**

- 1. Good morning, afternoon, evening, I'm Zhang Ping, Qin Fang, Qin Fang, the purser cabin attendant purser of this flight.
- 2. Nice Pleased to meet you.
- 3. My name is Maria. My service number is 206. Wang Lin.
- myself? I'm Margaret.

  our captain? Captain Johnson.
  our purser? She's Kathy.
  the flight engineer? He's Roger.
- 5. Allow me to introduce the captain the copilot to you.
- first class.
  economy class.
  the rear cabin.
  the whole plane.
- Mr. Charles, the chairman of Air France?

  Mr. Edward, the manager of the Air China Employee
  Training Center?

  Miss Christina, the sales director of DGM China?

#### Discussion

- 1. How would you greet passengers when they board the plane?
- 2. How does a cabin attendant make a self-introduction to passengers?

#### Part B

- · Communicative Functions
- Useful Expressions
- · Speaking Practice

#### Communicative Functions

#### Greetings

In most cultures, when people meet acquaintances for the first time during a day, it is normal to greet them. The main purpose of this greeting is to build up<sup>6</sup> and maintain good relationships and each language usually has a number of set phrases, which can be used for this purpose.

Pilot: Good morning, Miss Li!

CA: Good morning, Mr. . .

Pilot: I'm Daniel Zhang. We met the other day at a party. I'm a copilot.7

CA: I'm sorry, Mr. Zhang. How are you?

Pilot: Just fine. And how are you?

CA: Fine, thanks.

Pilot: Which flight are you flying today?

CA: MU 124. And you?

Pilot: Really? What a coincidence! I'm flying the same flight.

#### **Useful Expressions**

Formal greetings	Responses		
· Hello.	· Hello.		
· How are you?	· Fine, thank you, and how are you?		
· How do you do?	· How do you do?		
· Good Morning (afternoon, evening),	· Gook Morning (afternoon, evening),		
Mr. (Mrs., Prof., Dr., Ms., Miss)	Mr. (Mrs, Prof, Dr, Ms, Miss)		

<sup>6.</sup> to build up: 构建

<sup>7.</sup> copilot[kəu'pailət]n. 副驾驶

Informal greetings	Responses	
· Hi, (first name)	· Hi, (first name)	
· Morning.	· Morning.	
· How are you doing?	· OK/ Fine/Great.	
· How's it going?	· Pretty good, and you?	
· How's everything with you?	· Not bad.	
· What's up?/What's new?	· All right. / Nothing new.	
· Haven't seen you for ages. How are you?	· Fine, thanks.	

#### Introductions

There are two kinds of introductions: self-introduction and introducing others. After an introduction is made, there is usually an exchange of formalities.

#### A

Captain: Ladies and gentlemen, may I have your attention please? (He turns to the

purser) Shall we begin?

Purser: If you could spare me just a few minutes, I'd like to introduce the new

member of our team, Miss Li Hong to you.

Captain: Go ahead please.

Purser: Li Hong, have you met Captain Smith, the captain of our flight.

Li: No, I haven't had the pleasure, (extending her hand) how do you do,

Captain Smith?

Captain: How do you do?

Purser: And this is Daniel Zhang.

Li: Yes, we've just met.

Purser: Wonderful! And this is Alan Johnson, our flight observer9.

Johnson: Hello. Welcome to join us.

Li: Pleased to know you. Mr. Johnson.

Johnson: Call me Alan, please.

Purser: (Talking to the captain) That's all. Thank you.

Captain: Sure thing. Well, ladies and gentlemen, let's have a look at today's flight

route...

<sup>8.</sup> spare[spɛə]v. 抽出时间

<sup>9.</sup> flight observer: 飞行观察员

#### B

Sometimes introductions and greetings go together, people may greet each other after an introduction is made. The following is an example.

Li: Hello. I'm Li Hong. I work for Air China<sup>10</sup>.

Yang: Nice to meet you, Li Hong. My name is Yang Yue. I'm from

Xinhua Airlines<sup>11</sup>.

Li: Pleased to know you. What do you think of our training project?

Yang: Well, I think it's well planned. They've made everything clear to us.

Li: Yes, I agree with you. We seem to have a lot of things to learn within a

short period of time. I just wonder if I can take them all in.

Yang: Cheer up<sup>12</sup>! Don't lose heart. I've seen you working. I'm sure you'll

succeed.

Li: Yes, you're probably right. Thank you for the encouragement.

Yang: Look! Here comes Mr. Jefferson, our oral English teacher.

Jefferson: Good morning, ladies!

Li and Yang: Good morning, Mr. Jefferson.

Jefferson: Are you ready for the class?

Li and Yang: Yes, we are. Let's go to the classroom.

#### **Useful Expressions**

Formal introductions		Responses		
	(Excuse me, ) Let (Allow) me (to)	•	I've heard so much about you. My	
	introduce myself. My name is		name is	
	(Excuse me, ) May I introduce myself?		It's my pleasure to meet you, my	
	My name is		name is	
	Have you met my friend ?		How do you do? Mr. (surname). My	
			name is	
		•	No, I haven't had the pleasure.	
Informal introductions			Responses	
	• My name is (first name)		Mine's (first name)	
• I'm (first name)		•	Nice to meet you, I'm (first name)	

<sup>10.</sup> Air China: 中国国际航空公司

<sup>11.</sup> Xinhua Airlines: 新华航空公司

<sup>12.</sup> to cheer up: 振作一点

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#### **Speaking Practice**

#### A. Complete the following dialogues:

1.	A:	Excuse me, let me introduce myself. My name is Mark Hopkins.
	B:	
	A:	How do you do? Mr. Smith.
2.	A:	Hi, Patrice, this is my friend Kelly.
	B: .	•
	C:	Nice to meet you too.
3.	A:	Mr. Smith, have you met my friend Alan Chen.
	B:	
	A:	Well, Mr. Smith, this is my good friend Alan Chen. Alan, this is Mr. Smith.
	B:	
	C:	How do you do? Mr. Smith.
4.	A:	Hey, man. You did a good presentation yesterday afternoon.
	B:	
	A:	I'm Robert.
	B:	
	A:	We may get together sometime and talk longer.
	B:	
	A:	See you.

#### B. Prepare dialogues on the following situations:

- 1. You are having a dance party at a hotel. Now you come out for a break. A stranger comes up to talk to you. Introduce yourself and invite him/her to sit down and talk about the music and the place with this person. Find out where he/she comes from.
- 2. You are the secretary of the Training Center. Now a new trainee student comes to the office and asks questions. Extend your welcome to him/her and introduce yourself. Answer questions and wish him/her well when he/she leaves.