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# **Interpersonal Relationships**

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#### 话题探究

语篇阅读中有很多与我们的日常生活有关,其中不乏与人际关系有关的文章。这些文章或者讨论人际关系的重要性,或者探讨处理人际关系的技巧。有些文章从心理学或社会学的角度谈论家庭关系、同学关系、同事关系、社交媒体与生活等,总结出各种社会关系的发展规律和人的行为对各类人际关系的影响。有的文章用细腻的笔触描述生活的一个片段,叙述作者对事件中人际关系的微妙变化产生的印象与反思。

人际关系类题材的阅读理解文章多为说明文或议论文,与研究或实验观察有关。此类题材的完形填空 以记叙文为主,有的文章为夹叙夹议体裁,将个人经历升华到品味人生。

#### 方法指导

首先抓住说明文和议论文的写作特点,如总→分→总、总→分与分→总等结构形式,把握文章各段落的主题句,了解相关信息在文章中的分布。用主题句统领文章大意,有助于快速、准确地捕捉信息。

其次要注意积累与人际关系题材有关的词汇。这类词汇中名词、动词占大多数,还有一部分社会学或 心理学术语,应当牢固掌握。

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# Passage 1

There is the so-called art of conversation, which also works in most social situations for the benefit of those who use it as an art. Of course, there are certain basic rules to follow. First of all, one should not start each sentence with "I" and "me/my". This creates an unpleasant impression, in other words, you might suggest that you are placed in the center of attention, that you consider yourself to be the most important person in the world.

Secondly, one should not have the monopoly of the conversation. Even if you have storytelling skills, this does not mean you are entitled to keep talking all night long. Also, it is inadvisable to jump into conclusions after each of your sentence, and you should avoid speaking about general issues. If you speak too fast, or repeat an idea, even if that idea is brilliant, you might end up being ignored.

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Even if you are right a thousand times, it's best not to interrupt the interlocutor. While you speak to your interlocutor, you should look at him in the eyes, because if you look sideways or around you might seem dishonest or absent-minded.

You should not get anxious during the discussion and it's best not to make promises that you may easily break. Also, it's impolite to contradict somebody just to show that you are original, and to approve things you are not sure of.

In group discussions, it is good to speak less than the others. To speak very little does not mean lacking general culture and is not a sign of stupidity, but proves a strong personality. Another important thing to be remembered in order to have an artful conversation, is that you should never ask your interlocutor questions referring to negative aspects of his life or his personality or belonging to somebody that is close to your interlocutor.

#### 根据短文内容, 选择正确答案。

- When talking with your interlocutor, you are advised to \_\_\_\_\_
  - A. repeat your brilliant ideas
  - B. make eye contact with him or her
  - C. give contrary opinions to his or hers
  - D. ask about his friend's personality
- 2. Which of the following makes the interlocutor bored easily?
  - A. Storytelling skills.

B. Good ideas.

C. Being self-centered.

- D. Making promises.
- 3. What is implied in the last paragraph?
  - A. Everyone has his or her negative aspects of life.
  - B. One is expected to be outspoken in a conversation.
  - C. People often consider one of few words stupid.
  - D. The speaker should present his strong personality.
- 4. What is the purpose of the passage?
  - A. To tell the readers how to make a successful conversation.
  - B. To offer tips on what can be talked in a conversation.
  - C. To explain the reasons to make an artful conversation.
  - D. To introduce the benefits of a good conversation.

#### 生词注释

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#### 难句点睛

- 1. Also, it is inadvisable to jump into conclusions after each of your sentence, and you should avoid speaking about general issues. 同样, 过快地得出结论是不可取的,应当避免谈论普遍性的问题。
- 2. You should not get anxious during the discussion and it's best not to make promises that you may easily break. 讨论过程中要沉稳,不要做出轻易食言的承诺。

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# Passage 2

Family gathering could be difficult to organize, especially if relatives live in different cities and have lost touch with each other. Often, you may wonder about some good reasons to take the time and contact everyone.

#### **Reestablishing Connections**

A family gathering will help you reestablish connections. You will once again get to talk to people that you have not seen in ages. Family gatherings are the best occasions to communicate with each other once again. It is always pleasant to see people who have been a part of your life but who had to move away for one reason or another.

#### Getting to Spend Quality Time Together

Daily chores, workies, work and problems give you no time to just sit down and have a quality conversation. Family gatherings are great opportunities for relatives to spend quality time together. They can talk about recent developments and the manner in which careers and personal lives have changed.

#### Getting to Know Relatives You are Less Familiar With

Family gathering parties give distant relatives a chance to get to know each other.

Most probably, you have some relatives who live in a distant part of the country and whom you have not met yet. Such meetings can be very beneficial, letting people who are somehow connected learn more about each other.

#### Relax and Travel

Use such reunions as an opportunity to have a vacation and to visit some lovely destination that you had always wanted to explore.

Pick a destination that everyone will be able to get to effortlessly. It could even be a place that has some emotional or historic value to the family — a place where ancestors used to live or a location where some very important family events took place.

#### 根据短文内容,选择正确答案。

- Family gatherings are important because \_\_\_\_\_.
  - A. they have many benefits

- B. people need to spend quality time together
- C. family members haven't met for ages
- D. they are difficult to hold
- 2. Which of the following is NOT true according to the passage?
  - A. People are too busy to stay with other family members often.
  - B. People don't have other opportunities to travel much.
  - C. Relatives living in distant places often don't know one another.
  - D. A scenic destination will be the best choice for a family gathering.

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- 3. What is the best title of the passage?
  - A. Rules of Holding Family Gathering Events
  - B. Reasons to Have Family Gathering Activities
  - C. Tips on Planning Family Gatherings
  - D. Benefits of Family Gatherings
- 4. Which column of a newspaper can this article be classified into?

A. Healthcare Reform.

B. Family Time.

C. Holiday Events.

D. Life of Celebrities.

#### 生词注释

beneficial adj.

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#### 难句点睛

- 1. Daily chores, worries, work and problems give you no time to just sit down and have a quality conversation. 日常琐事、担忧,还有工作等问 题使你没有时间与家人促膝交谈。
- 2. Use such reunions as an opportunity to have a vacation and to visit some lovely destination that you had always wanted to explore. 把这样的 家庭聚会当作度假以及到你向往的地方去观光的机会。

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# Passage 3

The other day at lunch we were talking behind our boss' back. She's the new 1 of our middle school. It's her first year as our boss, 2 she was "one of us" for some years.

We talked about how kind she is to us. She writes notes to 3 us happy holidays, or to 4 us for jobs well done. She checks on us when she knows we're 5 difficulties outside of school with our 6 or with our families. We talked about the good role model she is for the young 7 in our building.

I sent her a quick email to report the <u>8</u>. She replied saying how much she <u>9</u> hearing about it, how it made a bright spot in a 10 week of testing and a death in her family.

I've done the same after such chats about the wonderful custodian we all adore. We often talk about how lucky we are to have her, but she's here after many of us are gone for the day. She was 11 to hear it when I told her that so many teachers are 12 her praises.

I'm guessing a boss must be pleased to hear that his 13 are sorry to hear he's leaving and that they 14 him and appreciated the job he's done. Cards and emails are great, but maybe it's just extra heartwarming to know that kind words are being said even "behind your back."

Sure, it's 15 when we can say nice things about other people. It 16 good! And I think it's a special compliment for people to know of the 17 when others are saying nice things even out of ear shot.

Watch for your next <u>18</u> to be the reporter! Make sure to tell them about the <u>19</u> things being said behind their <u>20</u>! Because how will they know until we tell them?

#### 根据短文内容,选择正确答案。

1. A. manager	B. principal	C. clerk	D. colleague
2. A. but	B. since	C. while	D. though
3. A. wish	B. tell	C. congratulate	D. hope
4. A. praise	B. thank	C. expect	D. criticize
5. A. solving	B. settling	C. managing	D. facing
6. A. vacation	B. health	C. finance	D. work
7. A. men	B. women	C. leaders	D. students
8. A. difficulty	B. holiday	C. conversation	D. lunch
9. A. enjoyed	B. appreciated	C. minded	D. insisted
10. A. tough	B. busy	C. frustrating	D. boring
11. A. amazed	B. indifferent	C. delighted	D. regretful
12. A. saying	B. offering	C. singing	D. giving
13. A. teachers	B. students	C. colleagues	D. employees
14. A. hated	B. respected	C. adored	D. admired
15. A. horrible	B. considerable	C. pleasant	D. acceptable
16. A. sounds	B. looks	C. seems	D. feels
17. A. times	B. situations	C. occasions	D. circumstances
18. A. option	B. time	C. opportunity	D. conversation
19. A. unpleasant	B. bitter	C. nice	D. unexpected
20. A. ears	B. backs	C. doors	D. bosses

#### 生词注释

role model

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custodian n.

管理者, 领导

adore vt.

非常喜欢

compliment n.

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#### 难句点睛

- 1. I'm guessing a boss must be pleased to hear that his employees are sorry to hear he's leaving and that they respected him and appreciated the job he's done. 我想一位老板看到员工们因他将要离去而黯然神伤,因为他们对他很尊敬,很欣赏他的所为的时候一定是很高兴的。
- 2. And I think it's a special compliment for people to know of the times when others are saying nice things even out of ear shot. 我认为得知被别人私底下说好话对他们来说是一种由衷的赞美。

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### Passage 4

It is reported that one in three of us eat more meals by ourselves than we do with other people. But before you accept that somewhat depressing statistic, there is some good news — a lot of us are perfectly happy to eat alone because the computer and TV provide us with solitary entertainment.

Perhaps unsurprisingly, half of the UK's singles eat a meal alone at least once a day. And even one in four mothers with families have dinner mostly by themselves according to a major report on eating trends and social change by the Future Foundation. However, eating alone doesn't seem to matter anymore if you can chat away on social networks — in fact it's now both a quick and entertaining affair.

"Suppertainment" is the phrase being created for the current major trend that reflects the number of people who eat in front of the computer, TV or games controller. Single men are the majority leading this trend, with 60 percent of them spending meal times entertaining themselves with something. However, 40 percent of mothers and 30 percent of students also eat meals while being on the PC or laptop several times a week.

Boyd Hilton, TV and reviews editor of *Heat Magazine* says, "Setting yourself up in front of the TV to 'Suppertain' comes naturally, especially when you've been busy all day. If I'm on my own I always tend to make a quick and easy meal and settle down to watch something entertaining or I'll get on the laptop and catch up with comedies like the new season of Curb Your Enthusiasm on More 4 or Outnumbered on BBC1."

"I think it's such a bonus that healthy, tasty convenience meals now mean you can relax about eating delicious food without having to worry about preparation time."

#### 阅读短文内容,选择最佳答案。

- 1. Why don't many people eating alone feel lonely?
  - A. They don't feel depressed at all.
  - B. People are happy to eat alone.
  - C. They eat with solitary entertainment.
  - D. They have good news at meal time.
- 2. It can be inferred from the passage that
  - A. eating time turns out to be entertaining time
  - B. more singles eat at least one meal a day
  - C. more people prefer to eat convenience food
  - D. eating alone suggests changes in behavior

- 3. Which of the following best defines the term "suppertainment"?
  - A. The trend of eating alone among single people.
  - B. Eating alone accompanied with TV or a computer.
  - C. Entertaining oneself with advanced technology.
  - D. Get relaxed by watching comedies on TV or a computer.
- 4. What is the purpose of the author by quoting Boyd Hilton's words in the last paragraph?
  - A. To emphasize the importance of healthy, tasty meals.
  - B. To tell people to have good meals without doing preparing work.
  - C. To prove that people think suppertainment is a good idea.
  - D. To call people's attention to eating meals in relaxing manners.

#### 生词注释

solitary adj.

孤独的

trend n.

潮流;趋势

laptop n.

笔记本电脑

bonus n.

福利

#### 难句点睛

- 1. And even one in four mothers with families have dinner mostly by themselves according to a major report on eating trends and social change by the Future Foundation. 根据未来基金会关于饮食趋势与社会变化的一份重要报告,甚至四分之一的有家庭的妈妈很多情况下自己吃饭。
- 2. I think it's such a bonus that healthy, tasty convenience meals now mean you can relax about eating delicious food without having to worry about preparation time. 我认为健康可口的方便食品意味着你轻松地享用美味饭菜却不用担心有没有准备时间,这真是棒极了。

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说明文	周围的人	315	7'30"		10	

## Passage 5

Interpersonal relationships are one of the most important foundations of all human behaviors. They can be various, ranging from long-lasting romantic unions to simple, brief interactions in professional settings. Improving your interpersonal skills can greatly improve your relationships with others.

**Smiling** Body language alone can have an effect on the quality of your interpersonal relationships. If you don't feel like working with unhappy people, go out of your way to establish an environment that is positive, encouraging and bright. The more positive your company is, the more people will be around you. One easy way to do this is by smiling often. Look people directly in the eye and genuinely smile at them, even if you do not know them personally.

Listening Strong listening skills are vital for improving interpersonal skills and relationships. Focus on other people, and make it a point to listen far more than you actually talk. Express an authentic interest in others, and

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provide your undivided attention at all times. Ask many questions, from where a person grew up to her preferred pastimes. This can enhance interpersonal relationships, as most people really enjoy discussing themselves.

**Humor** A good sense of humor can go a long way when it comes to working on developing interpersonal relationships, as laughter can be highly magnetic. Show your humorous side, whether it's through detailing unusual anecdotes in your life or sharing your favorite jokes.

Mistakes Many people have a hard time in admitting being wrong about something. The goal behind many interpersonal relationships is to function as a team unit. If one person has the goal to win, the team doesn't really exist. If you have made an error, or your judgment regarding an issue was wrong, get it out into the open and admit it. If you are incapable of being honest about a mistake, it will prevent other people from being able to fully trust you, which can harm your interpersonal relationships with them.

#### 阅读短文内容,完成下面表格。

Fill in the blanks with no more than three words.

graph annual en	Topic:_1_			
Smiling effectively	<ul> <li>☆ Smiling has 2 effect on interpersonal relationships.</li> <li>☆ Smiling is necessary even you 3.</li> </ul>			
Listening to others	<ul> <li>☆ Talk less and 4 to show your interest.</li> <li>☆ Never get 5 when listening.</li> <li>☆ Raise questions about personal hobbies as people like to 6.</li> </ul>			
Sense of humor	☆ Humor is important through _7_ of life or simply jokes.			
N. 8	<ul> <li>☆ Many people 9 saying that they are wrong with something.</li> <li>☆ Being unable to admit being wrong is 10 interpersonal relationships.</li> </ul>			

#### 生词注释

interaction *n*. 互动 genuinely *adv*.

真心地;由衷地 authentic adj. 真正的 enhance vt. 促进 anecdote n. 趣闻

#### 难句点睛

- 1. They can be various, ranging from long-lasting romantic unions to simple, brief interactions in professional settings. 人际关系有很多种类,既有持久浪漫的家庭关系,也有简单而短暂的职场交往。
- 2. If you are incapable of being honest about a mistake, it will prevent other people from being able to fully trust you, which can harm your interpersonal relationships with them. 如果你不能真诚地承认错误,这将影响别人对你的充分信任,从而对你们之间的关系造成伤害。

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记叙文	兄弟关系	305	7'30"		20	

## Passage 6

Once upon a time, two brothers who lived on neighboring farms fell into conflict. Their <u>1</u> began with a small misunderstanding and it grew into a major difference and finally, it burst into an exchange of <u>2</u> words followed by weeks of silence.

One morning there was a 3 on John's door. He opened it to find a man with a 4 toolbox. "I'm looking for a few days' work," he said. "Could I help you?"

"Yes", said the older brother. "Look across the <u>5</u> at that farm. That's my neighbor. <u>6</u>, it's my younger brother! Last week there was a meadow between us, but he <u>7</u> took his bulldozer to dig the stream between us. I'll do him one better. See that pile of <u>8</u> over there? I want you to <u>9</u> me a fence—an 8-foot fence—so I won't need to see his place or his <u>10</u> anymore."

The carpenter said, "I understand the  $\underline{11}$ . Show me the nails and the digger and I'll be able to do a job that  $\underline{12}$  you."

When John returned his eyes opened 13, his jaw dropped. There was no 14 there at all.

It was a bridge... A bridge that <u>15</u> from one side of the stream to the other! A fine piece of work! And the neighbor, his younger brother, was coming toward them, his <u>16</u> outstretched.

The two brothers stood at each <u>17</u> of the bridge, and then they met in middle, <u>18</u> each other's hand. They turned to see the carpenter lift his <u>19</u> onto his shoulder.

"No, wait! Stay a few days. I've a lot of other 20 for you," said the older brother.

"I'd love to stay on," the carpenter said, "but I have many more bridges to build."

#### 根据短文内容,选择正确答案。

1. A. war	B. disagreement	C. fight	D. contest
2. A. exciting	B. discouraging	C. bitter	D. critic
3. A. strike	B. noise	C. sound	D. knock
4. A. mechanic's	B. electrician's	C. carpenter's	D. repairman's
5. A. stream	B. meadow	C. bulldozer	D. fence
6. A. By the way	B. As a result	C. Worse still	D. In fact
7. A. recently	B. immediately	C. unusually	D. exceptionally
8. A. logs	B. branches	C. trees	D. hay
9. A. design	B. plant	C. bring	D. build
10. A. bulldozer	B. stream	C. face	D. house
11. A. situation	B. location	C. position	D. construction
12. A. amazes	B. excites	C. frightens	D. pleases

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C. wide D. thick 13. A. high B. flat D. meadow B. fence C. bridge 14. A. stream D. stood 15. A. lay B. stretched C. hang B. voice C. hand D. farm 16. A. face B. end C. exit D. entry 17. A. start C. catching D. raising 18. A. taking B. tapping D. toolbox C. digger 19. A. machine B. log B. nails C. fences D. projects 20. A. bridges

#### 生词注释

meadow n. 草地 bulldozer n. 推土机 digger n. 挖掘机 outstretch vi. 向外伸

#### 难句点睛

Their disagreement began with a small misunderstanding and it grew into a major difference and finally, it burst into an exchange of bitter words followed by weeks of silence. 他们的分歧缘于小小的误解,分歧愈来愈大,最后兄弟两个恶语相向,接下来的几个星期里他们沉默了。

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假如你是李华,最近你的朋友小明来信抱怨他的同桌很自私,觉得难跟他相处,请你根据下面的要点 写一封电子邮件,并就来信中反映的问题给小明提几条建议。

- 1. 避免跟他争吵;
- 2. 用自己的行动感化他;
- 3. 通过谈话让他意识到自私的危害。

要求:1. 词数120-150:2. 可以适当增加细节, 使行文流畅。

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