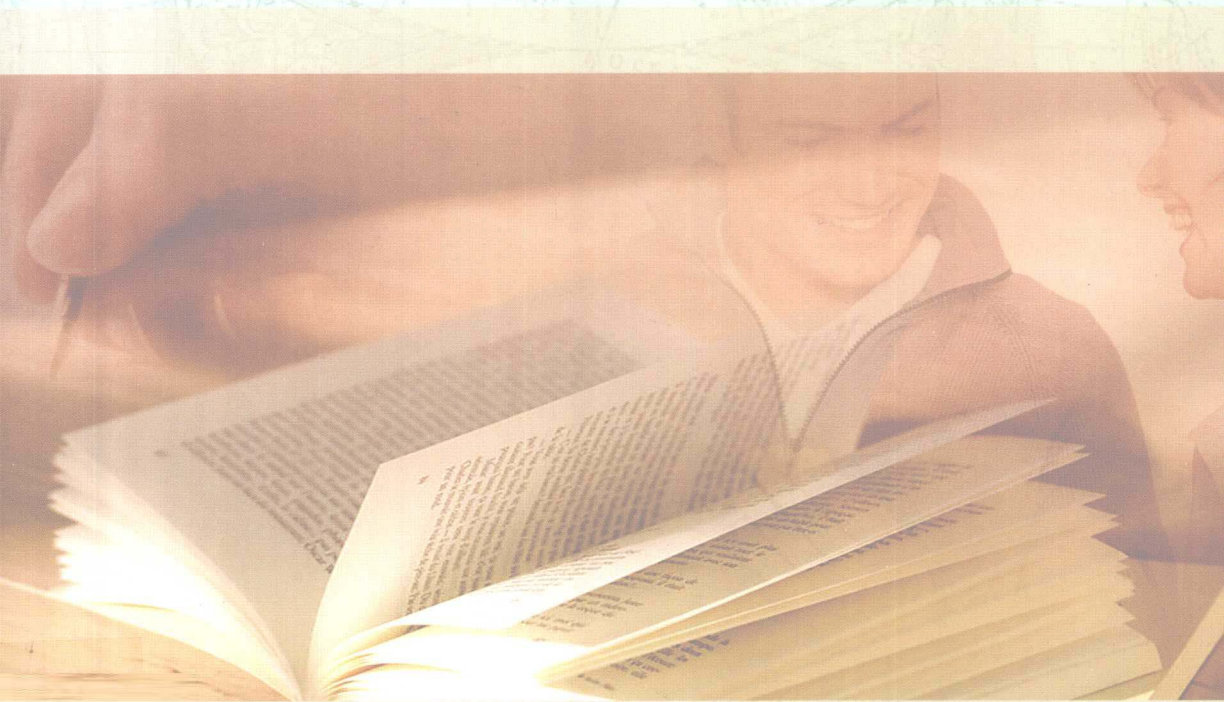


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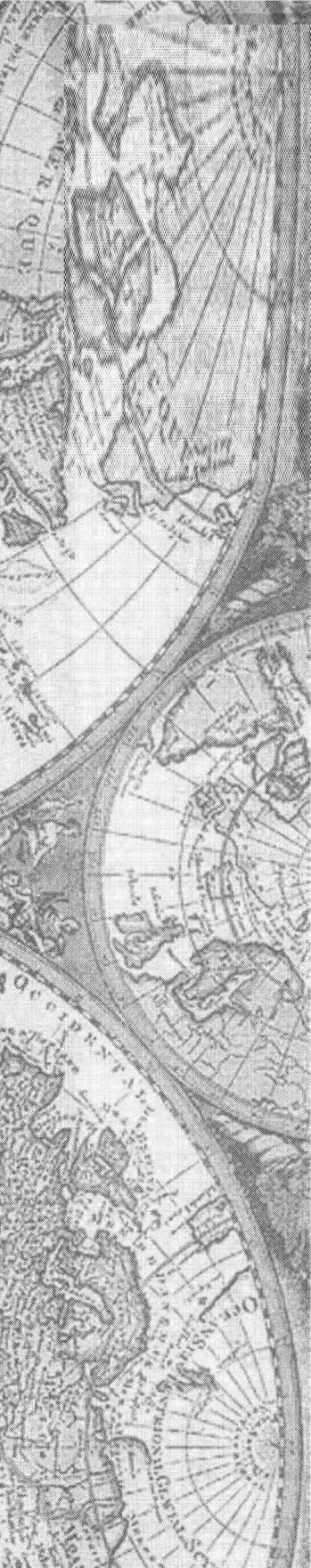
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本书包括 11 个单元, 每个单元围绕着一个主题对学生进行听说训练。本书主要内容包括: ① 主题导入(Getting Started)。导入的材料可能是相关的口语活动、主题讨论, 也可能是音频、视频内容, 目的是为了帮助学生练习与主题相关的知识和语言, 激发学生的学习兴趣, 为接下来的课堂听说活动做充分的准备。② 影视、新闻片段学习。包括剧情介绍(Plot Summary): 对该电影, 电视剧集或新闻作大致的介绍, 为读者提供背景知识, 扫除文化障碍; 场景介绍(Introduction to the Selected Scene): 介绍所剪辑的电影, 电视片段的场景, 为读者充分理解视频材料中的语言和内容做好准备; 生词和文化背景介绍(New Words, Phrases & Cultural Notes): 包含电影、电视剪辑, 新闻中所出现的生词、难词和体现出文化特点的词; 练习(Exercise): 每个电影新闻片段后面均设计了练习, 其形式多样化, 具有趣味性。③ 口语交互活动(Interactive Activities): 每单元设计了 2 个以学生为中心的口语交际活动, 活动形式丰富且具有趣味性, 目的是为了鼓励学生积极运用所学的语言和文化知识, 同时提高他们的开创性思维能力。

本书适合作为大学非英语专业学生、英语专业低年级学生的视听说教材, 同时也为广大英语爱好者、自学者提供了一条快捷提高英语听说能力、丰富欧美文化知识的捷径。本书提供的练习和视听光盘资料, 既可供学习者课下练习, 也可供教师在课堂使用。

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前言

一、编写宗旨

《大学英语视听说》是根据教育部最新颁布的《大学英语课程教学要求》设计编写的，旨在通过真实的场景、地道的语言和多样的练习“培养学生的英语综合应用能力，特别是听说能力”。

二、教材特色

本书以英美文化背景知识为切入点，由不同文化主题下的影视片段、新闻报道或专题纪录片片段引出相关的文化背景知识、语境及语言功能性表达、师生交互式活动，为学习者提供真实的语言环境，训练学习者对文化背景、语境、语言材料的综合理解能力及语言表达能力，促进学习者听说能力的提高。

本书有以下特点：

- (1) 主题丰富。本书从与日常生活紧密相关的内容入手，共安排 11 个主题，训练学生从听懂某一主题的内容到可以表达相关的思想和观点。
- (2) 选材真实。本书所用材料全部来自英文电影、电视剧、新闻报道以及专题纪录片，兼顾材料的多样性和语言的真实性。
- (3) 内容多样。本书提供形式多样的练习，既有常见的选择题、判断题、填空题，也有简答题、翻译题；既有模仿练习，也有能够让学生自由发挥的题目。

三、使用说明

本书可作为大学非英语专业学生、英语专业低年级学生的视听说教材使用，同时也为广大英语爱好者、自学者提供了一条快速提高英语听说能力、丰富欧美

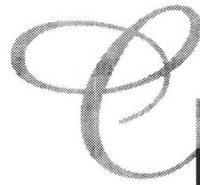


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本书的编写从内容到形式都有不少新的尝试，加之编者水平有限，对于本书的疏漏之处，祈望专家、学者、同行以及使用本书的师生不吝指正。

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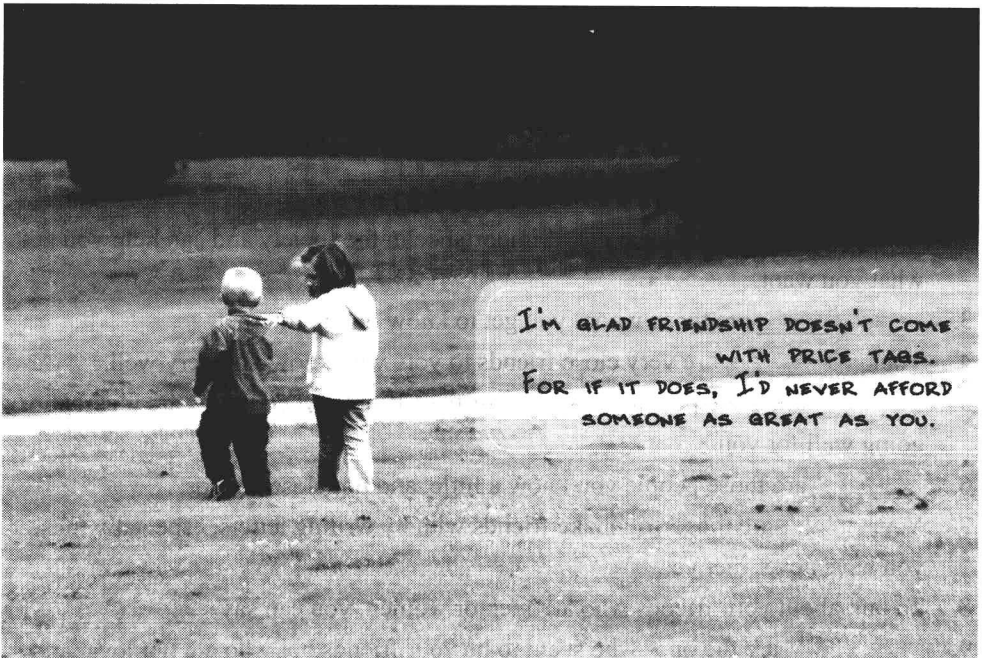
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Unit 1

Friends Complete the World



There are people all through our lives who come along and inspire us in one way or another. Sometimes they are only in our lives for a brief period of time. But if we are fortunate enough, we may all find several special people whom we're stuck with for life. These special people are the most precious and the most appreciated people of all. No matter what happens, they always understand. They go a million miles out of their ways. They hold our hands. They are our friends. Friendship completes the world.



Getting Started

Build up your vocabulary: Words in the following box refer to different groups of people in your life. Fill in the blanks in the sentences, and discuss with your partner if necessary.

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|------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. acquaintances | 2. bosom friends | 3. false friends |
| 4. fast friends | 5. fair-weather friends | 6. friends in high places |
| 7. male/female friends | 8. pen pals/pen friends | 9. e-friends/cyber-friends |

- _____ refer to those who have been your good, loyal friends for a long time.
- _____ are the ones who are of importance in the society and can help you get what you want.
- _____ are those whom you get to know on the Internet.
- Your _____ are very close friends to you, who know you very well.
- _____ are those people who are your friends only when things are pleasant or going well for you.
- _____ are those people you know a little, and not close friends.
- Your _____ are those you make friends with by writing letters, especially those you have never met yet.
- To talk about your friends who are men or women, you can say _____.
- _____ are the ones who seem to be your friends but who are not loyal and cannot be trusted.



Episode 1: Unlikely Friends (ABC News)

Animals are supposed to stick with their own kind. But *National Geographic's Unlikely Animal Friends* explores unusual animal bonds You'd have to see it to believe it.



Pre-view question:

Think about the following two sayings "Birds of a feather flock together" and "Opposites attract". Which one do you agree more when it comes to making friends in your life?

Word Bank:

pal

n. (informal) 亲密朋友

BFF

(Abbr.) Best Friends Forever 永远的好朋友

reincarnation

n. 转生, 再世

Kenyan

a. 肯尼亚国的 *n.* 肯尼亚人

unpromising

a. 结果未必好的

boisterous

a. 喧闹的, 精力充沛的

grouchy

a. (informal) 不高兴的, 爱抱怨的

inseparable

a. 不能分开的

eye-opening

a. 大开眼界的

dopey

a. 有点迟钝的

stick with someone

与某人在一起

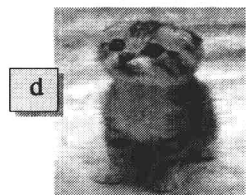
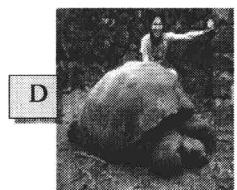
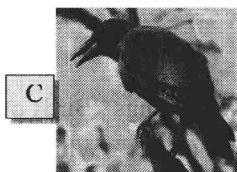
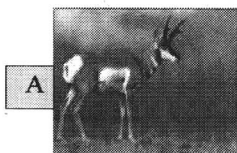
intimate relationship

亲密的关系



Exercise 1

Match the animals with their pals according to the movie clip you have just watched.



Exercise 2

Please translate the following sentences into English according to the movie clip you have just watched. Take notes while watching, if necessary.

1. 有时，自然界的规律会被打破。

2. 对我而言，它们看上去就像失散已久的老朋友。

3. 从中我得到的重要启示就是：互相合作，社会交往能更快乐。



4. 我们人类和我们的宠物之间也建立了强烈的、亲密的关系，而它们同样来自于完全不同的物种。
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Episode 2: Toy Story 3 (Movie Clip)

Plot Summary of Toy Story 3



How time flies! Andy, once a little boy hilariously playing with his toys, has now grown up, and is about to leave for college. He doesn't seem to need his old toy friends any more. As Andy prepares to depart for college, Woody, Buzz, Jessie and the rest of



Andy's faithful toys wonder what will become of them. Then, they are put in a box and land at Sunnyside Daycare where they meet a host of new toys and soon start a wild new adventure. Through the breathtaking journey, toys discover what being a friend truly means, and finally find a proper destination for them.

Introduction to the Selected Scene: *The Best Friends must Part*

Andy hasn't played with the old toy friends for ages. He seems to have completely forgotten the existence of these toys. But the toys still miss the days when they were having a good time with Andy. Now Andy has been 17 years old. He's gonna have a brand new life in college. Does Andy still care about his toys as before? Woody, Buzz, Jessie and the rest toys plan to attract Andy's attention and find out the fact.



**Introduction to major Characters in the Movie Clip**

Andy: The owner of the toys in this movie.

Molly: Andy's younger sister.



Woody: A cowboy who has always been Andy's favorite toy. Even though his owner is now grown, the loyal Woody maintains a steadfast belief that Andy still cares about his toys. As the toy venture into their unknown future, Woody remains the voice of reason. As their reliable leader, he ensures that no toy gets left behind.



Buzz: A heroic space ranger action figure, complete with laser beam, karate-chop action and pop-out wings. He is a boy's dream toy, and he now cares about most is keeping his toy family together.

Word Bank:

sarge	<i>n.</i> 军士, 警官
rehearse	<i>v.</i> 预演, 排练
misfire	<i>n.</i> (火器等) 不发火; 不点火; (计划) 失败
accessory	<i>n.</i> 配件 (这里指玩具的电池等)
AWoL	Absent Without Leave. 擅离职守
abandon	<i>v.</i> 抛弃
attic	<i>n.</i> 阁楼
uncertainty	<i>n.</i> 不确定的事
tuck	<i>v.</i> 安全地收起来, 存起来
decoration	<i>n.</i> 装饰物
guarantee	<i>v. & n.</i> 保证, 担保
squeeze in	<i>v.</i> 挤进去
mess with	乱摆弄
an orderly transition	有序的过渡
go through	<i>v.</i> 经历
for infinity and beyond	无限的时间和空间 (指永远及任何地方)



Notes:

- **eBay:** an online auction and shopping website in which people and businesses buy and sell a broad variety of goods and services worldwide.

Exercise 1

Watch the movie clip, and answer the following questions about the general information of this part.

1. Why do toys try to move Andy's mobile phone into the box?

2. What cruel fact do Woody and other toys realize after making a call to Andy?

3. Why do the army men choose to leave?

4. Can Woody really guarantee that Andy is gonna take care of them?

5. Please find a statement made by the toys which corresponds in meaning to the following sentence: friends are those who will always be available to provide help and support for someone.

Exercise 2

Now that Andy has grown up, his childhood toys are not so much needed any more. Then how are these toys going to be dealt with? Please put a check mark(√) on every possibility that these toys have come up with about their future, according to the movie clip.