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Unit 1

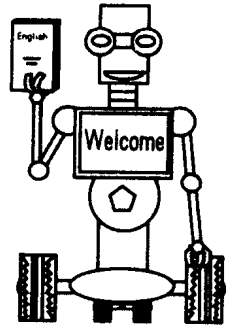
A

What Does John Say?

John wants to borrow a book from the library. He comes to the library with his classmates. They can't see any assistant in it, but only some robots standing there. He says to the robot, "Hey, give me a book on music." But the robot doesn't move.

Then another student tells John, "You must say 'Excuse me' and 'please' first when you want some help." John does so and the robot brings the book. But John can't get the book from the robot's hands. He thinks for a moment, then he says a word to the robot.

The robot gives him the book. John gets the book and goes home happily.



根据短文内容选择最佳答案。

1. Who works in the library?
A. Assistant. B. Students. C. Teachers. D. Robots.
2. If you want to borrow a book, what should you say?
A. Hey, give me a book. B. Excuse me, give me a book.
C. Please give me a book. D. Excuse me, please give me a book.
3. What kind of book does John borrow?
A. A new book. B. A music book.
C. A Chinese book. D. An English book.
4. What does John say when he wants to get the book from the robot?
A. Sorry. B. Please. C. Thanks. D. Quickly.
5. Which of the following sentences is not right?
A. John borrows a book from a robot. B. John feels very happy.
C. John goes to the library with his father. D. John borrows a music book.

B

My Favorite Country

Hello, everyone! My name is Wang Yan. I'm a girl. Last year, I was 11 years old. Do you know my favorite country? Let me tell you. It's England. Why? Because my uncle works there. He sends me many photos and tells me many things about the country. In the photos, it's a very beautiful country. Cambridge University is in it. It's very famous. Many very good students go there to study. I hope I can go one day. I must study hard now.



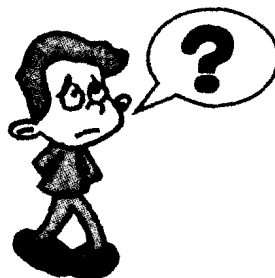
In England, there is a powerful football team. The players are handsome and excellent.

根据短文内容选择最佳答案。

- The author is _____ years old this year.
A. 10 B. 11 C. 12 D. 13
- _____ is her favorite country in the world.
A. England B. China C. Australia D. America
- Wang Yan's _____ works in England and sends her many _____.
A. uncle, photo B. uncle, photos
C. father, picture D. aunt, photos
- Wang Yan wants to study in _____ University.
A. England B. London C. New York D. Cambridge
- The players in _____ team are very _____.
A. basketball, good B. football, good
C. basketball, bad D. football, bad

C

Once a Frenchman was travelling in England. He knew little English. One day when he was sitting by a window of a restaurant, having lunch, he heard a voice "Look out!". So he put his head out of the window to see what was happening. Just then a basin of (一盆) dirty water was poured (倒) over his head.



He was very angry. He shouted up, "Damn you (该死的)! See what you have done."

A man who happened to pass by laughed at him and he got even more angry. One of the men in the restaurant said to him, "you must be a foreigner. 'Look out' in English means 'be careful'."

根据短文内容回答下列问题。

1. Where did the man sit?

2. Did the man know much English?

3. What happened when he put his head out of the window?

4. Why did the Frenchman get even more angry?

5. What's the Chinese for "Look out"?

D

John is a paper boy. He delivers (投递) newspapers to different houses in his street every day. He has about 80 customers (客户). Half of his customers only take the newspapers on weekdays, and about half take the newspapers on weekdays and on Sundays. Two of John's customers only take the newspapers on Sundays.

John has to get up at 4:30 every morning to deliver his newspapers. It takes longer to deliver the newspapers on Sundays. The Sunday newspapers are twice as heavy as those on weekdays.

John is saving his money to buy a new bicycle. He is also saving money for college (大学). He has already saved 500 dollars.

根据短文内容选择最佳答案。

1. John _____ every day.

A. reads books

B. sells newspapers

C. borrows books

D. delivers newspapers

2. How many customers does he have?

A. About 40.

B. About 120.

C. About 80.

D. About 20.

3. _____ of his customers only take the newspapers on Sundays.
 A. Two B. Eighty C. Forty D. Twenty
4. What time does he have to get up every morning?
 A. 3:30 . B. 4:30 . C. 5:30 . D. 6:30 .
5. John is saving his money to buy _____.
 A. a newspaper B. a new bag C. a house D. a new bicycle

E

Cross The Roads

Every day some people are killed while they are crossing the roads. Most of these people are old people and children. Old people are often killed because they can't see or hear very well. Children are killed because they are not careful. They forget to look and listen before they cross the roads.



A car or a bus can't stop quickly. If a car is going very fast, it will travel many metres before it stops. Some people don't always understand this. They think a car can stop in a few metres. It's difficult to know how fast a car is moving. The only way to cross the roads safely is to look both ways, right and left. Then if the roads are empty, you can cross them.

根据短文内容选择最佳答案。

- What kind of people are often killed when crossing the road?
 A. Young people. B. Older people.
 C. Little children. D. The old and the young.
- Old people are often killed in traffic accidents because _____.
 A. they are able to see B. they are able to hear
 C. they can see and hear very well D. they can't see and hear very well
- The children are killed in traffic accidents because _____.
 A. they like to cross the roads B. they are careless
 C. they are careful D. they can't see and hear very well
- If a car is going very fast, it _____.
 A. will not stop
 B. will travel a few metres after it stops

- C. will move several metres before it stops
 D. will be easy to stop in a few minutes
5. Which of the following is not right?
- A. Some people know a travelling car can't stop in a few metres.
 B. The only way to cross the roads safely is to look right and left of the ways.
 C. If the roads are busy, you can't cross the roads.
 D. It's not easy to know how fast a car is travelling.

F

I really like the Seaview Hotel. It's quite big. It has two hundred rooms. It's only a hundred metres from the sea. Bed and breakfast for one night is eighty pounds per person. The staff (服务员) are friendly and the rooms are very clean. It's a nice hotel. The only problem is that it's not near any shops. You have to get a taxi or a bus if you want to buy presents to take home.



The Falcon Hotel has eighty rooms. One night with breakfast is seventy-two pounds. It's only seventy metres to the shops but you have to get a bus to the beach because it's six kilometres from the hotel. The staff aren't very friendly and the rooms aren't very clean.



根据短文内容回答下列问题。

1. How many rooms does the Seaview Hotel have?

2. Which one is nearer to the sea? How many metres is it nearer than the other one?

3. What's the Seaview Hotel's problem?

4. How much do we have to pay for one night with breakfast if we live in the Falcon Hotel?

5. Why does the writer not like the Falcon Hotel?

Unit 2

A

IT ISN'T EASY BEING A TEENAGER

I try to be a good son, but no matter how (无论如何)hard I try, my parents never seem to be satisfied (满意的). They think I should be a better son. They think I should eat healthier food, I should wear nicer clothes, and I should get better grades. And according to (根据)them, my hair should be shorter, my room should be neater (更整齐有序的), and my friends should be more polite (礼貌的)when they come to visit.

You know...it isn't easy being a teenager (青少年).

IT ISN'T EASY BEING A PARENTS

We try to be good parents, but no matter how hard we try, our children never seem to be satisfied. They think we should be better parents. They think we should wear more fashionable (时髦的)clothes, we should drive a newer car, and we should listen to more interesting music. And according to them, we should be more sympathetic (同情的)when they talk about their problems, we should be friendlier when their friends come to visit, and we should be more understanding when they come home late on Saturday night.

You know.....it isn't easy being parents.

根据短文内容回答下列问题。

1. What food do the parents want their children eat?

2. Do the parents like their sons' long hair?

3. What do the children think of their parents when their friends come?

4. Do the parents and children want to be better?

5. What's their problem?

money. When you meet with difficulties, you can say loudly you are very happy, because you have more chances to challenge yourself, So you cannot always say you are poor and you have bad luck. As the saying goes, Life is like a revolving (旋转) door. When it closes, it also opens. If you take every chance you get, you can be a happy and lucky person.

根据短文内容选择最佳答案。

- Those who have big houses may often feel _____.
A. happy B. lonely C. free D. excited
- When you fall down in a P.E.class, both your teacher and your classmates will _____.
A. laugh at you B. play jokes on you C. quarrel with you D. help you up
- What will your friends say to you when you make great progress?
A. Oh, so do I. B. Congratulations.
C. Good luck. D. It's just so-so.
- Which idea is not right according to the passage?
A. People who have cars would never like to walk in the open air.
B. You can get help from others when you make mistakes.
C. You can still be a happy person even if you have little money.
D. Happiness is always around you though difficulties come towards you.
- Which of the following is this passage about?
A. Bad luck. B. Good luck. C. Happiness. D. Life

D

填空，完整短文。

My Little Sister Ann

I have a sister, 1 name is Ann. She is only five. She is a very funny girl. She 2 talking very much. She even talks to people in the street. And people like to talk to her because she is very funny.

3 today Ann doesn't want to talk. She doesn't even want to play—she is ill. She is in bed. Mother gives Ann her toys: her new doll



and her toy animals—a brown monkey, a yellow giraffe (长颈鹿) 4 a long neck, a pink little pig, a white bear and a red fox. But Ann doesn't want to play 5 her toys—she is ill.

I want to read books 6 her, but she doesn't want to listen—she is ill.

Mother gives Ann a cup of milk, but she doesn't want to 7 it. In the evening Father 8 home. He sees Ann in bed and asks, “Ann, why are you in bed?”

“I am ill,” says my 9 sister, “I don't want to eat, and I don't want to drink milk. I don't want to play with my toys and I don't want to talk.”

“You don't even want to talk. Then you are ill,” says my father, “the doctor can 10 you.”

“I don't want a doctor. I don't like doctors!” says my little sister.

Father says, “The doctor is a very good and kind woman. She likes little children. She has a black bag. And she has many interesting things in her bag.”

“What things?” asks my sister, “I want to see them.”

“All right,” says Father.

Now Ann wants to 11 the doctor very much. When the doctor comes, Ann says, “Hello, doctor! I am very 12 to see you! Where is your 13 bag? Show it to me, please.”

“Here it is. You may look at the interesting things in the bag, but please open your mouth 14 !”

Ann opens her mouth. The doctor says, “Good girl!” Then she says, “Now I know why you are ill—you like eating too 15 ice-cream. Please drink some hot tea and you will be well. Good-bye!”

“Thank you. Good-bye, doctor!” says Ann.

Ann is well now. She plays with her toys, She talks to Mother and Father. She talks to me and to her friends.

E

The Power of Love

Donny, an 11-year-old boy, is playing with a ball. The ball goes into the street, and Donny runs for the ball. A car hits Donny.

An ambulance takes Donny to the hospital. The doctors at the hospital tell Donny's

patents, "Donny is in a coma. Maybe he will wake up tomorrow. Maybe he will wake up next week. Or maybe he will never wake up."

Every day Donny's father says, "Wake up, Donny. Wake up and come home. Come home and play with Rusty." Rusty is Donny's dog.

When Donny's father says, "Rusty," Donny moves his arm.

"Rusty!" Donny's father says again. Again Donny moves his arm.

Donny's parents have an idea. They tell the nurses, "We want to bring Donny's dog to the hospital. Is it OK?"

"A dog in the hospital?" the nurses say. "That's very unusual. But, yes, it's OK."

The next day, Donny's parents bring Rusty to the hospital. When they put the dog on Donny's bed, Donny opens his eyes and hugs the dog.

Donny's parents bring Rusty to the hospital every day. One day, Rusty jumps on Donny's bed and scratches Donny's arm. Donny says his first words, "Bad dog!"

After seven weeks Donny is well. He leaves the hospital and goes home. Rusty goes home with him.

A) 根据短文内容, 从方框中选词填空。

wake up	move	jump	maybe
visit	hug	leave	never

1. Every day I _____ home at 7 o'clock in the morning and come home at 5 o'clock in the evening.

2. _____ your chair nearer to the fire.

3. We are going to _____ the museum.

4. He will _____ come back to his hometown.

5. _____ you are right.

6. The dog can _____ over the fence.

7. Don't _____ the baby.

8. Girls like to _____ their dolls (洋娃娃).

B) 根据短文内容, 从方框中选出说话的人。



1. _____ "Donny is in a coma."
2. _____ "Come home and play with Rusty."
3. _____ "We want to bring Donny's dog to the hospital. Is it OK?"
4. _____ "That's very unusual. But, yes, it's OK."
5. _____ "Bad dog!"

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|--------------------|-------------------|
| A. Donny | B. The doctors |
| C. Donny's parents | D. Donny's father |
| E. The nurses | |

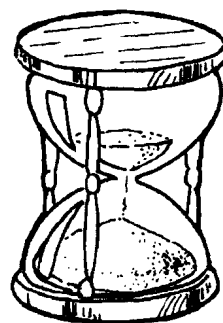
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Time

"I don't want a 40-hour week," says a president of Columbia University, "I want a 40-hour day." Yes, time is very important to all of us, but some people always get more than others. How do they do it?

They don't waste their time.

Remember, people waste minutes, not hours. An ordinary person wastes enough minutes in ten years to have earned a college degree.



So every second is important. Please remember the famous poem by Julia Fletcher Carney:

Little drops of water,
 Little grains of sand,
 Make the mighty ocean
 And the pleasant land.
 So the little minutes,
 Humble though they be,
 Make the mighty ages
 Of eternity.

根据短文内容填充，完整句子。

1. Time is very important _____ all of us.

2. They don't _____ their time.
3. Remember, people waste minutes, _____ hours. An ordinary person wastes enough minutes in ten years to have earned a college degree (获得大学文凭).
4. So _____ second is important.

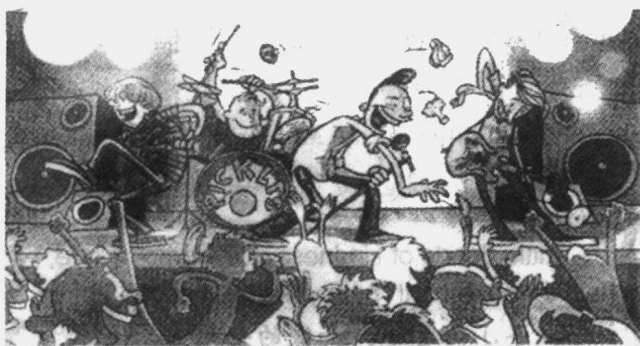
Unit 3

A

Bob: Where were you yesterday? I called, and called, but there wasn't any answer.

I left three messages on your voice mail.

Ron: I was out all day. I drove to the country with Linda, and we got back late.



Bob: I had extra (额外的) tickets for the Pickles concert, and I wanted you to come along with me.

Ron: Oh, I really wanted to go to that concert. What was the show like?

Bob: Fantastic! You missed a great show. They had laser beams and an enormous screen (巨幅屏幕). Pickled Onion, the lead singer, threw pickled (腌制的) vegetables into the audience (观众). It was cool!

Ron: I am sorry that I missed it. I guess I really need a cell phone.

根据短文内容选择最佳答案。

1. There was _____ in Ron's home yesterday.
A. somebody else B. nobody C. anybody D. a baby
2. What was the name of the concert? _____.
A. The Rock concert B. The Pickles concert
C. The Classical concert D. The Popular Music concert
3. What was the lead singer's family name? _____.
A. Pickled B. Onion
C. Pickled Onion D. Onion Pickled
4. What did Bob think of the concert? _____.