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序言

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教了這麼多年升大學英文,常有同學問我,怎麼樣才能把英語會話學好?尤其是上了大學以後,唸非英語系的同學更是煩惱, 英語程度就像斷了線的風箏一樣,每況愈下,單字愈來愈少,與 趣也愈來愈低。

有鑑於CIA會話教學,在美國施行效果極好,我便一心想將它引進,住惠 讀者。於是著手編著這套「CIA美語實況會話」 (Situational English Conversation)。

本書融合CIA訓練情報人員外語特殊訓練法。每個dialogue 精彩簡潔,以俾直接激發讀者學英文的潛能;每組 situation都 列出關鍵句,以傳讀者能迅速掌握主題,活用佳句。以後與外國 人交談必能滔滔不絕,流利的英語脫口而出。

而 Basic Expression (基本例句)和 Small Talk (福建的話)則更能收擊一反5之效。如電話英語「請問為哪一位?」除了說"Who's this, please?"之外,這可以是

Who's speaking, please?

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Who's

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May I

本書於編寫與校訂的過程中,均力求審慎,唯恐仍有疏失之處,尚祈各界先進不各批評指數。

編者 謹識

什麽是CIA會話教學法?

風靡全美的CIA會話教學法,就是一種密集、短打式的訓練,會經在三個月內創下奇蹟,使一個不敢開口、不會講一句英文的人,三個月後朗朗上口,與一般美國人無異。

CIA會話教學法,是美國中央情報局(CIA)訓練情報人員的一套特殊語言記憶法,接受這種訓練的情報人員,在三個月內對任何一種外語都能短期速成。所以這個方法已推行到全美各大學、各語言學校當中。

這種教學法,主要採取兩種方式:

步骤一:選擇一組會話,就像本教材所列的,每組會話都很短,以直覺訓練,每一句老師都先唸,學生不看課本也跟著哈,前陳好聽力。如此一直重覆地唸,直到學生不假思索即能 以及可以

海東二十多類把本組會話內容倒背如流,兩個或多個學生 再根據這個內容不斷變換角色交談,訓練臨場感,立即反應。

按照這兩個步驟,五分鐘就能學會一個實況,而且能馬上 學、馬上用,效果立即驗收。

-<CIA 美籍教學法示範>-

step 1 May I speak to Mary, please?(老師唸,學生不看課本跟著唸。)

m Speaking. (老師唸,學生不看課本限著唸。)

step 2 老師問: May I speak_to Mary, please? -- ;

■ 學生答: Speaking

重要至數額爲止!



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DIRECTIONS 指引方向

DIRECTIONS

SITUATION

THE TAXI STOP IS RIGHT OVER THERE.

計程車招呼站就在影響。

Dialogue 1

A: Excuse me, sir. Could you tell me how to get to the YWCA building?

B: Sure. But it's rather far from here. You can't walk. I think you'd better take a taxi. The taxi stop is right over there.

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A: How long will it take?

B: Only about ten minutes.

A: Thank you.

B: You're welcome.

Wd. & Phr.

YWCA "基督教女青年會"

(= Young Women's

Christian Association)

rather ['ræðə] adv. 相當;頗;

稍微(= somewhat,

slightly)

had ('d) better "最好 '

take a taxi "搭計程車'

A:對不起,先生,你可以告訴**我怎麼去** 女青年會嗎?

B:好,但是從這去相當遠,你不能用走的。我想你最好搭計程車去。計程車 招呼站就在那邊。

A:到那邊要多久?

B:大約只要十分鐘。

A:謝謝你。

B:不客氣。

Dialogue 2

- A: Pardon me, but can you direct me to the nearest bus stop?
- B: Sure, I can. I'm going that way. I'll show you.
- A: Thank you. How long does it take to go from here to Taipei by bus?
- B: About an hour.
- A: Do I need to transfer?
- B: No, it goes straight through. Here is the station. Just go down these stairs, and you'll find the ticket office.

- A: Thanks again.
- B: Not at all.

Wd. & Phr.

Pardon me. "對不起", 也可 說成 "Pardon." "Beg your pardon."或" I beg your pardon." .

transfer [træns'f3] v. 换車 go down these stairs "F 樓梯"(= go downstairs) ticket office "售票感"

A:對不起,你能指引我到最近的公車站 牌嗎?

B: 當然可以。我要走那條路,我可以指 引你。

A:謝謝,從這裏搭公車到台北要多久?

B:大約—小時。

A: 要換車嗎?

B:不、直接可以到。車站在這裏。走下 樓梯,你會找到售票處。

Small Talk

A: Excuse me, ma'am. Which way is the Presidential Building?

B: Keep going down this road and you'll find it on your left.

A: 對不起,女士。往總統 府要怎麼走?

B: 沿著這條路一直走,在

左邊你就可以看到。

A: Excuse me, but where is the post office?

B: Very sorry, Miss. I'm a stran- B: 小姐,很抱歉。我自己 ger here myself.

A: 對不起,請問往郵局怎

麼走?

對這裏也不熟。

A: Sorry to trouble you, but I'm looking for the Taipei First Girl's High School.

B: Well, let me see. Oh, yes, it's just around the corner.

A: 抱歉打擾你,我正在找 北一女中。

 $B: \mathbb{Q}$ 、我想想。 \mathbb{Q} 、對了、 北一女中就在轉角。

A: Excuse me, ma'am. Where is the Student Center?

B: Well, I'm not sure, but I think it's on the other side of the campus.

A: 對不起,女十。請問學生 活動中心在哪兒?

 $B: \mathbb{R}$ 、我也不確定,但我想 是在校園的另一頭吧!

ma'am (mæm) = madam ('mædəm) n. 女士;夫人 on your left "在你左邊" stranger ('strendse) n. 陌生人,在此推" new comer" (初到此地的人

Related Information

指引方向的最基本用語是 "Go down [up] this street." (沿著這一條街直走。)也就是 所開的地方剛好就在同一條街上。 "down"在此為 along (沿著) 的意思,但也有「往下」的含意 所以"Go down this street." 即暗示注號碼小的方向走;"(go up this street."則往號碼大的 邓邊走。若是對該街道號碼大小 沒有很清楚的概念時,用"Go down (along) this street." 就可以了。



More Phrases

- ① take a (the) taxi 搭計程車 take a (the) bus 搭公共汽車
- u by bus 搭公共汽車 by car 搭汽車 on foot 徒步
- Taxi stop 計程車招呼站bus stop 公共汽車站bus terminal 公共汽車終點站subway station 地下鐵路車站railway station 火車站



IRECTIONS

SITUATION

IT'S TWO BLOCKS STRAIGHT AHEAD.

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往前過兩條街就到了。

Dialogue 1

A: Excuse me. Could you tell me where the supermarket is?

B: Yes. It's two blocks straight ahead. You can't miss it.

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A: Thanks a lot.

B: You're welcome.

Wd. & Phr.

supermarket ('supo, market)
n. 超級市場
block (blak) n. (美) 兩條街
間的距離 (a space, especially in a city, enclosed
by streets; the length of

straight (stret) adv. 直地 You can't miss it. "你不 會找不到的。"(=You'!! surely find it.)

one of its side)

A:對不起。你能不能告訴我超級市場在 哪裏?

B:好的。往前過兩條街就到了。你不會 找不到的。

A:多謝。

B:不客氣。

Dialogue 2

A: Are you by any chance going to the airport?

B: Yes, I am.

A: How are you going to get there?

B: By taxi.

A: My car is here. I can give you a ride.

B: Don't let me trouble you.

A: No, not at all. I'm going there anyway.

B: Thank you very much. It's very kind of you.

Wd. & Phr.

by any chance "萬一;剛巧' give ~ a ride "讓~搭便車"

 $(=give \sim a lift)$

anyway ($'\epsilon_{\rm BH}$,we) adv.

無論如何;反正

A:你是不是剛巧要去機場?

B:是的,我就是要到機場。

A: 你打算怎麽去?

B: 搭計程車。

A:我的車在這兒。我可以讓你搭個便

車。

B:不要麻煩了。

A: —點也不麻煩。反正我正要去那裏。

B: 真謝謝你。你眞好。



Small Talk

Taiwan University stop here?

B: Yes, it does. Get on bus No. B: 有啊。請搭251 或236 251 or 236.

A: How often does it come?

B: Every 5 minutes.

A: Does the bus for National A: 這裏有往台大的公車嗎?

路。

A: 車子多久一班?

b:每五分鐘--班車。

A: What bus do I take to get to A: 往博物館要搭哪一路公 the museum?

B: You'd better take No. 304 at B: 你最好在這站搭 304 this stop.

A: Where do I get off for the A: 我要在哪一站下車呢?

B: At the fifth stop.

museum?

車?

路。

B: 在第五站。

A: Excuse me. How far is the A: 對不起。醫院難這兒有 hospital from here?

B: Just a couple of blocks that B: 往那個方向過兩條街就 wau.

多遠呢?

到了。

how often "多久一次"(問類率) "下車" ("上車"則爲 get on) # M ~ " (= two ~)