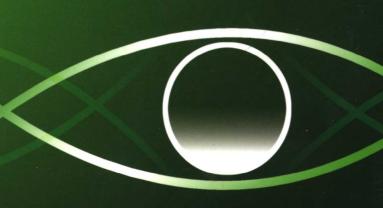
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出版前言

近年来,加强听力教学,帮助学习者提高其听力理解能力已成为国际英语教学的重点之一。其原因在于无论是学习母语还是学习外语,都要首先培养学习者的听力理解能力。教育部 2004 年颁布的《大学英语课程教学要求(试行)》的培养目标中指出,注重培养学生英语综合应用能力,特别是听说能力。在"听力"技能培养中还提出,1)能基本听懂英语国家人士的谈话和讲座;2)能听懂题材熟悉、篇幅较长的国内英语广播或电视节目,掌握大意;3)能基本听懂外国专家用英语讲授的专业课程。再如《高等学校英语专业英语教学大纲》(2000)在规定结业时所应达到"听"的能力时指出,1)听懂真实交际场合中各种英语会话;2)听懂英语国家广播电台以及电视台有关政治、经济、文化、教育、科技等方面的专题报道以及与此类题材相关的演讲;3)听懂电视时事报道和电视剧中的对话等。许多语言教学工作者也指出,听力教学应是其他语言技能教学的基础,只有解决了学习者"听"的问题,才能更有效地解决"说"的问题。

为提高大学生的英语听说能力,使其达到《大学英语课程教学要求 (试行)》中规定的较高要求和更高要求,高等教育出版社引进了美国汤姆森学习集团公司2005年—2006年最新出版的中高级英语听力教程1~3 册,并组织国内高校专家和教师改编出版了这套《高级英语视听说教程》1~3 册。这套教材主要是通过观看视频讲座或听录音,训练学习者的英语听力技巧,提高学习者听力理解能力,提高学习者听学术讲座的记录能力,提高学生就相关主题的口头表达能力。

本书是第一册, 共 15 个单元。每个单元由听前部分 (Prelistening)、听中部分 (Listening)、听后部分 (Postlistening) 组成。听前部分包括听前准备 (Listening Preparation)、词汇和句子预习 (Preview of Vocabulary and Sentences) 和听力提示 (Rhetorical Listening Cues), 听中部分包括初听 (Initial Listening)、内容重现 (Mental Rehearsal and Review of the Talk) 和巩固 (Consolidation), 听后部分包括听力理解检查 (The Comprehension Check)、听力扩展 (The Listenging Expansion) 和趣味听力 (Listening Factoids)。这些练习集中训练学习者的听力、记录以及理解能力。教材内容涉及重要人物、重大事件、现代科技、语言、自然现象、社会现象、动植物等方面,材料丰富、充实。

该教材适合大学英语本科高级听说课程,特别是高级选修课程,研究生英语课程及同等水平的培训课程,如托福、雅思考试培训等,并配备了学生用书、教师用书、课堂教学 DVD/MP3 和磁带。

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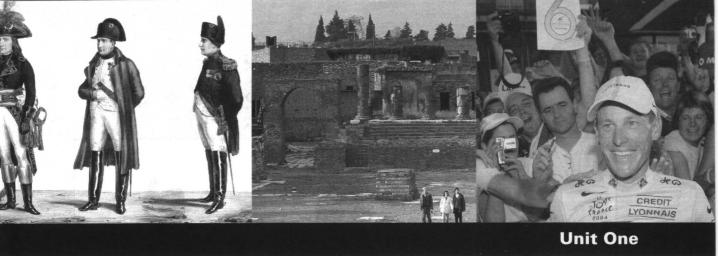
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Focus on: Chronology

Chronology is a way of telling something in the order in which it happened. Chronology is used to tell stories and to relate historical events.

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Napoleon: From Schoolboy to Emperor



I. PRELISTENING

A. Listening Preparation

You are going to listen to a story about Napoleon Bonaparte, the French conqueror. Think about the man for a minute. Do you have a picture of him in your mind? What did he look like? Was he a tall man? No, he was really quite short, but he was a very powerful man. Some people think he was a great man—a hero. Other people think he was a villain—a very bad person. But most people agree that he was one of the most important men in European history.

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B. Preview of Vocabulary and Sentences

emperor the ruler of an empire

 Napoleon was a French soldier who became *emperor* of the French Empire.

military school a school that trains young people to be soldiers or officers

• Napoleon's father sent him to military school in France.

to excel to do better than others

• Napoleon excelled in mathematics and in military science.

career an occupation followed as one's lifework

fame recognition; distinction; great honor

 Napoleon began the military career that brought him fame, power, riches, and finally defeat.

victories conquests; successes

• Napoleon won many, many military victories.

to control to have power over; to govern by domination

• At one time Napoleon controlled most of Europe.

to lose to fail to keep; to be unable to save

 In the military campaign into Russia, Napoleon lost most of his army.

to be deserted to be left by people who do not plan to return; to be abandoned

• The great French conqueror died alone—deserted by his family and his friends.

C. Rhetorical Listening Cues

In this talk the speaker tells you about the life of Napoleon. The story is told in chronological order; that is, the events are related in the order in which they happened. The story begins with Napoleon's birth in 1769 and ends with his death in 1821. Listen for what happened when Napoleon was 10 years old, 16 years old, and 24 years old. Another time expression you will hear that shows chronology is "several years later."

II. LISTENING

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Now let's listen to a talk about the Emperor Napoleon. It may help you to concentrate on the talk if you close your eyes while you listen. Just relax and listen carefully.

B. Mental Rehearsal and Review of the Talk

All right. Let's listen to the talk once again. This time, the talk will be given in message units. Please repeat each unit to yourself silently after you hear it. Remember, don't say the units out loud.

A C. Consolidation

You will hear the talk given once again. This time as you listen, take notes on what you hear.

III. POSTLISTENING

A. The Comprehension Check

1. Recognizing Information and Checking Accuracy

For questions 1–4 you will hear multiple-choice questions about the information presented in the talk. Listen to each question and decide whether (a), (b), (c), or (d) is the best answer to the question.

1. (a) in 1769 (b) in 1821	4. (a) when he was 51 years old
(c) in France	(b) just before he defeated England
2. (a) outstanding (b) excellent (c) good (d) poor	(c) after his military campaign into Russia (d) several years after he became a general
3. (a) power (b) wealth (c) defeat (d) all of the above	

For questions 5–8 you will hear statements about the life of Napoleon. If the statement is true, put a T on the line next to the number of the statement. If the statement you hear is false, put an F on the line, and explain why the statement is false.

CHECK YOUR ANSWERS	5	6	7	8

2. Using and Expanding on the Information in the Talk

- a. Recapping the Information from Your Notes. Use your notes to recap the information you learned about the life of Napoleon. Present the information to the class or to one of your classmates.
- **b.** Expanding on the Information in the Talk. Discuss with a classmate why you agree (or do not agree) with the following statements:
 - 1. Napoleon was a great man.
- 2. It would be impossible today for a person like Napoleon to become powerful enough to conquer and rule so many countries.
- 3. The only way a country can be safe is to have a powerful military to protect itself.
- **4.** Every young man and woman should be required to do at least two years of military service for his or her country.

R B. The Listening Expansion

Task 1.

Completing a Map

CHECK YOUR ANSWERS

Look at the map on the following page. It is a picture of the various European kingdoms and empires that existed in Napoleon's time. You are going to fill in the information that is not already on the map. Listen and fill in the missing information.

Task 2.

Answering Questions about the Completed Map

Now the map is complete. Here are some questions about the map of Napoleonic Europe. When you hear a question, look at the map to find the answer to the question you hear. Listen for the words "north," "south," "east," or "west." Write the answer to the question on the appropriate blank line.

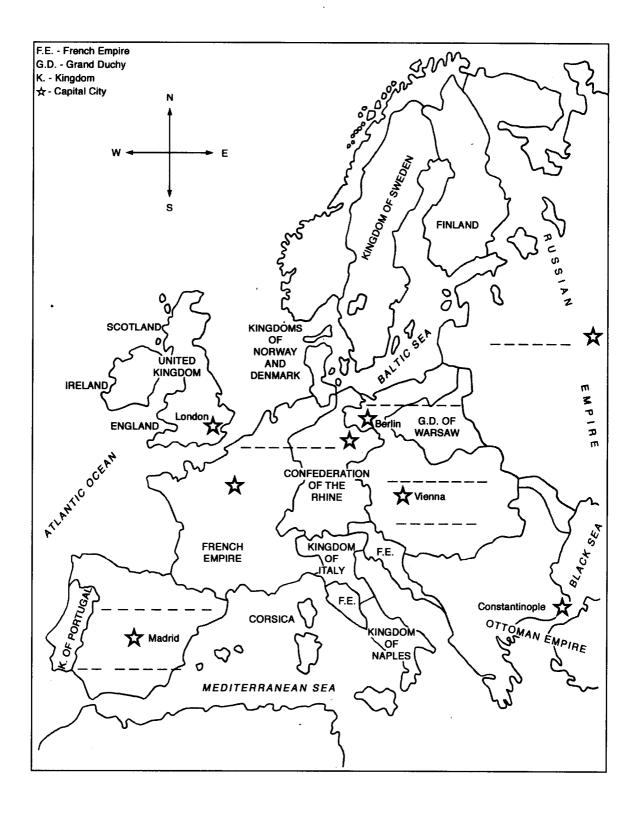
For example, you will hear the question: "What was the name of the empire that was south of the Austrian Empire in Napoleon's time?" The answer to the question is "the Ottoman Empire." You must complete the rest of the answers. Are you ready? Do you have the map handy for consultation? Good. Let's begin.

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CHECK YOUR ANSWERS



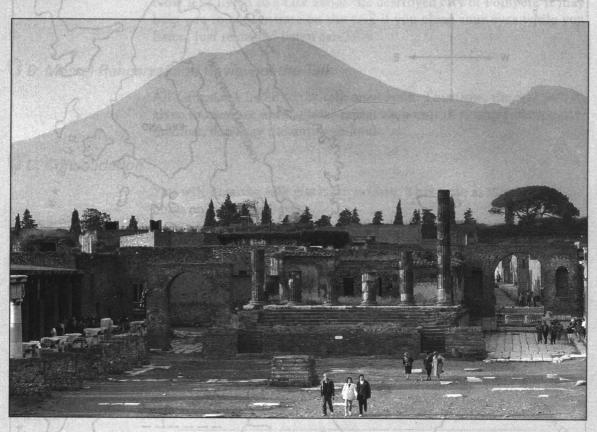
- #1 Napoleon led a very exciting and dangerous life, but he died in his own bed. The cause of Napoleon's death has been the subject of controversy from that time to the present. Listen to some of the theories people have had about the cause of his death.
- #2 Powerful men in history leave behind a number of sayings that linger long after they are dead. Listen to seven of Napoleon's famous sayings, or "words of wisdom." Each saying will be repeated twice.





Pompeii:

Destroyed, Forgotten, and Found



I. PRELISTENING

CHAPTER T. NAPRICEOURS and Sandalov Indianopolis

A. Listening Preparation

You are going to listen to a story about the ancient city of Pompeii. What do you know about Pompeii? Do you know where it was located? Do you know why it is famous? What happened in Pompeii? Why did many people die there? Why do tourists visit Pompeii today?

G.B. - Grand Duchy

B. Preview of Vocabulary and Sentences

Bay of Naples

• Pompeii was located on the ocean, on the Bay of Naples.

79 C.E. 79 years after the birth of Christ

• In the year 79 C.E., a young Roman boy was visiting his uncle in Pompeii.

sight a scene; a view

• Pliny saw a frightening sight.

ash residue left when material is consumed by fire; very small particles of mineral matter that a volcano sends out

• Rock and ash flew through the air.

eruption outbreak of a volcano

 What Pliny saw was the eruption — the explosion — of the volcano, Vesuvius.

to flee to run to escape from danger

• Many people were able to flee the city and to escape death.

to be buried alive to be covered by ash or dirt completely while still living and then to die

• These unlucky people were buried alive under the ash.

to dig to turn up the ground or soil with a shovel

• An Italian farmer was digging on his farm.

archaeologists scientists who study the remains of ancient civilizations

• Archaeologists began to excavate—to dig—in the area.

ruins the remains of destroyed buildings or cities

 Today tourists come from all over the world to see the ruins of the famous city of Pompeii.

C. Rhetorical Listening Cues

In this talk the speaker tells you a story about the ancient city of Pompeii. This story begins about 2,000 years ago and continues up to today. The story is told in chronological order. Listen for dates such as "79 C.E." and time expressions such as "for about three days," "as time went by," and "for 1,700 years." These time expressions and dates will help you to understand the sequence or order of events in the story.