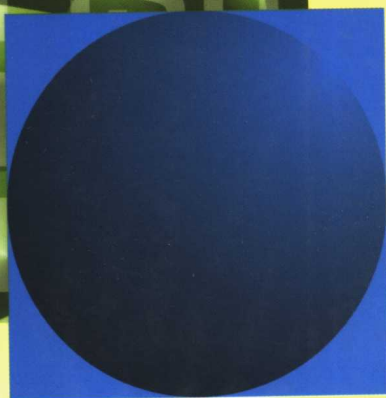




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## 前 言

为了贯彻落实国家教育部颁布的最新《非英语专业研究生英语教学大纲》(简称《大纲》,下同)精神和要求,适应 21 世纪研究生英语教学发展的需要而编写的这套系列教材:《研究生英语教程(读写)》(上下册)、《研究生英语教程(听说)》、《研究生英语教程(练习)》(上下册)和《研究生英语教程(自学辅导)》。由东南大学外语系梁为祥教授担任总主编。

《研究生英语教程(读写)》编写工作严格遵照了《大纲》规定的教学内容、目的和要求。全套教程主要突出“读”和“写”的内容。除了课文后面附有的生词和双解注释之后,还着重编写了重点练习。所以在练习部分,打破传统的编写体系,只安排 answer questions, paraphrase 和 translation(含英译汉两段和汉译英两段,且贴近课文内容)。此后,附上 Text B 和 7 篇科技读物。为了帮助学生有效地阅读,还列出了生词和短语。同时,编写了 understanding the text, 以利学生理解课文。

在《研究生英语教程(读写)》的每个单元后编排了写作内容。上册的写作内容重点突出 basic writing (sentence skills), 涵盖 10 个方面内容。下册的写作内容重点突出 writing essays and practical writing, 也涵盖 10 个方面内容。每一项也同样包括写作理论指导、实例演绎和写作练习。旨在锤炼学生的写作基本功,达到提高写作水平的目的。

《研究生英语教程(练习)》(上下册)的内容主要涵盖 Text A, Text B 的词汇结构,与课文内容有关的翻译练习(含英译汉和汉译英),同时结合硕士研究生学位统考的题型、内容和难度等编排

了一定内容的练习,不仅帮助学生更有效地消化、理解课文,提高英语水平,还有助于学生增强应试能力。

《研究生英语教程(听说)》,以功能意念为纲,涉及 36 个常用语言功能,突出为表达这些功能常用的语言形式。根据中国学生学习外语的特点,强调了在听的基础上练习说,使说的练习有模仿的基础。设计了多种练习说的活动和场景,便于学生由浅入深、由易到难地提高口头表达能力。每单元除适合课堂教学的内容以外,还有适合课后复习、自学的材料,以便学生课后复习巩固课堂所学内容。

为了便于教师在教学中的参考和读者自学的需要,我们编写了《研究生英语教程(自学辅导)》。其中包括《研究生英语教程(读写)》中的练习答案和课文译文,以及《研究生英语教程(听说)》中的练习答案和听力书面材料。

《研究生英语教程(读写)》(上下册)各有 Text A 课文 10 篇,主要安排在 160 个教学课时里,每一篇 Text A 安排 6 个课时,每一项写作安排 2 个课时。而 Text B 以及后面的补充读物均由学生课外自学。本册书与教学安排同步进行,但以学生自学为主。

《研究生英语教程(听说)》适用于 72 课时(每周 2 课时,每学期 18 周,两个学期)教学使用。

在系列教材的选材中,我们十分注意到了内容的趣味性、信息性、实用性、可思性和前瞻性。同时还十分重视语言的规范性、致用性,文体的多样性,内容的广泛性和时代性等,使之内容、形式具有超前性,富有一定的特色。

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# Unit One

## I. Vocabulary Work

### 1. Complete each of the following sentences with the correct form of the given words.

retrieve

- 1) He tried awkwardly to \_\_\_\_\_ the situation amidst some laughter.
- 2) The situation is now beyond \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3) Mao Zedong is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the people and he liberated China.
- 4) Tom is \_\_\_\_\_ on study for he almost fails in each exam.
- 5) Though the patient has got cancer, he still has the \_\_\_\_\_ opportunity.

validate

- 1) The scientists designed an experiment to \_\_\_\_\_ his hypothesis.
- 2) After the discussion of the commission, the agreement becomes \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3) In the conference, the \_\_\_\_\_ of the laws was passed by the legislature.
- 4) As the \_\_\_\_\_ of passport, he has great power.

distract

- 1) The advertisements by the side of the road sometimes \_\_\_\_\_ the attention of motorists.
- 2) He is always \_\_\_\_\_ in class, so he failed in the exam.
- 3) There are too many \_\_\_\_\_ here to work properly.
- 4) The problem is \_\_\_\_\_ to the students for it's beyond their knowledge.

contrive

- 1) The whole incident had a very \_\_\_\_\_ air about it.
- 2) How did you \_\_\_\_\_ to get yourself into hot water?



- 3) Her husband loves her deeply for she is a good \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4) The complicated product is \_\_\_\_\_ for those inventors who are very intelligent.

elaborate

- 1) It's an \_\_\_\_\_ plot and almost all the people are deceived.
- 2) Would you care to \_\_\_\_\_ on your proposals?
- 3) Just tell me the main facts, don't waste time on \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4) The plan is so \_\_\_\_\_ that it almost includes everything.

authenticate

- 1) The painting has been \_\_\_\_\_ as an original.
- 2) Engagement and marriage notices become \_\_\_\_\_ with the signature of both parties.
- 3) That is a good story with the added merit of complete \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4) After a careful \_\_\_\_\_, the stamp really has a long history.

browse

- 1) She \_\_\_\_\_ in the new library voraciously.
- 2) At first \_\_\_\_\_ the book is not impressive.
- 3) The shopping center is a good place for \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4) The fashion magazines and books about urban life are \_\_\_\_\_.

animation

- 1) The rugged rocks and green leaves add \_\_\_\_\_ to the painting.
- 2) On my birthday, Father bought an \_\_\_\_\_ doll working on batteries.
- 3) The president's eloquent speech got people \_\_\_\_\_ and excited.
- 4) My father is an \_\_\_\_\_ and he has created many interesting figures.

replete

- 1) The defence reports are \_\_\_\_\_ with warnings about the strategic situation.
- 2) The hall is filled to \_\_\_\_\_ and it's full of noise.
- 3) The professor wrote an academic paper very \_\_\_\_\_ in its notes and citations.

collaborate

- 1) With the \_\_\_\_\_ of the engineers, a new type of machine is invented.
- 2) He and I \_\_\_\_\_ in writing plays.
- 3) There are many \_\_\_\_\_ research projects.
- 4) He is a good \_\_\_\_\_ and I got on well with him.
2. For each of the underlined words or phrases, four choices are given. Choose the one that best explains or defines the underlined parts.
  - 1) He took no exalted view of the situation.
    - A. increased
    - B. decreased
    - C. shrunk
    - D. magnified
  - 2) To his surprise, she had a prodigious appetite.
    - A. extremely large
    - B. very small
    - C. good
    - D. bad
  - 3) The highly controversial subject has been left out in the list by the chairman.
    - A. praised
    - B. criticized
    - C. causing agreement
    - D. causing disagreement
  - 4) The idea that the number 13 brings bad luck is absurd.
    - A. reasonable
    - B. unreasonable
    - C. strange
    - D. particular
  - 5) The whole nation rejoiced over the victory.
    - A. neglected
    - B. benefited
    - C. felt astonished
    - D. felt happy
  - 6) His rowboat was a clumsy affair made out of old boxes.
    - A. smooth
    - B. rough
    - C. soft
    - D. hard
  - 7) His life is in jeopardy.
    - A. danger
    - B. safe
    - C. reality
    - D. illusion
  - 8) You should choose a roommate more compatible to your tastes.

- A. bitter B. tender  
C. conflicting D. fit
- 9) It will be some time before the full ramifications of the invention are known.  
A. effectiveness B. causes  
C. consequences D. reasons
- 10) He was elected by a unanimously vote.  
A. with disagreement B. with no disagreement  
C. contradictory D. kind
- 11) Glassmaking was apparently the first industry to be brought from Europe to the United States.  
A. predictably B. regretfully  
C. seemingly D. naturally
- 12) The copper pot has become tarnished after many years of neglect.  
A. lost its luster B. become glossy  
C. been removed D. been buffed
- 13) He could not say no to the request because he is a meek person.  
A. humble B. aggressive  
C. practical D. patient
- 14) The outcry against the government's policies will subside only if a compromise is reached in the assembly.  
A. die down B. succeed  
C. proceed D. be dislodged
- 15) The directors faced a predicament in trying to meet the deadline.  
A. an enigma B. a failure  
C. a dilemma D. an extension
- 16) Surrealism has infiltrated realistic painting by increasing artists' awareness of how commonplace subjects can take on mysterious suggestions.  
A. conditioned B. spread to

- C. denied                      D. displaced
- 17) The meal he served was rather meager.  
A. scanty                      B. dull  
C. dingy                      D. lifeless
- 18) Epigrams are sayings characterized by wit and brevity.  
A. rhythm                      B. conciseness  
C. brilliance                  D. scorn
- 19) The grapes withered on the vine.  
A. matured                      B. shriveled  
C. rotted                      D. glistened
- 20) Huey Long's denunciations of the federal government were often inspired by the fervor of his listeners.  
A. size                      B. curiosity  
C. cheerfulness              D. zeal
- 3. For each of the following blanks, four choices are given. Choose the most appropriate one.**
- 1) Caught on the scene, Tom was put in \_\_\_\_\_ by the police.  
A. anklets                      B. armlets  
C. manacles                  D. deviance
- 2) The \_\_\_\_\_ of gifted children into accelerated classes will be put in action next year.  
A. scatter                      B. segregation  
C. scratch                      D. secularity
- 3) She was \_\_\_\_\_ to find that the river had risen to the doorstep.  
A. appalled                      B. puzzled  
C. confused                      D. amazed
- 4) After his arrival in London, he \_\_\_\_\_ his personal life by teaching Chinese at a college.  
A. transfigured                  B. transfixed  
C. transliterate                  D. tranquilized
- 5) We found that the walk in the fresh air \_\_\_\_\_ us.  
A. confused                      B. completed

- C. invigorated D. remortgage
- 6) Scientists are now on the \_\_\_\_\_ of an important discovery.  
A. gate B. threshold  
C. door D. passage
- 7) It's true that every one of us will encounter an \_\_\_\_\_ dilemma.  
A. extricable B. expiatory  
C. explicit D. expansible
- 8) Zhou Enlai once screened Deng Xiaoping from political \_\_\_\_\_ in the Culture Revolution.  
A. refuge B. autonomy  
C. escape D. persecution
- 9) The \_\_\_\_\_ theory about life made the old lady feel that she would do more good deeds before her death.  
A. complicated B. redemptive  
C. auxotrophic D. cost-effective
- 10) The holidays had been \_\_\_\_\_ in a dry wilderness of lessons.  
A. extraordinary B. persevering  
C. gruesome D. oases
- 11) Jiaozi or dumpling was a \_\_\_\_\_ of the restaurant.  
A. singularity B. specialty  
C. particularity D. originality
- 12) Whenever we organize social events or outings in our office , Janice remains \_\_\_\_\_ as if such things are beneath her.  
A. inaccessible B. tedious  
C. aloof D. constant
- 13) The president's \_\_\_\_\_ for the refugees caused him to admit a very large number of them.  
A. courtesy B. compassion  
C. hostility D. respect
- 14) For many years, Mark has been suffering from the \_\_\_\_\_ that he is a great man.  
A. allusion B. illusion

- C. elusion D. delusion
- 15) Animals have \_\_\_\_\_ sophisticated tricks to regulate their temperature.  
A. evolved B. exerted  
C. functioned D. applied
- 16) He had told us so many lies that we can no longer place any \_\_\_\_\_ on what he says.  
A. reliance B. credibility  
C. reputation D. conviction
- 17) Keys should never be hidden around the house since thieves \_\_\_\_\_ know where to look.  
A. virtually B. unavoidably  
C. reliably D. invariably
- 18) It is not profitable to provide bus services in districts where the population is widely \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. spaced B. divided  
C. scattered D. separated
- 19) New mineral resources may be discovered during the fourth coming Antarctic \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. excursion B. execution  
C. extraction D. expedition
- 20) The Home Secretary has been asked to \_\_\_\_\_ because the Union leaders and the employers cannot agree on a course of action.  
A. meditate B. intervene  
C. negotiate D. reconcile

## II. Error Detection and Correction

1. In each of the following sentences, four parts have been underlined. Choose the one which should be corrected.

- 1) When the storm comes all the windows ought to have  
A B C D

been closed.

- 2) You have probably heard the saying "running around like a chicken with its head to be cut off".  
A B  
C D
- 3) The revenue deriving from tourism will be greatly increased in the next ten years, provided that the business is well organized.  
A B  
C D
- 4) The supermarket was reported to be destroyed in an earthquake some time in 1970s.  
A B C  
D
- 5) How I wish John knew how to apply grammatical rules properly and recognizes the fact that he is nearly always in the wrong.  
A C D  
B
- 6) In spite of the cold weather, they all enjoys skiing and sledding in the snow.  
A B C  
D
- 7) Chalk, which is a softly mineral than limestone, consists of minute marine shells.  
A B C  
D
- 8) The Earth travels at a high rate of speed around Sun.  
A B C D
- 9) But he is only of average height and his hair is not fair, but as dark as an Italian.  
A B  
C D
- 10) A footnote is characteristically employed to give information that is too long or too detailed be included in the body of a text.  
A B  
C D

- 11) In the United States, the individual income tax is the governmental largest source of revenue.  

A
B
C
D
  - 12) The human body contains more than six hundred muscles who account for approximately forty percent of the body weight.  

A
B
C
D
  - 13) In order to prevent disease on a worldwide scale, nations must to work together.  

A
B
C
D
  - 14) The Allegheny Mountain range are rich in coal.  

A
B
C
D
  - 15) Some trees have distinctive features that identify they at first glance.  

A
B
C
D
  - 16) Chickens are raised for both meat or eggs, which makes them the most important domesticated birds in the world.  

A
B
C
D
  - 17) Compared about other areas, the population of deserts is sparse.  

A
B
C
D
  - 18) The Cherokee writing system was invented 1821 by Sequoya, a member of that American Indian nation.  

A
B
C
D
  - 19) Industrial designers try to make products attraction, efficient, and safe.  

A
B
C
D
  - 20) Every machine consume more energy than it creates.  

A
B
C
D
2. In this passage, there are altogether 10 mistakes, one in each numbered line. You may have to add a word, cross out a word, or change a word. Mark out the mistakes and put the corrections in the blanks provided.



Edison was now so famous for an inventor that 1) \_\_\_\_\_  
people thought there was nothing he could not do.  
They began to call him "the wizard" as he could 2) \_\_\_\_\_  
produce inventions as magic. Few people realized how  
hard Edison worked, often twenty hours a day, and  
how most of his inventions were results of hundreds of 3) \_\_\_\_\_  
experiments.

The world's most leading inventor for sixty 4) \_\_\_\_\_  
years, Edison patented over a thousand inventions  
which changed our way of living. He was one of the  
earliest inventors of the motion-picture machine. His  
discovery of the photograph was joined with 5) \_\_\_\_\_  
photography to produce talking pictures. It is no  
wonder that Edison received many glories during his 6) \_\_\_\_\_  
life for contributions to the progress of mankind. The  
United States gave him his highest award, a special 7) \_\_\_\_\_  
Congressional Medal of honor. Yet, in spite of all his  
fame, Edison never considered him a brilliant man and 8) \_\_\_\_\_  
once remarked that genius was "two percent  
inspiration and ninety-eight percent perspiration."

When Edison died in 1931, it was proposed that 9) \_\_\_\_\_  
the American people turn on all power in their homes,  
streets, And factories for several minutes in honor of  
this great man. Of course, it was quickly realized that  
such an honor would be impossible. Its impossibility  
was indeed the real tribute to Edison's achievements.  
Electric power had become so important and vital a  
part of America's life that a complete shut-down for  
even a few seconds have created chaos. 10) \_\_\_\_\_

### III. Cloze

1. Fill in each blank with a word beginning with the letter printed