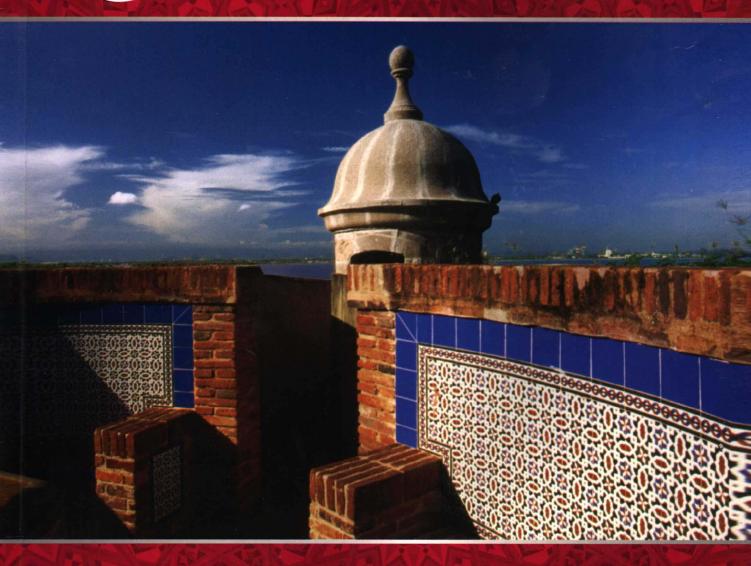
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总序

在知识经济、多元文化日趋全球化的信息社会中,英语作为认识世界、走向世界的交际工具日益重要。因此《大学英语课程教学要求》明确规定:"大学英语的教学目标是培养学生英语综合应用能力,特别是听说能力,使他们在今后的工作和社会交往中能用英语有效地进行口头和书面的信息交流,同时增强其自主学习能力,提高综合文化素养,以适应我国经济发展和国际交流的需要。"然而,我国的大学英语教学因学生人学水平参差不齐,地区教学环境和师资力量的不均衡性,导致缺乏目标语使用语境。所以不能囿于一种教学理论,一部教学大纲和一套教材。应当理性地认识大学英语教学现状,综合各种英语教学策略,总结和汲取我国二十多年来大学英语教学的理论和经验,从国际化、立体化和网络化的角度定位,走一条引进和原创兼容,主干课堂教材和自主学习教材相结合的大学英语教材的编写路子。基于此,吉林出版集团外语教育出版公司与世界著名英语教育出版机构策划、组织编写了这套捷进大学英语国际化、立体化和网络化系列教材。主干课堂教材包括:《捷进大学英语阅读教程》(预备级、1-4)。《捷进大学英语听说教程》(预备级、1-4)、《捷进大学英语听谈教程》(行4)、《捷进大学英语资际教程》(1-4)、《捷进大学英语资际教程》(1-4)、《捷进大学英语资际教程》(1-4)、《捷进大学英语被表现的条次,写作训练、听力训练、710分新题型模拟训练),充分满足我国大学英语教材建设和选择的个性化、实用性和灵活性。

一、编写桌旨

- 1. 贯彻和执行《大学英语课程教学要求》中"一般要求"的教学目标、模式和手段,1-4 册以普通高校的本科生为教学对象,预备级兼顾二级学院、高职高专和音、体、美等特长学生。
- 2. 树立和倡导英语教学的效率观念、高效思维和效率行动,从教材理念构建、策略优化、框建组成、材料选择、活动设计、测试评估等方面促进和保证大学生的英语学习的速效、高效和长效,充分体现捷进英语的教学思想。
- 3. 突出和提升大学生英语听说能力、自主学习能力、世界公民意识和优秀文化素养,适应国际化、网络化和交际化的需要。

二、编写理念

全套教材依据 3P+3M+3S 的先进英语教学理念进行构建,以主题任务型教学为先导;兼顾以教师为脚手架(Scaffolding Instruction)的呈现模式和以学生为中心的自主学习模式;以现代信息技术,特别是网络技术为支撑,鼓励和激发大学生自主学习的热情、兴趣,引导大学生全面融入和体验,切实达到大学英语教学目标。

- 1. 3P=Presentation+Practice+Production: Presentation 是指教材从听、读两方面的材料输入和呈现,保证语言在词汇、语法和语音三个语言基础层面上的真实、准确和地道;在主题和信息选择上具有经典性、现代性、趣味性;在题裁上不但有传统的议论文、叙述文、描写文和说明文,还有当今流行的报纸、杂志、电视、电影、广告和网络等形式。Practice 是指以学生为中心,以交际为目的,从多角度、多方面组织课堂活动、游戏和实践等训练方式,做到使学生既掌握了语言结构的内核又满足了真实表达和交际的需要;Production 是指从说和写两个方面在形式和主题上的输出活动和真实实践。本教材巧妙和完美地将输入和输出以各种实际及实用的训练方式联系起来,极其活泼和有趣。
- 2. 3M=Motivational+Meaningful+Memorable: Motivational 是指教材从形式构架、主题内容和训练方式上充分激发和调动学生主动学习英语的兴趣和意识,从根本上解决了英语教学的价值和效益。Meaningful 是指教材无论是从形式和主题输入,还是从活动和训练组织,直到表达和输出都能满足真实语境和意志的需求。Memorable 是指教材与教学的效率、效能和效益,学习最终的目的是语言的使用和交际的需求,所以 Memorable 既保证了语言要素和结构的灵活掌握,又满足了语言的交际和使用。
- 3. 3S=Strategy+Skill+Style:Strategy 是指教材以最优秀的英语学习策略和教学策略为理论构架原则,吸收一切先进和实用的英语教学思想和手段来满足内容呈现、课堂训练和语言输出。Skill 是指语言听、说、读、写的微技能的组织和训练,是 Strategy 的贯彻和应用。Style 是指尊重和激活学生个体的学习风格和差异,整合各种积极有效的教学活动,充分挖掘学生的学习潜力,以适应大学生不同学习风格的要求。

三、数域特色

- 1. 教材国际化:全套教材与世界著名英语教育出版机构麦克劳·希尔和培生朗文合作,保证教材在选材上具有真实性和准确性,在编写理念上具有先进性和权威性。教材高屋建筑地处理了国际托福考试和国内四六级考试的沿革和关系,既起到对大学英语教学的积极评估和反馈作用,又解决了大学生参加托福考试的需求。教材收录大量高频词汇、学术词汇,对《大学英语课程教学要求》参考词表做了有益补充,是一套与全球学生同步使用的国际化教材。
- 2. 教材立体化: 3套主干课堂教材"阅读""听说"和"写作",每册书 10个单元在同一主题的统筹下,从输入呈现、训练活动到交际输出,不断刺激、循环、深化学术英语的主题意识、思想和表达,充分体现了语言输入、信息传递、知识接收和文化融合的立体化。并且,主题词汇和语言表达反复呈现,循环印证,强化英语学习的记忆和保持度,综合培养大学生听说读写的运用能力。3套自主学习教材"快读"、"泛听"和"测试"与3套主干课堂教材相辅相承,有效有益地丰富了主干教材的资源,有助于学生个性化学习方法的形成和学生自主学习能力的发展。
 - 3. 教材网络化: 本套教材由麦克劳·希尔国际教育网站、100e 教育网站、捷进可一出版网

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四。数学资源

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希望各高校在使用本套教材中,多提批评性和建设性的宝贵意见,以臻完善。

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前言

2004 年教育部颁布的《大学英语课程教学要求》提高了对大学英语听力能力的要求,最新的大学英语四、六级考试改革精神对听力考试的题型、长度、难度进行了调整和界定。为了帮助大学生尽快地熟悉和适应改革后的全国大学英语四级考试,提高英语综合运用能力,顺利通过这项考试,我们组织大学英语教学与测试专家编写了这本《大学英语测试教程——听力训练》。

全书题材广泛,涉及生活、娱乐、卫生、文化、教育、体育、经济、科学、历史等,所选材料符合《大学英语课程教学要求》对三个层次的英语听力能力的表述,以及 CET4—6 所规定的有关听力微技能的要求。全书语言真实、生动、规范,内容新颖、活泼、幽默,信息量大,时代感强,极具知识性和实用性。

在本书编写过程中,我们努力根据当今先进的语言测试理论来设计和编写试题,充分体现《大学英语课程教学要求》(试行)的要求,既不超越,也不降低要求,尽可能覆盖《要求》上的内容。

全书集专项练习与模拟试题为一体,共分五章:短对话听力训练、长对话听力训练、短文听力训练、复合式听写训练、模拟真题听力训练,每章题材多样、涵盖内容广泛,并随书配有 MP3 光盘,供学生自主练习与教师课堂教学使用。

"测试不能代替教学",但合理运用,可促进教学。因为精心设计的测试题可以检测教与学两方面存在的问题。如果同学们能在课堂学习之余做适量的试题,从而发现和弥补知识漏洞,那将是十分有意义的事情。

由于时间仓促,加之水平有限,错误和不足之处在所难免,希望广大读者和同行批评指正。

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第一章 短对话听力训练

Short Conversation Practice

Test 1

Directions: In this section, you will hear 8 short conversations. At the end of each conversation, one or more questions will be asked about what was said. Both the conversation and the questions will be spoken only once. After each question there will be a pause. During the pause, you must read the four choices marked A), B), C) and D), and decide which is the best answer.

- 1. A) new products promotion
 - C) a job interview
- 2. A) turn off the music after 10:00 PM.
 - C) keep quiet after midnight
- 3. A) 15 minutes
 - C) 45 minutes
- 4. A) jogging
 - C) cycling
- 5. A) She enjoyed the party very much.
 - C) She thought the party was too formal.
- 6. A) She wants to be an accountant of the firm.
 - C) She wants to get herself trained in the firm.
- 7. A) It is an urgent job to improve the traffic.
 - C) It is a good idea to come to work earlier.
- 8. A) He believes John was the wrong person.
 - C) He finds the decision unbelievable.

- B) computer sales negotiation
- D) an internet seminar meeting
- B) turn down the volume to his stereo
- D) use headphones when listening to music
- B) 30 minutes
- D) 60 minutes
- B) tennis
- D) swimming
- B) She did not know the other guests.
- D) She was not familiar with the host.
- B) She plans to work on a farm near the firm.
- D) She plans to reject the offer made by the firm.
- B) It is best not to drive to work.
- D) It is so difficult to find a place to park his car.
- B) He wants to know who is telling the truth.
- D) He thought there wouldn't be any awards.

Test 2

- 1. A) Ben's girl didn't like it.
 - C) It was very expensive
- 2. A) She'll drop the man off on the way to work.
 - C) The man will have to leave earlier than usual.
- 3. A) Meet her in the auditorium.
 - C) Reserve a large room for the meeting.
- 4. A) He doubts the woman will like the novel.

- B) Ben lost it
- D) It was very small.
- B) The man can ride downtown with her.
- D) She can't give the man a ride.
- B) Schedule the meeting for a different time.
- D) Cancel the meeting,
- B) He hasn't started reading the novel yet.

- C) He enjoyed reading the novel.
- 5. A) She would like to see the film again.
 - C) She thinks the movie lasted a long time.
- 6. A) She disagrees with the man.
 - C) She hadn't known how long the speech would be.
 - D) She doesn't have a strong opinion about the speaker.
- 7. A) She'll speak to Larry about the problem.
 - B) Larry has apologized to his roommate.
 - C) Larry should find a new roommate.
 - D) Larry's roommate may be partly responsible for the problem.
- 8. A) He's angry with the woman.

- B) He feels sick.
- C) He doesn't get along well with some people.
- D) He prefers to stay alone all the time.



- 1. A) The girls got on well with each other.
 - C) She was angry with the other young stars.
- 2. A) The woman does her own housework.
 - C) The woman's house is in a mess.

B) It's understandable that girls don't get along.

D) He'll lend the woman the novel after reading it.

B) She has seen the movie more than once.

B) She doesn't enjoy long speeches.

D) She thinks the movie was a waste of time.

- D) The girls lacked the courage to fight.
- B) The woman needs a housekeeper.
- D) The woman works as a housekeeper.

- 3. A) The Edwards are quite well-off.
 - B) The Edwards should cut down on their living expenses.
 - C) It'll be unwise for the Edwards to buy another house.
 - D) It's too expensive for the Edwards to live in their present house.
- 4. A) The woman didn't expect it to be so warm at noon.
 - B) The woman is sensitive to weather changes.
 - C) The weather forecast was unreliable.
 - D) The weather turned cold all of a sudden.
- 5. A) At a clinic.

B) In a supermarket.

C) At a restaurant.

- D) In an ice cream shop.
- 6. A) The woman did not feel any danger growing up in the Bronx.
 - B) The man thinks it was quite safe living in the Bronx district.
 - C) The woman started working at an early age to support her family.
 - D) The man doesn't think it safe to send an 8-year-old to buy things.
- 7. A) The man has never seen the woman before.
 - C) The two speakers work on the same floor.
- 8. A) The woman can't tolerate any noise.
 - C) The man has missed his appointment.
- B) The two speakers work for the same company.
- D) The woman is interested in market research.
- B) The man is looking for an apartment.
- D) The woman is going to take a train trip.

- 1. A) She has finished only one step.
 - C) The redecorating is being done gradually.
- 2. A) Take the two courses advised by her tutor.
 - B) Take psychology or contemporary literature.
 - C) Take both psychology and contemporary literature.
 - D) Take neither psychology nor contemporary literature.
- 3. A) The subject deserves more discussion.
 - B) She'd like to end the meeting early.
 - C) The materials being discussed should be kept upstairs.
 - D) What they do at the end of the meeting doesn't matter.
- 4. A) He'll start working soon.
 - C) He's waiting for an interview.
- 5. A) In the street.
 - C) In a hotel.

- B) He has not found a job yet.
- D) He does not like the job offered.

B) It's time for the work to be finished.

D) She doesn't have any more time for decorating.

- B) In a taxi.
- D) At a party.
- 6. A) Her teaching assistant would grade the exam papers.
 - B) She would collect the exam papers.
 - C) She would mark the exam papers.
 - D) She would not give her students an exam.
- 7. A) Customer and salesman.
 - C) Employee and boss.
- 8. A) Go across the bridge.
 - C) Come to the bridge game.

- B) Colleagues.
- D) Classmates.
- B) Repeat the experiment.
- D) Wait and see what happens.

Test 5

- 1. A) It would be best to hire someone to do the work.
 - C) They should put it off till tomorrow.
- 2. A) He will go home immediately.
 - C) He will lock the door.
- 3. A) She is well interested in the sound card.
 - C) She thinks the card sounds impressive.
- 4. A) She thanks the man for his kind words.
 - C) The man may try the cookies if he wants.
- 5. A) The man has missed his scheduled appointment.

- B) They should forget about the work.
- D) They should do the job together.
- B) He will drive the lady home soon.
- D) He will get the woman to lock the door.
- B) She has got the sound card already.
- D) She doesn't have much interest in the sound card.
- B) She wants the man to be reasonable.
- D) The man may get cookies delivered to his home.
- B) The man needs to see the doctor before he waits.
- C) The man needs to have made an appointment before hand.
- D) The man should sit down in the waiting room.
- 6. A) She wants to be back soon.

B) She doesn't want to be late for the train.

- C) She doesn't want to forget to bring her handbag.
- 7. A) To wait a while before the meeting starts.
 - C) To take a coffee break after the meeting starts.
- 8. A) At an airport.
 - C) At a travel agency.

- D) She wants to make an early call.
- B) To drink coffee before the meeting.
- D) To have coffee later.
- B) At a hotel.
- D) At a computer store.

- 1. A) bus
- B) train
- C) plane

- 2. A) ferries
- B) the subway
- C) buses
- 3. A) He has more than enough hands.
 - C) He will give more boxes to her.
- 4. A) He's been busy preparing for the English test.
 - C) He's been trying to be impressive.
- 5. A) He is a part-time worker.
 - C) He is out of work.
- 6. A) To pay his coffee.
 - C) To get a cup of coffee.
- 7. A) He's meeting a friend at the taxi stand.
 - C) He needs to go to the airport.
- 8. A) He's overweight.
 - C) He hurt his knee.

- D) ferry
- D) bikes
- B) He will help her with the boxes.
- D) He's too heavy for the boxes.
- B) He's been impressed.
- D) He's been well.
- B) He is a full-time worker.
- D) He is a college student.
- B) To get a cup of tea.
- D) To go to the business center.
- B) He cannot find a taxi.
- D) He left his suitcase around the corner.
- B) He's tired
- D) His ankle is broken.

- 1. A) the woman herself
 - C) a neighbor
- 2. A) decorating the dinning hall
 - C) going to an art exhibition
- 3. A) At 11:45
 - C) At 12:30
- 4. A) There's no ATM nearby.
- 5. A) The woman is just kidding the man.
- C) She doesn't know where it is.
- C) The man's just stared to learn photography.
- 6. A) The woman needs a new purse for the vacation.
 - B) The man suggests going somewhere special on the vacation.
 - C) The man doesn't think the woman should buy the purse.
 - D) They're on their vacation.

- B) a hair stylist
- D) her friend
- B) fixing the broken widow
- D) framing an art painting
- B) At 12:45
- D) At 12:15
- B) There's an ATM nearby.
- D) She doesn't understand the question.
- B) The man is a professional photographer.
- D) The man is learning from a professional.

- 7. A) They could get some take-out.
 - C) He doesn't know how to cook.
- 8. A) At a restaurant
 - C) At a phone booth

- B) He will make a pizza for supper.
- D) They should dine out instead.
- B) At an airport
- D) At a hotel

- 1. A) Out of town
 - C) At the home for the old
- 2. A) The man wondered if he had returned the notes.
 - C) The man forgot to return the notes.
- 3. A) Employee and employer
 - C) Student and her class teacher
- 4. A) He will go to the lecture on Friday.
 - C) Hemingway is his favorite writer.
- 5. A) Arguing with the woman
 - C) Reading newspapers.
- 6. A) The woman wants to rent a room.
 - C) The woman will move out at 2 P.M.
- 7. A) less than three hours.
 - C) Exactly two hours.
- 8. A) Try to walk further to avoid the bad smell.
 - C) To find a cheaper hotel.

- B) At home
- D) In his office
- B) The man couldn't find the notes.
- D) The man needs to keep the notes for longer.
- B) Manager and his staff member
- D) Student and office clerk
- B) He has to write his term paper.
- D) He likes the distinguished guest very much.
- B) Worrying about the school campus.
- D) Criticizing the society
- B) The man works with a newspaper agency.
- D) The man will go to see the woman at 2 P.M.
- B) No more than one and a half hours.
- D) Less than two hours.
- B) Try to find a cleaner place.
- D) To walk down the street for fresh air.



- 1. A) Policewoman and driver
 - C) Boss and clerk

- B) Teacher and student
- D) Passenger and driver
- 2. A) He didn't agree to what the woman had said about him.
 - B) He didn't like to go to the concert.
 - C) He loves the classical music the same as the woman.
 - D) He loves jazz more than the classical music.
- 3. A) 10:00
- B) 8:30 C) 8:50 D) 10:30
- 4. A) She visited her parents.
 - C) She planned to visit her parents.
- 5. A) Use the computer on the branch campus.
 - C) Stay at home to save time.

- B) She had a good relationship with her parents.
- D) She has frequent business trips to her hometown.
- B) Buy a computer himself.
- D) Complete his paper without a computer.
- 6. A) The woman should live in San Francisco longer.
 - B) San Francisco is a great place for travel but not for living.

- C) The woman made the conclusion too early.
- D) The woman knows San Francisco well.
- 7. A) He had been to his first interview.
 - C) He did the worst at the interview.
- D) He was too nervous in the interview.

B) He was too nervous to go to the interview.

- 8. A) They are going to immigrate into a foreign country. B) They are moving out to a new place.
 - C) They are going to a trip for two months.
- D) They are going to work abroad.

Test 10

- 1. A) The man and woman study the same course.
 - C) The man lives nearer to the university than Jim.
- 2. A) She already has it.
 - C) Today.
- 3. A) In a classroom.
 - C) On the street.
- 4. A) She often organizes the class reunions.
 - C) She is more intelligent than the man.
 - D) The man thinks the place is good for the class reunion.
- B) Because she likes the man. 5. A) Because she has nothing else to do that evening.
 - C) Because she has once read a book written by the man.
 - D) Because she is interested in the topic of the lecture.
- 6. A) The university will be better than the woman thinks.
 - B) The pictures in the prospectus show the university as it really is.
 - C) The speakers have decided where to study.
 - D) The pictures in the prospectus are very nice.
- 7. A) Planning their summer holiday.
 - C) Watching TV.
- 8. A) Visiting an exhibition about China.
 - C) Choosing a place to live.

- B) Jim lives nearer to the university than the man.
- D) The man and woman live together.
- B) In an hour.
- D) Never.
- B) In a cafe.
- D) In an office.
- B) She is better organized than the man.

- B) Reading magazines.
- D) Reading books.
- B) Walking in a garden.
- D) Looking at magazine advertising flats.



Test 11

1. A) They are good friends.

- B) They work together.
- C) The man is repairing the photocopier for the woman.
- D) They are meeting for the first time.
- 2. A) Use a computer program.
 - C) Install an electrical system.
- 3. A) The woman bought a cake.
 - C) The woman forgot about the cake.

- B) Watch TV.
- D) Use a car radio.
- B) The woman baked a cake.
- D) The woman will buy a cake.

- 4. A) She told some people about a wedding they were not invited to.
 - B) She told some people about a wedding before they were supposed to know.
 - C) She invited some people to the wedding, even though the man didn't want them to attend.
 - D) She told some people that she and the man were getting married.
- 5. A) Yes, she is.

B) No, she isn't.

C) She is, but she will quit soon.

- D) She isn't, but she soon will be.
- 6. A) They are planning to meet at Christmas.
- B) They are making financial arrangements.

C) They are saying good-bye.

- D) They are making friends.
- 7. A) The man and woman are talking about different concerts.
 - B) The man and woman have heard different things about the same concert.
 - C) The man and woman are going to a concert together.
 - D) The woman has heard that tonight's concert will be interesting.
- 8. A) The man's major is genetics.
 - B) The man and woman are studying together.
 - C) The man sometimes works on more than one project at a time.
 - D) The man has completed one project and started another.

Test 12

- 1. A) We don't know yet. The interview is late this morning.
 - B) The woman felt nervous during the interview.
 - C) The woman had to answer some tough questions.
 - D) The woman interviewed a confident applicant who asked some difficult questions.
- 2. A) The man and woman are students.
 - B) The man thought the speech was more interesting than the woman did.
 - C) The man and woman have been listening to a politician.
 - D) The woman slept during the speech.
- 3. A) At the airport. B) In an office. C) In a shop. D) In a car.
- 4. A) The man and woman spent more time than expected on certain points on the agenda.
 - B) The man and woman have a lot of other things to do.
 - C) The woman has many meeting today.
 - D) Nothing on the agenda was important.
- 5. A) Nothing.
 - B) It is more interested in experienced people than qualified people.
 - C) It is more interested in qualified people than experienced people.
 - D) It is equally interested in qualified people and experienced people.
- 6. A) He is definitely learning Chinese.
- B) He is definitely learning English.
- C) He is probably learning a foreign language.
- D) He is learning interpersonal skills.

7. A) It is going to rain.

B) The woman feels cold.

- C) There is a cold wind.
- 8. A) A teacher and student.
 - C) A grandparent and grandchild.
- D) They don't have umbrellas.
- B) An employer and employee.
- D) Two new friends.

- 1. A) He is a good friend with the speakers.
 - C) He is usually pessimistic.
- 2. A) The woman is sending money abroad.
- B) He doesn't support the same team as the speakers.
- D) He is usually optimistic.
- B) The woman has been sent money from abroad.
- C) There is more than one counter for international money transfers.
- D) The woman is at the wrong counter.
- 3. A) Applying for a job.

B) Learning a foreign language.

C) Taking a writing course.

- D) Joining a dating agency.
- 4. A) The woman wants to sell something.
 - B) The newspaper doesn't care what people want to advertise.
 - C) The ad will be published immediately.
 - D) The newspaper workers will not change the spelling of any words in the ad.
- 5. A) They both like curry (咖喱粉).
 - B) They like different foods, but at the same restaurants.
 - C) They think that Thai curries are better than Indian ones.
 - D) The woman is more willing to experiment than the man.
- 6. A) The flat in Baker Street has already been rented.
 - B) The flat is in a very good location.
 - C) The woman might not be able to rent the flat in Baker Street.
 - D) Finding a flat in Baker Street is very difficult.
- 7. A) She doesn't.
 - B) It offers the best combination of speed and low cost.
 - C) She believes that, in the modern world, it is essential.
 - D) She thinks that people who do not have email will lose touch with their old friends.
- 8. A) He is using his computer for work purposes. B) He often plays games on his computer.

 - C) His computer makes his life easier.
- D) His client cannot use a computer.

Test 14

- 1. A) A jigsaw.
 - C) Reading a newspaper or magazine.
- 2. A) In 30 minutes.
 - C) Long before midday.
- 3. A) Watching the Olympics.

- B) Writing a letter.
- D) Checking her email.
- B) Just before midday.
- D) In 30 minutes, if she runs.
- B) Watching a quiz show.

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