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前 言

本书为英语词汇与阅读理解基础教程。适用于准备参加“托福”或其他英语出国考试的考生,也可供同等水平的英语学员及旨在提高自己英语词汇与阅读理解能力的自学者使用。

本教程在剖析历届“托福”全真试题中的词汇与阅读理解部分,参考国内外有关书籍的基础上,针对中国学生的具体实际编写而成。本教程的特点简要介绍如下:

1、内容编排:既适合于课堂教学,也适合于成年自学者在没有教员指导的情况下,进行系统性的词汇与阅读理解技能训练。全书分为十五个教学单元,每单元的阅读和练习重点均为“托福”考试中频繁出现的内容。

2、词汇练习(Vocabulary):每单元的词汇练习分别为同义词选择题(Synonyms),上下文选择题(Context Clues),单数单元的词意选择题(Word Meanings)或双数单元的词干与词缀练习(Stems and Affixes)。

3、阅读理解(Reading Comprehension):每单元的阅读理解分文章(Passages)和练习(Exercises)两大类。文章部分包括两至三篇围绕“托福”阅读内容的短文及其选择题。短文后增添了词汇表,供学员参考。练习由浅入深,循序渐进,根据“托福”测试中所必需掌握的阅读技巧分为两个阶段(stage)各含四项练习,旨在帮助学员进行系统性强化训练,逐步提高在“托福”测试中的各项阅读技能,如:识别概括与细节;掌握英语连系词及其在句子中的作用,英

语单词的指代功能,英语句子的释义,识别英语同义词,词意练习,根据主旨句预知段落大意,推理理解练习等。

4. 附加阅读练习(Extra Reading)及其选择题:旨在帮助学员复习巩固已学到的阅读理解技能,进一步地了解有关背景知识。

5. 附录:包括“托福”阅读理解试卷上常见的提问句型,阅读文章中的常用词汇分类以及各单元中的选择题和练习参考答案。

总之,本教程并不局限于机械的词汇与阅读理解练习,而是有重点、有针对性地帮助考生提高词汇与阅读理解方面的各项语言技能,为获取“托福”等考试高分而打下扎实的基本功。

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