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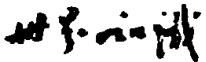
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随着考研竞争日趋激烈,英语考试日益成为考生关注的焦点,很多学生把英语考试想得高深莫测,遥不可及。然而只要掌握了捷径,英语学习就会突飞猛进。为了帮助广大考生顺利通过研究生入学考试中的英语关,我们根据最新的《全国硕士研究生入学考试英语考试大纲》所规定的题型和试卷结构编写了这套考研丛书。

此套丛书是对历年考研试题进行深入分析和研究的结果,更是对2004年考研试题预测研究的成果,共包括七个分册:词汇篇、听力篇、阅读篇、翻译篇、英语知识应用篇、写作篇及一本通等。各册书不仅涵盖历年真题,更结合大纲最新精神分析答题技巧,思路清晰,取材广泛、新颖,实用性强。丛书编者力图帮助广大考生深刻领会大纲的精神并进行循序渐进、卓有成效的复习。

参加本书编写的作者均具有丰富的英语教学和考研辅导经验。我们本着良好的愿望和认真求实的态度完成了本书的编写工作,力求使本书成为备考2004年研究生入学考试的最为理想的考试用书。

我们的目的是:改进你的学习方法,提高你的应试技巧,增强你的英语实力,希望你的英语学习达到驾轻就熟、游刃有余的完美境界。

由于时间紧迫,书中肯定会有不少缺点和错误,恳请专家、学者及使用本书的广大考生批评指正,以便再版时修订。

预祝您考研成功!

编 者

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理论技巧篇

第一篇



第一章 研究生英语写作概述

大纲要求

研究生考试短文写作部分的设计旨在测试学生用英语书面表达思想的一般能力。根据教育部最新考研大纲规定,考生的英语写作能力应该达到高等学校非英语专业优秀本科毕业生的及格要求。学生应能写一般描述性、论述性和说明或议论性的文章。短文写作时,考生应能:

- 1) 做到语法、拼写、标点正确,用词恰当;
- 2) 遵循文章的特定文体格式;
- 3) 合理组织文章结构,使内容统一、连贯;
- 4) 根据写作目的和特定读者,恰当选用语言。

研究生英语写作(新)要求

► 1. 写作要求

- 1) 时间为 40 分钟。
- 2) 文章长度为大约 200 词。
- 3) 题型:为 a. 命题作文 b. 情景作文 c. 看图作文 d. 给段首句作文 e. 给关键词作文。
- 4) 语言:文章通顺,语言流畅,句式变化多样;用词面较宽;虽有个别不妥之处,但基本功较好;表达能力强。
- 5) 内容:一般社会,文化或日常生活方面的常识和看法。

► 2. 评分

2.1 评分原则

- 1) 研究生英语入学考试的评价标准为高等学校非英语专业优秀本科毕业生能达到的及格或及格以上水平,对作文的评判应以此要求为准则。
- 2) 研究生英语写作部分采用总体评分方法。阅卷人员就总的印象给出奖励分而不按语言点的错误数目扣分。



- 3) 从内容和语言两个方面对作文进行综合评判。内容和语言是个统一体。作文应表达题目所规定的内容,而内容要通过语言来表达。要考虑作文是否切题,是否充分表达思想,还要考虑是否用英语清楚地表达思想,也就是要考虑语言上的错误是否造成理解上的障碍。
- 4) 避免趋中倾向。该给高分的给高分,该给低分的给低分,包括零分。一名阅卷人员在所评阅的全部试卷中不应只给中间的几种分数。

2.2 评分标准

本题满分为 20 分,阅卷标准共分五等:3 分,6 分,10 分,14 分及 18 分。阅卷人员根据阅卷标准,对照样卷评分,若认为与某一分数(14 分)相似,即定为该分数(14 分);若认为稍优或稍劣于该分数,则可以加一分或两分(即 15 分或 16 分)或减一分(即 13 分)。但不得加或减半分。具体标准如下:

20-17 分 内容切题,包括题中所列三方面的内容;清楚表达其内涵,文字连贯;句式有变化,句子结构和用词正确。文章长度符合要求。

16-13 分 内容切题,包括题中所列三方面的内容;比较清楚地表达其内涵,文字基本连贯;句式有一定变化,句子结构和用词无重大错误。文章长度符合要求。

12-9 分 内容切题,包括题中所列三方面的内容;比较清楚地表达其内涵;句子结构和用词有少量错误。文章长度符合要求。

8-5 分 内容基本切题,基本包含题中所列三方面的内容;语句可以理解,但有较多的句子结构和用词错误。文章长度基本符合要求。

4-1 分 基本按要求写作,但只有少数句子可理解。

注:白卷、作文与题目毫不相关,或只有几个孤立的词而无法表达思想,给 0 分;特别优秀的作文也可评 20 分。

作文字数不足应酌情扣分:

累计字数在 179-170 之间,扣 1 分;

累计字数在 169-160 之间,扣 2 分;

累计字数在 159-150 之间,扣 3 分;

累计字数在 149-140 之间,扣 4 分;

累计字数在 139-130 之间,扣 5 分。

(依次类推)

从以上评分标准来看,要在考研英语考试作文题中得高分,必须做到:内容切题,语言准确丰富,表达清楚,文字连贯,句法多变。

2.3 样卷判分实例(2001)

Part V Writing(20 points)

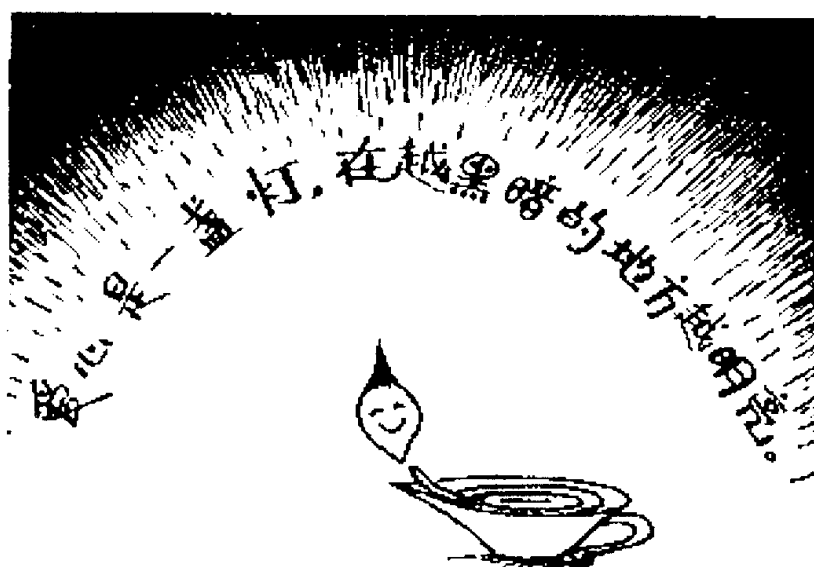
Directions:

Among all the worthy feelings of mankind, love is probably the noblest, but everyone has his/her own understanding of it.

There has been a discussion recently on the issue in a newspaper. Write an essay to the newspaper to

- 1) show your understanding of the symbolic meaning of the picture below,
- 2) give a specific example, and
- 3) give your suggestion as to the best way to show love.

You should write about 200 words on Answer Sheet 2.



Love

19 points

What a lively and accurate picture it is when describing the meaning of love in the dark. As is vividly portrayed in the picture, love is comparable to an oil lamp in that an oil lamp may seem rather insignificant in a magnificent estate while in the dark it turns out to be the focus of light. In other words, the darker the place is, the more valuable the light will be. As with an oil lamp, it is also true of love, which may amount to more significance to those in great difficulty or in urgent need of assistance.

To illustrate this point of view, I will take Tao Xingzhi, one of the greatest educators in China, for example. He was only too willing to impart love to whoever needed it most. In the past, an awful lot of students who were eager to go to school could not afford to do so. To reverse this situation, Mr. Tao committed himself to establishing a school for the poor. Although most of the students merely studied in his school for a short period, what they learned at school changed their life. Even after Mr. Tao's death, they still bore in mind his kindness, his generosity and above all, his unselfishness.

Mr. Tao set up an excellent example of showing our love to those who need help most, which, for my part, is supposed to be the best way to show love. Love is needed everywhere, some notable, others minor, which is the golden thread that ties the hearts all over the world. When you donate your old clothes to the victims in a disaster, that's called love; when you give anyone in trouble, that's called love; when you simply pass a glass of water to a thirsty person, that's also called love. As long as we keep room for love in our heart, love will be a source of treasure, and the world will become more beautiful. Let's do as a famous saying goes: Ask not what others can do for you; ask what you can do for others.



点评:这篇文章在第一段中清晰明白地写出了对画面的象征意义的准确理解,将爱比喻成一盏明灯,越在黑暗的地方越能发光;在第二段中,作者举例说明了我们z应该将爱心奉献给那些最需要的人;在结尾段中,作者继续就如何献爱心提出了自己的建议。文章总体思路清晰,内容详实。全文的句式富于变换,从句和非谓语动词的使用都很娴熟。全文结构严谨,词语的搭配也很成功,基本无语言错误,是一篇较成功的习作。

16 points

Love is considered to be affection of mankind, but what is true love? Different people have different opinions. Look at the picture above: there is an oil light giving off light all the time, with energy being used up little by little. Such is like love, a kind of lasting devotion in some way. The oil lamp would rather sacrifice itself to help others who are in real need.

I once came across an essay telling of a graduate devoted herself to the education cause. After graduating from university, she could have found a good job and got a handsome salary. Instead of doing so, she went back to her hometown in a mountainous area and became a teacher there. Without much money or comfortable living conditions, she, however, gained respect from society. She turned out quite a few excellent students; more important of all, she set a good example of how to become a useful person for her students.

As we all know, love is a kind of devotion and commitment. To show love involves sacrifice oneself to benefit others. The greater the needs are, the more worthwhile the love appears to be, just as the oil light in the picture. Try to help others generously and show your love, then the world will be full of love.

点评:本文内容切题,包括提纲中的各个要点,即:对画面的正确描述、举例说明画面的寓意以及自己的建议;对题意理解正确;文章表达清楚,语言简洁,基本准确到位,文字连贯,句式用词有变化,但一些地方有些语法错误,如 telling of a graduate devoted herself to the education cause 应改为: telling of a graduate who devoted herself to the education cause 或者 telling of a graduate devoting herself to the education cause; To show love involves sacrifice herself to benefit others 应改为 To show love involves sacrificing herself to benefit others; 此外,有些词语用法错误,如:最好将 worthwhile 改为 meaningful 或者 significant。

12 points

My understanding of the symbolic meaning of the picture below (above) is that giving your help to those people who are in the biggest trouble is the most useful for them than anytime (any time). When people have some difficulty which they can't deal with, the thing they most want (what they want most) is your help and your love. your (Your) help can make them overcome anything (enable them to overcome anything) and your love can render them much encouragement. It is a lighting lamp in dark that the help and love you give them (?).

Several years ago, some areas suffer (suffered) disaster from typhoon. The PLA help (helped) them rebuild their families (homes). This year, Taiwan also suffers (suffered) disaster from the earthquake. Many people in our country do (did) their best to help them by donating money, clothes and food.

It is necessary to take some measures to spread love. For one thing, we should encourage



people who have love and are happy (willing) to help others. For another, we should enhance the awareness of people that love is benefit for (is essential to) society. What's more, I think that only in this way will we have a bright future.

点评:本文基本切题,包括所有的内容;表达基本清楚,但是存在较多语法错误,而且很多表达是按照中文的句式进行的(如文中的下划线部分为较典型的错误,已在文中的括号里做了更正),虽然基本能够读懂,但是很费力,而且很多论述并未展开。

8 points

In the darkness, there always a flame, even it is shining or waving in the wild wind, it gives of light which leads you to reaching the sunshine, and heat that warms your heart when you are going through most difficult moments in your life (there is always a flame, giving off light which leads you to be immersed in the sunshine and heat which warms your heart when you are going through most difficult moments in your life.) As me know, love is the most precious feeling.

Love has a magic strength. It conquer evils. Create splendid furture, and change the world. (It conquers evils, create a splendid future and change the world.) So we love, we need anyone contribute their loves (and anyone is expected to show their love). Because we need sunshine, and also want the whole world full of the love (because we need sunshine and we want the whole world full of love). And it is easy to show your love. Don't mind the kind things are too small to be worthy of doing (Don't think that what we have done is worth doing). Just take everything easy. Show your snile to guy (the guy) who just failed the exam, and you will be better the next time (next time); be quiet when your roommates are sleeping and you went back late (or when you return to your dormitory late). This is absolutely true, according to one of my friends: after recovering from a heavy ill (illness), he recalled later that he felt great comfort when many of his classmates come (came) to ask after him.

Love is in every day (?). If you are careful enough and thinking more about (care more about) others, you are showing your love. The help giving (given) to a friend in trouble is the best you can offer (what you need most). That's really precious and noble among others.

点评:文章基本尚能切题,但是有太多的语法错误,使得句子不通顺,读起来很费劲。且很多都是严重的语法错误,如:文中的划线部分均为较为典型的错误。对主题的阐述也不够深刻,全面。在连贯性方面,作者很多时候也未能有意识地加以处理。

4 points

Love is a lamp. The darker it is, moer shine the ligh is. The saying is great. In mordern society, love plays an more and more important role. In special countries, love work in a special way.

In our country, food used to play an essential role in our lives. With the development of economic, the time passed. We don't think about our hunger. Some one gives you something to eat. Sometimes, you will think that the food is so bad. The love is so cheap. However, a little food becomes so precious in other poor country. The people have to look for food everywhere for his/ her next dinner. There. The food supplied freely becomes so important that may be in will bring some up.



However, what is the way to show our love? I think when we show our love we must be humanity. We should give love to person who need most. Then ove becomes precious.

点评:文章条理不清,思路紊乱,全文几乎没有一句话符合语言习惯,句子支离破碎,而且还有严重的语法错误。

写作命题剖析

► 一、命题范围——题材现实性

透过对近十年级研究生入学考试作文命题题材的分析,归类研究,我们可以得出一个明确的结论:写作的题材具有显著的现实性。它们基本贴近考生的学习、工作及课余生活,或涉及当前社会的变化、发展及进步,从电视广告到希望工程,从父母与子女的关系到拥有健康的重要性,从环保到文化,从世界烟民现状到各行各业的“承诺”。总之,研究生入学考试写作的题材一般都不会出现偏题、怪题等现象,也不会让考生写一些他们不熟悉的社会现象或者于学生生活缺乏联系的科技题材。另外,值得考生注意的是,自从2002年以来,研究生英语考试作文项的分值提高到了20分,作文字数要求也增加到200词左右。

► 二、命题思路

只要稍加留意就不难看出,1991年到2002年之间,写作命题的模式从1997年起,发生了很大的变化。1991到1996的六年间,写作出题比较单一:几乎全都是命题作文,并且给出篇首句,并且都是围绕着考生熟悉的社会上的热点问题命题的,比如城乡对比、代沟问题、电视广告、友谊、希望工程以及如何保持身体健康等,而且考生文章的结构也较为单调,都是根据所给的篇首句展开思路,一总述,二列举要点,三小结。

但是这种模式在1997年被打破了。1997年,命题改为一组图画和相关的数字,要求考生仔细分析图表中所给信息,并对烟草消费的趋势进行预测,并指出原因。另外对文章篇幅的要求也从120~150字增加为150字以上。很多考生在毫无防备的情况下,作文没有取得好成绩。这是因为他们对这种图画类的题型不适应,事先准备好的“三段论”没有了用武之地,加上基本功不扎实,只好胡乱应付一篇,草草收场。1997年国家教委提供的数字表明,1997年考生短文写作一项平均分为6.28分,多数学生的成绩集中在5~9分,也就是说,没有达到9分的及格线。在1800多份考卷的抽样中,有8人写作得了零分,占抽样试卷总数的4.3%。而参加写作部分阅卷的老师普遍反映:考生基本功不够扎实,往往显示出对最基本的知识把握不够。比如句子开头大写,单词的拼写,时态,第三人称单数,不规则动词的变化,名词的单复数;在句子结构方面,多见连排句,不完整句,最普遍的问题是中文式的英文。

1998年的写作题目是一幅漫画(如此承诺),用一只母鸡生蛋的漫画和一首打油诗组成,来讽刺当今社会上一味承诺,而承诺的不过是自己分内的事情这样一种不正常的风气。1999年的写作题目是人口增长给生态系统带来的灾难,特别是灭绝的野生动物种类逐年递增这一令人忧虑的现象。和1997年相比,1998年、1999年的作文题难度又加大了。1998年的漫画题要求考生就这幅漫画展开联想,批判社会上的不正之风,1999年作文要求考生分析所给两幅图表之间的因果关系。这对很多考生的数字表达、语言的表达、文章的组织能力、创新能力和



逻辑思维都提出了一个更高的要求。

2000 年的考题要求考生仔细阅读和分析所给的两幅漫画,实际上要找出两幅漫画的内在联系,题目还明确要求在作文中推断作者的意图,并且给出相应的措施。2001 年的考题为图画加提纲式作文,要求考生结合图画和所给提纲以“爱心是一盏灯,在越黑暗的地方越明亮”为主题写出自己对所给图画的理解并举特例说明献爱心的最佳途径以及建议。

2002 年的作文题无疑又是一个突破,它采用了报纸上的图片作为题目,要求考生结合图片和所给提纲以“文化——民族的与国际的”为题阐述自己对图片——一个身穿中国传统服装的美国少女的理解,并就此现象发表评论。

最新出版发行的全国硕士研究生入学考试英语考试大纲(非英语专业)对写作部分的要求是这样的:考研考生应根据提示信息写出一篇约为 200 词的短文;提示信息的形式主要有主题句、写作提纲、规定情景、图、表等。在语言技能上,要求考生既能写不同类型的应用文,包括私人和公务信函、备忘录、摘要、报告等,又能写一般描述性、叙述性和说明或议论性的文章。到目前为止,研究生入学考试写作部分体裁比较单一,只出现过段首句作文、提纲式作文和图表图画作文;而且,即使是图表或图画作文,也属于论说文体裁,要求考生分析图表或图画作文,提出自己的建议、看法或解决问题的途径。论说文的作用是陈述各种理由,发表作者自己的看法观点,作者依靠推理和论证来阐述自己的观点,力图说服读者,使人相信某种假设或道理。议论文具有论战思辩的特点,所以往往措辞较强烈,语气倾向性明显,观点个性鲜明。但是,值得考生注意的是,这并不意味着考生不必费心思去准备应用文的写作,因为考试大纲明确规定考生应掌握这一体裁的写作,所以也有这类体裁出现的可能。

► 三、作文类型——模式化

分析归纳研究生入学考试写作部分,不难发现,作文类型趋于模式化,大致可分为四大类型。

1. 观点论证型

目前,这类作文均先要求考生解图,然后提出自己的观点。这类作文是研究生考试写作中最常见的作文形式。如:

【案例一】

2001 年研究生英语入学考试作文

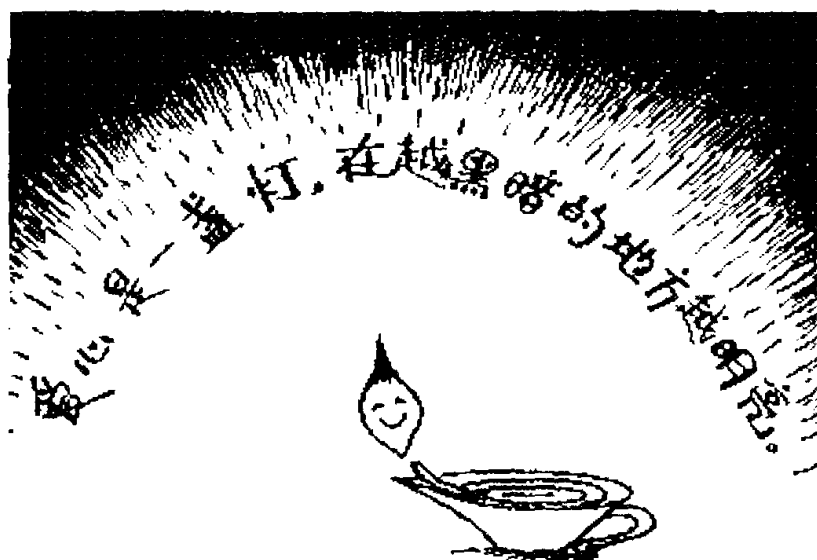
Directions:

Among all the worthy feelings of mankind, love is probably the noblest, but everyone has his/her own understanding of it.

There has been a discussion recently on the issue in a newspaper. Write an essay to the newspaper to

- 1) show your understanding of the symbolic meaning of the picture below,
- 2) give a specific example, and
- 3) give your suggestion as to the best way to show love.

You should write about 200 words on ANSWER SHEET 2. (20 points)



【案例二】

1998 年研究生英语入学考试作文

Directions:

- A. Study the following cartoon carefully and write an essay in no less than 150 words.
- B. Your essay must be written clearly on the ANSWER SHEET II.
- C. Your essay should meet the requirements below:
 1. Write out the messages conveyed by the cartoon.
 2. Give your comments.



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如此承诺

各行各业兴承诺
欢迎监督不推托
原本皆为分内事
何须高唱“文明歌”



【案例三】

1994 年研究生英语入学考试作文

Directions:

- A. Title: ON MAKING FRIENDS
- B. Time limit: 40 minutes
- C. Word limit: 120 – 150 words (not including the given opening sentence)
- D. Your composition should be based on the OUTLINE below and should start with the given opening sentence: "As a human being, one can hardly do without a friend."
- E. Your composition must be written clearly on the ANSWER SHEET.

OUTLINE:

- 1. The need for friends
- 2. True friendship
- 3. My principle in making friends

2. 问题解决型

这类作文要求考生就所给出的信息描述情形,分析原因,然后提出自己的看法、对策或结论。

【案例一】

2000 年研究生英语入学考试作文

Directions:

- A. Study the following two pictures carefully and write an essay of at least 150 words.
- B. Your essay must be written neatly on ANSWER SHEET 2.
- C. Your essay should meet the requirements below:
 - 1. Describe the pictures.
 - 2. Deduce the purpose of the drawer of the pictures.
 - 3. Suggest counter-measures.

