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推荐序

今年在我和刘薇关于在线教育、关于出国留学的访谈中，我问过她为什么给自己创立的教育公司叫“土豆”时，她说：

互联网教育本身应该让大家容易去记住，容易去传播，容易去接受。土豆是世界上第三大粮食作物，它实际上供给了世界上几十亿人口，我们在国内吃土豆，我们到国外吃 chips，在墨西哥吃，到俄罗斯也吃，我相信全世界人民都在吃土豆。所以“土豆”代表容易获得 easy to achieve，然后同时又非常地 affordable，非常地便宜。人精神上的粮食和教育也类似，我们的教育给的是精神上的粮食，这两个有相通性，所以我们叫“土豆教育”。

……

其实可以看出她对自己所创立的教育品牌的期望：可以解决大部分出国考试准考生提分的刚性需求——解决“温饱”，还可以让这些考生轻而易举获得这些粮食。

而这些粮食其实就是产品——课程产品、图书产品、APP 产品……各种不同形态的产品。

作为优秀创业者的典范，刘薇在土豆教育创立之初，就低调投入到产品研发中，不断打磨，升级迭代。在土豆教育创立了近一年期间，我们看得土豆课程体系的三次大升级、土豆雅思 APP 的第二版本发布、土豆图书从雅思到大众类别的拓展，甚至开设了喜马拉雅词汇课程……从各个领域和形态上将优质产品送给考生、英语学习者。

《雅思口语全薇机经精编》就是土豆教育、刘薇老师做产品精细化的一个体现，从 2017 年 3 月的《雅思口语全薇机经》，到新增题型后的《雅思口语全薇机经 PLUS 版》，再到如今出版的精编版本——一切为了考生方便，一切为了读者易得。

我坚信，在刘薇的带领下，土豆产品会成为所有雅思考生、英语学习者的“主食”，土豆教育也定能成为雅思领域、英语学习领域第一品牌！

徐小平

2019 年 2 月

前言

距离《雅思口语全薇机经》面世已有近两年的时间，很幸运的是，这本涵盖 253 个主题、944 个题目和高分答案的口语题库宝典书帮助逾十万考生通过雅思考试，获取满意的成绩。

然而，这两年我也会经常收到我的学生、读者发来类似的求救信号：Vicky，我就剩不到一个月的时间就要考试了，书看完是不太可能了，能帮我画画重点吗？有时我会按照当时的考试趋势给画一下重点。但是，求救信号在不断增多，一是无法做到每个人都给一对一的回复，二是这也从侧面反映出短期备考的学生也不是少数。所以我觉得有必要出一个精编版本，给大家画画重点，将题库话题和题目缩小到最小范围，让短期备考的考生看这些话题和题目就够了。于是有了今天大家看到的这个精编版本。

这本精编版本，相较于之前的版本，话题和题目数量上有以下变化：

| 项目 | Part 1 话题数 / 题目数 | Part 2 话题数 / 题目数 | Part 3 话题数 / 题目数 |
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| PLUS 版 | 110 / 453 | 106 / 106 | 37 / 385 |
| 精编版 | 60 / 240 | 80 / 80 | 35 / 184 |

在特点上和内容的编排与设置上保持原来版本的科学、高质的安排。

在特点上，这是一本：

☑ **真题还原书**。机经是考生对考试题目的回忆，即真题。雅思考试不像国内四六级一样可以让学生很容易拿到真题。除了每年剑桥出的“剑桥真题”系列之外，雅思真题没有其他来源。由此，机经对备考的重要性可想而知。所以，大家也可以把这本书理解为一本真题集，也就是一本真题还原书。

☑ **权威答题库**。本书所有题目和答案都经过多位考官审读，确保词汇和句子地道、权威。同时，我们也充分考虑到答案内容的普适性，使之符合大部分读者的情况，尽可能免去大家大量更改信息的困扰，帮助大家解决不知道怎么说的问题。

☑ **不断更新**的备考书。“全薇机经”以机经为切入点，包含“剑 13”及 2018 年重点口语题目。同时，不断更新最新机经。考生可以从封底二维码中进入，获得 2019 年 1 月新题和答案。同时，此后每年变题季（1 月、5 月、9 月）的新题目及“剑桥雅思真题”系列中的新题目都会在此更新。

☑ **有思路、有态度**的书。Part 1 和 Part 2 的“薇说”部分是详细的考题思路指导，大家可以在逐题准备前了解答题思路，解决不知道说什么的问题。

☑ **高颜值**的书。这次我们选择了近 300 幅高清图，全彩印刷，版式不拘一格，在增强大家阅读感的同时增加“悦”读感。

☑ **前 BBC 主播为你朗读**的书。这次我们特邀前 BBC 和 CRI 主播 Bob Jones 献声，标准英音朗读高分答案，大家可以扫描每个标题后方的二维码在线进行跟读和模仿，帮助解决发音问题。也可以下载“土豆雅思”APP，在里面找到本书的对应音频。

在结构上，这本书分为：

☑ **Part 1** 收入 60 个高频话题，每个话题下都附有思路指导的“薇说”部分、高分答案以及高分表达。建议大家在看答案前先试着自行回答，如果不是很顺利，可以看 Vicky 的答案部分进行学习、练习。

☑ **Part 2** Part 2 收录 80 个经典题目，覆盖人物与动物类、物品类、事件与经历类、地点与建筑类和媒体类话题。每个题目卡都有思路指导的“薇说”部分和把这道题目的答案串联在其他题目中的“薇链”部分。在 Part 2 中，我们不仅高亮出重点词汇和短语，还画出高分句型，供大家模仿学习，Part 2 的学习方式与 Part 1 类似，但是可以通过“薇链”部分的题目，反复读高分答案，做到把答案核心铭记于心。

☑ **Part 3** Part 3 按照 Part 2 涉及的题目归纳出 35 个主题，每个主题下收录若干个高频问题，并给出答案。在这部分的“薇链”中大家可以看到这些 Part 3 问题可以和哪些 Part 2 问题搭配使用。

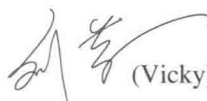
读完这本书后，可以达到的效果是：

☑ **对考生而言**：非常熟悉雅思题口语官方出题套路和高分答案思路，可以在多个话题间自如切换，说出自己的答案。

☑ **对雅思、英语口语老师而言**：多了一项备课内容和答案的优质素材，减少备课时间，提升备课效率。

☑ **对想要提高日常口语的非考生而言**：能够接触并且对生活中常见的爱好、休闲活动、运动等话题进行简单描述，也能详细描述自己的家人、喜欢的建筑、自己喜欢的电影等生活中常会谈论的话题。

就是这样一本书，2018 年底 2019 年初，Vicky 带着满满诚意献给大家，谢谢！

 (Vicky)

2018 年 12 月 24 日

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Part 1

话题库

TOPIC 1



Advertisement



“微”说：

考生可用 ads/adverts/commercials/promotion/publicity 等相关词语替换 advertisements，以便让自己的表达更为丰富。当今社会，广告繁多，信息轰炸式的广告容易使人们厌烦，但是广告可以给人们提供很多商品信息，让人们拥有更多选择。此外，还有很多公益广告是对社会文明发展有益的。创新产业也带动了广告业的发展，越来越多的新兴广告抓住了人们的眼球，考生遇到此类问题时就可以就某个印象深刻的广告展开来谈。

How do you feel about ads?

In my view, some ads can be annoying while others are humorous and **amusing**. On the one hand, during a TV show or movie, ads can be really **bothersome** and **disruptive**. However, they could **light up** my mood if they are delightful and funny.

amusing [ə'mju:zɪŋ] *adj.* 搞笑的 = funny

bothersome ['bɒðəsəm] *adj.* 令人讨厌的 = troublesome

disruptive [dis'rʌptɪv] *adj.* 妨碍的，扰乱的

light up 点亮

Do you like advertisements on TV or in magazines?

I don't often read magazines and most of the ads that I see are on TV. I feel that TV ads are becoming more and more **innovative** and creative and I sincerely hope to see more fascinating ones in the future.

innovative [ɪ'nəveɪtɪv] *adj.* 创新的

Which kind of advertisements is the most popular one in your country?

Based on my experience, ads for cars are the most popular one in my country. Whenever I watch TV



or read a magazine, it is common to see ads for **vehicles**. They usually show the features of the cars and try to **persuade** consumers to purchase their cars. For instance, an ad for a car designed by Honda is frequently seen on the screen now.

vehicle ['vi:əkl] *n.* 车辆

persuade [pə'sweɪd] *vt.* 劝说

Do you think advertising plays an important role in today's society? [Why/Why not?]

Certainly, **advertising** plays an essential role in society because it is everywhere. Wherever we look, be it newspapers, magazines, television, the Internet or even public transportation, advertisements are there. **Additionally**, we live in a **consumer-based** society and people need to purchase goods to keep the economy growing. Therefore, advertising is a way to promote economic development and ensure that there is appropriate competition between firms.

advertising ['ædvətaɪzɪŋ] *n.* 广告业

additionally [ə'dɪʃənəli] *adv.* 此外

consumer-based *adj.* 消费者主导的

Will advertisements trigger shopping desires?

Well, it depends on whether the advertisement is successful or not. I mean successful and creative ads would absolutely attract the customers and viewers to buy their products, thus **trigger** shopping desires, while **mundane** ones will do nothing but to **distract** customers and fail to stimulate desires.

trigger ['trɪɡə(r)] *vt.* 引发，触发

mundane [mʌn'deɪn] *adj.* 平凡的 = ordinary

distract [dɪ'strækt] *vt.* 分散（注意力）



Age

“薇”说：

这部分一般考查对吸烟、喝酒等的法定年龄限制，考生如果对这些限制不熟悉，可以回答：“Actually I don't know the exact age restrictions, but what I do know is the legal age of getting married: man is no younger than 22 while woman is 20.”

When do people usually learn to drive in your country?

People usually learn to drive when they are 18 years old in my nation, which is the earliest age to become a driver. This age is suitable because teenagers have a **sense of responsibility and accountability** by this time. It is quite a complicated process to obtain a driver's licence, consisting of two written and two road tests respectively.

sense of responsibility and accountability

[ə,kauntə'biləti] 责任感

At what age do people usually retire from work?

China has just changed its **retirement** age, and there is no fixed retirement age in China. It depends on when you are born and which gender you are. Actually China is one of the few countries in the world to have separate retirement ages based on gender. On the world stage, these retirement ages are fairly lower compared to other nations, most likely due to the large population and the government needs to provide more work opportunities to younger generations.

retirement [rɪ'taɪəmənt] *n.* 退休



At what ages can people legally smoke, buy alcohol, and get married?

To be honest, there is no official drinking age but the smoking age is 18 in China and it is **not a rare sight** to see middle and high school students smoking and drinking. The legal **enforcement** towards young people smoking and drinking is fairly **lenient**. As for marriage, women need to be 20 years old and men are required to be 22 years old in order to **tie the knot**.

not a rare sight 常见的

enforcement [ɪn'fɔ:smənt] *n.* 强制执行，强制要求

lenient ['li:niənt] *adj.* (惩罚或执法时) 宽容的

tie the knot 结婚 ⇌ get married

How do you think your life will be different when you are retired?

When I am retired, I will have more freedom to pursue my hobbies and interests. In addition, the **abundance** of free time will **permit** more occasions to travel with my family members and friends. Overall, my life will change in a positive way because I will be able to focus on improving and spending time with my beloved ones.

abundance [ə'bandəns] *n.* 充裕，大量

permit [pə'mɪt] *vt.* 允许

TOPIC 3



Animals

“薇”说：

谈及动物，我们一般会想到猫、狗、金鱼等常见的宠物。除了常见的宠物，我们还可以创新地说一些另类宠物，比如蜥蜴 (lizard) 和蜘蛛 (spider)，还可以说一些非宠物的动物，比如熊猫、大象和丹顶鹤 (red crowned crane) 等。

What's your favourite animal?

My favourite animal is dog because most of them are very friendly and loyal. Dogs are people's best friends since they take care of their owners and are quite fun to have around. They are also **adorable** and can allow people to **perk up** when playing with them.

adorable [ə'dɔːrəbl] *adj.* 可爱的 ⇌ cute

perk up (使) 活跃，振作精神

Why do you like this animal?

I am attracted to having a dog as a pet because whenever I come home, my dog is very excited to see and play with me. They are faithful animals and will help their owners if necessary, no matter what situation it is. Most importantly, dogs can

bring joyfulness into the lives of their masters.

Do you like keeping a pet? [Why/Why not?]

I have kept a few pets in the past and it is an enjoyable experience because they are like members of the family. For instance, I kept goldfish, dogs, turtles and **hamsters**, which all provided wonderful feelings and memories. Taking care of a pet is like having a baby, who needs love and encouragement to grow.

hamster ['hæmstə(r)] *n.* 仓鼠

Do people in your country like to keep pets? What kind of pets they keep?

Of course, people in my country love to keep pets because they are excellent **companions**. In particular, elderly people enjoy keeping pets since they can take care of them and treat them as their children, especially after their kids have left home. Dogs and cats are the most common pets as they are fun and enjoyable to play with.

companion [kəm'pæniən] *n.* 玩伴



TOPIC 4



Being busy

“薇”说：

考生在回答这个问题时，可以说自己忙于学业，也可以说说自己在学习之外做的事情，比如忙于学车、参加派对、健身 (work out in gym) 等。

Have you been very busy recently? What are you busy for?

I have **genuinely been occupied with** my study recently, especially because I have been preparing for exams at school. I also have some school assignments that will require me to do research and pay my full attention to. **On top of** going to classes, tests and projects **take up** a large amount of my time.

genuinely ['dʒenjuɪnli] *adv.* 真诚地，诚实地 ⇨ sincerely

be occupied with 忙于……

on top of 另外，紧接着

take up 占用 (时间)

Do you like having a busy life? [Why/Why not?]

I prefer to be busy since I am young and have enough time to engage in numerous activities. It's more effective to do something useful rather than staying at home and **lazing around**. If I spend too

much time at home or **neglect** my responsibilities, it is easy for life to become monotonous and uninteresting.

lazy around 偷懒，偷闲

neglect [nɪ'glekt] *vt.* 忽略 ⇨ ignore

When was the last time you were busy?

The last time I was busy was when I was preparing for my final exams at school. I had to **review** all materials of numerous courses for the entire semester and it was difficult for me to recollect such a large amount of information. I used all of my spare time, even during meals, to get prepared for the **impending** tests.

review [rɪ'vju:] *vt.* 复习

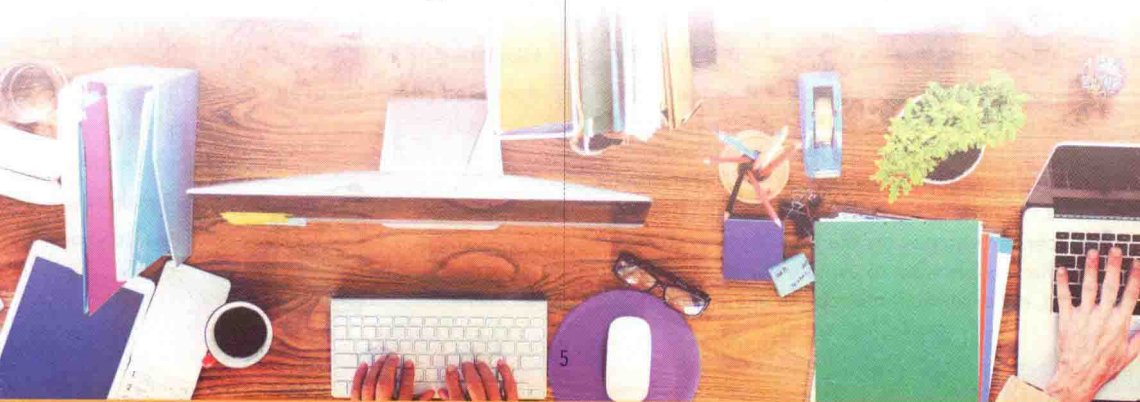
impending [ɪm'pendɪŋ] *adj.* 即将发生的

Have you experienced stress at work? How do you handle it?

Definitely, I have experienced stress at work in a few situations. For instance, if my boss asks me to complete a difficult task, it will add pressure to my life. In order to handle the situation, I make a **feasible** plan for completing the task and try to do a little bit every day to make the overall **workload** feel smaller.

feasible ['fi:zəbl] *adj.* 可行的

workload ['wɜ:kləʊd] *n.* 工作量



TOPIC 5



Bicycles/Cycling



“薇”说：

骑自行车有以下几方面好处：方便 (convenient)、节省时间 (time-saving)、不破坏生态环境 (eco-friendly)、费用低 (cheap)，而且是一种低碳生活方式 (low-carbon living style)。

Do you like cycling? [Why/Why not?]

Definitely, I am a huge fan of cycling because it is a great way to keep fit and healthy. When I ride my bike, it enables me to exercise every part of my body, especially my legs and **abdominal muscles**. Moreover, cycling can take me to places very quickly and I am able to enjoy the beautiful landscapes.

abdominal [æb'dɒmɪnəl] **muscle** 腹部肌肉

What do you use a bicycle for?

In my life, I use a bicycle for a variety of things. First of all, it is my main method of transportation because the streets in Beijing are very **congested**, especially during rush hours. Secondly, it is a wonderful way to keep fit because when I am riding, my body can get exercise. Finally, it is useful for transporting goods, specifically when I go to the supermarket and need to buy food and daily necessities.

congested [kən'dʒestɪd] *adj.* 堵塞的

What are the reasons why people ride bicycles?

People ride bicycles because they feel it is an efficient and cheaper form of transportation. The only cost of riding a bike is purchasing the bicycle and there are few additional costs. Therefore, it is inexpensive to ride a bike since the rider is the person who powers the bike. Another reason is that people want to avoid traffic jams and keep fit, especially in a **metropolis** where driving cars

or waiting for public transportation is very **time-consuming**.

metropolis [mə'trɒpəlɪs] *n.* 大都市

time-consuming *adj.* 耗时间的

What do you think are the advantages and disadvantages of bicycles compared with cars?

Bicycles have various advantages compared with cars. On the one hand, they are much cheaper and more efficient in crowded places since they **are not susceptible to** heavy traffic, **let alone** they don't pollute the air as many vehicles do. On the other hand, there are a few **drawbacks** including the limited speed of bicycles as well as the amount of energy it needs to be driven farther.

be susceptible [sə'septəbl] *to* 易受影响的

let alone 更不必说

drawback ['drɔ:bæk] *n.* 缺点

Will cycling become more popular in the future, or less popular? [Why?]

Yes, cycling will become increasingly popular in the future because it is an eco-friendly form of transportation. People are also becoming health conscious and they want to find activities which help them to keep fit and healthy. Cycling is also relatively inexpensive, not to mention, in China, there are numerous **bike lanes** all over the country **dedicated** to cyclists and there is a lot of space for them to ride.

bike lane 自行车道

dedicated ['dedɪkeɪtɪd] *adj.* 专用的

