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# 内容提要

本套丛书按照上海市高考听力的标准形式,将 90 套听力材料按难易分别编入高一至高三 3 册。所选材料全部来自上海市历年高考真题及最近 4 年各区一模、二模试题,是上海地区高中学 生提高英语应试能力的首选读物,也可用于辅助教师教学。

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# 前言

上海市高考英语的听力部分连续多年题型保持不变,采用的考查方式依次为:短对话(多项选择)、短文(多项选择)和长对话(填空)。本套丛书即根据这一命题形式编写而成,其主要特点体现在以下两个方面。

- (一) 题型、题量、文章体裁及难度完全依照上海市高考要求编写。目前上海市场上销售的听力图书大多兼顾全国市场,因此不适合上海地区学生使用。如外地卷听力的多项选择为三选一,而上海卷为四选一;外地卷的问题在试卷上,而上海卷的问题在听力材料中;外地卷短文的难度相当于阅读的初二或初三,而上海卷短文的难度相当于高一或高二。可以说,听力是上海卷和外地卷难度相差最大的题型之一(另一种是完形填空)。造成的结果就是:如果选用图书不当,听力效果无疑会大打折扣,而本套丛书则彻底解决了这些问题。
- (二)材料来源针对性强。本书内容全部选自上海市历年高考真题及最近 4 年各区一模、二模试题。我们剔除了其中重复和雷同的部分,并尽量选用在阅读中没有出现过的短文,以避免出现降低训练效果的情况。由于高考真题的权威性毋庸置疑,一模、二模为各区统考,严格按照上海市考纲拟题,历来为教师、学生及家长所重视,因而演练这些试题无疑具有更好的效果(需要说明的是,各区一模、二模的听力试题 60%是大学四级真题的下放)。我们采用难度分阶的形式,将所有文章由浅入深分别编入高一年级至高三年级 3 册,学生只需循序渐进,高考时自可得心应手。

由于时间仓促,错谬之处敬请广大读者不吝赐教。

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### Section A

**Directions:** In Section A, you will hear ten short conversations between two speakers. At the end of each conversation, a question will be asked about what was said. The conversations and the questions will be spoken only once. After you hear a conversation and the question about it, read the four possible answers on your paper, and decide which one is the best answer to the questions you have heard.

- 1. A. Pick somebody up at the airport.
  - C. Manage the operation of the hall.
- 2. A. He can handle his work with ease.
  - C. He is fully engaged in his work.
- 3. A. To choose a proper color.
  - C. To reconsider the style.
- 4. A. The man is forgetful.
  - B. She wants to buy this washing-machine.
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- 5. A. Husband and wife.
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- 6. A. In a computer shop.
  - C. In a housing agency.

B. Attend a conference.

D. Watch a film together.

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B. To dress professionally.

D. To start a new career.

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  - B. He doesn't like talking about television programs.
  - C. He doesn't think the television program was funny.
  - D. He's angry because he failed to get into his building.
- 8. A. She is a middle school student.
  - C. She is in charge of the school.
- 9. A. He behaved bravely in a fire.
- C. He ran the fastest in a race.
- 10. A. Enjoying the scenery.
  - C. Watching a movie.

- B. She works in a food processing company.
- D. She is a CEO of the Airline.
- B. He rescued a baby from a fire.
- D. He jumped from a burning carriage.
- B. Commenting on a novel.
- D. Grading a student's maths assignment.

# Section B

**Directions**: In Section B, you will hear two short passages, and you will be asked three questions on each of the passages. The passages will be read twice, but the questions will be spoken only once. When you hear a question, read the four possible answers on your paper and decide which one would be the best answer to the question you have heard.

# Questions 11 through 13 are based on the following passage.

- 11. A. The decoration.
- B. The location.
- C. The competition.
- D. The menu.



- 12. A. They were organic.B. They were rare.C. They were nutritious.D. They were juicy.
- 13. A. Confused. B. Amazed. C. Anxious. D. Regretful.

# Questions 14 through 16 are based on the following passage.

14. A. How to handle spiders.

B. Spiders in the United States.

C. People's fear of spiders.

- D. A special kind of spider.
- 15. A. Most spiders will not bite even when handled.
  - B. Most spiders are poisonous and dangerous.
  - C. Most spiders are likely to attack people.
  - D. Most spiders have sharp eyes.
- 16. A. Because she cannot find a husband for herself.
  - B. Because the female spider is larger than the male one.
  - C. Because the female spider often eats her husband.
  - D. Because she is a black female spider.

### Section C

**Directions:** In Section C, you will hear two longer conversations. The conversations will be read twice. After you hear each conversation, you are required to fill in the numbered blanks with the information you have heard. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

# Blanks 17 through 20 are based on the following conversation.

# Complete the form.Write ONE WORD for each answer.

Why does the woman want to have some sports?	She wants to be <u>17</u> .
How will the woman learn yoga?	From the man's <u>18</u> .
What kind of sports does the man often play?	Basketball and19
How many times does the man play sports every week?	20times.

# Blanks 21 through 24 are based on the following conversation.

When did the man see the woman standing in a line at registration?	
What did the woman sign up for?	course.
How long does the woman take the televised lessons?	She should take 23 series of televised lessons.
What is the major advantage of this course, according to the man?	It allows more24 in students' schedule.

# Section A

Directions: In Section A, you will hear ten short conversations between two speakers. At the end of each conversation, a question will be asked about what was said. The conversations and the questions will be spoken only once. After you hear a conversation and the question about it, read the four possible answers on your paper, and decide which one is the best answer to the questions you have heard.

- 1. A. 12.
- B. 24.

C. 36.

D. 48.

B. She may be late for the football game.

D. She is currently caught in a traffic jam.

D. Inquire when the test scores are released.

B. Call to check his scores.

- 2. A. She wants to take the most direct way.
  - C. She is worried about missing her flight.
- 3. A. Take the test again in 8 weeks.
  - C. Be patient and wait.
- 4. A. She can't finish her assignment, either.
  - B. She can't afford a computer right now.
  - C. The man can use her computer.
  - D. The man should buy a computer right away.
- 5. A. The famous professor has given several lectures.
  - B. The guest lecturer's opinion is different from Dr. Johnson's.
  - C. Dr. Johnson and the guest speaker were schoolmates.
  - D. Dr. Johnson invited the economist to visit their college.
- 6. A. \$160.
- B. \$150.
- C. \$ 120.
- D. \$50.

- 7. A. A movie.
- B. A lecture.
- C. A play.
- D. A speech.

- 8. A. The man should not dream of being a superstar.
  - B. The man didn't practice hard enough.
  - C. The man should find a new partner.
  - D. The man should not give up.
- 9. A. His injury kept him at home.
- B. He didn't consider it necessary.
- C. He was too weak to see the doctor.
- D. He failed to make an appointment.
- 10. A. He wants to get a new position.
- B. He is asking the woman for help.
- C. He has left the woman a good application. D. He enjoys letter writing.

# Section B

**Directions**: In Section B, you will hear two short passages, and you will be asked three questions on each of the passages. The passages will be read twice, but the questions will be spoken only once. When you hear a question, read the four possible answers on your paper and decide which one would be the best answer to the question you have heard.

# Ouestions 11 through 13 are based on the following passage.

- 11. A. Monitor students' sleep patterns.
- B. Help students concentrate in class.
- C. Record students' weekly performance.
- D. Ask students to complete a sleep report.



12. A. Declining health.

B. Lack of attention.

C. Loss of motivation.

- D. Improper behavior.
- 13. A. They should make sure their children go to school regularly.
  - B. They should ensure their children grow up in a healthy environment.
  - C. They should help their children accomplish high-quality work.
  - D. They should see to it that their children have adequate sleep.

# Questions 14 through 16 are based on the following passage.

14. A. Sell your old things.

- B. Do some shopping online.
- C. Create your own announcement board.
- D. Get useful information about 450 cities.
- 15. A. Companies often put job information in local shops.
  - B. The Internet is the most popular tool for job hunters in the USA.
  - C. Susan W. Miller's company is helping people choose careers.
  - D. California Career Services mainly serves university students.
- 16. A. Three.
- B. Four.
- C. Five.
- D. Six.

### Section C

**Directions:** In Section C, you will hear two longer conversations. The conversations will be read twice. After you hear each conversation, you are required to fill in the numbered blanks with the information you have heard. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

# Blanks 17 through 20 are based on the following conversation.

# Complete the form. Write ONE WORD for each answer.

The day of Susan's birthday party:	Last <u>17</u> .
The subject Jessica wants to study in college:	18
The reason why the woman wants to be a doctor:	She feels it a 19 to save patients.
The quality of being a good doctor:	Having good 20 and skills.

# Blanks 21 through 24 are based on the following conversation.

What's the man's impression of Mrs. Cooper's resume?	He thinks it is <u>21</u> .
Why does Mrs. Cooper apply to the company?	Because she thinks the company enjoys in the field.
What is Mrs. Cooper's current job?	23
What kind of benefits package does the company offer to Mrs. Cooper?	Two weeks of <u>24</u> in the first year employment, medical and dental insurance.

# Section A

**Directions:** In Section A, you will hear ten short conversations between two speakers. At the end of each conversation, a question will be asked about what was said. The conversations and the questions will be spoken only once. After you hear a conversation and the question about it, read the four possible answers on your paper, and decide which one is the best answer to the questions you have heard.

- 1. A. Get some small change.
  - C. Cash a check at a bank.
- 2. A. 8.
- B. 12.
- 3. A. A manager and a customer.
  - C. A professor and a student.
- 4. A. Tim's excellent performance.
  - C. Tim's graduation day.
- 5. A. On December 3rd.
  - C. On December 23rd.
- 6. A. An artist. B. A painter.
- 7. A. Install a computer program.
  - C. Put a computer together.
- 8. A. She will meet the man halfway.
  - C. She is sorry the man will not come.
- 9. A. They are looking for an apartment.
  - C. The woman enjoys shopping for clothes.
- 10. A. Tidy up the place carefully.
  - C. Get more food and drinks.

- B. Find a shopping center.
- D. Find a parking meter.
- C. 20.
- D. 32.
- B. An employer and an employee.
- D. An examiner and an examinee.
- B. Tim's assignment.
- D. Tim's study habits.
- B. On December 13th.
- D. On December 30th.
- C. A journalist.
- D. An architect.
- B. Check their computer files.
- D. Repair their computer.
- B. She will ask David to talk less.
- D. She has to invite David to the party.
- B. The man does not like his bedroom.
- D. They have just moved into an apartment.
- B. Hold another party later.
- D. Ask her friends to come over.

# Section B

**Directions:** In Section B, you will hear two short passages, and you will be asked three questions on each of the passages. The passages will be read twice, but the questions will be spoken only once. When you hear a question, read the four possible answers on your paper and decide which one would be the best answer to the question you have heard.

# Questions 11 through 13 are based on the following passage.

- 11. A. She explained the functions of the BCD International.
  - B. She described some popular singers.
  - C. She introduced the radio program to listeners.
  - D. She played a new record.
- 12. A. About the Big Hits.

B. The History of Pop.

C. The Road to Music.

- D. Pop Words.
- 13. A. To introduce new singers and songwriters.



- B. To provide the background with music.
- C. To help to understand the words to the big music hits.
- D. To hear from listeners' opinions on music.

# Questions 14 through 16 are based on the following passage.

- 14. A. They mistake fire fighters for monsters.
  - B. They do not realize they're in danger.
  - C. They are frightened by smoke and noise.
  - D. They cannot hear the fire fighters.
- 15. A. He travels all over America to help put out fires.
  - B. He often teaches children what to do during a fire.
  - C. He teaches Spanish in a San Francisco community.
  - D. He provides oxygen masks to children free of charge.
- 16. A. Fire fighters play an important role in America.
  - B. Kids should learn not to be afraid of monsters.
  - C. Carelessness can always result in tragedies.
  - D. Information speeches can save lives.

# Section C

**Directions:** In Section C, you will hear two longer conversations. The conversations will be read twice. After you hear each conversation, you are required to fill in the numbered blanks with the information you have heard. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

# Blanks 17 through 20 are based on the following conversation.

# Complete the form. Write ONE WORD for each answer.

How long have the Kramers been on vacation?	For a <u>17</u> .
Who did David invite for the dinner?	Some of the Kramers' friends and <u>18</u> .
Why does David want to have the dinner party?	To thank the Kramers for their19
What does Nancy think of David?	He is <u>20</u> .

# Blanks 21 through 24 are based on the following conversation.

What is the survey mainly about?	It's on <u>21</u> .
Which two sports are most favoured?	
What does the woman decide to do?	To expand their line of athletic shoes and come up with a more $\underline{23}$ .
What does the result say about older customers?	They are more 24 about staying fit.

# Section A

**Directions:** In Section A, you will hear ten short conversations between two speakers. At the end of each conversation, a question will be asked about what was said. The conversations and the questions will be spoken only once. After you hear a conversation and the question about it, read the four possible answers on your paper, and decide which one is the best answer to the questions you have heard.

- 1. A. Classmates.
  - C. Colleagues.
- 2. A. At a grocery store.
  - C. At a bank counter.
- 3. A. Painting a picture.
  - C. Designing a studio.
- 4. A. What her new responsibility is.
  - C. The feedbacks from customers.
- 5. A. She must have paid a lot for the gym.
  - C. Her gym exercise has had good results.
- 6. A. The man should visit the museums.
  - C. The beach resort is a good choice.
- 7. A. Combine her training with dieting.
  - C. Avoid too much physical training.
- 8. A. Whether she can travel by air.
  - C. When she will return home.
- 9. A. Switch off the fridge for a while.
  - C. Ask the man to fix the fridge.
- 10. A. She is black and blue all over.
  - C. She was away from work for some days.

- B. Husband and wife.
- D. Manager and assistant.
- B. At a florist's stand.
- D. At an electronic shop.
- B. Hosting a program.
- D. Taking a photo.
- B. The prospects of her job.
- D. What the director thinks of her job.
- B. She is known for having a terrific figure.
- D. Her effort to keep fit is worth praising.
- B. The hot weather is hard to stand.
- D. She enjoys staying in Chongqing.
- B. Repeat the training day by day.
- D. Include weightlifting in the program.
- B. If she has any heart problem.
- D. How she will completely recover.
- B. Have someone repair the fridge.
- D. Buy a fridge of better quality.
- B. She has to go to see a doctor.
- D. She got hurt in an accident.

# Section B

**Directions:** In Section B, you will hear two short passages, and you will be asked three questions on each of the passages. The passages will be read twice, but the questions will be spoken only once. When you hear a question, read the four possible answers on your paper and decide which one would be the best answer to the question you have heard.

# Questions 11 through 13 are based on the following passage.

- 11. A. They want children to keep them company.
  - B. They want to enrich their life experience.
  - C. They need looking after in their old age.
  - D. They care a lot about children.
- 12. A. They do not want to hurt the feelings or their adoptive parents.



- B. They have mixed feelings about finding their natural parents.
- C. They generally hold bad feelings towards their birth parents.
- D. They are fully aware of the expenses in the search.
- 13. A. Adoption has much to do with love.
  - B. Understanding is the key to successful adoption.
  - C. Most people prefer to adopt children from overseas.
  - D. Early adoption makes for closer parent-child relationship.

# Questions 14 through 16 are based on the following passage.

- 14. A. They want to learn the basics of English.
  - B. They benefit from learning general English skills.
  - C. They want to have an up-to-date knowledge of English.
  - D. They know clearly what they want to learn.
- 15. A. Doctors. B. Businessmen.
- C. Reporters.
- D. Lawyers.

16. A. Three groups of learners.

- B. The importance of business English.
- C. English for Specific Purposes.
- D. Features of English for different purposes.

# Section C

**Directions:** In Section C, you will hear two longer conversations. The conversations will be read twice. After you hear each conversation, you are required to fill in the numbered blanks with the information you have heard. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

# Blanks 17 through 20 are based on the following conversation.

# Complete the form.Write ONE WORD for each answer.

Information about Applying for a Driving Licence		
The man's nationality:	Not a 17 , but a Chinese.	
The man's identity:	A visiting <u>18</u> .	
The subject the man is teaching:	<u>19</u> .	
The cost of an official translation:	20 dollars.	

# Blanks 21 through 24 are based on the following conversation.

What job does the woman suggest to the man?	21
What did Boris do for Mr. Alexander?	
Where can the man ask for help according to the woman?	The23
What else does the applicant have to do besides filling out an application form?	24 and provide three references.

# Section A

**Directions:** In Section A, you will hear ten short conversations between two speakers. At the end of each conversation, a question will be asked about what was said. The conversations and the questions will be spoken only once. After you hear a conversation and the question about it, read the four possible answers on your paper, and decide which one is the best answer to the questions you have heard.

1. A. In a phone shop.

C. On a plane.

2. A. Lost her time.

C. Worked an extra shift.

3. A. Having a holiday.

C. Reading a newspaper.

B. In a power station.

D. In the classroom.

B. Made up a story about time.

D. Changed her working conditions.

B. Watching TV.

D. Doing sports activity.

4. A. The show was recommended by the press.

B. The show was not as good as was introduced.

C. The show was worth watching.

D. The show made a good impression on the man.

5. A. He will lend the notes to the woman.

B. He will make a copy for the woman.

C. He will ask permission from Peter.

D. He will share the notes with the woman.

D. Uninterested.

C. He will ask permission from Feter.

B. Enthusiastic.

B. Online shop manager.

6. A. Curious.7. A. Salesman.

C. Bank clerk.

D. Delivery man.

C. Fascinated.

8. A. He hates leaving home early every morning.

B. He enjoys walking to the office as an exercise.

C. He invites the woman to follow his suits.

D. He isn't keen on exercises.

9. A. He has already seen the exhibit.

B. He already knew the exhibit was closed.

C. He is pleased the exhibit is closed.

D. He is disappointed the exhibit is closed.

10. A. He doesn't agree with the woman.

B. Our children will leave us sooner or later.

C. We should not waste natural resources for the benefit of our children.

D. Too much waste water will make the earth polluted.

# Section B

**Directions:** In Section B, you will hear two short passages, and you will be asked three questions on each of the passages. The passages will be read twice, but the questions will be spoken only once. When you hear a question, read the four possible answers on your paper and decide which one would be the best answer to the question you have heard.

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# Questions 11 through 13 are based on the following passage.

- 11. A. Smoking.
- B. Use of alcohol.
- C. General health.
- D. Job position.
- 12. A. Because overtime workers usually have high pressure.
  - B. Because the intensity of work makes people depressed.
  - C. Because overtime workers have to miss out something important in life.
  - D. Because overtime workers have high dangers of having heart disease.
- 13. A. The research on the welfare of overtime workers.
  - B. The link between overtime work and depression state.
  - C. The ideal state of a normal office worker.
  - D. The factors that cause depression.

# Questions 14 through 16 are based on the following passage.

- 14. A. Africa.
- B. Asia.
- C. Europe.
- D. South America.

- 15. A. It's a trade that is driven by customer appetites.
  - B. The latest trick seems to be boosting business.
  - C. You can hardly resist the temptation when seeing the pictures of food.
  - D. With the new technology, sales on the table have risen by about 11%.
- 16. A. Young people.
- B. Foreigners.
- C. Local people.
- D. Old people.

# Section C

**Directions:** In Section C, you will hear two longer conversations. The conversations will be read twice. After you hear each conversation, you are required to fill in the numbered blanks with the information you have heard. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

# Blanks 17 through 20 are based on the following conversation.

# Complete the form. Write ONE WORD for each answer.

Patient Record Card		
Name: Nationality:	Ron Houston  17	Occupation: 18 Phone number: 19
Request for doctor: Specialize in 20 diseases		

# Blanks 21 through 24 are based on the following conversation.

What overtook the Empire State Building to be the tallest building in the world in 1972?	
What kind of building did the recent reconstruction try to change the Empire State Building into?	
What is the reason for its lack of renters at beginning?	23
What fact brought bad fame to the building?	24

# Section A

**Directions:** In Section A, you will hear ten short conversations between two speakers. At the end of each conversation, a question will be asked about what was said. The conversations and the questions will be spoken only once. After you hear a conversation and the question about it, read the four possible answers on your paper, and decide which one is the best answer to the questions you have heard.

1. A. At the airport. B. In a theatre.

C. In a ticket office. D. At a hotel.

2. A. 20:25. B. 22:25.

C. He's a salesman. D. He's an engineer.

D. 18:25.

3. A. He's a mechanic. B. He's a taxi driver.

B. Stand beside the woman.

C. 19.25.

C. Stand at the end of the queue.

D. Stand in front of the woman.

5. A. He enjoyed reading the novel.

4. A. Stand where he was.

B. He hasn't started reading the novel yet.

C. He doubts the woman will like the novel.

D. He'll lend the woman the novel after he has read it.

6. A. He should draft an outline.

B. He should think about his ideas more.

C. He should read the essay out.

D. He should immediately write the essay.

7. A. The match hasn't started yet.

B. The match is delayed.

C. The match has come to the end.

D. One of the player missed the match.

8. A. The woman should have attended class on Monday.

B. The woman could turn to the history teacher for help.

C. The man would tell her the assignment on Monday.

D. The man didn't know the history assignment, either.

9. A. He is not used to the diet of the city.

B. The hot weather doesn't suit him.

C. He disagrees with the woman's remarks.

D. He doesn't think highly of the local people.

10. A. He just changed his job and doesn't have much to say.

B. He does fishing for the job.

C. The new job doesn't suit him.

D. He always thinks of the bad experiences in his last job.

# Section B

**Directions:** In Section B, you will hear two short passages, and you will be asked three questions on each of the passages. The passages will be read twice, but the questions will be spoken only once. When you hear a question, read the four possible answers on your paper and decide which one would be the best answer to the question you have heard.

# Questions 11 through 13 are based on the following passage.

- 11. A. By begging in the street every day.
  - B. By bringing food from Wan Chenchen's school.
  - C. By selling paper boards and used plastic bottles.
  - D. By relying on the money Wan Chenchen's parents left.
- 12. A. He is afraid of the surgery.
  - B. He doesn't want to be looked down upon.
  - C. He has six fingers on his right hand.
  - D. The government has given him much money.
- 13. A. Independent.
- B. Intelligent.
- C. Naughty.
- D. Timid.

# Questions 14 through 16 are based on the following passage.

- 14. A. They can make new friends.
- B. They can learn more about the world.
- C. They can know themselves better.
- D. They can make their own schedules.

15. A. They become scientists.

B. They cook for their new friends.

- C. They learn to ride a horse.
- D. They do a lot of shopping.
- 16. A. Travelling alone is romantic.
  - B. Travelling alone is a good way of travel.
  - C. Travelling alone provides a good way to study.
  - D. Travelling alone is scary and boring for some people.

# Section C

**Directions:** In Section C, you will hear two longer conversations. The conversations will be read twice. After you hear each conversation, you are required to fill in the numbered blanks with the information you have heard. Write your answers on your answer sheet.

# Blanks 17 through 20 are based on the following conversation.

# Complete the form. Write ONE WORD for each answer.

Ticket Booking Form		
Name:	Henry17	Unit price of the ticket: 19 pounds
Performance:	Mamma Mia	Number of the tickets: 2
Time of the performance:	18 p.m. on	Time to collect: Before 4:30 p.m. on
	Saturday	20

# Blanks 21 through 24 are based on the following conversation.

What does the man want to do?	He wants to 21.
What location does the man want?	Near the university or at least on <u>22</u> .
When will the man move in?	On the first day of <u>23</u> .
What are the man's special requirements?	Access to the Internet, 24 and two bathrooms.