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《〈大学英语〉教材学习指导——精读同步辅导与强化训练》丛书是按照 1998 年新的《大学英语教学大纲》和《大学英语四六级考试大纲》的要求,为配合《大学英语》精读教材(修订本)教学与测试而编写的。

为帮助学生掌握良好的语言学习方法,打下扎实的语言基础, 我们把《大学英语》精读教材(1~6)中每一课的重点难点词汇、短 语和语法结构筛选出来,按照英语语言学习的重点难点语言点进 行注释与解析,同时为了使学生尽早地熟悉大学英语四六级考试 的要求,我们把这些词汇、短语、重点语法结构及语言地道、结构严 谨的句子,按照四六级统考以来所采用的各种题型编写成针对性 极强的同步模拟强化训练题。

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- (3)使用这套丛书,学生可以进行课前预习,课内更主动地配合教师参与语言运用能力的操练,巩固复习本课学习内容,并且检查自己的学习效果。另外,由于丛书六册囊括了大学英语四六级考

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(4)本丛书"四六级考试题型模拟训练与详解"所有各项练习 均有答案和详细讲解。所设的单项作文,选题广泛,题材多样,体裁 新颖,并附有范文,便于学生模仿、借鉴。

本丛书适用于所有大学生。使用"大学英语"精读教材的学生可以藉此做课前预习和课后复习;使用其他教材的学生可以藉此做四六级考试前备考强化训练。

本丛书也适用于准备参加国家各类英语过级、晋级提职考试和研究生入学考试的考生;对于大学本科或专科成人教育自考的学生来说,这也是一套难易程度适中的自学或复习参考书。对于没有使用大学英语"泛读"和"语法练习"教材的学生,认真学习本套丛书也可达到"大纲"所规定的教学要求。

本丛书自出版以来受到广大师生的欢迎。现根据读者的要求和建议,我们对本丛书内容进行了认真的修订。增加了课后练习参考答案以及课文和阅读材料参考译文。

我们真诚希望广大学生和教师在使用本丛书过程中提出宝贵意见和建议。

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Unit One

Research Reports for Business and Technical Writing

重点难点语言点

【单词】

encounter vt. & n. 邂逅(某人),遇到、面临不愉快的事物;突然(尤指不愉快的)相遇

underlie v. 位于······之下;构成·····的基础,作·····的说明或解释

relevance n. 联系,有关

assessment n. 评定,评价

enhance vt. 增强,提高,美化

overall a. (作定语)全部的,总计的;总的 ad. 总共;大致上,大体上n. 长罩衣,工装裤

duplicate a. 完全一样的,完全相同的 n. 相似物,复制品 v. 复制,重复 suppress vt. (武力)制止,镇压;禁止(被听到或看到),查禁;抑制,压抑 undertake v. 承担,负责;同意,许诺

validity n. (法律上)有效,合法(性),合逻辑

highlight n. 最精彩部分,高潮 vt. 给予特别注意,强调 pretentious a. 自负的,自命不凡的

【短语】

make demands on/of sb. 需要某人用高度技巧、很大力气等 regardless of 不管,不顾,不理会 in that 因为 take on 呈现 write up 详细写出

live with 接受或容忍

【重点词汇辨析与用法】

encounter vt. & n. 邂逅(某人),遇到、面临不愉快的事物;突然(尤指不愉快的)相遇

【同义 Imeet; unexpected meeting

- 一Two years after the First World War, Sam encountered Sally on the train to London, which made him overjoyed. 第一次世界大战结束两年后,萨姆在去伦敦的火车上偶然遇到了莎莉,这令他欣喜若狂。
- —If you carried out the project, you would encounter many difficulties. 如果你实施这项方案,会遇到很多困难。
- —The shop girl had a brief encounter with an angry client yesterday. 昨天这位售货员与一位怒气冲冲的顾客发生了短暂冲突。

underlie v. 位于······之下;构成·····的基础,作·····的说明或解释

【同义】lie beneath; form the basis of, account for

- -Do you know what underlies the rock? 你知道岩石下面是什么吗?
- —A deep faith in God underlay his work as a clergyman. 由于他非常信仰上帝,所以作了牧师。
- 一The underlying reason for her refusal of your invitation was that she didn't like you at all. 她拒绝你邀请的主要原因是她根本不喜欢你。

relevance n. 联系,有关

【同义】connection, significance, relationship

【反义】irrelevance

- 一Color, sex and age should not bear any relevance to whether one could be employed. 肤色、性别和年龄与能否找到工作不应有任何联系。
- —I think the very facts which have direct relevance to the case would be of vital importance. 我认为和此案直接有关的事实才是至关重要的。

【短语】have/bear relevance to sth. 与……有关

【派生】irrelevance n. 无关,没有联系

irrelevant a. 无关的,不切题的

relevant a. 有关的,切题的

assessment n. 评定,评价

【同义 Tevaluation, opinion

- 一What's your assessment of the current international situation? 你对当前的国际形势有何评价?
- —The assessment of the damage is \$1000. 估计损失了 1000 美元。
- —It's a teacher's duty to make a continuous assessment of the students' work. 对学生功课作出连贯性的评定是教师的责任。

【派生】assess v. 评定,评价,估计

assessor n. 评税员,估价员

enhance vt. 增强,提高,美化

【同义】heighten, improve, intensify, make better, strengthen

- 一China has enhanced its status in the world after implementing the reform and open policy. 中国实行改革开放政策,提高了本国的国际地位。
- 一Besides beautiful clothes, the turn of mind will enhance your appearance. 除了漂亮的衣服,好的性格也会使你显得更漂亮。
- 一What are you going to do to enhance your reputation? 你打算怎样提高自己的声望呢?
- —It is the fat that enhances the flavor of meat, which may be the reason why most of the people who love meat are less likely to lose weight. 正是脂肪使得肉味道更鲜美,这也许就是为什么大多数爱吃肉的人不太可能减肥的原因。

【派生】

enhancement n. 增强,提高,美化

overall

1. a. (作定语)全部的,总计的;总的

【同义 Including everything, total, whole; general

- 一The GNP itself is the most commonly used measure of the overall level of economic activity. 国民生产总值本身是衡量经济活动综合水平最常用的标准。
- —It's natural to regard industrialization as a force contributing to overall economic improvements. 把工业化看作是有助于全面改善经济的力量是很自然的。
- 2. ad. 总共;大致上,大体上

【同义】all together; on the whole, generally

- —How much will the interior decoration cost overall? 室内装修总共要花多少钱?
- -Overall I'm quite satisfied with the improvement you have made in your study. 总的来说,我对你在学业上的进步还是相当满意的。
- 3. n. 长罩衣,工装裤
- —When I was a little girl I dreamed of becoming a doctor in a white overall in the future, just like my mother. 还是个小女孩时,我梦想将来当医生,身着白大褂,就像妈妈那样。
- —I'd like to hire that guy who wears a pair of black overalls, for he seems to be efficient. 我想雇佣那个穿着黑色工装裤的小伙子,他看上去挺干练。

duplicate

1. a. 完全一样的,完全相同的

【同义】exactly like, identical, same, twin

- —You'd better get a duplicate set of keys for your house and put them in your mother's home lest you forget to bring them with you. 你最好再准备一套房门钥匙放在你母亲家,免得哪天忘了带。
- --You're to fill in the duplicate form before applying. 申请前请填写此双联表格。
- 2. n. 相似物,复制品

【同义】copy, reproduction

- 一Is the painting a duplicate or the original? 这幅画是复制品还是原作?
- 一The contract was prepared in duplicate. 合同一式两份。
- 3. v. 复制,重复

【同义】remake, repeat, reproduce

- -I'll make the test paper duplicated. 我去复印试卷。
- —It's no use duplicating the work already done. You should have some brand-new methods. 重复已做过的工作毫无意义,你得想出崭新方法。

【派生】duplication n. 复制,重复

duplicator n. 复印机

- suppress vt. (武力)制止,镇压;禁止(被听到或看到),查禁;抑制,压抑 【同义】crush, put down (especially by force); conceal, hide, keep secret; restrain
 - —Any trend toward modernism in the church was firmly suppressed by Pope Pius X in 1907. 天主教会中现代主义的任何倾向都在 1907 年遭到教皇派厄斯十世的坚决镇压。
 - 一Whatever happens, the government will not be suppressed. 不管发生什么事,政府都不会被颠覆。
 - 一Hemingway suppresses emotion, while Woolf engulfs the reader in feeling. 海明威压抑感情,而沃尔夫则把读者卷入情感的旋涡。
 - 【派生】suppressible a. 可制止的,可禁止的,可抑制住的 suppression n. 制止,镇压,查禁,抑制 suppressor n. 制止者,镇压者,查禁者,起抑制作用的事物

【辨析】press, depress, express, impress, oppress 和 suppress:

- 这是一组都有 press 的形似词。press 意为"挤,压,敦促"。depress 意为"使……沮丧,使……萧条"。express 意为"表达"。impress 意为"给予深刻印象,使……铭记"。oppress 意为"压迫(人),使……烦恼"。suppress 意为"制止,镇压,查禁,抑制";
- —He pressed a handkerchief to his nose so as not to be choked by the smoke. 他用手帕捂住鼻子以免烟呛。
- 一They are pressing us to make a quick decision and release the hostage. 他 们催促我们快作决定并释放人质。
- —It is said that black is a depressing color, especially for the sick. 据说黑色 是种令人沮丧的颜色,对病人尤其如此。

- .—A rise in oil prices is to depress the car market. 油价上涨会使汽车市场低迷。
 - —In modern society it is important and necessary for one to express oneself well. 在现代社会具有良好的表达能力既重要又必要。
- —His actions express his love more than any words could do. 他的行动比语言更能表达他的爱。
- 一The student impressed the personnel manager with his design. 这个学生的设计给人事部经理留下了深刻印象。
- 一My Chinese teacher's words impressed themselves on my memory. 我把 汉语老师的话铭记在心。
- 一The oppressed people finally stirred up and fought against the tyrant. 被 压迫人民最终奋起与暴君进行斗争。
- —The coldness oppressed him and made him ill. 他冻病了。
- —They suppressed a newspaper which had criticized them and suppressed news that not favorable to them. 他们查禁了批评他们的报纸,不利于他们的报道都不让发表。
- 一He could scarcely suppress his laughter though at a funeral. 尽管在参加葬礼,可他几乎忍不住要笑出声来。

undertake v. 承担,负责;同意,许诺

【同义】be responsible for, agree, promise

- —It was she, the youngest of the ten directors, who undertook the organization of the whole gala night. 就是她——千位导演中最年轻的——位——负责整台晚会的组织工作。
- —Every member of the club had undertaken to keep the secret and they did so. 俱乐部的所有成员都许诺要保密,他们履行了诺言。

【派生】undertaker n. 傧仪业人员

undertaking n. 任务,事业,企业;许诺,保证,担保

validity n. (法律上)有效,合法(性),合逻辑

【同义】legitimacy, soundness

- -The validity of the hypothesis can be tested. 这种假设的可靠性经得住考验。
- 一This knowledge of connections has a universal validity because of the uniformity of nature. 这种关于联系的认识是放之四海皆准的真理,因为自然界是统一的。

【派生】valid a. 有法律效力的,得到认可的,(论据、理由)符合逻辑的 validate v. 使……有法律效力,批准,认可,证实 validation n. 批准,生效

highl ight

1. n. 最精彩部分,髙潮

【同义】best part, importance, stress

- -Your visit to Broadway will certainly be the highlight of your program in the city. 参观百老汇无疑会是你在此城市访问日程上最精彩的节目。
- —The highlight of the former president's visit was the speech delivered in Beijing University. 这位前总统之行的高潮是在北大发表的演说。
- 2. vt. 给予特别注意,强调

【同义 Jemphasize, stress

- 一The report highlighted the insignificance of educational differences between blacks and whites, which raised many issues and started new controversies. 这份报告强调黑人和白人在教育上的差异是微不足道的,因而导致了很多问题并引起了新的争论。
- —Inflation and unemployment are the economic issues highlighted in recent years. 通货膨胀和失业问题是近年来倍受关注的经济问题。

pretentious a. 自负的,自命不凡的

【同义】conspicuous, inflated, pompous, showy

- --Readers may find his pretentious style rather irritating. 读者也许会觉得他狂妄自负的写作风格令人反感。
- 一No one has to muster up courage to enter a less pretentious antique shop. 对于那些稍稍平易近人的古玩店,大可不必鼓足勇气就能进去。

【派生】pretension n. 声称,要求;自负,炫耀

pretentiousness n. 自负,炫耀,自命不凡

【重点短语用法】

make demands on/of sb. 需要某人用高度技巧、很大力气等

- 一This new aircraft makes tremendous demands of the pilot. 这种新飞机需要飞行员有高超的驾驶技术。
- 一These courses make a great deal of demand on the new director. 这些课程对新来的主任要求非常高。

regardless of 不管,不顾,不理会

- 一He has booked the tickets to London regardless of my wishes. 他不考虑我的意愿就订了去伦敦的票。
- —Regardless of all the complaints, the shop owner went on selling the leather shoes of poor quality. 店主不顾大家的抱怨,还继续销售劣质皮鞋。

in that 因为

- --I prefer his plan to yours, in that I think it more practical. 我倾向他的计划而非你的,是因为依我看他的计划更实际一些。
- —People with high blood pressure can live long and active lives, in that these new treatments have been invented by him. 因为他发明了这些新的治疗方法,高血压患者能够长寿且过活跃的生活。

take on 呈现

- 一The lizard can take on the colors of its background so that its enemies can't find it. 蜥蜴可将身体颜色变得与周围环境相同,这样就能不被它的敌人发现。
- 一Her eyes took on a hurt expression when she realized that she didn't win the Oscar Award for the best supporting actress. 当她意识到自己没有获得奥斯卡最佳女配角奖时,眼里流露出委屈的神情。

write up 详细写出

- 一Will you please write up the minutes of yesterday's meeting for me? 请帮 我写出来昨天会议的详细记录好吗?
- 一His lectures of the tour were written up into a book, which is now the best seller. 他的巡回演讲被编纂成册,是现在最畅销的书。

live with 接受或容忍

- 一There are eight men living in the room, which you have to live with. 八个人住一个房间,你得容忍这种情况。
- —I'm afraid that he can't live with the fact that what she said was not true. 恐怕他接受不了她撒谎的事实。

同步强化训练

Part I Reading Comprehension

Directions: There are 4 reading passages in this part. Each passage is followed by some questions or unfinished statements. For each of them there are four choices marked A), B), C) and D). You should decide on the best choice and mark the corresponding letter on the Answer Sheet with a single line through the center.

Questions 1 to 5 are based on the following passage:

How do we get more young people to increase their consumption of iron-rich foods? Many nutritionists are advocating the fortification of a number of foods. This may help, but I contend that we should also intensify our efforts in nutrition education among our young people. I simply do not buy the argument that it is futile to try to change eating habit. Once an intelligent person—and this includes adolescents—understands the need for a healthy diet, I think he or she will act accordingly. As for specific actions, I suggest that blood hemoglobin should be checked as a routine part of a youngster's yearly physical examination. It should contain at least 11 grams per 100 milliliters of blood for a girl and at least 12 grams for a boy. If it is any lower, the physician probably