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# 内容提要

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本教材结合《大学英语课程基本要求》，针对大学英语四六级听力考试让学生进行课堂练习，加大了会话听力的题量和日常交际等方面的信息，信息量大，取材广泛，内容涉及生活、学习、科技、文化、历史、教育、经济、体育等各个领域，语言生动、易懂，具有较强的实用性和针对性，旨在提高学生的听力应试技能和听说能力。



# 前 言

“新视角大学英语系列教材”是根据国家《大学英语课程基本要求》编写的一套系列教材,共分为《新视角大学英语阅读教程》、《新视角大学英语听力教程》两种。

在英语学习中,听力居听、说、读、写4项基本技能之首,也是中国学生的一个难点。

突破这个难关不仅有助于其他单项技能的训练,同时也为培养学生的英语实际能力奠定一个良好的基础。国家教委最近颁布的《大学英语教学大纲》对大学生的听力方面应达到的标准做出了详细规定。本套听力教程就是按照这个大纲的要求,根据中国大学英语教学的特点编写的新型听力教材。

本教程信息量大,取材广泛,内容涉及生活、学习、科技、文化、历史、教育、经济、体育等各个领域,语言生动、易懂,具有较强的实用性和针对性。

本教程共4册,每学期1册,每册10个单元,每单元包括4个部分,之后又附有听力全真模拟题。

本教程结合《大学英语课程基本要求》,加大了会话听力的题量和日常交际等方面的信息,相信学生会受益匪浅。本教材单元练习及模拟题都配有录音光盘。录音材料由美籍专家朗读,语音纯正,声音清晰。

本套教材由东北师范大学刘永兵教授和吉林大学刘淑范教授担任总主审,东北师范大学高瑛教授和长春工程学院唐艳玲教授担任总主编。本书主编各负责编写5万字,副主编各负责编写2.65万字。

在此书编写过程中,我们参考了有关书籍,得到多方支持,在此一并表示感谢。由于时间有限,编写过程中难免有疏漏之处,请读者批评指教。

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# Unit 1

## Section A



**Directions:** This section is to test your ability to give proper answers to questions. There are 5 recorded questions in it. After each question, there is a pause. The questions will be spoken two times. When you hear a question, you should decide on the correct answer from the 4 choices marked A, B, C and D.

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|------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| ① A. Mary is using.<br>C. Mary isn't.          | B. Mary.<br>D. Mary has.                     |
| ② A. To Germany.<br>C. In Italy.               | B. To take some photographs.<br>D. Tomorrow. |
| ③ A. Doing housework.<br>C. I like her.        | B. Just fine.<br>D. Cooking.                 |
| ④ A. Glad to meet you.<br>C. Yes, I know.      | B. Have a good time.<br>D. Well, see you.    |
| ⑤ A. Don't mention it.<br>C. That's all right. | B. All right.<br>D. That's right.            |

## Section B



**Directions:** This section is to test your ability to understand short dialogues. There are 5 recorded dialogues in it. After each dialogue, there is a recorded question. The dialogue and the question will be spoken two times. When you hear a question, you should decide

on the correct answer from the 4 choices marked A, B, C and D.

- 6 A. The new apartment is close to the college.  
B. The present apartment is too expensive.  
C. He likes to listen to the radio.  
D. He needs a quieter place.
- 7 A. He studied very hard.  
B. He just passed the exam.  
C. He didn't pass the exam.  
D. He did well in the exam.
- 8 A. Tea is better than coffee.  
B. The man should drink tea.  
C. There are two reasons not to drink coffee.  
D. The man shouldn't drink tea either.
- 9 A. His advisor. B. His teacher.  
C. His partner. D. His boss.
- 10 A. At 4:30. B. At 5:30.  
C. At 5:00. D. At 4:00.

### Section C



**Directions:** In this section you will hear a short recorded passage. The passage is printed in the test paper, but with some words or phrases missing. The passage will be read three times. During the second reading, you are required to put the single words or phrases that you hear to fill in the numbered blanks. The third reading is for you to check your writing.

When I answered the telephone this morning, I knew right away the lady had the wrong number. But it took her a long time to (11) \_\_\_\_\_. She said her name was Mrs. Mills and asked if I was Dr. Cooper's (12) \_\_\_\_\_. I told her she had an incorrect number, but I don't think she listened to me. She told me she wanted to (13) \_\_\_\_\_ her two o'clock appointment because her (14) \_\_\_\_\_ was sick and she had to take care of him. I told her I was sorry to hear that, but she still had

the wrong number. Finally she heard what I said. She wanted to know why I didn't tell her right away that she had the wrong number. Before I could answer her, she (15)\_\_\_\_\_.

## Section D



**Directions:** *This section is to test your ability to comprehend short passages. You will hear a recorded passage. After that you will hear five questions. Both the passage and the questions will be read two times. When you hear a question, you should complete the answer to it with a word or a short phrase (in no more than 3 words). The incomplete answers are printed on your test paper.*

16 How long does Carol's vacation last every summer?

Every summer Carol's vacation lasts \_\_\_\_\_.

17 What places did she visit in those countries?

In those countries, she visited \_\_\_\_\_.

18 How did she feel after her vacation?

She felt \_\_\_\_\_.

19 How many cities is she going to visit this summer?

This summer she is going to visit \_\_\_\_\_.

20 How is she going to feel after her vacation this year?

She is going to feel \_\_\_\_\_.



## Unit 2

### Section A



**Directions:** This section is to test your ability to give proper answers to questions. There are 5 recorded questions in it. After each question, there is a pause. The questions will be spoken two times. When you hear a question, you should decide on the correct answer from the 4 choices marked A, B, C and D.

- |                             |                                   |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| ① A. No, I don't know.      | B. Don't mention it.              |
| C. Sure. What is it?        | D. That's it.                     |
| ② A. Surely not.            | B. I don't want to.               |
| C. Why not?                 | D. Yes, please.                   |
| ③ A. Very well, thank you.  | B. I bought this dress at a sale. |
| C. The price is reasonable. | D. It's my sister's.              |
| ④ A. For what, sir?         | B. For when, sir?                 |
| C. You are right.           | D. You may say so.                |
| ⑤ A. What do you want?      | B. How do you know?               |
| C. I have made up my mind.  | D. I have no idea.                |

### Section B



**Directions:** This section is to test your ability to understand short dialogues. There are 5 recorded dialogues in it. After each dialogue, there is a recorded question. The dialogue and the question will be spoken two times. When you hear a question, you should decide

on the correct answer from the 4 choices marked A, B, C and D.

- 6 A. At the book store. B. At the hospital.  
C. At the travel agency. D. In the library.
- 7 A. The woman went to the meeting, but the man did not.  
B. The man went to the meeting, but the woman did not.  
C. Neither of them went to the meeting.  
D. Both of them went to the meeting.
- 8 A. Because he can't speak fluent English.  
B. Because he is less superior in ability.  
C. Because he is very poor.  
D. Because he has no experience.
- 9 A. In November or December. B. In September or October.  
C. In September or November. D. In October or November.
- 10 A. The size of the room. B. Long working hours.  
C. The hot weather. D. The fan in the room.

### Section C



**Directions:** In this section you will hear a short recorded passage. The passage is printed in the test paper, but with some words or phrases missing. The passage will be read three times. During the second reading, you are required to put the single words or phrases that you hear to fill in the numbered blanks. The third reading is for you to check your writing.

One time I was sitting in a (11) \_\_\_\_\_. I watched two people come in and sit down at a table. They didn't quite know what to order and they couldn't speak the native language, but there were pictures in the (12) \_\_\_\_\_ and they thought, well, they could order by pointing to things so they pointed to something and the waiter seemed to think that was (13) \_\_\_\_\_. He brought the sauce for the meat first. The two people ate it. Then the waiter brought a (14) \_\_\_\_\_. The two people thought, "Well, this must be the soup." And they drank it. You can (15) \_\_\_\_\_ their surprise to find out that it was almost one hundred percent vinegar.



**Directions:** This section is to test your ability to comprehend short passages. You will hear a recorded passage. After that you will hear five questions. Both the passage and the questions will be read two times. When you hear a question, you should complete the answer to it with a word or a short phrase (in no more than 3 words).

16 When did people begin riding a new kind of bike?

\_\_\_\_\_.

17 Why was the bike unusual?

Because its wheels were of \_\_\_\_\_.

18 How high was its front wheel?

The front wheel was \_\_\_\_\_ feet high.

19 What's the advantage of the bike?

The new bike was \_\_\_\_\_.

20 What's the disadvantage of the bike?

It was difficult for people to get \_\_\_\_\_.



## Unit 3

### Section A



**Directions:** This section is to test your ability to give proper answers to questions. There are 5 recorded questions in it. After each question, there is a pause. The questions will be spoken two times. When you hear a question, you should decide on the correct answer from the 4 choices marked A, B, C and D.

- |                                   |                                  |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| ① A. I don't know.                | B. No. What has happened?        |
| C. He's a nice guy.               | D. He's from Canada.             |
| ② A. Yesterday.                   | B. Last week.                    |
| C. Not until next week.           | D. It's cool.                    |
| ③ A. He is not very tall.         | B. He is 18 years old.           |
| C. He is very nice.               | D. He is as tall as I am.        |
| ④ A. It's good.                   | B. Three weeks ago.              |
| C. Next week.                     | D. No. Only a couple of days.    |
| ⑤ A. I'm glad I was able to help. | B. We should help each other.    |
| C. You needn't thank me.          | D. I want to give you more help. |

### Section B



**Directions:** This section is to test your ability to understand short dialogues. There are 5 recorded dialogues in it. After each dialogue, there is a recorded question. The dialogue and the question will be spoken two times. When you hear a question, you should decide

on the correct answer from the 4 choices marked A, B, C and D.

- ⑥ A. The man has dialed a wrong number.  
B. Jason is out right now.  
C. Jason can't come to the phone right now.  
D. Jason doesn't want to speak to the man.
- ⑦ A. His task won't be finished very soon.  
B. His task has been finished.  
C. He was very tired.  
D. Both B and C.
- ⑧ A. In a hotel.  
C. In a store.  
B. In a restaurant.  
D. In an office.
- ⑨ A. Boss and secretary.  
C. Customer and waiter.  
B. Teacher and student.  
D. Husband and wife.
- ⑩ A. The but-stop in the Fifth Avenue.  
C. The Fifth Avenue Building.  
B. The park.  
D. The Empire State Building.

### Section C



**Directions:** In this section you will hear a short recorded passage. The passage is printed in the test paper, but with some words or phrases missing. The passage will be read three times. During the second reading, you are required to put the single words or phrases that you hear to fill in the numbered blanks. The third reading is for you to check your writing.

American boys and girls love to watch TV. Some children spend (11) \_\_\_\_\_ a day in school and four to six hours a day in front of the television set. Many (12) \_\_\_\_\_ are angry because their children watch TV all the time. Television shows are like books or films. They are good because children can learn (13) \_\_\_\_\_ from it. With a television a child does not have to go to the zoo to see animals or to the sea to see a ship. But watching TV is (14) \_\_\_\_\_ for children's eyes. Many children are (15) \_\_\_\_\_, not because they study hard, but because they watch too much TV.



**Directions:** *This section is to test your ability to comprehend short passages. You will hear a recorded passage. After that you will hear five questions. Both the passage and the questions will be read two times. When you hear a question, you should complete the answer to it with a word or a short phrase (in no more than 3 words).*

- 16 When did the school bus leave the school?

It left the school at \_\_\_\_\_.

- 17 How many students were injured in this traffic accident?

\_\_\_\_\_.

- 18 What was the reason of the accident?

The accident was caused because the truck driver \_\_\_\_\_.

- 19 How many accidents have there been this month?

\_\_\_\_\_.

- 20 What do the police tell drivers to do?

They tell drivers to \_\_\_\_\_.



## Unit 4

### Section A



**Directions:** This section is to test your ability to give proper answers to questions. There are 5 recorded questions in it. After each question, there is a pause. The questions will be spoken two times. When you hear a question, you should decide on the correct answer from the 4 choices marked A, B, C and D.

- |                                     |                               |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| ① A. Yes, I'm free.                 | B. No, I'm doing my homework. |
| C. Don't ask me.                    | D. No, nothing special.       |
| ② A. It's a good job.               | B. Congratulations!           |
| C. I don't think so.                | D. You are very busy.         |
| ③ A. Three times a day after meals. | B. No more than three times.  |
| C. It's useless.                    | D. You'll feel better.        |
| ④ A. In a university.               | B. Very hard.                 |
| C. Mathematics.                     | D. At eight in the morning.   |
| ⑤ A. I go to school by bus.         | B. I'm afraid not.            |
| C. Yes, this No. 40 bus.            | D. I'll take No. 40 bus.      |

### Section B



**Directions:** This section is to test your ability to understand short dialogues. There are 5 recorded dialogues in it. After each dialogue, there is a recorded question. The dialogue and the question will be spoken two times. When you hear a question, you should decide

on the correct answer from the 4 choices marked A, B, C and D.

- ⑥ A. In a Chinese restaurant. B. In a fast food restaurant.  
C. In a hotel. D. In a bar.
- ⑦ A. The story is really amusing. B. The story isn't helpful.  
C. He disagrees with the woman. D. He doesn't like the story.
- ⑧ A. Because she is having a nice meal.  
B. Because she is going to visit her grandma.  
C. Because her husband will pick her up at the station.  
D. Because her grandma is going to visit them.
- ⑨ A. 3:45. B. 4:15.  
C. 4:30. D. 4:45.
- ⑩ A. A sweater. B. A skirt.  
C. A shirt. D. A necklace.

### Section C



**Directions:** In this section you will hear a short recorded passage. The passage is printed in the test paper, but with some words or phrases missing. The passage will be read three times. During the second reading, you are required to put the single words or phrases that you hear to fill in the numbered blanks. The third reading is for you to check your writing.

Joan was a nurse. She worked in a children's hospital. One evening a (11) \_\_\_\_\_ was held at the hospital. (12) \_\_\_\_\_, Joan had to work that night. She liked dancing very much. So while her friends were (13) \_\_\_\_\_ to go to the dance, she felt very sorry for herself.

One of the sick children, Dick, knew that Joan loved dancing. So when Joan came to say good night to him, he said to her, "I'm very sorry that you have to (14) \_\_\_\_\_ the dance for us. But we are going to have a party for you if we are able to."

When Joan heard this, (15) \_\_\_\_\_ the hospital dance seemed very far away and not important at all.