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序言

我与杨凡老师在环球雅思学校(环球国际英语学校)共事多年,其独特的语言教学法和对英语 理论和应试英语的理解,堪称在全国独树一帜。将他的教学理论和授课实践的精华撰写成书以帮助 更多莘莘学子,一直是我们和他所教授的学生的夙愿。

谈杨凡学习法我想先介绍杨凡其人,许多人见过杨凡老师都觉得他有点"文弱书生"的感觉, 其实"初见谈吐静如水,三句过后起波澜"是他教学最鲜明的特点。杨凡老师的才思敏捷,风趣幽 默曾吸引过许多学生,他博览群书的特点体现在对教学内容的精炼通俗上。多年相处,我觉得无论 从教学还是行事风格,"以柔克刚"一词最贴切杨凡其人。

今天,这套如此全面的英语学习法丛书,可谓其为十年磨一剑的产物,尽现杨凡学习丛书的神机妙法。我真心代表环球雅思学校的全体师生员工向杨老师表示谢意。

看过本书的初稿,我注意到书中特别强调学习理论应与实践相结合,可以说既有英语理论价值,也有学习实用性。我感到对于将要备考雅思、托福、大学英语四、六级和考研的学生们而言是一次难得的技法总结和提炼。其中"写作词汇"方面的书目更是英语丛书中鲜有的学习参考书,杨凡在丛书中对写作方法的讲述,可谓是"让优者更优,令弱者变强"(Reinforce the Strong & Empower the Weak)。相信对学生考试成绩的提高和英语水平的巩固都会有综合的绝佳帮助。

杨凡老师作为"全国环球雅思教师委员会"的主要发起人,一直积极推动将优秀教学成果转化 为学术教材并向全国推广的活动。致力于促进学生及教师的相互学术交流,及时沟通考试动态和应 试英语学习法的总结发展,把雅思教学水平推动到语言教学行业中的至高地位,让全国广大学生得 到优秀教师的精髓和真传。愿杨凡老师和他的丛书可以成为广大学生的良师益友。

借此感谢广大师生多年来对环球雅思学校的信赖,使我们荣幸成为数十万学子人生脚步下的奋进大道。

环球雅思连锁学校 总校校长 张永琪 2003年10月10日

前 言

如何解决英语写作中词汇的使用问题

一、写作用词的特点

- 1. 数量少。只要有三千左右的词汇量就能写出很好的文章。有的英文短篇小说美轮美奂,但不同的词也就使用了三千左右,实际上,英文写作,最常用的词也就是一千左右,这正是本书的词条的数目。也就是说,本书包括了英文写作中最常用的一千左右个词。
- 2. 要求高。看见英文,知道中文的大致意思,这是阅读用词的要求。而写作用词的要求是:已知中文,想起确切的英文词,而且还要会拼写,会搭配,您翻开这本书,一千左右的词,你可能认识其中的大部分,但要在写作时想起这些词,并把它们用好,还是有困难的。

二、写作中使用词汇时要注意

1. 尽量用一些复杂的词,但绝不是特别华丽,特别生僻的词,首先,使用的词不能过于简单。 我们看下面一篇文章的开头:

Some people think that keeping pets is a good idea. Other people think it is a bad idea. I think it is a very good idea.

这段话没有什么用词和语法方面的错误,但像 think, good, bad, idea 这些词都是尽量避免在口语中使用的,如果在写作中使用就更显示不出特色了。

另外,也不是必须使用一些过于华丽、生僻、大的词,关键是使用准确和自然。本书中的很多词,你可能知道它们的中文意思,但正确、灵活地使用这些词正是写好英文文章的关键。

2. 用词多样化

同一个意思在文章中出现多次,最好用不同的词,如有"重要的"意思的词有: important, crucial, essential, significant, vital, indispersable 等。有"不能"意思的词和短语有 cannot, fail to, be unable to 等。有人提出,一个人表达同一意思,会的词越多,他的语言水平越高,这是不无道理的。

三、如何解决英文写作中的词汇问题

1. 集中记忆常用的高频词汇

本书收集的一千左右词汇是写作中最常用的高频词汇,必须做到会拼写,会使用。

2. 在句子中学习写作用词的使用

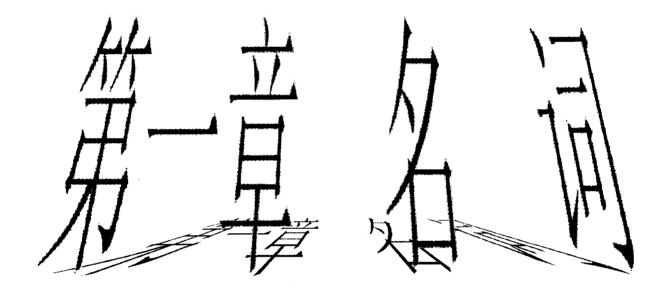
每个词汇,都配有与常见话题相关的例句,大家在学习词汇时,应将这些例句读熟,背熟,这 不仅能提高语言水平,同时还能扩展大家的写作思路。

祝同学们学习进步!

杨凡 2003 年 10 月

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ability

[əˈbiliti] 能力

【参见】

名 词 capacity 形容词 able Most important for us in the way of skills is the ability to communicate — can people to be interviewed speak clearly?

在技能上对我们来说最重要的一点是沟通能力——应聘者能否清楚地 表达自己?

Generally, old people should offer young guys opportunities to practice their abilities and talents.

一般地说,年长者应该给年轻人提供机会去展示他们的能力与才干。

The computer has the ability to accommodate to individual differences in learning speed, and so I am the one who can control the pace of my lessons.

计算机能够适应学习速度的个体差异。因此,我就想成为控制自己课 程进度的人。

absurdity

[əb sə:diti]

荒谬

【参见】

形容词 absurd

accident

['æksidənt]

事故

achievement

[ə'tʃiːvmənt]

成就

【参见】

动 词 achieve

activity

[æk'tiviti]

活动

【参见】

形容词 active

The photographs neatly sum up the results of these massive efforts to 'conquer space' and at the same time they exposed the absurdity of the undertaking.

这些照片充分反映了人类付出巨大的努力去"征服太空"所取得的结果,同时也揭示了这种做法的荒谬性。

Time and time again there are serious accidents that pollute the air.

空气被污染的严重事故不时地在发生。

It is said that 125,000 people died in Russia as a result of illnesses caused by this accident.

据说,在俄罗斯有 125,000 人由于这次事故引起的疾病而死亡。

Secondly, young students may gain some sense of achievement through winning a game.

其次,赢得了一场比赛,年轻的学子们会获得一种成就感。

They are printed in our newspapers and shown on our television screens as a visible proof of the man's newest achievements.

它们作为人类最新成就的明证登在报纸上,出现在电视屏幕上。

Outdoor activities can improve our health greatly.

户外活动能大大促进我们的身体健康。

The government should organize various activities suitable for the old people's participation.

政府应该组织各种各样适合老年人参与的活动。

Young people should be encouraged to take part in more meaningful and valuable activities such as reading, studying and exercising.

应该鼓励年轻人做更有意义、有价值的事情,如阅读、学习和锻炼。

Working is just one of the many useful and fruitful activities you do that enables you to live a good life and give your family their needs.

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你的许多有成效的活动能使你过上好日子并满足你家人的需要,工作 是这些活动中的一种。

Activities such as reading a novel at midnight, listening to a favourite revord between classes are looked upon as a kind of private pleasure because they are necessary nourishment for growth of psychological well-being.

深夜阅读小说、课间欣赏自己最喜欢的唱片之类的活动都被视作一种 个人乐趣,因为它们是心理健康必须的营养品。

adult

[ˈædʌlt] 成年人 You can always see young people and even adults addicted to the computer games.

你总能看到年轻人甚至成年人沉溺于电脑游戏中。

Earning money and spending money are big problems not only to the adults but also to the kids.

挣钱和花钱,不论是对于成年人,还是小孩子,都是很重要的问题。

advance

[ədˈvaːns] 前进,进步 【参见】 动词 advance Now people in growing numbers are enjoying the benefits at dinner table from the application of the new scientific advances to agriculture.

现在,越来越多的人从餐桌上就能感受到新科技被应用到农业上所带来的好处。

However, can further scientific advance help the world solve the problem of future food supplies?

但是,人类是否能进一步借助科技进步来解决世界未来的粮食供应问题呢?

It is not only for them but also for the advance of the whole nation. 这不仅仅是为了他们,而且也是为了整个民族的进步。

advertisement

[əd'və:tismənt] 广告 Surplus advertisements have interfered in people's normal life.

过多的广告已经干扰了人们的正常生活。

Let good advertisements facilitate communication between business people and the public, and help keep the business world moving.

让好的广告促进商人和公众之间的交流,并帮助商业界运行。

advantage

[ədˈvaːntidʒ] 优点 【参见】

名词 disadvantage

Compared with the large family, the small family has a unique advantage. 和大家庭相比,小家庭有其独特的优点。

The issue whether internet has more advantages has aroused a heated debate.

互联网是否有更多的优点,这个问题已经引起了热烈的争论。

While the small family has a unique advantage, it cannot compete with the large family.

虽然小家庭有其独特的优点,但它在很多方面仍不能和大家庭相提并 论。



Because of all these advantages of raising animals, people are always enjoying it very much.

由于驯养宠物有这样的好处,因此人们一直乐此不疲。

adventurer

[əd'vent[ə]

探险者

【参见】

名词 explorer

Some people suggest that we should not help the adventurers, because any kind of help would ruin their pleasure of exploring.

一些人认为我们不应该帮助探险者,因为任何形式的帮助都会破坏他 们探险的乐趣。

advice

[əd'vais]

忠告

aim

[eim]

目标,目的

【参见】

动词 aim

alienation

[ˌeiljəˈneiʃən]

疏远

ambition

[æmˈbiʃən]

雄心

【参见】

形容词 ambitious

amount

[əˈmaunt]

数量

amusement

[ə mju:zmənt]

娱乐

【参见】

名词 entertainment

动词 amuse

They try their best to guide their children, offering advice to children for their study and life.

他们努力地通过提供学习和生活的忠告, 引导孩子的行为。

It seems that the aim of school education is to achieve the tameness of students for society rather than to cultivate the unique minds for the individuals.

学校教育似乎是为了给社会培养驯服的学生,而不是培养有独立思想 的个体。

It is inevitable for urbanization to bring us some sacrifice like the alienation of ourselves from nature.

城市化使我们不可避免地要做出一些牺牲,如远离大自然。

What we look for the most are personal qualities — assertiveness, self-motivation, drive, ambition, and a competitive instinct.

我们最看重的是个人品质——有冲劲,有激情,积极主动,雄心勃勃 和有竞争意识。

With the development of technology and the increase of the population, the amount and range of materials taken has increased.

随着技术进步和人口增长,自然资源的范围扩大、用量增加。

It brings us a lot pleasure and amusement.

它给我们带来了很多快乐。

For instance, we used to have hobbies, we used to entertain our friends and be entertained by them, and we used to go outside for our amusements to theatres, cinemas, restaurants and sporting events.

比如,我们有自己的业余爱好;我们在家里款待客人或者在朋友家里 接受款待;我们去剧院、电影院、餐馆和体育竞赛现场进行娱乐消 遣。

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词

[əˈnæləsis]

分析

【参见】

动词 analyze

I like this program most not only because of its abundant and latest news, but also because of its analysis and prospects of the present-day world. 我最喜欢这个节目是因为它不仅提供了丰富的最新消息,还对当前世界进行了分析和展望。

animal

['æniməl]

动物

Some kinds of animals have even been used as vehicles since the primitive society.

有些动物从原始社会起就是人类的代步工具。

However, in modern times, some animals are raised as pets in families.

然而,进入现代社会,有些家庭把一些动物当作宠物驯养。

In other words, animals play an important role in the progress of our human beings.

换句话说,动物在人类的进步过程中扮演了重要的角色。

When people feel lonely, animals' gentleness will warm their hearts.

当人们感到孤独寂寞时,动物通灵的天性使人们不再感到孤立无援。

applicant

['æplikənt]

申请者

【参见】

动词 apply

Knowing what an employer is looking for in a potential employee can help an applicant to prepare for an interview.

了解雇主在潜在的雇员身上寻求什么有助于应聘者为面试做准备。

approach

[əˈprəut]]

途径,方法

【参见】

动词 approach

Learning foreign languages just offers us such a good approach.

学习外语不失为一种很好的途径。

area

[ˈɛəriə]

区域, 地区

I longed to explore much further into these areas.

我渴望在这些方面做进一步的探索。

argument

['a:gju:mənt]

论点,论据

【参见】

动词 argue

The space race is just another aspect of the age-old argument that 'might is right'.

太空竞争只是"强权即公理"这一古老论点的另一方面。

arrangement

[əˈreindʒmənt]

安排

The most important is to make proper arrangements of physical recreation and intellectual activities.

重要的是对身体休闲和精神活动进行合理的安排。

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【参见】

动词 arrange

article

['atikl]

文章

aspect

['æspekt]

方面

【参见】

名词 respect

I hit upon an article in which some people hold that students should wear uniforms every day.

我偶然看到一篇文章提到一些人认为学生应该每天都穿校服。

An important aspect of traveling with friends is that in case emergency takes place, your friend will give you a hand immediately.

和朋友—起旅行的一个重要原因是,万一紧急情况发生,你的朋友会立即给予你帮助。

In other aspects, computer affects people's daily life and do harm to people.

在其他方面,计算机影响着人们的日常生活并产生一些不利因素。

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assessment

[əˈsesmənt] 评估方法

【参见】

名词 evaluation

Some schools have tried using other forms of assessment.

一些学校已经尝试使用其他形式的评估方法。

atmosphere

[ˈætməsfiə]

大气,气氛,气息

I think that the temptation of city life, especially of the cultural atmosphere in big cities, is overwhelming, even though those unsolved troubles are still there.

我认为,即使城市有许多还未解决的问题,但其生活——特别是大城市中透着的文化气息——却充满了魅力。

With regard to parents, those who are traditional must keep themselves up-to-date or learn to see things the way their children do, and those who always bury themselves in work must spend some time every day with their children enjoying the warmth created through exchanges of ideas in a free atmosphere.

对于比较传统的父母亲来说,就必须使自己跟上形势或学会从孩子的 角度看问题;对于整日忙于工作的父母来说,就必须每天抽出时间来 和孩子在自由的气氛中交流,享受由此带来的温暖。

By contrast, the classroom lesson organized in an enjoyable, entertaining atmosphere usually offers students more than what they have expected.

相比较而言,学生们在趣味性的课堂里上课学的东西通常比他们期望的多。

涸

attention

[əˈtenʃən] 注意 The monster demands and obtains absolute silence and attention.

这个怪物要求并且得到了绝对的安静和注意。

audience

[ˈɔːdjəns] 观众 Important events are often broadcast live so that the audiences feel as if they were participating.

重要的事件经常现场直播,使得观众就像身临其境一样。

balance

['bæləns] 平衡 Personally, I prefer a balance of both activities so as to provide me with physical training and mental stimulation.

就个人而言,我喜欢把两种活动加以平衡,这样我就可以得到体力训练和精神动力。

barrier

[ˈbæriə] 障碍 【参见】 But their guidance and demand has ended up a great barrier against the students' efforts to achieve their own goals.

但是他们的那些指导和要求却最终给那些希望实现自己既定目标的学生设置了障碍。

名词 obstacle

['beisis] 基础

hasis

In fact, the rapid population growth and environmental pollution are changing the basis of agricultural resources for the use of new technologies.

实际上,人口的快速增长以及环境污染正在动摇着农业资源的根基,而这些农业资源正是新技术应用所需要的。

behaviour

[biˈheivjə] 行为 【参见】 动词 behave In a word, we should consider different situations and make objective decisions, for many factors might result in bad behaviour of children.

总而言之,我们应该区别对待不同的情况,做出客观的决定。因为导 致孩子们表现不好的因素很多。

benefit

['benifit] 好处

【参见】

动 词 benefit 形容词 beneficial Living on the campus brings us great benefits.

住在校园里给我们带来很大的好处。

Advertising brings us not only benefits but also problems.

广告带给我们的不仅有益处还有问题。

In addition, the huge amounts of money spared may be poured into the construction of many highways, factories, hospitals and schools, which is of immense benefit to individuals as well as to the society.

此外,所节省的大笔资金可以用来建高速公路、工厂、医院和学校,这无论对个人还是社会都有莫大的益处。

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现在,越来越多的人从餐桌上就能感受到新科技被应用到农业上所带 来的好处。

budget

['bʌdʒit]

预算

With the limited budget, the government is unable to invest much money in education.

政府因预算很有限,不能对教育进行大笔投资。

burden 负担 Smoking costs a large sum of money, laying a huge economic burden on the smoker's family.

吸烟花费大量的金钱,给吸烟者的家庭带来巨大的经济负担。

Students who have part – time jobs can relieve, to some extent, the economic burdens of their parents.

有兼职工作的学生能在某种程度上减轻他们父母的经济负担。

campus

['kæmpæs]

校园

These days we often hear people on campus talk about the educational application of computers called Computer-Assisted Instruction, or CAI.

这些日子,我们经常听到校园里的人们人们谈论计算机在教学中的应用(称为计算机辅助教学或 CAI)。

candidate

['kændidət]

候选人

Without formal examinations, it will be hard for universities to select qualified candidates.

若没有正规的考试,大学很难选择合格的候选人。

career

[kəˈriə]

事业

Mothers can concentrate on their work and advance their careers, which is also helpful to the social development.

母亲们可以关注她们的工作,发展她们的事业,这对社会发展也是有 利的。

When one finishes his study abroad, he will have more opportunities for his future career.

当一个人完成了在国外的学业时,他将会有更多的机会开拓未来的事业。

case

[keis] 案例 Students in education, sociology, and psychology classes, for example, are often required to solve problems in groups, design projects, make presentations, and examine case studies.

例如,学教育学、社会学和心理学的学生常被要求以小组的形式解决问题、设计项目、作演讲和研究案例。

censorship

[sensəʃip]

新闻审查

People who favor the practice of censorship insist that, among other reasons, it helps maintain a stable and orderly society.

另外的原因之一是,赞成新闻审查的人坚持认为新闻审查有助于维持 一个稳定和有序的社会。

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challenge

[ˈt∫ælindʒ]

挑战

【参见】

动词 challenge

Since computers are convenient, there is a new challenge to primary school teachers.

既然计算机如此方便易用、小学老师们就面临了一个新的挑战。

chance

[tʃaːns]

机会

【参见】

名词 opportunity

Yet, they fail to notice such advantages in cities as better services, higher level of education and more chances of employment.

但他们忽略了城市生活带来的好处:较好的社会服务,较高的教育水准,以及较多的就业机会。

We also should give the kids some chances to earn money, by which means we can show them that earning money is not easy, and they should spend the money carefully.

我们还应该给孩子提供挣钱的机会。这可以使他们知道挣钱不容易,他们在花钱时应精打细算。

change

[tʃeindʒ] 变化 With the steady growth in the country's economy as well as the people's living standard, the rhythm of people's living is speeding up and a lot of changes have taken place in their daily life.

随着国家经济的稳步增长和人民生活水平的稳步提高,人们生活的节奏加快了,日常生活发生了很多变化。

Another one can be found out in great social changes.

另一个是由于巨大的社会变化。

character

[ˈkæriktə]

性格

【参见】

名词 characteristic

Family plays an important role in shaping children's characters.

家庭在塑造孩子的性格方面起到重要的作用。

I like to make friends with people whose characters, hobbies and social status are similar with those of mine.

我喜欢和性格、爱好以及社会地位与我相似的人交朋友。

Growing older, they'll show some anti-social characters such as smoking, taking drugs or engaging in gang fights.

长大之后,他们会有一些反社会的行为,如抽烟、吸毒或打群架。

characteristic

[kæriktə ristik]

特征,特性

【参见】

名词 character

Besides, proverbs are another characteristics of languages.

此外,谚语是语言的另一大特色。

chemical

['kemikl]

化学物质

Chemicals in the smoke from power stations cause a lot of damage. 电站发出的烟雾中所含的化学物质造成很大的破坏。

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choice

[tsis]

选择

【参见】

动词 choose

So it is difficult to make a choice.

所以,做出选择很困难。

circumstance

['sə:kəmstəns]

情况,环境

Under this circumstance, we should not criticize parents if their children behave badly.

在这种情况下,如果子女表现不佳,我们不应该批评他们的父母。

civilization

[ˌsivəlai zeiʃən]

文明

【参见】

形容词 civilized

Since Chinese civilization first began to express itself thousands of years ago, its poems and paintings have sung of the beauty of land, the air, and the water.

自从几千年前中国文明诞生之日起,中国的诗、画都歌颂了中国的大地、天空和河流之美。

combination

[¡kəmbi neiʃən]

结合

【参见】

动词 combine

As neither of the two solutions is effective enough to solve the problem of heavy traffic in cities, I favor a combination of the two.

由于这两种解决方案都不能十分有效地解决城市交通拥挤问题,我赞成采取将两者结合起来的方法。

comfort

['kʌmfət]

舒适

【参见】

动 词 comfort

形容词 comfortable

副 词 comfortably

Cars have brought us joy and comfort, as well as injury and death.

汽车给我们带来了欢乐和舒适,同时也带来了伤害和死亡。

On the other hand, as far as comfort is concerned, a car is better than a bicycle.

从另一方面来讲,就舒适程度而言,小轿车比自行车要好得多。

commercial

[kə mə:ʃəl]

商业广告

【参见】

形容词 commercial

It doesn't matter that the children will watch rubbishy commercials and spectacles of sadism and violence — so long as they are quiet.

孩子们也许会看无聊的商业广告或是暴力和性虐待等场面,但是这些都无关紧要——只要他们规规矩矩地呆着就行。

commodity

[kə məditi]

商品

【参见】

名词 goods

The commodities and service provided by society have become more diversified.

由社会提供的商品和服务已经变得更加多样化。

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