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# Introduction to the student

## 致学习者

### 为什么要测试词汇？

研究显示，学习者在真正认识一个单词之前，至少要见过这个词 7 次。通过本书提供的各种测试题，你可以练习巩固已见过的单词和短语，这种有效的词汇学习方法可以帮助你强化对单词的长期记忆。

### 本书测试哪些词汇？

本书提供了一系列练习，从不同角度测试中高级英语词汇。所测试的词汇来自《剑桥中级英语词汇》各单元讲解和练习的单词。在本书的目录页和正文的测试题中都列出了与《剑桥中级英语词汇》各单元的对应关系。本书测试的个别词汇在《剑桥中级英语词汇》中没有出现过。在这种情况下，练习说明会建议你使用词典。当然，如果你没有使用过《剑桥中级英语词汇》而仅仅是想检验自己的词汇水平，也可以使用本书进行测试。

### 如何计分？

本书每个单元测试练习的总分均为 40 分，书后附有答案和每道题的评分说明。答案清晰地显示了怎样作答才能得分，这样，即使没有老师指导，你也能给自己打分。每个测试中第一项练习的分值为 10 分，建议你首先完成这项练习。如果这项练习的得分低于 5 分，那么建议你先巩固与本测试单元相关的词汇知识，然后再做下面的练习。

尽管每个测试的总分均为 40 分，但你可能会感觉某些测试更简单。这是因为每个人都有相对比较熟悉的词汇领域。另一个原因在于，某些领域的词汇尤其难懂，因此在个别单元，你需要掌握更多的单词和短语，才能得到和其他单元一样的分数。

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完成每个单元的测试练习需要 20 至 30 分钟。

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# Names of English language words

## 英语语言学词汇的名称

### 1.1

10 marks

Find each of the following in the text below. 在下面的短文中找出符合要求的单词、短语或句子。

**Example:** a singular noun *book*

- |                   |                                |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1 an article      | 6 an uncountable noun          |
| 2 an adjective    | 7 an irregular verb            |
| 3 one plural noun | 8 an example of a phrase       |
| 4 a preposition   | 9 an example of a sentence     |
| 5 an adverb       | 10 an example of a collocation |

The aim of this book is to help you test your knowledge of English vocabulary. Think about the questions carefully and then check your answers in the back of the book.

### 1.2

5 marks

Draw the following punctuation marks. 写出下列标点符号。

- |                 |          |
|-----------------|----------|
| 1 full stop     | 4 hyphen |
| 2 apostrophe    | 5 colon  |
| 3 question mark |          |

### 1.3

5 marks

Name these punctuation marks. 写出下列标点符号的英文名称。

- |       |       |
|-------|-------|
| 1 ( ) | 4 ;   |
| 2 ,   | 5 “ ” |
| 3 !   |       |

### 1.4

20 marks

Answer these questions. 回答下列问题。

- What are the prefix, the root and the suffix in *disorganisation*?
- How many syllables are there in the word *monosyllabic*, and which one is stressed?
- Name a noun, a verb, an adjective and an adverb based on the root *wide*.
- Give a synonym and an antonym for *wide*.
- Give a colloquial synonym for *man*.
- What is the main verb in the sentence below? What are its subject and its object?

English has a very large vocabulary, which adds greatly to our opportunities to express subtle shades of meaning and to use different styles.

- In the sentence above, is the verb *adds* used transitively or intransitively? What about *express*?
- Pig-headed* and *determined* can be synonyms. Which of these words is pejorative?
- Who would we normally speak to using informal English?
- What is a collocation?

Your score

/40

## 2 Suffixes 后缀

**2.1** Put **-er** or **-or** onto the endings of these words, as appropriate. 在下列单词结尾加上 **-er** 或 **-or**.

10 marks

Example: reader.....

1 paint.....

2 doct.....

3 act.....

4 sail.....

5 writ.....

6 work.....

7 supervis.....

8 project.....

9 print.....

10 pencil-sharpen.....

**2.2** Make nouns from these verbs using **-tion**, **-ion** or **-ssion**. 用 **-tion**, **-ion** 或 **-ssion** 将下列动词变成名词。

10 marks

Example: permit: permission

1 pollute

2 impress

3 alter

4 admit

5 complicate

6 reduce

7 add

8 donate

9 explain

10 promote

**2.3** What do we call ...? 我们将下面的人称为……?

10 marks

1 A person who plays the piano?

2 A person who believes in the ideas of Karl Marx?

3 The person to whom a letter is addressed?

4 A person who types letters and other documents?

5 A person who is employed by someone?

**2.4** Add the **-ness** suffix to these adjectives. 给下列形容词加上后缀 **-ness**.

5 marks

Example: tired: tiredness

1 sad

2 happy

3 crazy

4 hopeless

5 ready

**2.5** Circle the correct suffixed form of these words. 圈出后缀正确的单词。

5 marks

Example: beautiful beautyise (beautiful) beauticate

1 refuse

refusation

refusal

refusity

2 forget

forgetful

forgetty

forgetish

3 commercial

commercialify

commerciate

commercialise

4 excite

excital

exciteship

excitement

5 scarce

scarcity

scarcedom

scarcement

Your score

/40



# 3 Prefixes 前缀

**3.1** Read horizontally or vertically (not diagonally) to find the meanings of these prefixes in the word-square. 横读或竖读 (但不能斜读) 单词框, 从中找出下列前缀的释义。

10 marks

**Example:** bi as in bicycle

- multi as in multi-national
- pre as in pre-war
- anti as in antisocial
- pseudo as in pseudo-scientific
- semi as in semi-circle
- micro as in microscopic
- mono as in monologue
- mis as in misunderstand
- re as in re-read
- sub as in submarine

W	L	I	R	W	T	A	S
B	I	A	D	R	O	D	O
I	N	G	R	O	N	E	B
A	G	A	I	N	S	T	E
N	H	I	A	G	M	O	F
M	A	N	Y	L	A	E	O
T	L	A	D	Y	L	S	R
W	F	O	F	A	L	S	E
O	U	N	D	E	R	O	N

**3.2** Add a prefix to a word in the first statement in order to make an opposite word that completes the responses. 给第一句话中的一个单词加上前缀, 构成其反义词, 用来完成后面的答语。

10 marks

**Example:** That man's locking the door. No he isn't. He's unlocking it.

- He's quite mature for his age. I don't agree. I think he's .....
- I think she's reliable. No she isn't. She's very .....
- Is she wrapping that parcel? No, she's ..... it.
- Is his handwriting legible? No, I find it quite .....
- Does her father approve of Jack? No, he ..... of him.
- Do you think he's honest? No, I'm sure he's .....
- Is it convenient to have a chat? No, sorry, it's a bit ..... now.
- Can I replace the vase I broke? I'm afraid not - it's .....
- Do you like your boss? No, I ..... him intensely.
- Are these mushrooms edible? No, I'm pretty sure they're .....

**3.3** Use your knowledge of prefixes to write definitions of the underlined words. 用你掌握的有关前缀的知识写出画线单词的释义。

10 marks

Although Jim is an <sup>(1)</sup>ex-soldier, he's only <sup>(2)</sup>semi-literate. When he tries to write a letter, he <sup>(3)</sup>misspells half the words and his wife has to <sup>(4)</sup>rewrite it for him. His wife used to work in a <sup>(5)</sup>sub-department of the post office where her main job was <sup>(6)</sup>redirecting mail. Jim's very <sup>(7)</sup>pro-army but he <sup>(8)</sup>over-emphasises its good points. His wife, on the other hand, is rather <sup>(9)</sup>anti-army and she <sup>(10)</sup>undervalues its positive aspects.

**3.4** Which word is the odd one out in each set? 下面每组中哪一个单词与其他 3 个不同?

10 marks

**Example:** legible, loyal, legal, legitimate **loyal** - it forms its opposite with **dis-** whereas the others use the prefix **il-**

- insert, internal, inedible, income
- disobey, disconnect, dismount, dissimilar
- uncomfortable, unlock, unfold, unzip
- extract, ex-wife, ex-communicate, exhale
- reversible, rational, reasonable, relevant

Your score

/40