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前 言

《新起点英语视听教程·练习手册》是为学习者进一步复习和掌握"课本"中出现的语法现象、句型和词汇,为配合"辅导手册"的讲解内容而编写的同步练习集。本"练习手册"紧密结合课文内容而设计,为"课文"中出现的语言要点编写了大量的练习,这些练习会使学习者巩固所学内容,并达到举一反三的目的。

本书的一个突出特点是包含了大量的听力练习。这一方面是针对学习者普遍薄弱的环节而设计的,另一方面也突出了本套教材以视听为主的特点。听力练习大约占全部练习的一半。学习者在做听力练习时要与录音磁带配合。这些旨在精听的练习与学习者在学习原片时采取的泛听方法相呼应,精泛结合,点面兼顾。

本书的练习分为几种,在每一个练习的前面都有明确的标志示意学习者。这几种练习形式是:

- 说 每一课大约有一个练习口语的题目。这一练习是针对"课文"中出现的重要句型设计的,在点菜、问路、表达感情或能力、表示请求或拒绝等日常生活常用的情景中都会经常使用这些句型。
- **听**() 每一课大约有四到五个听力练习,需要学习者配合录音磁带来做。这些练习截取了"课文"中"饭店"、"RCP 新闻专题"、"环球旅行家"、"环球经营者"、"回到中国"等栏目的片断,要求学习者精听之后做各种练习。其中一个练习是根据每一课的"饭店"故事内容重新编写的一段叙述文字,它会帮助学习者清楚地掌握原片的内容。叙述部分的文字附在"练习手册"的后面。
- 写 一 每一课有两个左右这样的练习,练习的中心是"课文"中出现的语法现象。练习的设计有针对某一个语法现象的,也有综合几个语法现象的。由于掌握语法要点并不是本套教学片的主要目的,因此,语法练习的设计没有继续扩展某一语法项目的其他用法。

读 ⊈^D 每三课有一个阅读练习,要求学习者在阅读指定的段落之后做相应的练习。

每一课的录音磁带包含这样一些内容:

- 1、原片"饭店"、"回到中国"故事的真实场景;
- 2、"辅导手册"中列出的该部分的生词和短语;
- 3、 RCP 新闻(或其他专题节目)、"环球旅行家"、"环球经营者"的真实场景;
- 4、"辅导手册"中列出的该部分的生词和短语:
- 5、 听力练习,每课约四到五个。

听力练习是"练习手册"的重点,听力水平的提高也是本套视听教材的主要目的之一。 但由于学习者是在自学的情况下做练习,没有老师的指导和控制,所以,要想在短时间内提 高听力水平,学习者必须按照练习的要求和我们下面的说明严格掌握做题的程序。

首先,所有的听力练习都以复习原片内容为目的,所以,学习者要在学习完每一课课文内容之后再做该课的练习,从而达到复习该课要点、检查学习效果的目的。但同时,由于听力练习在设计时是相对独立的,录音磁带上既有真实场景的录音,又有要求学习者回答的题目,因此,学习者也可以在学习原片之前做这些听力练习,以便检查自己的听力水平。

其次,对不同的练习形式要采取不同的方法。听力练习主要有这样几种:

- 1、判断正误。学习者在听一段对话或节目之后判断录音中的一系列句子是否正确。要求学习者判断的句子也同时出现在本书中。学习者在听完句子三到五秒钟之内必须作出判断。对话或节目的内容要一气听下来,学习者根据自己的水平也可以重复播放一次,在基本了解了录音内容之后再继续播放下面的句子。句子之间不必再停机。
- 2、回答问题。学习者在听一段对话或节目之后回答录音中的一系列问题。这些问题也同时出现在书中,学习者在听完问题后十秒钟内必须回答完问题。学习者可以口头回答这些问题,也可以用笔把答案写在空白处。根据自己的水平,学习者也可以在听完一个问题之后关上录音机,回答完问题后再开机继续做下面的题目。
- 3、听词填空。学习者在听一段对话或节目录音的同时,在"练习手册"中文字空白处填上听到的词,每一空格只能填一个词。这个练习要求学习者一次完成,中间不能停机。水平稍差一些的学习者可以听两遍录音。

我们衷心地希望"练习手册"能够与"课文"、"辅导手册"一起,借助视、听等手段帮助学习者,使学习者用英语交际的能力达到一个新的高度。

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Lesson 1 A Very Special Day

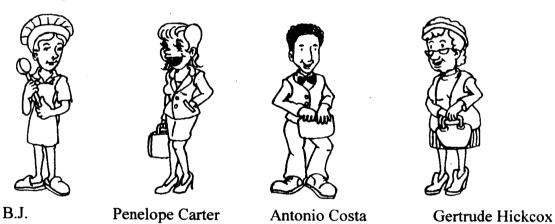
© EXERCISE 1

The following Model is an introduction to Lord G.C.. Based on the given information, make an introduction to the following characters.

Model:

Lord G.C.

This is Lord G.C.. He is the owner of Gostwycke Hall. He has lived at Gostwycke Hall for a very long time.



- 1. a permanent guest/ came to live here two years ago Gertrude Hickcox
- 2. a Harvard graduate/ Lord G.C.'s niece/ the manager of the Hotel Penelope Carter
- 3. a law student/ comes here to learn English Antonio Costa
- 4. Penny's friend/ also a Harvard graduate/ comes from New York/ the cook of the Hotel B. J.

Listen to the conversations on the tape and judge whether the following statements are true or false. Put a (T) in front of a true statement and on (F) in front of a false statement.

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-) 1. Mrs. Hickcox lives at Gostwycke Hall for only a short period of time.
-) 2. She believes that Gostwycke Hall is a charming place.
- () 3. She used to play football well.
- () 4. Her life changed dramatically two years ago because she became a football star.
 -) 5. She enjoys living here since they are just like one big family.

Conversation B:

- () 1. Penny is a friend of B.J.
- () 2. B.J. was a classmate of Penny at Harvard.
- () 3. B.J. loves Business Administration and cooking.
- () 4. B.J. loves cooking.
- () 5. Both Penny and B.J. majored in Business Administration at Harvard.
- () 6. B.J. is the best cook that Penny knows.
- () 7. B.J. comes from New York.
- () 8. B.J. comes to Gostwycke Hall for a holiday.

© EXERCISE 3

Practise offering food and responding to the offering after the Model.

Model: A: Would you like to have some tea? B: Yes, please. (No, thank you.)



1. bread



2. champagne





4. chicken





5. <u>coffee</u>

() EXERCISE 4
Listen to the following conversation and fill in the blanks with the words you hear on the tape.
LORD G.C.: Humph Ladies and gentlemen! May I have your (1), please. I would like to (2) you all very much for (3) us this evening to celebrate this, our first (4) If this year has been a (5), we have to thank two (6) ladies my (7) Penelope and our friend from uhmm across the (8) Bathsheba Jocasta Goldberg. VARIOUS PEOPLE: GOLDSMITH!
LORD G.C.: Goldsmith! And now a (9) To Gostwycke Hall and us (10)
Cheers! EVERYONE: Cheer! To Gostwycke Hall! EXERCISE 5
Fill in each blank with the correct form of the verb in brackets.
 John and Frank (write) letters at the moment. A guest (sign) his name at the Reception desk now. B.J (prepare) dinner in the kitchen right now. Antonio (make) a fruit punch now. I know where they are. They (sleep) under the tree. Look! They (play) chess. Penny is busy at the moment. She (talk) to a guest.
8. The children (talk and laugh) on the playground right now.
9. We (do) the EXERCISEs at the moment.
10. Look! It (rain).

Listen to the narration on the tape and piece up the information about the main characters at Gostwycke Hall.

Full name	What do people often call him (her) by	What does he (she) do at Gostwycke Hall	Other information
Lord Benjamin Bradley Gostwycke- Cunningham			
Penelope Carter			
Bathsheba Jocasta Goldsmith			
Antonio Costa			
Gertrude Hickcox			

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EXERCISE 7

Listen to the narrations on the tape and judge whether the following statements are true or false. Put a T in front of a true statement and an F in front of a false one.

- () 1. Zhang Yun is a professor at Beijing Foreign Studies University.
 () 2. Professor Zhang Yun works at English Department of that University.
 () 3. Professor Zhang Yun has been working there for 40 years now.
 () 4. Professor Zhang Yun used to be a student of that University.
 () 5. Zhang Yun is now both a student and a teacher of that University.
 - () 6. Professor Xiong Deni is also an editor of this program.
 - () 7. Professor Xiong Deni is a professor of another famous university.

() 8. Professor Xiong Deni is much older than Professor Zhang Yun.
EXERCISE 8
Listen to the following news program and fill in the blanks with the words you hear on the tape.
Good morning, this is Jack MacLanghlan bringing you the RCP News Morning Feature.
Today we are going to take a look at (1) is fast becoming a (2) issue smoking, or better stills, not smoking!
There was a time when it was considered (3) to smoke. For women it was considered a sign of (4) and emancipation. For men it was the mark of being a (5) man.
But times have changed. More and more (6) is being exerted to (7) smoking at least in public. But how many people, in spite of all this campaigning, are still (8) smokers? We asked Julian Norwich, our London (9), to carry out an on-the-spot (10)
Lesson 2 A Very Difficult Guest
© EXERCISE 1
The following is part of a restaurant menu-book. Practise ordering your breakfast after the Model.
A: What will you have? B: I'll have bacon and eggs.
A: Will you have tea or coffee? B: Coffee, please.

CHINESE FOOD	WESTERN FOOD
thin pancake steamed bread sesame seed cake fried noodles soya-bean milk rice porridge	Fried egg bacon brown bread butter jam coffee tea milk orange juice

Listen to the conversations on the tape and judge whether the following statements are true or false. Put a T in front of a true statement and an F in front of a false statement.

Conversation A:

-) 1. The man will have bacon and eggs for breakfast.
- () 2. The woman will have a kipper and a fried egg.
- () 3. Antonio does not ask them what they will have for a drink.
- () 4. The man orders coffee but the woman orders lemon tea.
- () 5. Both the man and the woman order coffee.
- () 6. The conversation takes place in the dining room of Gostwycke Hall.

Conversation B:

- () 1. Mrs. Poularde did not sleep well last night.
- () 2. She did not like any of the food on the menu for her breakfast.
- () 3. She ordered a slice of brown bread, well toasted.
- () 4. She also ordered unsalted butter and sugar-free jam.
- () 5. She liked to taste cherry jam instead of plum jam.
- () 6. She asked Penny to take the flowers away because she did not like their colour.

© EXERCISE 3

In each of the following situations, what request should A make and what reply should B give? Make new dialogues after the Model by using the phrase given below

each picture.

smoke

A: Do you mind if I smoke?
B: I'd rather you didn't.





A:

B:

1. turn on the radio



A:

B:

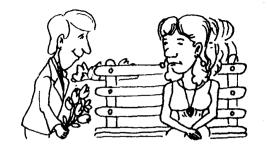
2. turn off the light



A:

B:

3. open the window



A: B:

4. sit beside you



A: B:

5. take a picture here



A:

B:

6. use your car



EXERCISE 4

Listen to the conversation on the tape and judge whether the following statements are true (T) or false (F).

- () 1. Lord G.C. was telling Mrs. Poularde his favourite camel story.
- () 2. Mrs. Poularde feels delighted and amused.
- () 3. Mrs. Poularde is not satisfied with her dinner.
- () 4. Mrs. Poularde wants Lord G.C. to reprimand the chef.
- 5. Penny is happy to learn that Mrs. Poularde is satisfied with her dinner.
- () 6. Mrs. Poularde has to get up early the next day.
- () 7. Penny knows what Mrs. Poularde does for a living, but Lord G.C. does not.
- () 8. Mrs. Poularde writes reviews on restaurants and hotels for some gourmet magazine.

Turn the following sentences into questions.

1. T	[he	students	work	hard	every	day.
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- 2. They come from Australia.
- 3. Mrs. Poularde prefers coffee for her breakfast.
- 4. Our English class usually starts at 8:00 a.m.
- 5. Jack has copied down all the new words on the blackboard.
- 6. The weather has been very bad recently.
- 7. They have heard the news over the radio.
- 8. You can buy all those things at a hardware store.
- 9. His father can read the newspaper without his glasses on.
- 10. We can finish all the homework by 10 o'clock.

EXERCISE 6

Listen to the following narration and fill in the blanks with the words you hear on the tape.

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Poularde, a middle-aged woman who came to visit the country. It seemed that she	
not (1) with her breakfast because she said that there was nothing on the	(2)
that she liked. At (3), Penny and B.J. changed the menu and	(4)
her French food. However, Mrs. Poularde became (5) since she co	ould
have French food back in France. The staff finally thought of an idea. They prepa	ared
and served (6) food for her dinner. This time, Mrs. Poularde was very	['] (7)
When she returned to France, she published a (8) on a gour	met
magazine commenting on the genuine hospitality, the (9) service, the versa	atile

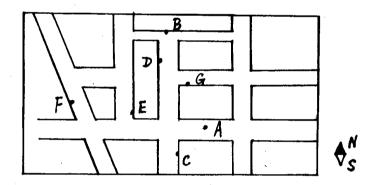
cuisine and the (10) proprietor of Gostwycke Hall.
6 RESERCISE 7
Listen to the tape and choose the appropriate words or phrases to fill in the blanks.
a. coffee b. fried eggs c. bread d. milk e. soya-bean milk f. lemon tea g. tea h. sesame seed cake
Waitress: Sir, what will you have? Smith: I'll have Chinese breakfast, (1) and sesame seed cake. Linda: I'll have bread and (2) And eggs, (3) Waitress: So, that's one soya-bean milk and (4), and one milk and (5) and fried eggs. Will you have (6) or coffee? Smith: Tea for me, (7) And you, darling? Linda: I think I'll have (8) Waitress: Good! Thank you.
(EXERCISE 8 Listen to the following interview and fill in the blanks with the words you hear on the tape.
Jack: Good morning, Dr. Wong. Dr. Wong: Good morning. Jack: Tell us, what are your views on having a big breakfast? Dr. Wong: Children, of course, need a good, (1) breakfast. But for adults, there is no (2) at all that food, first thing in the morning, is indispensable to (3) mental efficiency. On the other hand, people who do jobs that (4) physical activity do (5) from a good breakfast. Jack: So people with sedantary jobs people like me, for example, don't really need to eat a lot in the morning. Dr. Wong: That's right. In fact our (6) show that shange in breakfast behits.
Dr. Wong: That's right. In fact our (6) show that change in breakfast habits has a (7) effect on mental performance, especially for (8) who don't normally eat in the morning. Jack: So in fact, there is nothing against starting the day with just a cup of coffee? Dr. Wong: No, there isn't. In small (9) caffeine increases mental alertness and heart (10) But, I repeat, in small doses. Jack: It's the usual thing. I guess everything in moderation. Well, thenk you were
Jack: It's the usual thing, I guess, everything in moderation. Well, thank you very

much, Dr. Wong. That was very interesting. **Dr. Wong**: You're welcome.

Lesson 3 Globetrotter

© EXERCISE 1

You are standing at position A, asking for directions from a passer-by. What positions will you finally come to if you follow his directions as indicated below? Remember you are walking west.



- 1. You go down to the traffic light, turn right, walk one block, and you'll find it on your left. ()
- 2. Turn left at the first cross roads and you'll find it on the lefthand side of the road.
- 3. Go ahead, turn right at the corner and it's down at the end of the road. ()
- 4. Walk two blocks, turn right at the cross roads. It's on the lefthand side of the road.
- 5. Walk to the cross roads, turn right and turn right again. It's just round the corner.
- 6. Walk one more block, turn right. It's just at the corner. You can't miss it. ()

() EXERCISE 2

Listen to the introduction on the tape and choose the correct number or the time