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# 前 言

对于参加英语专业八级考试的学生来说,写作是考试中最大的难点之一。经过四年的专业学习,大多数英语专业的学生都具有了相当的书面交际能力。但是,由于缺乏语言环境,更由于不少学生在英语学习上不肯下苦功夫,导致相当一部分学生的英文作文写得很不理想。在专业八级考试的作文里,除了思想内容贫乏、结构程式化、以及文体风格不恰当以外,最突出的问题是“中式英语”和“语法错误”。

“工欲善必利其器”“不积跬步无以至千里”,英语写作考查的是“输出”方面的技能,因此较强的遣词造句的能力显得尤为重要。如果没有扎实的语言能力,纵有满腹经纶,恐怕在考试中也难以表达出来。因此,写作技能的进步是需要长时间的积累才能达到的,并没有捷径可言。我们总结近年来英语教学经验,系统分析英语专业八级写作考试命题的思路、学生考试中常见问题,着重从基本知识、命题思路和应试技巧等几方面内容入手,设计了一套循序渐进的写作考试复习内容,目的在于改正学生写作考试常犯的错误,以提高学生对所写信息的准确度,最终达到提高写作水平的目的。为帮助考生从根本上解决专八写作的问题,本书设计具有以下特色:

**大纲解析** 书中在开篇对英语专业八级考试作文的大纲要求、评分标准做了简单的概述,帮助考生了解考试方向。

**历年真题** 书中收录了从1997~2013共17年的作文真题及参考范文,帮助考生更直观地认识英语专业八级作文的要求,有助于考生在较短的时间内尽快抓住考试的思路。

**模拟写作** 为了让考生能更好地融入到考试当中,我们总结了考试中的热点话题,以此编写了相关写作模拟考题和范文。考生通过研读这些范文可以熟悉相关题材,不至于在考场上“无话可写”。

**文章经典** 本书在最后一章为考生精心准备了85篇范文,所有范文都力求做到思路丰富、表达充分、句式多样、语句通畅。只要考生认真阅读、研习本书,并扎扎实实地背诵其中的大部分经典范文,相信在实战中一定可以写出内容充实清晰的文章、取得满意的成绩。

**内容多样** 本书的每一篇范文都提供了相应的译文,方便考生更加透彻地掌握所背诵的文章,并且灵活地把这些词汇和句型运用到自己的文章中。

写作取得高分并非易事,最笨的方法往往是最有效的,只要我们熟练地掌握写作规律,专八写作就不再难。真心希望本书能够帮助考生顺利通过考试,为考生们实现进一步求学的梦想助一臂之力,祝愿每位考生都能拥有美好的前程。

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# 第一章 英语专业八级写作介绍

高校英语专业八级考试大纲写作部分规定:写作部分设一题,20分,要求能根据所给题目及要求撰写各类体裁的文章,文章长度约400个单词,做到内容充实、语言通顺、用词恰当、表达得体。考试时间45分钟。

就写作体裁来看,迄今为止,历年真题考的都是议论文;就出题形式来看,都是给出背景和题目的写作;就写作内容来看,考到的基本上都是考生比较熟悉的关于大学生的话题或社会常见话题。

以下为评分标准和样卷范文。

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BAND	SCORE	DESCRIPTION
5	20~18	<p><b>EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION WITH ACCURACIES</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) The writing effectively addresses the writing task.</li> <li>2) It demonstrates a well developed logical organizational structure with clearly stated main ideas and sufficient supporting details.</li> <li>3) It has almost no errors of vocabulary, spelling, punctuation or syntax, and it displays an adequate ability to use the language with appropriacy.</li> <li>4) No difficulty is experienced by the reader.</li> </ol>
4	17~15	<p><b>GOOD COMMUNICATION WITH FEW INACCURACIES</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) The writing adequately addresses almost all of the writing task, though it deals with some parts more effectively than others.</li> <li>2) It demonstrates a generally well developed logical organizational structure with main ideas and supporting details.</li> <li>3) It has relatively few significant errors of vocabulary, spelling, punctuation or syntax, and it displays an ability to use the language with appropriacy.</li> <li>4) Very little difficulty is experienced by the reader.</li> </ol>



BAND	SCORE	DESCRIPTION
3	14~12	<p>PASSABLE COMMUNICATION WITH SOME INACCURACIES</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) The writing adequately addresses most of the writing task.</li> <li>2) On the whole, it demonstrates an adequately developed organizational structure, though there may occasionally be a lack of relevance, clarity, consistency or support.</li> <li>3) It has occasional errors of vocabulary, spelling, punctuation or syntax, which may, from time to time, obscure meaning, and for the most part it displays some ability to use the language with appropriacy.</li> <li>4) Occasional difficulty is experienced by the reader.</li> </ol>
2	11~9	<p>PROBLEMATIC COMMUNICATION WITH FREQUENT INACCURACIES</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) The writing only addresses some of the writing task.</li> <li>2) It demonstrates an inadequate organizational structure, and there may quite often be a lack of relevance, clarity, consistency or support.</li> <li>3) It has frequent errors of vocabulary, spelling, punctuation or syntax, and it displays a limited ability to use the language with appropriacy.</li> <li>4) Some difficulty is experienced by the reader.</li> </ol>
1	8~6	<p>ALMOST NO COMMUNICATION</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) The writing almost completely fails to address the writing task.</li> <li>2) It has neither an organizational structure nor coherence.</li> <li>3) Almost all sentences contain errors of vocabulary, spelling, punctuation or syntax, and it displays no ability to use the language with appropriacy.</li> <li>4) Even after considerable effort on the part of the reader, the text is largely incomprehensible.</li> </ol>



## 样 卷 范 文

## 2005 年写作真题

**Directions:** Interview is frequently used by employers as a means to recruit prospective employees. As a result, there have been many arguments for or against the interview as a selection procedure. What is your opinion? Write an essay of about 400 words to state your view.

In the first part of your writing you should state your main argument, and in the second part you should support your argument with appropriate details. In the last part you should bring what you have written to a natural conclusion or make a summary.

You should supply an appropriate title for your essay.

Marks will be awarded for content, organization, grammar and appropriateness. Failure to follow the above instructions may result in a loss of marks.

## 参考范文 1

## Interview as an Effective Selection Procedure

The English proverb "Seeing is believing" well addresses the importance of face-to-face communication. It also highlights the point of conducting job interview on the part of employers. For benefits of both employers and prospective employees, interview is an effective selection procedure. And I base my points of view on the following reasons.

To begin with, interview provides a golden opportunity of mutual understanding between the recruiter and job applicants. Thanks to job interview, the employer can have an overall knowledge of the various qualities of a candidate. This proves to be very time-efficient, compared with other possibilities such as subjecting applicants to a series of tests like IQ test, aptitude test, English proficiency test, skill test, to name just a few. In an interview, the recruiter may design his or her questions with a clear-cut purpose of finding out the most desirable qualities from a group of candidates. By means of questions and answers, it is relatively easy to recognize the intelligence, critical thinking and problem solving of an interviewee. And in the meanwhile, job applicants may seize this chance to learn about the business, and obtain a concrete understanding of the corporate philosophy he or she is going to work under. It will lay a good foundation for the satisfying cooperation between management and labor in the future and avoid unnecessary friction as a consequence of misunderstanding. And interview appears critically important for new university graduates because there exists a multitude of cheaters in the job market, online want advertisements in particular. Job hunters' decision should be based on face-to-face communication instead of some fancy propaganda.

Furthermore, by means of interview employers may single out some false information of the candidates in resumes. With the increasing pressure of job hunting, there appears such a tendency of polishing resumes. Some applicants even go to the extreme of making their CV into a fancy document without any correlation to their actual caliber. Interview serves as a workable approach to screen dishonest practice and to relieve the HR staff of their headache.





Finally, interview functions as an effective way to measure the EQ of a candidate. What kind of person is the candidate? Is he or she optimistic, thoughtful, tolerant, cooperative, patient or otherwise? The answer to those questions is as meaningful to employers as schooling, professional training, degree and so on. A problem staff member may bring threat, disharmony and discredit to the company. In that case the loss for the business is more than financial. Fortunately interview can be a helpful siege.

Given the above analysis, we may arrive at the conclusion that interview is an effective and practical selection procedure for the sake of both employers and prospective employees. Like a bridge between recruit and applicant, interview shortens the distance between verbal description and reality.

### 参考范文 2

#### The Interview Should Be as a Selection Procedure

Interview is frequently used by employers as a means to recruit prospective employees. As a result there have been many arguments for or against the interview as a selection procedure. As far as I see it, the interview should be as a selection procedure.

Firstly, interview is a very significant method to measure the employee's competence. For example, imagine numerous employees hunt for the same job at one time, the difficult situation will crop up. The employers are in dilemma, they are hard to choose which one is the best or the suitable for their business. The only way is by means of interview. The employers can choose the employees who are characterized by energetic, enterprising strong potential. Interview is indispensable in job market, especially in recent years. Therefore, as a standard interviews shouldn't be ignored.

Secondly, interview is an indirect way that promote college students to work harder. As is known to all, as a multitude of college students graduate every year, they must face with the job hunting. Interview is the first step. If they can't perform well in the interview, it will detrimental to them. Therefore, college students have to work harder and harder so as to get a great deal of certificates, such as CET-6, TEM-8, NCRE-2 and so on. By their strenuous efforts they can obtain significant advantages when competing against their peers.

Thirdly, interview plays a role in exercising one's perseverance. For instance, if an employee failed in the interview at the first time, he could try another one again. Interview is helpful to exercise one's characteristics.

In a word interview should be as a selection procedure. As to college students, only through dedication to study and training at school can we be best prepared for the glamorous future.

### 参考范文 3

#### Interview—a Selection Procedure

Nowadays, interview is frequently use by employers as a means to recruit prospective



employees. As a result, there have been more and more arguments for or against the interview as a selection procedure. In my point of view, interview should be a procedure to select employees. I will list my reasons here.

The first reason is that through interview, employers can form direct aspects know a employee, vividly and clearly. Before interview, employers get some information of employee only from pictures and introductions. They know employees' major and hobby, but they don't know the ability of employees. In a interview, talking in English can show the ability of communication and oral English; dressing and action can bring deeper impression to employers. These aren't able to find from pictures. For short, interview can give employers information of employees from three aspects at least.

1. Dressing and action
2. Real abilities of employee's major
3. Communication with others

Secondly, employees in interview can get more information about the company. They will decide that the post is fit or not. Interview is also a good opportunity to show themselves for employees. They prepare carefully through interview to give future boss a first good impression. A good interviewee always grasp talk to show his abilities and knowledge which can be find from the introductions on paper. Besides of these, polite action is another way to show. Interview gives employees the first door to enter the company.

However, interview has some negative things. It is not very objective. For instance, employers and employees maybe have a nice talk and a good impression has been established. This feeling is not objective. And interview is not a good opportunity for some people who has poor oral ability but good work ability. Although interview is not the best selection procedure, it is still a better one than other ways.

Interview, for employers or interviewees, is a good procedure to choose each other.



## 第二章

## 历年写作真题与参考范文

### 2013 年写作真题

**Directions:** *Is our society hostile to good people? According to a recent survey by China Youth Daily, 76.1 percent of the respondents say that our current society provides a “bad environment” for good people doing good things. On the other hand, the more optimistic would argue that each individual should try his or her best to do good things and be nice to others, instead of waiting for the “social environment” to improve. So, what do you think? Is a sound social environment necessary for people to have high moral standards and be good to others? Write an essay of about 400 words on the following topic:*

### **Is a Sound Social Environment Necessary for People to Be Good to Others?**

*In the first part of your essay you should state clearly your main argument, and in the second part you should support your argument with appropriate details. In the last part you should bring what you have written to a natural conclusion or make a summary.*

*Marks will be awarded for content, organization, language and appropriateness. Failure to follow the above instructions may result in a loss of marks.*

*Write your essay on ANSWER SHEET FOUR.*

### 参 考 范 文

### **Is a Sound Social Environment Necessary for People to Be Good to Others?**

It seems that an virtue in traditional culture, helping others in struggle has been questioned than ever. Nowadays, for fear of getting into trouble, many people dare not offer help to those in need. The issue has aroused heated debate over the climate of morality and credibility of our society, and many people sigh over the moral degeneration. In my opinion, while it is true that social environment is necessary for people to be good to others, each individual should try his or her best to do good deeds and be sympathetic with others, instead of waiting for the environment to improve.

No one can deny that some tragic events turn out to be traps by people with indecent intentions, which explains why people are increasingly gaining risk-conscious and are more wary of traps and deceptions. Numerous people even wonder, “Is our society hostile to good





people?" The question may sound ridiculous but many people apparently agree. They believe that our current society builds a bad environment for good people to do good things, and good people even would pay a high price for being compassionate. As a matter of fact, though such kind of things only accounts for a pretty small percentage, massive media coverage makes the situation seem serious. Based on my experience, most people around me are kind, warm-hearted and generous, and I am quite delighted to be around them. So I believe media should highlight good people and exemplary deeds to enhance our confidence, rather than exposing those disgusting behaviors.

Meanwhile, as John Donne puts it, "No man is an island, entire of itself. Every man is a piece of the continent, a part of the main." Since everyone is a component of the society, it is each individual's behaviors that form the social morality. Just imagine you are the one who is in need, what would you feel if everyone watches indifferently? Put yourself in other's position will help you discover the value of compassion. If we just stand by and wait for the environment to change, ultimately, nothing will happen. Therefore, if help is needed, never hesitate to lend a helping hand. It will make you happy and contribute to a better world.

To sum up, I contend the idea that the possible solution of setting up a environment where being an obliging citizens is encouraged depends on positive influence of mass media and individuals' behaviors. Whether the social atmosphere is hostile or not, our behaviors are the essential part of building a harmonious world.

### 2012 年写作真题

**Directions:** A recent survey of 2,000 college students asked about their attitudes towards phone calls and text-messaging (also known as Short Message Service) and found the students' main goal was to pass along information in as little time, with as little small talk, as possible. "What they like most about their mobile devices is that they can reach other people," says Naomi Baron, a professor of linguistics at American University in Washington, D. C., who conducted the survey. "What they like least is that other people can reach them." How far do you agree with Professor Baron? Write an essay of about 400 words.

In the first part of your essay you should state clearly your main argument, and in the second part you should support your argument with appropriate details. In the last part you should bring what you have written to a natural conclusion or make a summary.

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Write your essay on ANSWER SHEET FOUR.

### 参考范文

#### Be Ware Our Favorite Telephone

Do you like phones? When college students are asked this question, and I suppose what

