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前 言

《高中英语泛听》以教育部《全日制高级中学英语教学大纲》的教学目的、教学要求和教学内容为依据，与高级中学英语教科书单元内容同步，并适当加以扩展。本书选取的语言材料真实、地道，难易适度，循序渐进，有助于训练学生的听力技能。

本书的题型设计与高考相统一，分为短对话理解、长对话或独白理解两部分。目的是通过该单元内容的扩展训练，帮助学生适应新世纪高考听力试题的新题型。

本册书配有录音磁带，由外籍专家严格按照《高中英语教学大纲》所要求的语速录制。

《高中英语泛听》系列丛书题材新颖，设计规范，考查性强，是广大教师和学生理想的同步泛听材料。

希望使用本书的教师和同学们提出批评、建议，以便我们再版时修改。

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UNIT 1

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Madame Curie

I. Listen to each dialogue and decide which one is the best answer to each question.

1. What can we learn from the conversation?
 - A. Curie became the first woman professor in London.
 - B. Women were not treated as equally as men at that time.
 - C. Marie was the cleverest woman in France.
2. What does the man mean?
 - A. Babies should be taken care of by women.
 - B. Women should go out for work.
 - C. It isn't a great change.
3. What do they think of radium?
 - A. Radium has a bad effect on blood.
 - B. It was discovered by Curie.
 - C. It is very important.
4. What do you know about radium from their conversation?
 - A. Radium is a very good energy.
 - B. Energy is treasure.
 - C. Radium can help us a lot and do harm to people's health.
5. How many people have won two Nobel Prizes?
 - A. Two.
 - B. Three.
 - C. Four.

II. Listen to four conversations and one monologue. Decide which one is the best answer.

1

1. What causes the girl to have the idea to be a scientist?
 - A. The text on Madame Curie.
 - B. The words of her father.
 - C. The film on the life of Madame Curie.
2. What's the father's attitude towards the girl's idea of being a famous scientist?
 - A. He supports it if she works hard.
 - B. He objects to it.
 - C. He has no idea.
3. What does the father want the girl to learn from the film?
 - A. How to become famous.
 - B. How to become a scientist.
 - C. To love the work she does.

2

1. What does the man think of his vacation?
 - A. Exciting.
 - B. Meaningful.
 - C. Disappointing.
2. How does the man spend his vacation?
 - A. Staying at home.
 - B. Visiting his friends.
 - C. Taking a trip.
3. What is the man probably going to do this afternoon?
 - A. See a movie.
 - B. Have a picnic.
 - C. Go swimming.

3

1. Why will the woman go to London?
 - A. To spend her summer holiday.
 - B. To attend a conference.
 - C. To give lectures.
2. From the conversation, we know that the woman works in the field of

_____.

- A. physics
- B. medical cares
- C. finance

3. If the woman could not go to London, the problem might be that _____.
- A. her article is not good enough.
 - B. she doesn't have enough time.
 - C. she doesn't have enough money.

4

1. Why is the woman calling?
- A. To see the professor.
 - B. To take the professor's course.
 - C. To ask the professor some questions on physics.
2. What's the woman's problem in attending the class?
- A. The class is already full.
 - B. She's from another university.
 - C. She does not major in physics.
3. If all else fails, the professor suggests the woman _____.
- A. see him in the office next week
 - B. give up her idea
 - C. take the course next semester

5

1. Who first produced plastics on a large scale?
- A. The Englishman.
 - B. The American.
 - C. Both the Englishman and the American.
2. Why was everybody excited when they saw a plastic collar for sale?
- A. It was comfortable to wear it.
 - B. It was cheap and easy to wash.
 - C. It was expensive.
3. What is one serious fault of plastic?
- A. It is hard and strong.
 - B. It wastes soap and water to clean it.
 - C. It burns easily.

UNIT 2

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Captain Cook

I. Listen to each dialogue and decide which one is the best answer to each question.

1. Which of the following is not true?
 - A. Fish is rich in fat.
 - B. The woman doesn't think fish is good food.
 - C. The man is fond of fish in fact.
2. What does the man mean?
 - A. Apples can take the place of doctors.
 - B. The apple is the best among all kinds of fruits.
 - C. Eating apples regularly does lots of good to our health.
3. How does the man feel?
 - A. He doesn't believe it.
 - B. He is excited.
 - C. He feels surprised.
4. What are they discussing?
 - A. Captain Cook was a great seaman.
 - B. How Cook found the islands.
 - C. Why Cook was the first to visit these islands.
5. What does the woman mean?
 - A. New races of people were not changed by Cook.
 - B. Different races have been treated differently even today.
 - C. She was sad to hear that.

II. Listen to four conversations and one monologue. Decide which one is the best answer.

1

1. Which city will the man go to?
 - A. Sydney.
 - B. Melbourne.
 - C. Canberra.
2. What kind of seat does the man reserve?
 - A. First class.
 - B. Economy.
 - C. It's not mentioned.
3. How long will the man's flight take?
 - A. One hour.
 - B. One hour and a quarter.
 - C. One hour and a half.

2

1. Who is the man?
 - A. An army officer.
 - B. A traffic policeman.
 - C. A customs inspector.
2. What things can the woman NOT bring into China?
 - A. The perfumes.
 - B. The camera.
 - C. Some books.
3. According to the conversation, we learn that _____.
 - A. the woman is allowed to enter China
 - B. the woman is not allowed to enter China
 - C. the woman will be arrested in China

3

1. What's the relationship between the two people?
 - A. Friends.
 - B. Relatives.
 - C. Strangers.
2. What's true about the woman?

- A. She is an official who makes sure that nobody fishes.
 - B. She is a fisherwoman.
 - C. She helps the writer to fish.
3. It is certain that the man _____.
- A. did not catch any fish.
 - B. loves trout.
 - C. breaks the fishing regulation on purpose.

4

1. Why do the two speakers plan a trip?
- A. Because the weekend is coming.
 - B. Because they are just married.
 - C. Because they are going on business.
2. The woman doesn't want to go to Spain because _____.
- A. they can't afford it
 - B. she dislikes the men there drinking beer all day
 - C. she dislikes bullfights
3. What's the woman's last decision?
- A. Go to France.
 - B. Go to Italy.
 - C. Stay at home.

5

1. When Mark Twain was young he was called _____.
- A. Sam
 - B. Tom
 - C. John
2. Why did Sam admire Tom?
- A. Because Tom was a pirate.
 - B. Because Tom could go to school.
 - C. Because Tom was free.
3. What would the three boys do many evenings?
- A. Live in the same bedroom telling stories.
 - B. Sleep outside.
 - C. Go out to experience something unusual.

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Australia

I. Listen to each dialogue and decide which one is the best answer to each question.

1. What happened to the rock?
 - A. It was washed by the wind and rain.
 - B. There are some shapes and marks on it.
 - C. Someone in the history made features on it.
2. What do you know about Uluru from the woman's words?
 - A. Uluru is very important to the Aborigines.
 - B. People don't like to visit Uluru.
 - C. A tourist attraction is very important.
3. What can caves do?
 - A. They can control temperatures.
 - B. They can help people escape extreme heat and cold.
 - C. They can be used as air-conditioners.
4. How can the woman get treated?
 - A. By driving to the nearest town.
 - B. By asking a doctor to treat her at home.
 - C. The doctor will give her advice on what to do over the radio.
5. What happened to Kooris?
 - A. All of them died.
 - B. The population is smaller and smaller.
 - C. Police hated them.

II. Listen to four conversations and one monologue. Decide which one is the best answer.

1

1. Where's the woman's letter from?

- A. America.
- B. Australia.
- C. New Zealand.

2. Who's Rose?

- A. The woman's teacher.
- B. The woman's mother.
- C. The woman's pen friend.

3. What does the letter say?

- A. Happy birthday!
- B. Happy New Year!
- C. Merry Christmas!

2

1. For what purpose does the boy talk to Miss Li?

- A. For some problems in oral English.
- B. For some questions about the new foreign teacher.
- C. For some questions about New Zealand.

2. How many foreign teachers will there be in the school?

- A. One.
- B. Two.
- C. Three.

3. What's the boy's worry?

- A. His oral English is poor.
- B. The foreign teacher is too serious.
- C. He can't understand New Zealand's English.

3

1. What's the purpose of the telephone call?

- A. To make an airline reservation.
- B. To check an airline reservation.
- C. To change an airline reservation.

2. What problems does the woman mention with the airline reservation?

- A. Airport problems.
 - B. Weather problems.
 - C. Computer problems.
3. How does the woman promise to help the man?
- A. By calling him back.
 - B. By paying him back.
 - C. By changing his flight.

4

1. Before they settled down, the two speakers had a(n) _____.
A. happy time.
B. hard time.
C. easy time.
2. According to the conversation, we can infer that the couple are _____.
A. traveling in a foreign country
B. staying with their parents
C. living in a new land
3. What will the man do immediately after the conversation?
A. Go to sleep.
B. Take a bath.
C. Make a phone call.

5

1. The speaker must be _____ of the city.
A. a tourist
B. a tour guide
C. the mayor
2. In the speaker's eyes, what's expensive in the city?
A. The bus system.
B. The subway.
C. The seafood.
3. What does the speaker think of their hotel?
A. Large and modern.
B. Small and old.
C. Old and expensive.

UNIT 4

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Feed the World

I. Listen to each dialogue and decide which one is the best answer to each question.

1. Which of the following is not true?
 - A. Great changes have taken place on the modern farm because of electricity.
 - B. Modern machines are used widely on the farm.
 - C. All the jobs on the farm are done by machines.
2. What is the woman's idea?
 - A. Science has not been developed so well.
 - B. Wealthy countries should help poor countries and give them food.
 - C. There is not enough land.
3. What are they talking about?
 - A. People are eating more and better food.
 - B. People know more medical knowledge than before.
 - C. Why there is a large population in the world.
4. What can be inferred from the dialogue?
 - A. People try to use sea water to irrigate.
 - B. Over irrigation causes the Aral Sea less and less.
 - C. People have agreed to use sea water for irrigation.
5. Which of the following is true?
 - A. The man likes a rainy day.
 - B. Neither the man nor the woman likes the stuffy day.
 - C. Scientists should make clouds produce rain.