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### 如果我觉得素材有错怎么办?

我们的素材都是经过店主和外教一起编写和检查过的哦! 您可以放心!

其实外国人在生活中有一些常用的口头上的表达,看起来很奇怪但实际并没有错的,国内老师也不会懂这些。所以呀! 如果你觉得素材有错,我们是非常欢迎您来询问我们滴!千万不要觉得不好意思哦!下面举两个例子:

"Anna is two years my elder." 安娜比我大两岁。"She is four months my younger"她比我小四个月。

这是一种比较现代的说法,当然我们平时都会讲"Anna is two years older than me"和"She is four months younger than me."但其实外国人都会用前者多一些的。

"the majority of the girls were content discussing about how handsome or how affluent their boyfriends were." 女孩子们都在热烈地讨论他们的男朋友有多帅。

这是现代英语的另一个特征,就是外国人在口头上都常常会省略掉介词。这里就把 were content with discussing 的 with 去掉了。这在口语上是完全没问题的,但大家在写作中就尽量要避免哦。

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(一) 福尔摩斯

### 01-02: 想再看一次的电影& 读过的有趣书籍或故事

Describe a film/movie you enjoyed and would like	Describe a novel or a story you have read that you
to see again.	thought was particularly interesting.
Some instructions you can follow:	Some instructions you can follow:
What the film/movie was	Why you read the novel story
When and where you saw the film/movie	What the novel/story was about
What the film/movie was about	How long it took you to read it
And explain why you would like to see this	And explain why you thought this novel/story was
film/movie again.	so interesting.

#### 《想再看一次的电影》

I am a big fan of movies and love thrillers in particular. Every time I watch a fascinating movie, it feels like I'm following the main character on an adventure. Recently, I have wanted to watch Sherlock again which was introduced by my friends. In fact, I found it almost impossible to tear my eyes away from the screen! It was when I was in college that I watched it for the first time. This movie is full of intrigue and suspense.

Sherlock is a film adaptation of the Sherlock Holmes series of novels. Holmes and Watson are famous detectives who protect England from evil. Most importantly, they protect people from the criminal mastermind, Professor Moriarty. The battles of wit between Sherlock and Moriarty are very interesting, because both of them are geniuses.

I want to watch Sherlock again because it's my favourite British film. The director of this movie must be a genius because the criminal is never the person who you think it is going to be. Therefore, the conclusion is always a surprise.

我喜欢看电影,尤其喜欢看悬疑电影。每当我遇到精彩的电影,那种感觉就像我在跟着主角一起冒险。 最近我很想再看一次《神探夏洛克》,这部电影是我的好朋友推荐给我的。我第一次看大约是刚上大学 的时候,我和舍友一起在宿舍看的。这部电影里有许多有趣的单独的故事。这些故事充满了神秘和悬念,

《神探夏洛克》是由福尔摩斯系列小说改编的电影<u>。福尔摩斯和华生是著名的侦探,他们保护英国免遭</u> 罪恶。最重要的是,它们保护人们免受超级恶棍 Moriarti 博士的伤害。夏洛克和莫里亚蒂之间的智慧之 战非常有趣,因为他们都是天才。

我想再看一次《神探夏洛克》,因为它是我最喜欢的一部英国电影。这部电影的编剧一定是个天才。因为罪犯从来都不是你想象中的那个人,总有出人意料的结局出现。

### 《读过的有趣书籍》

I am a big fan of reading and love all kinds of novels. Every time I read a fascinating novel, it feels like I'm following the main character on an adventure. Recently, I bought a set of the <u>Adventures of Sherlock Holmes</u>, which was introduced to me by my friends. In fact, I found it almost impossible to put down! The book contains many separate and exciting stories. These stories are full of intrigue and suspense which is why I found the book so hard to put down.

The Sherlock Holmes novels are actually a large collection of stories written by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. Holmes and Watson are famous detectives who protect England from evil. Most importantly, they protect people from the criminal mastermind, Professor Moriarty. The battles of wit between Sherlock and Moriarty are very interesting, because both of them are geniuses.

The <u>Adventures of Sherlock Holmes</u> is a series of books. I have just finished the first set, which took about a week. I am looking forward to reading the rest of the story.

I really like mystery and detective novels because I like to try and solve the mystery myself before I finish the book. I have bought many different types of detective novels since I was young, the best of which is the Sherlock Holmes series. This is because the criminal is never the person who you think it is going to be. Therefore, the conclusion is always a surprise. So, I think that's the reason why the Sherlock Holmes stories are so interesting and popular.

#### 中文翻译:

我喜欢读书,尤其喜欢看各类小说。每当我遇到精彩的小说,那种感觉就像我在跟着主角一起冒险。最 近我买了一套《福尔摩斯合集》,这本书是我的好朋友推荐给我的。事实上,我发现这本书实在太好看 了,简直停不下来。这本书里有许多有趣的独立的故事。这些故事充满了神秘和悬念,简直让人爱不释 手。

福尔摩斯系列小说是阿瑟·柯南·道尔爵士创作的一套大型小说。<u>福尔摩斯和华生是著名的侦探,他们</u> 保护英国免遭罪恶。最重要的是,它们保护人们免受超级恶棍 Moriarti 博士的伤害。夏洛克和莫里亚蒂 之间的智慧之战非常有趣,因为他们都是天才。

福尔摩斯系列是一套丛书,我才刚刚看完第一部。大约用了一周的时间。我很期待接下来的故事。

我喜欢悬疑小说和侦探小说,因为我喜欢在看完之前尝试自己解谜。夏洛克·福尔摩斯的小说非常好, 因为罪犯从来都不是你想象中的那个人,总有出人意料的结局出现。 所以这就是福尔摩斯系列如此有 趣的原因。

# (二)新东方直播

### 03-04: 喜欢的节目& 享受的一节英语课

Describe a programme that you enjoyed very much	Describe an English lesson that you really enjoyed.
(e.g. on TV or the internet).	Some instructions you can follow:
Some instructions you can follow:	Where the lesson took place
What the programme was about	What the lesson was about
Where you watched this programme	What the teacher did
Who you watched it with	And explain why you enjoyed this lesson so much.
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much.	

### 《喜欢的节目》

Recently, I have gotten into an online live-streaming program. That is, an online shopping live stream program hosted by English training giant New Oriental. In my spare time, I stay home alone in the evening and watch the program on my phone.

Many years ago, TV shopping shows were just about TV hosts selling stuff. But in this program, senior English teachers act as the host and do live commerce. It's a new model of learning English while buying products.

I have never thought that a TV shopping show would be so much fun. In the program, these teachers are teaching English while being the hosts. They not only introduce products in English, but also write the relevant words on a blackboard to help explain. For example, the first time I watched the program, I learned some terms for steak, such as sirloin, rib eye, and filet.

And also, the teachers told us their childhood stories and life experiences in English. I feel as if I am taking free English classes. This program is so interesting, and I wish more people knew about it.

最近,我迷恋上一档网络直播节目,那就是由著名的教育机构新东方创办的网络购物直播。在我有空的 晚上,我会一个人呆在家里,在手机上看这个节目。

很多年前,电视购物节目只是电视台主持人在卖东西,而我喜欢的这一档节目则是由资深的英语老师直 播带货。它开创了一个全新的模式,那就是边买东西还能边学英语。

我从没想过一个电视购物节目竟然如此的有趣。在节目里,这些英语老师们既充当了主持人的角色,同时也是一位英语老师。他们不仅用英语来介绍商品特征,同时还会把一些相关的英语词汇写在小黑板上进行讲解。比如,我第一次看这个节目,我就学会了几种牛排的说法,例如,西冷,肉眼和菲力。

于此同时,新东方的老师们还用英语给大家分享他们小时候的故事和生活中的体会。这让我觉得我简直 是在免费上他们的英语课!要知道他们平时的课程可是很贵的!这档节目真的太有趣了,我希望有更多 的人能知道它!

### 《享受的一节英语课》

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And also, the teachers told us their childhood stories and life experiences in English. I feel as if I am taking free English classes. This special teaching method makes me feel that learning English is no longer boring.

中文思路:

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# (三) 公司附近的运动场

# 05-06: 受欢迎的运动场& 去过的一个户外活动场所

Describe a popular place for playing sport (e.g. a	Describe a place you went to do an outdoor activity.
stadium, a sports centre) that you know about.	Some instructions you can follow:
Some instructions you can follow:	Where you went and when
Where this place for playing sport is	What outdoor activity you did at this place
How you know about this place	Why you did this outdoor activity
Whether you have visited this place	And explain how you felt about doing the outdoor
And explain why you think this place for playing	activity at this place.
sport is popular.	

#### 《受欢迎的运动场》

I like to play badminton at the stadium near my workplace in my spare time. It's the most popular sports place in the area. It's close to many office buildings, and badminton games held by industry associations at the end of each year are held there.

The stadium is very famous, and I learned about it from my colleague some time ago. Last week, I played badminton there. It is a large outdoor stadium with 10 or so badminton courts. I can always find partners to play me.

The stadium is the largest multi-purpose stadium in the neighborhood. Aside from my favorite badminton court, there are also basketball and track courts. There is even a small children's entertainment area at the edge of the stadium. People of all ages can find a place for their own activities here.

I have been to other badminton courts, but most of them are old and of poor quality. This court has good facilities and level surfaces. There is also a store next to it people can buy drinks from. It's an outdoor area, so you cannot play in bad weather, but all in all, many people enjoy playing badminton here.

每当我有空的时候,我都喜欢去我们公司附近的体育场打打羽毛球。这个体育场是我们这个区域最受欢迎的运动场地。它不仅距离各个写字楼很近,每年年底行业协会举办的羽毛球比赛也会在这里进行。

我很早就从同事那里知道了这个体育场,因为它还挺有名气的。上周我刚刚去那里打过羽毛球。这是一 个很大的户外体育场,里面有好多个羽毛球场,可能有十个以上。在那里我总能快速找到和我一起打羽 毛球的伙伴。

这个体育场是附近最大的多功能的体育场。除了我最喜欢的羽毛球场。这里还有篮球场和田径场。在体育场的边上甚至有一个小型的儿童娱乐区。不论是什么年龄段的人都能够在这里找到适合自己的活动。 我去过其他的一些羽毛球场,它们大多都又旧又破。而这个羽毛球场的设施维护的很好,地面平整。场 地旁边还有一个很大的便利店,方便人们去买饮料。虽然这里是室外的受到天气条件的限制,但是总的 来说,这里还是非常受欢迎的。

### 《去过的一个户外活动场所》

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The stadium is very famous, and I learned about it from my colleague early on. Last week, I played badminton there. This is a large outdoor stadium with 10 or more badminton courts. I can always find partners to play me. I am a big fan of outdoor sports. As I am getting older, my back often hurts. Doing exercise can help relieve my pain. Besides, it also makes me look younger and more energetic.

I love playing badminton. It's a fun sport which is not too intense. And there is no risk of overworking or hurting myself. And also, I just need to find one partner to play badminton with. I have been to other badminton courts, but most of them are old and not good. This court has good facilities and level surfaces. There is also a store next to it, people can buy drinks there. It's an outdoor area, so you cannot come to play in bad weather. But all in all, it's fun to play badminton here.

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我很早就从同事那里知道了这个体育场,因为它还挺有名气的。上周我刚刚去那里打过羽毛球。这是一 个很大的户外体育场,里面有好多个羽毛球场,可能有十个以上。在那里我总能快速找到和我一起打羽 毛球的伙伴。我是个喜欢户外运动的人。随着年龄的增长,我经常觉得腰酸背痛,运动能有效的缓解我 身体的疼痛。除此之外还能让我看起来更加年轻和有活力。

我喜欢打羽毛球,因为这是一项有趣的运动,同时它对身体要求不高,没有过度劳累或伤害自己的风险。 另外,羽毛球对人数的要求很低,我只需要寻找一个伙伴就够了。我去过其他的一些羽毛球场,它们大 多都又旧又破。而这个羽毛球场的设施维护的很好,地面平整。场地旁边还有一个很大的便利店,方便 人们去买饮料。虽然这里是室外的,经常受到天气条件的限制。但是总的来说。这里打羽毛球是很开心 的。

# (四) 网购查不到物流

### 07-09: 需要寻找信息的时刻& 决定等待的时刻& 购物时发生的问题

Describe a time when you had to	Describe a time when you made a	Describe a problem you had when
find some information.	decision to wait for something.	you bought something in a
What kind of information you had	Some instructions you can follow:	shop/store or online.
to find	What you decided to wait for	Some instructions you can follow:
Where you looked for the	What you did while you were	What you bought
information	waiting	Where and when you bought it
How much you enjoyed looking	How you felt while you were	What problem you had with it
for the information	waiting	And explain how you felt about
And explain why you needed the	And explain why deciding to wait	having this problem.
information.	was a good/bad decision.	1

#### 《需要寻找信息的时刻》

Recently, my company paid me a quarterly bonus, so I thought I'd get a new phone to treat myself. After comparing some options, I finally settled on the latest iPhone. So, I placed an order at Pinduoduo.com, because for the same product it offered the best price when compared to other retailers.

Never did I expect that I would not receive it even several days after shipping. I tried to reach out to the seller but never got any reply. Then I decided to search for the shipping information myself, only to find out that it had stopped at a transit station. So, I continue my search online for the contact information of that transit station. The staff there told me that the package seemed to be lost and that they were still trying to find it in the warehouse.

To be honest, I don't like searching for information at all, because it's very boring. But I had to in this case because the seller didn't solve the problem at all and Pinduoduo only gave some very official replies. If I want to receive my phone as soon as possible, I can only search for the relevant information by myself and communicate with the postal service. I believe it was totally a mistake to buy a phone at phone at Pinduoduo. Sure, it was indeed a bargain, but the after-sales service was so lousy that I will never buy anything there again.

不久前公司发了我的季度奖金,于是我想换一部新手机来慰劳下自己。经过了一段时间的比对,我最终 决定买一款最新的 iPhone,于是我就在拼多多下单了。因为同样的产品,拼多多是最便宜的。

没想到在发货好几天后,我依旧没收到。我试图联系卖家,但卖家一直没回复我。于是我决定自己寻找 快递信息。我查到我的快递停留在了一个中转站,于是我在网上继续搜索那家中转站的联系方式,那边 的工作人员告诉我快递疑似丢失,他们还在仓库里面找。

说实话我一点也不喜欢搜索信息,因为这是一件非常枯燥乏味的事。但是拼多多的客服实在是太不负责 任了,他们完全不解决问题,只会给出一些一些很官方的回复。如果我想快点收到我的手机,只能自己 搜索相关信息,然后和快递沟通。我认为我在拼多多上买手机的决定是彻头彻尾的错误。虽说它的价格 是便宜的,但售后服务实在是太差了,我再也不会在上面买东西了。

### 《决定等待的时刻》

My company recently paid me a quarterly bonus, so I thought I'd get a new phone to treat myself. I finally settled on the latest iPhone after some comparison. So, I placed an order at Pinduoduo.com because for the same product compared to other retailers it offered the best price.

Never did I expect that I would not receive it even after several days of shipping. I tried to reach out to the seller but never got any reply. I got so outraged that all I wanted to do at that moment was to get a refund. But then it came to me that the price might be the lowest one I could ever have. So, I decided to wait it out after some thinking.

The wait was excruciating and I was worried about my phone every day. Then I decided to search for the shipping information myself, only to find out that it had stopped at a transit station. So, I continued my search online for the contact information of that transit station. The staff there told me that the package seemed to be lost and that they were still trying to look for it in the warehouse.

Fortunately, after maybe three or four days, I received my phone to my surprise. Granted, the decision to wait was a good one, yet I believe it was totally a mistake to buy a phone at Pinduoduo.

中文思路:

不久前公司发了我的季度奖金,于是我想换一部新手机来慰劳下自己。经过了一段时间的比对,我最终 决定买一款最新的 iPhone,于是我就在拼多多下单了。因为同样的产品,拼多多是最便宜的。

没想到在发货好几天后,我依旧没收到。我试图联系卖家,但卖家一直没回复我。我非常生气,那一刻 我只想申请退款。但我又想到,这家店的价格是我能找到的最低价。我思考了一阵,决定再等等看。

等待是令人煎熬的,我每天都在担心我的手机。于是我决定自己寻找快递信息。我查到我的快递停留在 了一个中转站,于是我在网上继续搜索那家中转站的联系方式,那边的工作人员告诉我快递疑似丢失, 他们还在仓库里面找。

庆幸的是,大概过了三四天,我竟然收到了我的手机。虽说我决定等待的决定是对的,但我认为我在拼 多多上买手机的决定是彻头彻尾的错误。虽说它的价格是便宜的,但售后服务实在是太差了,我再也不 会在上面买东西了。

### 《购物时发生的问题》

Well, I had a terrible shopping experience not too long ago. My company paid me a quarterly bonus at that time, so I thought I'd get a new phone to treat myself. Finally, I settled on the latest iPhone after some comparison, so I placed an order at Pinduoduo.com. Because for the same product compared to other retailers it offered the best price.

Never did I expect that I would not receive it even after several days of shipping. I tried to reach out to the seller but never got any reply. Then I decided to search for the shipping information myself, only to find out that it had stopped at a transit station. So, I continue my search online for the contact information of that transit station, and the staff there told me that the package seemed to be lost, while they were still trying to look for it in the warehouse.

I got so outraged that all I wanted to do at that moment was to get a refund. But then it came to me that the price might be the lowest one I could ever have. So, I decided to wait it out after some thinking. Fortunately, after maybe three or four days, I received my phone to my surprise. Granted, the decision to wait was a good one, yet I believe it was totally a mistake to buy a phone at phone at Pinduoduo.

Sure, it was indeed a bargain, but the after-sales service was so lousy that I will never buy anything there again.

中文思路:不久前我经历了一次糟心的购物体验。那时候公司发了我的季度奖金,于是我想换一部新手机来慰劳下自己。经过了一段时间的比对,我最终决定买一款最新的 iPhone,于是我就在拼多多下单了。因为同样的产品,拼多多是最便宜的。

没想到在发货好几天后,我依旧没收到。我试图联系卖家,但卖家一直没回复我。于是我决定自己寻找 快递信息。我查到我的快递停留在了一个中转站,于是我在网上继续搜索那家中转站的联系方式,那边 的工作人员告诉我快递疑似丢失,他们还在仓库里面找。

我非常生气,那一刻我只想申请退款。但我又想到,这家店的价格是我能找到的最低价。我思考了一阵, 决定再等等看。庆幸的是,大概过了三四天,我竟然收到了我的手机。虽说我决定等待的决定是对的, 但我认为我在拼多多上买手机的决定是彻头彻尾的错误。虽说它的价格是便宜的,但售后服务实在是太 差了,我再也不会在上面买东西了。

# (五) 接待外国客户

### 10-11: 与其他文化的人共度时光& 完成的难事

Describe someone from another culture (e.g. a	Describe a time when you succeeded in doing
friend, a teacher) who you enjoy spending time	something that was difficult.
with.	Some instructions you can follow:
Some instructions you can follow:	What you succeeded in doing
Who this person is	Why it was difficult to do
What his/her cultural background is	How much help you needed
When and where you met this person	And explain how you felt when you succeeded in
And explain why you enjoy spending time with this	doing this difficult thing.
person from another culture.	

#### 《与其他文化的人共度时光》

I can still recall the day not so long ago when an American client visited our company. The client's name was Mike. He was an all-American middle-aged man who spoke English as well as the American films.

The task of receiving him was assigned to me by my boss. To be honest, though I had been practicing English recently, my level of fluency was still limited to some simple dialogues like shopping and getting directions when traveling abroad. Since no mistakes were allowed on such formal occasions, I felt quite nervous.

On that day, Mr. Mike arrived to our company on time. All I could do was take the client to the conference room and ask him to have a seat, and then in my broken English, I briefed him about the general situation of our company. To my great relief, (maybe he noticed my nervousness) he didn't even ask me any questions about the business! Just some simple inquiries about places to eat nearby.

Chatting with foreigners, actually, is not as difficult as it seems because they are friendly. With some basic English and maybe a few gestures, you can clearly express yourself. I really enjoyed this experience. Compared to some annoyed Chinese clients, it made me feel at ease and happy to chat with Mike.

我还记得不久前的一天,我们公司来了一个美国客户。这位客户叫 Mike,是一个纯正的美国中年男人, 英语说的就像教科书里面一样好。

领导将接待他的任务分配给了我。说实话,虽然我最近一直在学英语,但是我还没有在正式场合接待过外国人。我的英语能力仅限于出国旅游时的一些简单对话,比如买东西和问路。而正式场合则不允许出错,所以我还是非常紧张的。

那天下午,mike 如约来到了我们公司。我只能硬着头皮把他带到会议室坐下,然后用我蹩脚的英语向 他介绍了我们公司的大致情况。令我感到欣慰的是,他似乎看出了我的紧张,因此他没有问我业务上的 问题!只是简单地问了一下附近有什么吃饭的地方。

现在回想起来,其实跟外国人聊天并不不是一件可怕的事情。他们真的非常友好和宽容。一些蹩脚的英语,再加上一些手势就足以让他们理解你想要表达的意思。比起一些挑剔的中国客户,和 mike 相处让我感到轻松和愉快。

### 《完成的难事》

I can still recall the day not so long ago when an American client visited our company. The task of receiving him was assigned to me by the manager, and fortunately, I succeeded in this tough job.

To be honest, though I have been practicing English recently, my level of fluency is still limited to some simple dialogues like shopping and getting directions when traveling abroad. Since no mistakes were allowed on such formal occasions, I felt quite nervous.

I was going to ask a colleague who speaks good English to join me in this task that day. However, I realized that everyone had their own work to do, and no one would be able do me a favor. All I could do was take the client to the conference room and ask him to have a seat, and then in my broken English, I briefed him about the general situation of our company. To my great relief, he didn't even ask me any questions about the business! Just some simple inquiries about places to eat nearby. It was probably for only about ten minutes that I talked to him before my manager showed up. And then their formal meeting started.

Chatting with foreigners, actually, is not as difficult as it seems. With some basic English and maybe a few gestures, you can clearly express yourself. I really enjoyed this experience. Not only was it fun, but also it made me feel confident in my English learning ability.

中文思路:

我还记得不久前的一天,我们公司来了一个美国客户。领导将接待他们的任务分配给了我,幸运的是我 成功的完成了这个困难的任务。

说实话,虽然我最近一直在学英语,但我的英语能力仅限于出国旅游时的一些简单对话,比如买东西和 问路。而正式场合则不允许出错,所以我还是非常紧张的。

那天,我原本想找个英语好的同事和我一起完成这个任务。但是我发现每个人都有自己的工作,没有人可以帮助我。我只能硬着头皮把他带到会议室坐下,然后用我蹩脚的英语向他介绍了我们公司的大致情况。令我感到欣慰的是,他们没有问我业务上的问题!只是简单地问了一下附近有什么吃饭的地方。我大概只跟他聊了十几分钟,我的领导就过来了。然后他们就开始了正式的会议。

其实跟外国人聊天并没有想象中困难。一些简单的英语,再加上一些手势就足以让他们理解你想要表达的意思。我非常享受这段经历,它不仅有趣,而且还给了我学好英语的信心。

# (单独话题)

# 12: 喜欢打扮的人

Describe a person you know who enjoys dressing well. Some instructions you can follow: Who the person is What job/studies the person does What sort of clothes the person wears And explain why you think this person enjoys dressing well.

Anna was the first person I got to know since joining the company and she also happens to be my direct manager. As far as I can remember, she is always properly dressed.

Anna and I work in financial securities. Anna spends most of her time processing data which means she does not deal with clients face to face. Still, she wears professional attire every day and keeps her hair perfectly combed all the time.

Anna is the undisputed queen of professional dressing in our department. I used to equate professional clothing with a white blouse, pants and a pair of black high heels, the kind of look that tended to make people mistake me for a real estate agent. But seeing the way Anna dresses, I know I couldn't have been more wrong. Outdated ladies' suits are never her choice. Instead, she prefers stylish, solid-color blouses and dark skirts. In fall and winter, she will also put on a silk scarf or wool shawl. Every article of Anna's clothing is exquisite and chic.

I believe Anna has taken such great care in dressing for work out of professional necessity because no one likes to be colleagues with a scruffy person. If she shows up for work one day in a T-shirt and jeans, her subordinates would consider it unprofessional. By dressing well, Anna is conveying to others her attitude towards life and work, and that is to be conscientious, be rational and be serious.

中文思路:

Anna 是我在公司入职后第一个认识的人,同时也是我的直属领导。在我的印象中,她的穿着总是非常得体。

我和 anna 都从事证券相关的工作。大多数时间,她都在后台处理数据,不会直接面对客户,但她依然 每天都穿着非常正式的职业装,头发看起来也没有一丝凌乱。

Anna 是我们部门公认的最会打扮的人。一开始我对职业装的理解就是白衬衣搭配西裤,再穿上一对黑色高跟鞋。但这样子总让人觉得我是房产中介。然而 anna 颠覆了我的观点。她从来不穿那种过时的女士西服,她喜欢有设计感的纯色衬衣,搭配深色的裙子。如果到了秋冬季节,他还会搭配丝巾或者羊毛披肩。她的每一件衣服都很精致且有设计感。

我认为 anna 之所以花了很多心思在穿衣打扮上,是因为职业的需要。没有人喜欢和一个邋遢的人成为同事。如果有一天 anna 穿着 T 恤和牛仔裤来上班,那他的属下都会认为她很不专业。他用精致的服饰向其他人传达了她的生活态度和工作态度。那就是认真和理性。不论是对工作,还是生活,她都会严谨的对待。

### 13: 忘记约定的时刻

Describe a time when you forgot an appointment (e.g. a doctor's appointment or meeting a friend). Some instructions you can follow: When and where the appointment was Why you forgot the appointment What happened after you forgot the appointment And explain how you felt about forgetting the appointment.

Not long ago, I was confined at home for two weeks because of the pandemic. While working remotely during this period, I caused myself quite a big problem by forgetting about an important video conference.

The conference on the Tencent Meeting platform was scheduled for a Wednesday morning. But since I had worked late and gone to bed without even washing up the night before, the video call had completed slipped my mind. The next morning, I was woken up by a call from a colleague who kindly reminded me that it was already past the meeting's scheduled start time and that the managers were getting impatient waiting for me to get online. My mind went blank for a moment. I then jumped out of bed and logged in to the conference only to find myself disheveled and still in pajamas. In fact, since working from home my work-life balance had been thrown out of whack and I had been feeling a bit overwhelmed. Staying at home all the time was also not conducive to my mental health. I regretted the incident so much that I was feeling down the entire day. I was afraid I might have left a bad impression on the managers and made my colleague think of me as unreliable.

中文思路:

不久前,因为疫情的原因,我被迫居家办公了两周。就在这期间,我忘记了一次重要的视频会议,这给 我带来了不小的麻烦。

那是原定于周三早上在腾讯会议 app 上进行的一场视频会议。因为前一天晚上加班到很晚,工作结束后 我甚至没有洗脸就睡觉了。完全忘记了原本约定好的会议。第二天早上,当我还在睡梦中的时候,我被 同事的电话铃声吵醒了,她好心的提醒我会议已经开始了,而我还没有上线。领导们等待的很不耐烦。 我的大脑空白了片刻,我立刻从床上弹起来打开电脑。尴尬的是视频中只有我头发凌乱,还穿着睡衣。

事实上,居家办公以后,我的工作和生活完全搅在了一起。这搞得我有些手忙脚乱。每天待在家里,导 致我整个人精神状态不佳。这件事让我非常后悔,事实上后来的一整天我的情绪都非常低落。我想我可 能给领导留下了非常不好的印象。同事们也会觉得我是个不靠谱的人。

# 14: 户外看到塑料污染的时刻

Describe a time when you saw a lot of plastic waste in a natural environment (e.g. a park, a beach, a river). Some instructions you can follow: When and where you saw this plastic waste How you think this plastic waste got there Why you noticed it And explain how you felt about seeing plastic waste in this natural environment.

Lately, the riverside park near our house has been hosting night fairs every weekend. Except for a few stalls that sell handicrafts, most are there selling drinks and snacks, from lemon tea to hamburgers to barbecued food. The park is bursting at the seams during the events as they are very popular among young people.

As the night fairs have become an internet sensation, I went to one of them last weekend. While I was looking for a place to throw away some garbage, I was surprised to find that all the trash cans were filled to the brim with plastic cups and bowls. There was even garbage scattered on the grass next to the trash cans. The mixture of plastic waste and food residues was a real eyesore. While the organizer had made many trash cans available, they were not nearly enough considering the traffic the event generated and the waste it produced in a single night. If the garbage was not cleaned up in time, it would cause environmental pollution.

As a matter of fact, I am a very environmentally conscious person and it pained me to see plastic waste dumped on the lawn. The night fairs were meant to boost the local economy but have ended up taking a huge environmental toll on the park. I think the organizer must take responsibility and not allow the issue to go on by actively seeking solutions to it.

中文思路:

最近,我们家附近的江边公园里,每到周末都会举办大型的夜市。夜市除了少数摊位售卖手工艺品,大 部分摊位都售卖各种小吃。比如柠檬茶,汉堡,烧烤等等。这个夜市在年轻人中非常受欢迎,每次举办 的时候都人山人海。

上周末我也去了这个网红夜市,在我到处寻找垃圾桶的时候,我惊讶的发现这里所有的垃圾桶都被塑料 杯子和碗堆满了。由于垃圾桶已经塞不下了,很多垃圾被直接丢在垃圾桶旁边的草地上,塑料垃圾混合 着一些食物残渣,看起来非常碍眼。虽然主办方提供了很多垃圾桶。然而这里的游客太多,大量的小吃 摊位一晚上就会产生大量的塑料垃圾。这些垃圾没有被及时清理,就会造成环境污染。

事实上,我是个很注重环保的人。看到塑料垃圾被随意丢弃在草坪上,我感到非常痛心。夜市的本意是为了活跃经济,但是却给公园的环境带来的巨大的负担。我想主办方应该对此负责,他们应该积极寻找 解决办法,而不是任由自然环境被破坏。

# 15: 印象深刻的童年朋友

Describe a friend from childhood who you remember very well. Some instructions you can follow: Who the friend is How you met him/her What you used to do together And explain why you remember this childhood friend so well.

Speaking of the person who impressed me most during my childhood, it has to be my desk mate Anna. I am very lucky to have met such a lovely desk mate.

Anna was the most beautiful girl in our school. She had white skin and big eyes, as if she was a porcelain doll. I found her beautiful from the first time I set eyes on her. Her desk mate was always envied by all the boys in the class. Every year our teacher would re-arrange the seating plan, and I became her desk mate in grade six.

People usually think that good-looking girls are likely to be arrogant, but Anna was really quite easy to get along with. Although she was not so good at her studies, she was very cheerful and liked to laugh. We also shared a hobby; the game of Mole World. To be honest about how I felt about her, I have to admit that I wanted to be as beautiful as she was.

What impressed me most about Anna was, of course, her beauty. I don't know how beautiful she is now, but she was really pretty when she was a kid. At that time, I thought she had the potential to be a movie star. Not only that, but she had a gift for dancing, and always attracted people's attention when there was a school play. Perhaps I was unconsciously a little attracted to Anna. Being good-looking is really an enviable trait after all.

中文思路:

谈到童年印象最深的人,那一定是我的同桌 anna 了。我不知用了多少运气才遇到这么可爱的同桌。

Anna 是我们全校最漂亮的女生,雪白的皮肤,大大的眼睛,长的就像芭比娃娃一样好看,从开学的第 一天我就注意到她了。安娜的同桌总遭到全班所有男生的妒忌。每年开学班主任都会重新排座位,就这 么奇妙的,六年级的时候,我成为了那个幸运儿。

通常大家都认为长的好看的女生大概率会很高傲,但 anna 还是很好相处的。她虽然成绩一般般,但是 很开朗,很喜欢笑。我们还有个共同的爱好,就是打摩尔庄园。那时候我们常常一起打游戏。我对她的 感觉,就是喜欢,更多的是羡慕,如果我也能长那么好看就好了。

Anna 留给我最深刻的印象当然是漂亮。虽然我不知道她现在是什么样子,但是她小时候真的很好看。 我一度觉得她会成为明星。不仅如此她还会舞蹈,每当学校有演出她总是最吸引人目光的那个。虽然我 是个女孩子,都会不自觉的被 anna 吸引,长的好看真的个让人羡慕的特质。

# 16: 美丽的物品

Describe an object that you think is very beautiful. Some instructions you can follow: What the object is Where you first saw the object What it looks like And explain how you feel about this beautiful object.

I received a diamond ring from my boyfriend for my birthday last year, which came as a real pleasant surprise. It was a beautiful ring. The moment I put it on, I understood why women love diamond rings so much: they sparkle.

The first time I laid my eyes on the ring was at a mall. My boyfriend and I were out shopping and when we stopped by a jewelry store, the ring immediately caught my eye. It was beautifully shaped with one diamond surrounded by a circle of smaller ones and it looked like a flower in full bloom. Under the light in the store, the diamonds sparkled in different colors from different angles and the presence of those smaller stones made the ring look big and shiny. I learned from the shop assistant that the ring would cost several thousand yuan. It was not as costly as I had imagined, but I thought about my financial circumstances and decided to leave without it.

I have been taking great care of my diamond ring and only wear it on important occasions. It is not only because it is pretty, but also because it is a symbol of the love from my boyfriend, who told me that he would buy me a bigger and more expensive diamond ring when he proposes to me. As a matter of fact, I am already looking forward to it. I guess women are born to be attracted to shiny objects.

中文思路:

去年生日的时候,我收到了男朋友送我的钻戒,这让我感到非常惊喜。这枚钻戒真的很美。带上钻戒的 那一刻,我才开始理解为什么女人都喜欢钻石。因为它实在是太闪耀了。

我第一次见到这枚钻戒是在商场里,那天我和男朋友一起逛街。路过珠宝店的时候,我就被这枚钻戒吸 引了。它的造型很精美,中间有一颗稍大一点的钻石,周围镶嵌了一圈小钻石。看起来就像一朵盛开的 花。在店铺里灯光的照耀下,钻石从不同角度折射出各种颜色的光芒。因为周围那一圈小钻石的存在, 整个钻戒看起来很大很闪。我问了下服务员价格,大概几千元。并没有我想象中那么贵,但我想了想自 己的信用卡账单。最后还是离开了商场。

之后我一直小心的收藏着这枚钻戒,只有在一些重要场合才会拿出来带。不仅仅因为这枚钻戒很漂亮。 更因为它代表了男朋友的心意。男朋友还告诉我,以后向我求婚的时候会买一枚更大更贵的钻戒。事实 上,我已经开始期待了,女人天生对闪闪发光的东西没什么抵抗力。

### 17:别人的家

Describe the home of somebody who you know well. Some instructions you can follow: Whose home this is How often you go there What this home looks like And explain how you feel about this person's home.

Anna is my best-connected colleague and we have lunch together almost every day. On weekends and holidays, she invites me over. I drop by about 1-2 times a month, and I know her home very well.

Since I got the job, I have been living with my parents in their home, the interior of which is plain and simple. However, the condo of Anna's, which is a two-storey loft and just a stone's throw from the company, is elegant. With the interior decoration designed by her, Anna has made the over 40 square meter loft a pleasant place to live in. On the first floor is the living room, and the bedroom and the bathroom are located on the second. Studded with various flowers and plants, the space is even more even more beautiful; the row of star-shaped lights hanging on the balcony is most eye-catching, which twinkles automatically according to the intensity of the daylight. It's incredibly dreamlike.

Besides, what I am fond of about her home is the Smart Home system. When Anna opens the door, the ceiling lamp in the living room is automatically switched on and the curtains automatically open. The TV and the air conditioner are speech controlled. I have to say that this modernized home is indeed my cup of tea. Every time I am here, chatting or watching a movie, I feel completely relaxed. This is the home of my dreams, and I will build my own in the near future.

中文思路:

Anna 是我关系最好的同事,我们几乎每天中午都会一起吃午饭。到了周末或者节假日, anna 经常邀请 我去她家做客。我大概每个月都会去她家 1-2 次,因此我对她家非常熟悉。

工作以后,我一直和父母住在一起,因此我的家看起来非常普通。而 anna 在离公司不远的地方租了一个 loft,屋子里的一切都是她自己布置的。这间房子不大,只有 40 多平米。一口是客厅,二楼是卧室和洗手间。为了让这个家看起来温馨一点, anna 买了很多花草放在屋里。最吸引我的就是她在阳台上挂了一排星星形状的灯,这些灯可以感应光的强弱,到了夜晚就会自动亮起来。看起来非常梦幻。

除此之外,我最喜欢的就是她家的全屋智能家电。当她打开房门,客厅的吊灯就会自动亮起,窗帘也会自动打开。房间里的电视和空调都是可以语音控制的。不得不说,我非常喜欢这样现代化的家,每次到她家和她一起聊天和看电影,都让我感到非常放松。anna的家简直是我梦想中的房子,我希望未来我也能拥有一套这样的公寓。

# 18: 拍过的一张满意的照片

Describe a photo you took that you are proud of. Some instructions you can follow: Who or what was in your photo When you took the photo Why you took it And explain why you are proud of this photo you took.

I recently took a set of photos of my dog. I think every one of them looks great and of course I picked my favorite and set it as my phone's screensaver.

Last month, I took my dog to the park on a beautiful weekend and asked my boyfriend to join and help me. My boyfriend would play with the dog and I would be taking pictures. After a while, I realized my job was harder than I had thought because the pet couldn't understand my instructions. Instead of cooperating with me, he just ran around on the lawn to his heart's content. So, it took quite some time for me to get a picture that I was satisfied with. Then, the dog happened to be looking into the camera and I happened to have captured the moment. Thus was born a picture I was proud of. In the picture, the dog was smiling and running against the background of sunshine, blue skies and green grass that looked like a nice painting.

Since my dog is already ten years old, I had always wanted to have some formal photos taken of him to keep for later. I consulted some pet photo studios but their charges were exorbitant. That was why I had decided to take matters into my own hands. The reason I am so proud of the photo I am talking about is that I managed to record a beautiful moment of my dog at a low cost. To me, the picture could not have been better.

中文思路:

不久前,我给我们家的狗拍了一组写真照。我认为每一张都很好看,当然我还是挑了最喜欢的一张设置 成了我的手机屏保。

上个月,我挑了一个天气很好的周末,带狗狗来到了公园。我还叫上了我的男朋友帮忙。他负责和小狗 玩,而我负责拍照。我拍了一会儿才发现,宠物摄影之所以难,是因为小狗听不懂人话,无法配合摄影 师拍照。它只会开心的在草坪上跑来跑去。过了非常长的一段时间后,我才拍出了让我满意的照片。那 时候小狗的眼神刚好看向镜头,我也抓拍到了这个的瞬间。一张我引以为豪的照片就这样产生了。照片 里小狗微笑着在草坪上奔跑,那天阳光很好,蓝色的天空加上绿色的草地,背景美的就像一幅油画。

我家的狗狗已经十岁了,一直以来,我都想给它拍一些正式的照片留作纪念。我咨询过一些宠物照相馆, 他们的收费实在是太贵了。所以我决定自动手。我之所以为这张照片骄傲,是因为我用很低的成本,就 记录下了关于狗狗的美好瞬间。而且在我眼里,这张照片的水平完全不输给专业的摄影师。

# 19: 与某人意见不合的时刻

Describe a time when you disagreed with somebody about something. Some instructions you can follow: Who you disagreed with What you disagreed about What the result of this disagreement was And explain how you felt about disagreeing with this person.

My memory was brought back to a Friday, which should have been beautiful, but turned out to be ruined by a disagreement with my boss. On that very day, I had finished all the work and was ready for a date with my boyfriend at a Michelin-starred restaurant.

Everything was going well before my phone rang over dinner. Unexpectedly, my boss called and asked me bluntly to go back to the office to work overtime and settle a business plan.

I was a little angry, as his attitude was hard to take. In addition, I was off work trying to maintain a balanced personal life with my boyfriend. Be that as it may, I minced my words, saying that I was heading home by high-speed train and that I was unlikely to return to the office. However, my boss went so far as to say he could send me an electronic version. I couldn't help saying that I couldn't work on weekends without the laptop, which happened to be not around. There was silence for a while and then he hung up.

When I got home afterward, I began to feel regretful. Behaving like that was definitely not smart at all. I grabbed the phone and made a call to my boss, saying that I could make time to settle the work the next day. That was a lesson for me. Never, ever turn your boss down without thought, even though he is going too far, or the opinions differ. Just suck it up.

中文思路:

我记得不久前,我跟我的上司有一次意见不合的经历。我清楚的记得那是一个美好的周五,我已经完成 了所有工作,期待着下班后跟我的男朋友一起去一家米其林餐厅约会。

本来一切都很美好,可当我和男朋友正在吃饭的时候,我的上司给我打了个电话。在听到电话铃的时候 我就感觉不妙。果不其然,他用很不客气的语气命令我回办公室完成一份商业计划书。

我当时非常生气。因为周五下班后的时间就是我的个人时间,而且我正在跟我男朋友进行一场美妙的约 会。我委婉地说我回家的高铁上,没法完成。但我上司竟然说他可以发电子版给我。我实在没办法了, 只能说我没带电脑周末无法工作。他沉默了片刻就把电话挂了。

晚上回到家后,我开始后悔了。如此对待自己的上司不是一个聪明人应该做的事。于是我立刻联系我的 领导,告诉他明天我可以抽空完成工作。这对我来说是一次教训,以后最好不要直接拒绝上司的无理要 求,即使我不同意他的观点,也只能尽量忍耐。

# 20: 收到钱作为礼物

Describe a time when someone gave you some money as a gift. Some instructions you can follow: Who gave you the money Why they gave it to you What you did with it And explain how you felt about receiving this money.

I received 88 yuan in Hong Bao (red envelopes containing cash as gifts or bonuses) from my boss during the Lunar New Year this year. Although the amount was small, it still made me very happy since 8 is a lucky number in China as it symbolizes money and wealth.

In our country, it is customary for employers to give employees Hong Bao on their first day of work after the Lunar New Year break and our boss follows that tradition. For businesses, giving staff Hong Bao is not only an expression of their new year wishes to everyone, but also a great way for them to build team cohesion.

To be honest, I would typically feel exhausted and overwhelmed on my first day at work after a long Lunar New Year holiday. That is because I would normally have been travelling around during the break and would have just returned to the city. Besides, it would take me some time to adjust to work after having been off for so long. Receiving Hong Bao at such a juncture would certainly buoy everyone's spirit.

I had a nice lunch and a cup of milk tea the day I received my Hong Bao and immediately felt less tired. I think the giving and receiving of Hong Bao at work is a necessary ritual and bosses who know better would always prepare Hong Bao for their staff because it would warm their hearts. Of course, it would make me even happier if my boss could be more generous by putting more money in my Hong Bao next year.

中文思路:

今年过年的时候,我收到了我的老板给我的红包。里面有 88 元。8 在中国是一个幸运的数字,象征着 金钱和富有。虽然钱不多,但收到红包我还是非常开心的。

在中国,新年发开工红包是一种传统习俗。每年春节后第一天上班,老板都会给我们公司的每个人准备 红包。这不仅表达了公司对每个人的新年祝福,同时也是增加集体凝聚力的一种方式。

说实话,漫长的新年假期,回到公司上班的我通常是疲惫的和茫然的。因为我在假期一直在旅行,才刚 刚回到城市里。另外这么多天没上班了,我一时半会还不能适应上班的节奏。这时候我们老板给我们每 人发个红包,这就让我们都提起精神来了。

收到钱的那天中午,我吃了一顿丰盛的午餐,还买了一杯奶茶。第一天上班的疲惫感也因此减轻了不少。 我认为开工红包是非常必要的,聪明的老板都会为自己的员工准备红包。这是一种暖心的行为。当然, 如果明年老板能够大方一点,给红包里多放一些钱,我会更加开心。

# 21: 分享某物的时刻

Describe a time when you had to share something with another person or other people Some instructions you can follow: What you had to share Who you had to share with Why you had to share And explain how you felt about sharing something with another person other people.

One afternoon a few months ago, I ran into Anna, a colleague of mine, in front of our company building after work. It was raining heavily that day, but I didn't have an umbrella with me and was desperately trying to hail a cab from the curb. It seemed that she noticed my situation and came over, kindly offering to share her umbrella with me, as she happened to have one with her.

It was already dark at that time and more, and more people were leaving work. I figured it wouldn't be a good idea to keep waiting like that, so I thanked her nicely and decided to walk with her to the nearest subway station under her umbrella. It's always hard to get a taxi in CBD during rush hour, let alone on a rainy day, but her umbrella was so big that it could shelter the two of us perfectly.

Except for knowing each other's names, we previously barely had any interaction because we didn't work in the same department. So, I was so grateful for this unexpected kindness, and we both got more familiar with one another as a result. Indeed, it was an act of great generosity that Anna was willing to share her umbrella with me, and I have made a new friend out of this whole thing. If she should ever need a favor from me in the future, I shall certainly do whatever possible for her.

中文思路:

几个月前的一个下午,我下班后在公司门口遇到了我的同事 anna。那天的雨下的很大,我忘了带伞,正 在路边着急地尝试拦下一台出租车。她应该是看出了我的困境,很热心的走过来问我是否需要分享一把 伞,因为她刚好带了伞。

那时候天已经黑了,公司的人也越来越少,我觉得这么等下去也不是办法。于是我非常开心地向她道谢, 决定跟她一起撑伞走到最近的地铁站。要知道上下班高峰期在 CBD 打车本身就是很困难的,况且今天 还是下雨天。她的伞很大,完全可以遮住两个人。

我们两个并不在一个部门工作,除了知道对方的名字,几乎没什么交集。我对这份突如其来的帮助显得 非常感激。经过这次事件后,我们两个也熟悉了不少。

Anna愿意跟我分享一把雨伞,这是非常热心的行为。这件事让我收获了一个新朋友。在以后的工作中, 一旦她有需要我帮忙的地方,我肯定会进我所能地帮她。

# 22: 会推荐给游客的我国某处地方

Describe a part of your country that you would recommend to visitors. Some instructions you can follow: Which part of your country you would recommend How you know about this part of your country Whether many visitors go there

And explain why you would recommend this part of your country to visitors.

There are so many famous spots in China, and Sanya is my favourite among them. I would like to recommend it to visitors.

Sanya is a tropical island with some of the finest beaches, clearest seas and best hotels in China. I often see videos about Sanya on Tik Tok.

The climate in Sanya is perfect, which is its most fascinating feature. The temperature there is above 30 degrees almost all year round. It is unusual because it is very cold in the north of our country during the winter, but in Sanya it stays sunny and beautiful. Visitors can do lots of fun activities. They can go for walks along the beach, eat at lovely restaurants, and even go diving since Sanya is famous for its diving.

Visitors are able to observe lots of beautiful fish and coral reefs close up, which is a very impressive sight. Atlantis Water World, a very famous water park, is also worth a try. It has many thrilling and interesting water games. From another perspective, Sanya has one very definite drawback. That is, there are so many tourists during the holidays that people have to wait in long lines wherever they go.

中文思路:

中国有非常多著名的景点,但我最喜欢的还是三亚。我想把它推荐给其他想要度假的游客。

三亚是一个热带岛屿,拥有全中国最细腻的沙滩,最清澈的大海和最棒的酒店。我经常在抖音上看到有关三亚的视频。

三亚最吸引人的就是他独特的气候,那里的温度几乎常年在 30 度以上。这对很多人来说是与众不同的。 北方的冬天很冷,但三亚阳光明媚又美丽。在那里,游客们可以做很多有趣的活动。他们可以沿着海滩 散步,在优美的海景餐厅吃饭,甚至可以去潜水,因为三亚以潜水而闻名。游客们可以近距离观察到美 丽的鱼和珊瑚礁,这是非常令人印象深刻的。亚特兰蒂斯水世界也是不能错过的,那是一个非常出名的 水上乐园。拥有众多惊险刺激的水上项目。要说三亚有什么缺点,那就是节假日游客太多,不论去哪里 都需要排很久的队。

### 23: 校外学习的某种重要东西

Describe something important that you learned, not in school or college. Some instructions you can follow: What you learned How you learned it How easy/difficult it was to learn And explain why learning this was important to you.

As important as they are, social skills are what I need to learn outside school. In fact, social skills encompass a lot, which, in my opinion, includes the ability to get along with people, to communicate with superiors and colleagues, and to have some self-discipline in our manners.

The school days are simple, excluding conflicts of interest or hierarchical relationships. Since I started working, I've found that there's still a lot more to learn outside school. For example, how should I greet my colleagues and superiors on my first workday? What tone should I use when reporting to the superiors? Socializing is difficult to learn without teachers. But all I need to do is observe and follow suit once I can tell what is proper.

Overall, socializing is complex and important as well, and nothing is optimum for it. One will certainly be annoying if he is incompetent socially. Worse still, he may not be recognized by his superiors. Therefore, it matters for the new hand, me included.

社交能力是我在校外学习的重要能力。其实这是一个广泛的概念,在我看来,社交能力包括了在社会上 与人相处的能力,跟上司和同事沟通的能力和一些言谈举止的自我约束。

在学校上学的日子总是很单纯的,不会有利益冲突和上下级的关系。但自从我开始工作之后,我发现我 需要学习的事情还很多。比如,我上班的第一天,遇到同事或者上司,我需要如何打招呼。亦或者我该 用何种语气跟上司汇报工作。学习社交是非常困难的一件事,这种事情没有人曾经教过我。我唯有观察 周遭的同事是怎么做的,然后向他们学习。同时,我还需要甄别这些做法是否恰当。

总的来说,社交是一项非常复杂而且重要的能力,而且它并没有最优的答案。如果一个人不具备适当的 社交能力,他不仅会被同事排斥,工作还可能不被上司认可。所以这项技能对于我这个职场新人来说真 的是太重要了。

### 24: 喜欢种植的人

Describe a person you know who enjoys growing plants (e.g. flowers, vegetables, fruit trees). Some instructions you can follow: How you know this person What plants this person enjoys growing Where this person grows plants And explain why you think this person enjoys growing these plants.

My boss, Anna, is a person who cares for plants. I've acquainted myself with her since my first workday. In our company, ordinary employees like me have no fixed office and must instead pick random positions in the public area. For Managers and those above, they have their own offices, and so does my superior, Anna. What interests me is that she has planted a lot of leafy plants in her office.

Plants in small pots standing upright and several flower stands are on her table. Flowers are blooming in a riot of colour. I cannot even name the flower types as a non-enthusiast.

Anna cleans and maintains the plants every day, and waters them occasionally with a watering can. I think she loves and enjoys growing plants. The other day I asked her how to develop a habit like her. For her, she said, cultivating plants in her spare time is a good way of coping with stress. When she is fatigued and distressed, tending the green plants can help her to relax a bit. Above all, these plants are very beautiful and pleasing to the eye.

我看得出来,我的上司 Anna 是一个喜欢种植物的人。从我入职的第一天起我就认识她了。在我们公司 里,像我一样的普通员工是没有固定位置的,在公共区域内可以随便坐。但经理级别以上的人,都有自 己固定的办公室。我的上司 Anna 就在她的办公室里种了很多绿植。

她的办公桌上放了几个架子,而架子上都摆满了各种植物。她种的都是小盆小盆的花。因为我不擅长植物,具体我也说不出来她养的是什么品种的植物。我记得有几盆是带颜色的花,有一些就是纯绿色的各种形态的植物。

Anna 每天都会摆弄她的植物,时不时会拿出喷壶给它们浇水。我觉得她是喜欢种植的,并且很享受这 项爱好。有一次我问她为什么喜欢这些植物,她告诉我在工作之余养一些植物有利于舒缓压力。当自己 觉得疲惫或者苦恼的时候,摆弄一下植物可以让自己放松一些。最重要的是这些小植物很好看,放在桌子上就很让人赏心悦目。

# 25: 鼓励你做有趣事情的人

Describe a person who inspired you to do something interesting. Some instructions you can follow: Who the person is What interesting thing you did How this person inspired you to do this thing And explain how you felt after this person inspired you to do something interesting.

I used to think baking was such a specialized skill that I would never have the free time to learn. That was until recently, when my good friend Anna took me to a great baking shop called ABC cooking. In this shop, Anna and I got the chance to design our own cake. During the process, a professional teacher was there to help guide us through everything. She taught me how to make a cake base with flour and how to whip the cream. I also acquired some professional baking knowledge, such as how to choose suitable flour, the methods used for different mixing techniques, and so on. I followed the teacher's instructions step by step, and finally, I made a perfect cheesecake in about two hours.

At first, I held on to my idea that this kind of baking class would be frivolous and that I wouldn't learn anything practical from it. It was Anna, however, who kept urging me to give it a try. She sourced a lot of reviews online about the store and kept telling me how well the class would work out for me. Well, it turns out that Anna was totally right after all. And she really knows me well as a good friend, because I am more than satisfied with the class. I believe there is nothing more stress relieving than baking with my bestie on the weekends, as compared to, say, just hanging out and watching movies.

以前,我总我觉得烘焙是一项非常专业的技能,我是没有空闲时间去学习的。直到不久前,我的好朋友 anna 带我去了一家很棒的烘培体验馆,叫做 ABC cooking。在店里,我和 anna 将有机会每人制作一款 完全属于自己的蛋糕。制作过程中,有一位专业的老师全程指导我们。她告诉我如何用面粉制作蛋糕坯, 如何打发奶油。我还学到了一些专业的烘培知识,比如怎么选择面粉,搅拌的手法有什么要求等等。我 跟着老师一步一步操作,大约两个小时的时间,我做出了一款超完美的芝士蛋糕。

一开始我坚持认为这种烘焙体验课并不专业,学不到什么有用的知识,是 anna 一直劝我来试试。她在 网上搜集了很多关于这家店的评价,并且一直告诉我这个课程有多么适合我。事实证明 anna 是对的, 最为好朋友她真的非常了解我。这个课程令我非常满意。相比逛街和看电影,在周末的时候和好朋友一 起来做蛋糕,我相信没有比这更解压的事情了。