# PART1 全课件(5-9)

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PART 部分	TIMING 时间	CONTENT 考试内容
INTRODUCTION 介绍环节	30 secs 30 秒	<ul> <li>Name, nationality, ID check</li> <li>姓名、国籍、证件查验</li> </ul>
PART 1 INTERVIEW 第一部分 问答	3.54.5 mins 3.5~4.5 分钟	<ul> <li>2 or 3 unrelated, short, simple conversations about your personal preferences or experience</li> <li>就考生的个人愛好和经历进行两三个互不相关的简短对话</li> </ul>
PART 2 LONG TURN 第二部分 长段陈述	3–4 mins 3~4 分钟	<ul> <li>1 minute of preparation time</li> <li>1-2 minutes' talk on a topic which draws on your personal experience</li> <li>There may be one or two follow-up questions.</li> <li>1 分钟的准备时间</li> <li>根据自己的经历,针对一个话题进行 1~2 分钟的陈述</li> <li>可能会有一两个后续问题</li> </ul>
PART 3 DISCUSSION 第三部分 讨论	4–5 mins 4~5 分钟	<ul> <li>A discussion in more depth, related to the topic from the Part 2 long turn</li> <li>围绕第二部分长段陈述中的话题,进行更深入的讨论</li> </ul>

Band	Fluency and coherence	Lexical resource	Grammatical range and accuracy	Pronunciation
9	<ul> <li>speaks fluently with only rare repetition or self- correction; any hesitation is content-related rather than to find words or grammar</li> <li>speaks coherently with fully appropriate cohesive features</li> <li>develops topics fully and appropriately</li> </ul>	uses vocabulary with full flexibility and precision in all topics     uses idiomatic language naturally and accurately	uses a full range of structures naturally and appropriately     produces consistently accurate structures apart from 'slips' characteristic of native speaker speech	uses a full range of pronunciation features with precision and subtlety     sustains flexible use of features throughout     is effortless to understand
8	<ul> <li>speaks fluently with only occasional repetition or self-correction; hesitation is usually content- related and only rarely to search for language</li> <li>develops topics coherently and appropriately</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>uses a wide vocabulary resource readily and flexibly to convey precise meaning</li> <li>uses less common and idiomatic vocabulary skilfully, with occasional inaccuracies</li> <li>uses paraphrase effectively as required</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>uses a wide range of structures flexibly</li> <li>produces a majority of error-free sentences with only very occasional inappropriacies or basic/non-systematic errors</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>uses a wide range of pronunciation features</li> <li>ustains flexible use of features, with only</li> <li>occasional lapses</li> <li>is easy to understand throughout; L1         accent has minimal effect on intelligibility</li> </ul>
7	<ul> <li>speaks at length without noticeable effort or loss of coherence</li> <li>may demonstrate language-related hesitation at times, or some repetition and/or self- correction</li> <li>uses a range of connectives and discourse markers with some flexibility</li> </ul>	uses vocabulary resource flexibly to discuss a variety of topics     uses some less common and idiomatic vocabulary and shows some awareness of style and collocation, with some inappropriate choices     uses paraphrase effectively	<ul> <li>uses a range of complex structures with some flexibility</li> <li>frequently produces error-free sentences, though some grammatical mistakes persist</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>shows all the positive features of band 6 and some, but not all, the positive features of band 8</li> </ul>
6	<ul> <li>is willing to speak at length, though may lose coherence at times due to occasional repetition, self-correction or hesitation</li> <li>uses a range of connectives and discourse markers but not always appropriately</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>has a wide enough vocabulary to discuss topics at length and make meaning clear in spite of inappropriacies</li> <li>generally paraphrases successfully</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>uses a mix of simple and complex structures, but with limited flexibility</li> <li>may make frequent mistakes with complex structures, though these rarely cause comprehension problems</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>uses a range of pronunciation features with mixed control</li> <li>shows some effective use of features but this is not sustained</li> <li>can generally be understood throughout, through mispronunciation of individual words or sounds reduces clarity at times</li> </ul>

#### What are they looking for?

If you know what is important to IELTS examiners, it improves your chances of success. These guidelines refer to every part of the Speaking test. Stick to them and you will satisfy your examiner.

- Speak without long pauses (when you are trying to think of something to say)
- Understand what the examiner asks you and confirm that by answering accordingly.
- Demonstrate how many "smart" words you know.
- Use all the tenses when you speak past, present, future and use them correctly.
- Pronounce the words correctly. For example the word "culture" should sound like "kolcher", not "kultur".
- Important! Accent has nothing to do with pronunciation, so it will not affect your score.



5W		Listing	Reasons/incentives	Personal opinion
Do you like doing <u>sth</u> ?		What things are there?	Why do people do <u>sth</u> ?/benefits/advantages	Do you prefer to do A or B?
Did you do <u>sth</u> when you were little?		What things do you do?	Why don't people do <u>sth</u> ?	Is <u>sth</u> important?
Have you done <u>sth</u> befo	ore?	There is a range of xxx, like	具象代入六边形	
YES: when I have spare time, I tend to do xxx with xxx at xxx, I love it since it is xxx NO: frankly, I am not into doing sth, mainly because it is time/labor/money- consuming/troublesome 没尝试过: barely do I have a chance to do xxx, but I am willing to have a try if there is any chance.		A/B/C/D and so on/so forth I normally do heaps of things, including doing A/B/C/D and something like that. A wide variety of/a collection of/a series of/a plethora of		
Do you like	Do v	ou always carry a bag?		
	_	ou like to eat ice cream		
	-	ou know how to fix thir		
	-	you like rainy days?		
	Do y	ou like to be a teacher?		
	Do y	ou like wild animals?		
	Are y	you an ambitious person?		
	Do y	ou like your city?		
Wha		t language do you speak?		
What things are	How	do you do to keep hea	althy?	
there?	Wha	t kinds of ice cream?		
	Wha	at can help you stay concentrated?		
	Wha	at do you do on days off?		
	Wha	at bags are there?		
A or B?		ou like dry or wet weat		
Do y		you prefer to spend days off with friends or family?		
		hich one is better to know more about wild animals, by watching		
		ocumentary or visiting a zoo?		
		Do you like weekdays or weekends?		
Important?		concentration important?		
ls rel Are t Shou		being healthy important?		
		relaxation important?		
		Are teachers important?		
		ould we protect wild animals?		
Deeesta	Is being ambitious importa			
-		hy do people like to eat ice cream?		
	-	y can't some people be focused?		
	-	you like living in your city?		
		riends important?		
	What are the benefits of lea		iming a second langua	age?

# 一级准备

Riding a bike cycling 2-3 sentences 20s 1

1 记叙文 问询型	第一种思维方式 5w
Do you like doing sth?	When
Do you often do sth?	I will do sth
	ln/at
	(by myself/with my friends)
	I love it since it is very
	(engaging/interesting/fun/healthy/recreational/relaxing/tasty)
	No: mainly because it is time/labor/money-consuming troublesome
	带入 personal situation busy allergy be allergic to sth 倒装:have you ever been to art galleries?
	Barely do I have a chance to do it; but in the future, I am willing
	to have a try if there is any opportunity.
	Catchy songs
2 名词或者动名词罗列	There be + listing
Where do people go to	There be ' listing
do sth?	疑问变成陈述句; a range of/a variety of/various/heaps of ,
What kinds of things are	including/like xxx
there?	And so on/and so forth and something like that
What things do they	
normally do? What things xxxx on social media? A day off;	Scanning news; watching xxx; taking a nap; listening to music/podcast; chatting with friends; making video calls; playing games, doing business, selling products; doing assignment; working overtime; doing housework, cooking;
In this coffee shop;	traveling, doing sports, going window shopping, drinking coffee.
How can people do to learn a second language?	Reading original novel, living a native country;
3 议论文	is cycling common in your city? Benefits of cycling? In the
What are the benefits	future, do you think people should be encouraged to do sth
/reasons /incentives of	more?
doing sth? Is doing sth	
important/necessary?	

Personal opinion
In the future, do u wanna
try it?
Do you prefer to do a or
to do b?

# Cycling

Did you have a bike	Yes, I did have a bike when I was young, and I rode the bike to go
when you were	to school on a regular basis, since it is very convenient and labor-
young?/ Did you ride	saving.
a bike when you were	
little?/ Did you ride a	
bike to go to school?	
Do you ride a bike	Yes, I often use shared bikes to get around; for example, I would
when you go out	cycle to the nearby station to save time and labor; otherwise, it is
now?	more laBorious 辛苦的 if I walk to the station.
	No, I have no idea how to ride a bike; mainly because my city is
	very hilly, and barely could I find a bike in my neighborhood.
Benefits of cycling?	As what I said, cycling is aerobic, and people can burn calories on
	their daily commute. Besides, cycling is more eco-friendly than
	other means of transportation, since cycling produces zero
	emission.
Do you think learning	It is personal and situational; but generally, as long as people are
how to cycle is	willing to learn how to cycle and they spend hours on practicing, I
difficult or not?	don't think it is difficult; otherwise, I don't think so.

# The city you live in 这道题目类似于 hometown

What city do you live in	Currently, I live in the city of xxx, which is a kind of
	cultural/historical/industrial/multicultural/tourism city, and my
	city is located in the xxx of China.
How do you like this	I like my city very much, since it is very scenic and clean; besides,
city? Why?	the prospect is promising, and there are many job opportunities;
	one more to mention, facilities are well-rounded regarding
	shopping, entertainment, transportation, education and medical
	services.

How long have you	I have been living in my city for my entire life, since I was born
lived in this city?	there, and I have a strong sense of belonging 归属感 to my city.
Are there big changes	The answer is definitely yes; for instance, in the past, my city used
in this city?	to have only a few tall buildings, but now, tall buildings can be
	commonly found everywhere; and likewise, we have more
	inclusive public transport means than before.
ls this city your	Well, never say never, it is totally up to my future life path; and I
permanent residence?	think I will leave my permanent residence to the place where my
	career is.

### Health

#### CDC 9 School Health Guidelines

- 1. Healthy Eating and Physical Activity
- 2. School Environments
- 3. Quality School Meal Programs
- 4. Comprehensive Physical Activity Programs
- 5. Health Education
- 6. Health, Mental Health and Social Services
- 7. Partner with Families and Community Members
- 8. School Employee Wellness Program
   9. Certified and Qualified Staff

How do you keep	I normally do a range of things to keep healthy, like doing
healthy?	sports, doing meditation 冥想, eating healthily and going to
	sleep early.
What is your favorite	I am into many sports like jogging, swimming and playing
sport?	badminton, while my favorite one should be jogging, since it
	is very aerobic and it is easy to burn calories.
Are there health classes in	Yes, our school run different programs about health, like
your school?	physical activities, sports training, mental health and social
	services.
What sports keep people	There is a range of sports that can keep people healthy, like
healthy?	playing basketball, swimming, jogging, doing yoga, playing
	Taichi and so on.
Is it easy for people to	I think so, since sport facilities can be commonly found in my
exercise in your country?	country, and people can go to heaps of places to do exercise,
	like park, garden, gym, playground and so on.

### Language

What lang	uages can	Basically, I can speak a couple of languages, like Mandarin as my	,
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you speak	mother tongue and English as my second language.
What languages would	In the future, if there is any chance, I would love to learn the
you like to learn in the	language of xxx, since it is my dream to travel and live in the
future?	country of xxx for a while, which will be very engaging and
	exciting.
How do you learn a	I can learn a second language by doing different things, like
foreign language?	reading, attending classes, watching TV series and movies,
	listening to podcast and chatting with foreigners.
How are languages	When I was in school, we normally followed a class to learn a
taught and learned in	language in a systematic way, including reading, writing, speaking
your school?	and listening; besides, we would also have a range of activities
	regarding language acquisition 语言习得, like speech contest and
	debate contest.

# Ambition/dream

Are you an ambitious	I consider myself to be an ambitious person, and I have many
person?	dreams to actualize regarding my work, study and my future.
What ambitions do	People tend to have a range of ambitions, like getting a
people normally have?	promotion, buying a house, studying in the dream university or
	finding a perfect date.
ls being ambitious	Just like a saying goes, life without a goal is like sailing without
important?	navigation; without ambition or goal in life, people would be
	drifting without direction, which is a waste of time, money and
	labor, that's why it is very important.
What was your	When I was little, my dream was to be an astronaut, which would
childhood dream?	be so exciting and adventurous, since I always wanted to travel to
	space to see wonders of the universe.
Are you the kind of	Yes, I would become a determined/absolute-minded person
person who sticks to	once my dream or goal is set, and I can do whatever it takes to
dreams?	actualize my dream.
What is your dream	My dream job is to be a teacher, since it is very stable and
job?	meaningful, I can do my share to make a difference in many

#### Ice cream



Do you like to eat ice	Yes, I am a big fan of ice cream; especially when it comes to a
cream?/do you eat ice	summer day, I would like to eat different kinds of ice cream, like
cream a lot?	gelato, sundae and popsicle.
Did you eat ice cream	The answer is yes; when I was little, I had a sweet tooth, and I
when you were a	craved for ice cream as my favorite dessert, ice cream could
child?	greatly cheer me up.
Are there shops selling	The shop of selling ice cream is a dime a dozen in my living area,
ice cream near your	like grocery store, convenience store, supermarket and milk tea
living area?	shop.
Can you make ice	Frankly speaking, I have no idea how to do it, since it is
cream by yourself?	straightforward to get ice cream everywhere; but in the future, I
	am willing to have a try if there is such an opportunity.

### Concentration



Did you stay focused inIf my memory is correct, I could always stay focused in the classclass when you were awhen I was a child, since my teachers were very strict with us if wechild?were not obedient 听话的

Are you a focused	Mostly speaking, I consider myself to be a focused person;
person?	especially when it comes to critical moments like exam prep or
	work, I have to stay focused to improve my efficiency, or it is
	gonna be a waste of time and labor.
How do you stay	When I try to stay focused, I normally do a range of things like
focused?	taking deep breath, meditating or listening to music.
ls it easy to stay	I don't think so, since people tend to be
focused in a noisy	disturbed/annoyed/interrupted/distracted when they stay in a
	<b>3</b>
environment?	noisy environment, while it is much easier for us to be

# **Fixing things**

Can you fix things?	Franky speaking, I have no idea how to fix things when the issue
	is major, like fixing a car, a smart device or utilities, while
	sometimes I can only solve simple problems if the issue is minor,
	like fixing a chair or a toilet.
Did anybody teach you	Truth be told, I had never done that when I was a child; mainly
to fix things when you	because I would ask my parents to fix those broken things for me,
were a child?	instead of learning how to do it from a teacher.
Do you think it is	Mostly speaking, I don't think it is necessary for people to learn
necessary for people	how to do it, since they can ask repairmen to help; while if they
to learn to fix things?	are really interested, they can just go ahead and learn those skills.
What do you do when	In that case, I will turn to others for help, like after-sale service or
a thing is broken and	repairman; after all, they are professional and skillful.
cannot be fixed?	

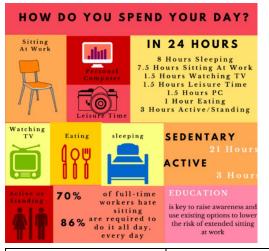
# Friends



How important are My friends are very important for me, since if there is no friend in

friends to you?	my life, I would be so lonely and bored; especially when I come
	across emergencies, my friends would be helpful and reliable.
Do you often go out	Yes, we do hang out from time to time, doing a range of things like
with your friends?	traveling, working, studying, shopping, doing sports and so on.
What do you usually	
do with your friends?	
Where do you often	We often meet at various places, like library, coffee shop, school,
meet each other?	restaurant, train station and so forth.
Do you have a friend	Yes, I do have childhood friends whom I still stay in touch with;
you have known for a	since we have many common grounds and mutual trust; and we
long time?	have known each other for many years.

### week



Which day is your	During a week, my favorite day should be Saturday, since it is	
favorite day?/what do	day of freedom and pleasure, I can do whatever I want on	
you normally do on	Saturday, like doing sports, shopping, hanging out with friends	
weekends?	and resting.	
Which day is your least	But conversely, I have to say Monday is my least favorite day,	
favorite day?/what is the	since I need to prepare for a whole week's work and study,	
busiest day of the week	which could be stressful and intensive.	
for you?		
How do you usually	I tend to spend my time on many issues, like work, study, daily	
spend your time?/is	commute, recreation, relationship, socialization and traveling.	
there anything you do		
every day?		
Are weekdays and	No, I don't think so; and I consider weekdays to be the time for	
weekends the same for	working and studying, while I leave weekends as my own time	
you?	regarding entertainment, relaxation and socialization.	

# Rain wet or dry weather



Do you like rainy days	I am quite into rainy days, since it is quite romantic and relaxing,
	especially for a homebody like me, I tend to stay at home and
	enjoy my guilty pleasure like sleeping and watching movies if the
	day is rainy.
Does it rain much in	1. Given that my city is in the northern part of China, it rains
your city?	from time to time, especially when it comes to the season of
	summer, but the rainfall is not as heavy as southern cities.
	2. Considering that my city is in the southern part of China, the
	rainfall is quite heavy during the season of spring and
	summer, especially when it comes to the monsoon season.
	梅雨季
Would you like to live	My preference is to live in a wet city, since it is moist and comfy;
in a place that is dry or	while if I live in a dry city, my skin tends to be dehydrated easily
wet?	皮肤缺水.
Would you change	I think so; for instance, if it rained, I would stay indoors instead of
your plan if it rained?	outdoors, since it can be unpleasant for me to do outdoors
	activity during a rainy day.

# Day off

When was the last time	The experience just happened one week ago, while I was
you had a few days	spending the whole holiday of 5 days with my friends and family,
off?	which was really a good chance for me to refresh mind and boost
	ties with my family.
What do you do on	I tend to do heaps of things when I have a day off, like doing
your day off?	sports, shopping, sleeping, watching movies, traveling and so on.
Do you usually spend	Between two of them, my preference is to spend my days off with
your days off with your	my parents, since we can enjoy each other's company by being
parents or with your	together; while I could spend more time with my friends when I

friends?	work or study with them.
What would you like to	Frankly speaking, if I do have a day off tomorrow, I would rather
do if you had a day off	stay at home and rest well, since I have been quite tired and
tomorrow?	stressed out recently.

Bags



Do you usually carry a	Yes, I do carry a bag when I go out, and I can put a range of things
bag?	into my xxx, like laptop, books, phone, accessories, purse, cards
	and so forth.
What kinds of bags do	It is quite situational; for instance, I carry a backpack when I go to
you like to carry? What	work or school; while I tend to carry a briefcase or suitcase when
kind of bags would	I go traveling, since my suitcase is quite roomy and durable.
you used when	
traveling?	
Do you change your	I think so; and it depends on many factors like my financial
bags often?	situation, quality of the bag, scenarios and my mood; I have
	bought many kinds of bags in recent years.
Did you use a	Yes, I did have a large backpack when I was little, and I put many
backpack when you	things into my backpack, like books, stationeries, papers and so
were a child?	on.

# Teachers

Do you want to be a	In the future, I don't mind being/I am dying to be a teacher if
teacher in the future?	there is any chance; since being a teacher can bring me pride and
	satisfaction. Besides, I am able to share my knowledge and
	experience with students.

Do you remember one	There are many teachers who I remember well; and one of them
of your teachers? Do	is named xxx, who used to teach us xxxx, he/she left me a lasting
you have a favorite	impression due to his/her patience and influence.
teacher?	
What were your	In my primary school, my school teachers were very versatile and
primary school	patient, we learnt many useful things from them, like music,
teachers like?	physical educational, literature, math and history.

# Wild animals



Are there wild	Yes, in my country, there is a range of wild animals, like giant panda,
animals in your	tiger, monkey, deer, snake and so on.
country?	
Have you ever	The answer is positive, I have been to zoos and a safari parks many
been to a zoo or a	times; for instance, just a month ago, I went to the xxx safari park with
safari park?	my friends, and we saw heaps of wild animals there, the experience
	left me a lasting impression.
What is the	In the future, if there is any chance, I am dying to travel to Africa to
animal you would	see the wild animal of giraffe, since it is an amazing creature that will
like to see in the	blow my mind.
future?	
Are these TV	In my country, TV program about animals is a dime a dozen, and
programs about	famous ones include the documentary like animal world or Chinese
wild animals in	national geographic.
your country?	

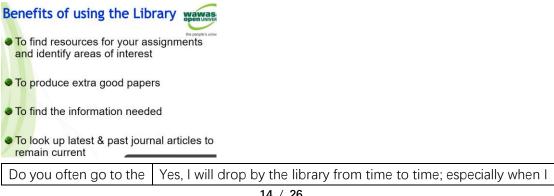
### 二级准备

#### Art



Do you like arts?	I am a big fan of different kinds/genres of arts, like music, film,
	photography, visual arts, dance and painting. I do believe that
	different arts can spice up our life.
Do you like visiting art	Yes, I do visit art galleries from time to time; and I like a wide
galleries?	variety of artworks in the gallery, like paintings, sculpture,
	anTiques 古董, installation 装置, ceRamics 陶瓷 and so forth.
Do you want to be an	I don't mind being an artist if there is any chance/I would love to
artist?	be an artist, since it is the way to unleash my imagination and
	creativity; meanwhile, if I am lucky enough, I can gain fame and
	fortune just overnight. 隔夜名利双收
Do you like modern art	I like both of them, since my preference of art lies on aspects like
or traditional art?	history, tradition, culture, social trend, visual impact, creativity and
	even serenDipity 缘分; in other words, as long as the art is mind-
	blowing and delicate, I will be interested/attentive.

### Library



library?	am busy with my exam prep, I will go to the library doing things
	like reading, studying and borrowing reference books.
Did you go to the	The answer is positive, and when I was in primary, I would spend
library when you were	hours in the library, reading different kinds of books like comic
a child?	book, novel, magazine, science fiction and so forth.
What things do people	People can do a wide variety of things in the library; besides
do in the library?	reading and studying, they can still do other things like having a
	group discussion, using database and attending a seminar.
Is library important?	There is no doubt that library is very essential in our life; and it is
	the source of knowledge and information; without library,
	learning could be difficult and less efficient.
Given the popularity of	I don't think offline library will be disappearing in the future; since
online library, is offline	offline library could offer us multisensory feelings, like seeing,
library still necessary?	hearing, touching and even smelling/interaction with others,
	surely the impression would be lasting than just reading online.

## Happiness/happy things



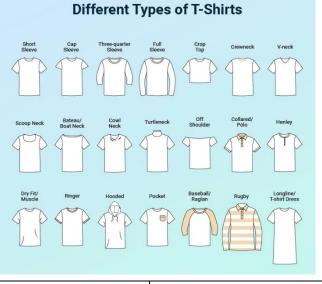
What made you happy	When I was little, I could be cheered up by many things, like
when you were little?	birthday celebration, a praise from teachers, gifts from parents,
	the lucky money from relatives or just a happy meal.
What do you think will	In the future, I would be thrilled if I am able to see my dreams
make you happy in the	come true, like getting offers from my dream university or
future?	company, finding true love, getting a promotion, making a
	fortune and traveling around the world.
ls happiness	Without any doubt, happiness is the key to our life; otherwise, we
important?	would experience so many issues like frustration, depression,

Important = without/if	loneliness and there is no drive or push/passion in our life if we
反证	are not happy.
Are rich people always	The answer can be yes and no; Rich people can be happy, but it
happy?	is not always the case; after all, happiness depends on many
子集一定能导致合集	factors like good health and emotion, sound relationship and so
结果吗?	on; and <mark>being well-off 富足</mark> is only one of them.
It can be, but it is not a	
100% thing.	

## Keys

Do you always bring a	To be honest, I don't bring a keychain with me, since it is quite
lot of keys with you?	heavy and troublesome; especially given that nowadays we use
	replacements for keys like fingerprints and card keys.
What keys do people	people normally bring a range of keys, like door key, car key,
always bring?	drawer key, safe key and so on.
Have you lost your	I guess it could happen to anyone, and I am no exception; if my
keys before?	memory is correct, I once lost a keychain when I was in a hurry to
	school/work, and I had to call the locksmith 锁匠 to solve my
	problem.
How can people do if	If that is the case, I guess people could start with searching
they lose their keys?	pockets or handbags, or they can also ask people around for any
	clue; and the last step would be calling the locksmith to replace
	the lock.

## t-shirt



do you usually wear t- When it comes to warmer days in the season of spring and

shirts?	summer, I often wear T-shirts like long-sleeve, short-sleeve and
	polo shirt, since it is very easy to mix and match;
Do you like T-shirts	Personally, I like plain T-shirts with prints or logos, since they are
with pictures or prints?	simple but elegant; and I think I am over the age of wearing
	something dramatic.
Do you think older	I think the understanding of fashion is very personal and
people who wear T-	situational, and it depends on factors like personality, trend,
shirts are fashionable?	mood and even skin tone; in other words, older people with T-
	shirt can be fashionable, but it is not a 100% thing.
Why do people like to	As what I mentioned above, wearing T-shirt can be easily mixed
wear T-shirts?	and matched with pants and shoes; additionally, T-shirts are also
	affordable and straightforward to wear, people can buy different
	T-shirts to express themselves.

### Weekends



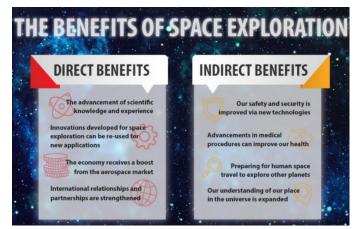
• Go for a walk • Have a picnic • Workout • Board games • Gardening • Have a bonfire • Camp in backyard • Cut your grass • Gardening • Have a bonfire • Camp in backyard • Cut your grass • Go for a bike ride • Visit a playground • Visit a playground • Wash your car • Yard Work • Go to the beach • Read a book • Bake • Go to the beach • Read a book • Bake • Go to the library • Clip Coupons • Go to the bookstore • Festivals • Movie night • Home Depot workshop • Clean your house • Create a budget • Meal planning • Clean out the garage • De-clutter the house	th Kids!
Do you like weekends?	Absolutely yes, and I am dying to have a good rest on weekends;
I look forward to	especially when I am busy with work or study on weekdays, a
weekends during my weekdays.	good weekend could greatly bring joy to me.
What did you do last	Last weekend, I spent quality time with my friends in a camping
weekends?	park, and we did many things like camping, picnicking,
	barbequing and playing games, everyone had a blast.
What do you usually	Normally I only rest on weekends, doing things like reading,
do on weekends? Do	doing sports, going window-shopping or watching movies; but
you study or work?	recently, I am busy with my IELTS prep on both weekdays and weekends.
Do you make plans for	Mostly, I don't make plans for weekends, and it is totally up to my
your weekends?	mood to spend the time; but sometimes, I do make plans if I go on a group activity.

# Jewelry



Do you often wear	YES: yes, I do wear jewelry from time to time; especially when it
jewelry?	comes to important occasions like a party or a date, I will wear
	jewelry like earring, necklace and bracelet, since it is the way to
	increase my charisma/charm.
	No: frankly, barely do I have a chance to wear jewelry, since it is
	unnecessary and troublesome.
What type of jewelry	I tend to buy different types of jewelry, like ring, brooch, anklet
do you like to buy?	and so on.
Why do you think	I am not very sure about that; but I guess factors can be various,
some people like to	like their personality, job nature, financial situation, preference
wear a piece of jewelry	and so on. That's why people just do it.
for a long time?	Personal sentiment/complex/attachment. 情节
Why do people wear	The question is interesting; when people wear pricy and fancy
expensive jewelry?	jewelry, their vanity can be satisfied; similarly, they also tend to
	believe that the higher the price, the better the quality, and
	expensive jewelry can even be the heirloom for their offspring.
	传承给后代

### Outer space and stars



Have you ever learnt	Yes, given that I am interested in outer space and stars, I used to
about outer space and	enrich my knowledge about them by reading, watching sci-fi
stars? Geography	movies 科幻电影 and watching documentaries, as well as visiting
罗列动名词	science museums.
Are you interested in	The answer is positive, and by watching movies like sci-fi and
films concerning outer	superhero movies/fantasy movies, my interest/curiosity about
space and stars?	space travel and aliens can greatly stimulated.
	表示令人赞叹的形容词
	Amazing/fascinating/awesome/fabulous/terrific/magnificent
	/marvelous/fantastic/stunning/mind-blowing
Do you want to go into	If there is any chance, I am so willing to do it, and I believe my
outer space in the	mind can be blown if I see the planet Earth, moon and stars from
future?	the space, which is totally exciting and once-in-a-lifetime.
ls space exploration	To my knowledge/experience, it is essential to explore space,
necessary?	since it can push the boundary of science, technology and
	civilization; besides, it is also the way/engaging/intriguing to
	understand the Origin and the future of human race.

### Small business



Do you know many	Small businesses can be a dime a dozen in our life, like a snack
small businesses?	bar, a street food stall, a restaurant, a convenience store/a
	grocery store, a coffee shop and a repair shop/a barbershop.
Do you prefer to buy	I do both actually, and my choice depends on factors like mood,
things in big	timing, urgency degree, price, budget, personal needs and so on;
companies or in small	in other words, if I buy simple daily neCessities 生活必需品 like
businesses?	sugar or salt, I tend to go to a small shop, or I will choose big
	companies.
What are the benefits	First of all, small business can bring more employment and
of doing small	income for families; besides, it is easy and straightforward to set
business?	up small businesses with low investment and tax
	benefit/inCentive 税收优惠.
Any small business you	The question is really interesting; in the future, if there is any
would like to do in the	chance, I would like to run a <mark>fusion shop 融合店</mark> of books, flowers
future?	and coffee, which is my dream of all time. (my customers can do
	so many things there, like doing xxx and xxx )

# Schools



Where do you go to	I once went to primary school and high schools in my hometown,
school?	and then I chose to go to the university of XXX to finish my
	bachelor's degree.
Were those schools	Mostly, I have to say they are quite top-tier/top-notch 顶级的 in
good or not?	my city, and I consider myself to be lucky enough to have the
	learning experience at those schools.

Is there anything you	I wish that those schools could be more forward-thinking and
want to change about	skill-focused; in other words, the education must be up-to-
your school?	date/down-to-earth 最新的,实际的/ so that graduates could be
	well prepared for career development.
Do you like your	The answer is positive, since it is always fulfilling to acquire
school time?	knowledge and develop friendship at schools, which lays a solid
	foundation for my future.

# Music

MUSIC GENRES: AMBIENT BAROQUE/ CLASSICAL	CLASSIC COUNTRY DUBSTEP					
HEAVY METAL INDIE ROCK JAZZ	OLDIES POLKA POP					
PUNK RAP/ HIP-HOP	ROCK SMOOTH TECHNO/ TRANCE					
What music do you like/dislike?	I like many genres of music, like pop music, rock, hip-pop, techno and so forth; and as long as the music is melodious/songful 悦耳 动听的 and lively, I will be interested; or I don't think so.					
What music do your friends like?	I think we have similar taste in music; just as a saying goes, birds of a feather flock together 人以群分, and surely, we have common grounds of music.					
What's the most popular type of music in your country?	People's preference of music lies in factors like personality, trend, education, social circle/peer influence and so forth; in that case, I guess the most popular type of music should be pop music, since it is everywhere in our life. (it is personal and situational)					
Which singer or musician would you like to see in person in the future?	Frankly, I have many names in my head now; but I am dying to meet xxx in person if there is any chance in the future; since he/she is really charming and talented, it can be my honor if the dream comes true.					

# Chocolate



Did you give chocolate			late	I think so; in the past, I used to send a box of chocolates to my
as	а	present	to	friends as a birthday gift, and my friend was over the moon when

someone?	he/she received such a gift.							
Why do people like to	Benefits of eating chocolate can be multiple; for instance, eat							
eat chocolate?	dark chocolate can promote heart heath and sharpen our brain;							
	besides, people say that chocolate can reduce stress and even							
	control our appetite; that's why people love chocolate.							
	表示做什么有什么好处的句型							
	1. It offers us a chance to do/it provides us with a chance							
	2. By doing sth, we can							
	3. Doing sth can be viewed/taken/regarded/considered as a							
	way to do							
	4. It is rewarding for us to do							
	5. Sth can encourage us to do xxx							
	6. It allows us to do							

# Stay up late



Do you go to sleep	Personally, I tend to hit the sack(go to sleep) around 11pm, since				
early or stay up late?	I am an early riser/early bird; especially given that currently I need				
	to prepare my exam, I have to make the most of my daytime on				
	study; and sufficient sleep is very important.				
What do people do	People are likely to do a range of things when they stay up late,				
when they stay up	like scanning news, doing homework, watching movies, going				
late?	clubbing/pubbing, playing games and so forth.				
Why do people stay up	People stay up late for various reasons; for instance, they may				
late?	enjoy the alone time/quite moment or guilty pleasure without any				
ones.	interruption; and besides, due to the poor time management,				
	some people just procrastinate 拖延 and stay up late.				
ls staying up late a	Without any doubt, we should avoid staying up late as much as				
good or bad thing?	possible; since if that is the case, people might experience many				
	issues like amNesia 健忘, inSomnia, dePression, frusTration, lack				

of	interest,	Dizziness	and	anXiety,	hair	loss;	after	all,	our
immunity/immune system 免疫系统 needs repair during sleep.									∋p.

#### 必考题:

#### 专业 Major

#### 1. Are you a student or do you work? 5W

- Currently, I am a year 11 student at school of xxxx, and I don't have a major, but I am interested in xxx
- Currently, I am still a junior studying in Central University of Finance and Economics, majoring in finance. (freshman; sophomore; senior)
- Currently, I am working in a place named xxx, which is a kind of xxx, and my position is xxx, specializing in xxx/customer-service.
- Currently, I am a year 2 postgraduate student in xxx, and my major is xxx, specializing in xxx.
- I am in between graduation and job-hunting/overseas study, but I used to study xxx

#### 2. Why did you choose your major? listing reasons

There is a range of reasons for me to choose it, in the first place, while I think the biggest point is that my parents thought I could live a stable life after graduation, moreover, probably I am good at doing business and numbers, I believe I can be a specialist in this area.

#### 3. Do you think that your major is a popular one in your country?

Yes, I think so, since there are so many job opportunities, and it is also likely for people to find a well-paid one, and the prospect is quite promising.

### 家乡 Hometown

#### 1. Tell me something about your hometown

Basically, I am from xxx, which is a kind of historical/cultural/metropolitan/multicultural/coastal/scenic city/tourism city, and it is located in the northern/southern/northwest/central part of China. Industrial!

2. What is the most famous thing about your hometown? history tradition culture,

local delicacies (street snacks), cultural heritages, landmarks.

There are so many well-known things in my city, from the history to landmarks, from the local

delicacies to cultural heritages; yet I guess the most famous one should be those historical buildings.

#### 3. Do you think that your hometown is a perfect/ideal place for young to live?

My answer actually is yes and no, since for one thing, there are so many job opportunities for youngsters to thrive, yet for another thing, I have to say considering the air pollution is rather serious, it may not be very livable.

#### 居住 Housing house or apartment/the area you live.

#### 1. Tell me something about where are you living. WH 5w

Currently, I am sharing a dorm room with three other boys, which is located on campus. I am living in a three-bedroom apartment with my xxx, which is located in the city center/suburban area; and we have been living there for xxx years.

#### 2. Do you prefer living alone or living with others?

Between two options, my preference is the former one/latter one/living with xxx; Surely, I prefer living with others, since when I feel bored, I can always have someone to talk to; in addition, if I live alone, I might feel lazy, that's why I could have a push to finish my work/job;

#### 3 Do you like living there?

Yes, I do, since the area I live is rather handy; for instance, it only takes me minutes to everywhere, like hospital, school, public transportation, restaurant and supermarket; additionally, the community is surrounded by a park, and we have a nice venue to walk and exercise.