直播课 Day 5

今日摘要:

1. Part2 迷思 2. 总体答题思路 3. 语言组织技巧 4.具体每一段落展开思路

5. 人物类、经历类和事物类话题素材解析

一、 关于 P2 的几点谜思。(课前预习,day5 大礼包 附件1 <mark>必看</mark>)

二、P2 总体答题思路

1. 按照故事顺序来自然展开

2. 四转大法 (适合"干燥"的话题)

既,结合 cue card 上四个小问进行逐一回答

注意:无须四问都覆盖;更无须按照顺序回答

选择方法2的几点原因:



I'd like to share (with you) the story of...

I'd like to share (with you) a story happened last year.

(语法结构: share sth. with sb./ share with sb. sth.)

也可以直接: So, last year, ... (经历题)

<mark>2. 中间段开头</mark>:

As for...+名词/问句/动名词;

In terms of... 就......而言; Regarding...; Talking about...; 📎

The reason why...is that...; To answer the question of...; λ

Moving on to...;

Finally, +以上开头...

Anyway, ... (用于转话题)用一次差不多了

当然你也不一定非要强制性使用以上开头方式。记得避免特别生硬的效果。"去痕迹"贯穿始终。

<mark>3. 结尾:</mark>

So yeah, that was/is the story/ experience/ the person/ the time/ the place...., thanks for listening/ thank you (for your time).

That's pretty much everything/ the story/ it, thank you!

四、每一段展开思路 (前四天的 p1+p3 联合打法都可以借鉴)

1. WH 法:

例如:

<u>As for</u> where this restaurant is, it's <u>located in the south of my city</u> (地点), not far from the city centre. I always go to this restaurant with my parents, on weekends, on birthdays, or on some special occasions, like traditional festivals or my parents' wedding anniversary. It's got a really nice and inviting environment, and the food is amazing. It's our favorite spot in the city.

2. 阐述原因 + 分层展开

We did ... because...

The reason why ... is that...

例如:

-The reason why I want to <u>grasp cooking skills</u> is that I'm planning to study in the UK this year, and I want to be able to feed myself when I'm there. Growing up as the only child in my family, my parents have been <u>spoiling me(宠爱)</u> so much to the point that I've never cooked in my life. All I know about cooking is <u>making instant noodles</u>(泡面) and <u>ordering</u> takeout (点外卖).

- And moving on to the reasons why I liked her so much, well, <u>number one</u>, she was so <u>comfortable to be with</u>(相处起来很舒服). She was the most <u>down-to-earth</u>(接地气), chill(放松的,松弛的) and easy-going(随和的) person. I felt like I didn't need to change who I was when I was with her(我和她在一起的时候不需要改变我是谁). I felt very relaxed and <u>at ease</u>(放心) when she was around. <u>And number two</u>, she and I were very similar. We were like <u>mind-twins</u>(思想上的双胞胎), <u>on the same wavelength</u>(一个波长频道上). We really <u>thought alike</u>(想法相似), and we got each other's jokes(懂彼此的笑点). <u>Talking to her was like the easiest thing on earth</u>(和她聊天就像是世界上最简单的事情). <u>And finally</u>, she was a kind and generous person. She had <u>a heart of gold</u>(金子般的心). She was the kind of person that I could <u>count on</u>(我能指望得上的人).

3. 列举、举例子、讲故事 (通过故事表述某个人物的性格或者某个事物的属性)

例如:

My best friend Jing is such a good friend. She's super <u>supportive and trusting</u>. Last year, I <u>went through</u> a really <u>bad</u> <u>breakup</u>(很糟糕的分手). I was <u>in a very dark place/spot</u>(在黑暗里), and <u>bawling/pouring my eyes out</u> every day. And, she <u>was there for me</u> the whole time, <u>comforting me and cheering me up</u>. She was the person who helped me <u>pull myself</u> <u>together</u> eventually and <u>went back on track</u>. I really want to <u>express my appreciation and gratitude</u> of <u>having her in my</u> <u>life</u>, and I've been <u>seeking chances</u> to do it.

(具体讲故事还是要短小,"人物题"里面通过具体例子展现性格特色,篇幅不宜太大,否则就变成了"事件题")

4. 思维分层 (尤其用在最后一问,很好上手)

我们先来看看 P2 的最后一问都长什么样。

You should say:

How you felt about it? How you like it? Why it is important?

Explain why you.... (感受、观点类)

如果前三小问没有太多的可说的,可以在最后一问的回答上大做文章。

具体展开思路:

具体感受:细节描述内心戏,也可以讲述原因 (罗列)

例如: I felt very moved and loved when I received the gift. First, I could tell that my boyfriend must have spent a lot of

time and effort making this gift. I really appreciated his <u>romantic gesture</u>. For me, a handmade gift like this is so much better than a gift bought from the store. It's not about the <u>price tag</u>, but about the love and thought behind the gift. And then, nowadays people are losing their patience for <u>making DIV gifts</u>, because it's too <u>time-consuming</u> and <u>energy-</u> <u>consuming</u>. Therefore, in a time like this, my boyfriend's romantic gift seemed to be even more precious and rare.

② 具体的感受:学到了很多 (客观分析都学到了什么) (罗列)

例如: First, I learned <u>public speaking skills</u> and <u>PowerPoint slide skills</u> from her. Her PowerPoint design was simple, professional, and powerful. And her presentation skills <u>blew me away</u>. And then, I paid a lot of attention to the way she communicated with our team members. She really inspired me with her strong <u>interpersonal skills</u>. I learned how to be a better <u>communicator</u> in teamwork. And finally, I saw a lot of <u>perseverance</u> in her. She never gave up on making things better and improving the quality of the outcome. She was a <u>perfectionist</u>.

③ 具体的感受:想法、状态的改变:before this experience, I thought....after this, I thought....I changed my mind. <mark>(时间分层)</mark> 例如:Before I started doing yoga, I used to be so <u>out of shape</u>(体能状态很差). I was overweight, feeling tired <u>all day long</u>, and couldn't <u>keep concentrated</u> at all. <u>My attention span was as short as a goldfish</u> and I forgot things easily...and then I started doing yoga. <u>In the beginning</u>, I <u>felt like I was in hell</u> as I was the most <u>inflexible person</u> in the world. My body was so <u>stiff</u>. But I didn't <u>throw in the towel</u>. Instead, I kept trying. And gradually I saw changes. I became better and better, and now, I'm <u>in such good shape</u>. I'm <u>physically stronger and more flexible</u>. I can <u>pull off all the yoga poses</u> without any problem. I've lost probably 15 pounds. I don't feel exhausted any more. My concentration is great. I'm not a <u>scatterbrain</u> anymore. And Yoga really can <u>lighten up my mood</u>. I feel so much lighter and brighter. I'm <u>in such a better space</u> right now. For me, yoga is magical. (时间分层)

④ 具体的感受:对未来的展望 From this experience, I realize that... I think I would... in the future. 现在想到了什么,决定未来要改 变什么 (时间分层,现在 VS 未来)

In terms of what I would normally do in that cafe, well, when I have an exam coming up, I will go there <u>on my own</u> and <u>throw myself into the task</u>. Sometimes I even spend all night there, <u>pull an all-nighter</u> and <u>hit the books</u>. This café opens 24/7, which is really good; sometimes when I'm <u>in a social mode</u>, I will meet up with my friends at the café, you know, just

while away the time, enjoy some nice coffee and kick back (放松, 扯淡).

⑥ 分群体: 有时候和 XX 人……有时候和 XX 人 (分群体)

例如: In terms of what I normally do in that cafe, well, sometimes I go there by myself, just to spend some quality time

with myself/take some "me" time. The café has an outdoor patio, sometimes **I'll** sit on the patio, sipping my coffee, and <u>watching the world go by</u>. Sometimes I visit this place with a couple of friends. We will sit at a corner, <u>catch up with each</u> <u>other</u>, and <u>gossip about</u> all kinds of things. It's our <u>favorite spot for meetups</u>.

⑦ 大众的看法,对比我的看法:

例如: As a matter of fact, she's famous for writing her love stories into her music. Some people hate it because they think

it's <u>over-sharing</u>(过度分享). I personally love it because that's just who she is. She's <u>open, down-to-earth and honest</u> like

that. I actually <u>appreciate her transparency</u>. <mark>(主流观点 VS 自己观点</mark>)

(这不就是思维分层法么?!是的!!)

【人物题】答题要点:

1. 不需要提长相(除非像是"一个好看的人"那样,和长相关系密切的主题);

2. "四转大法"是最简单的答题结构,越是没可说的时候越是要充分利用题卡。

3. 人物题主题细节各不相同,重复率比较高的小问分别是:

(1) Who this person is

(2) How you got to know this person

- *展开思路:
 - 这个人是谁,往往会在第一段开门见山就介绍,如:

Today, I'd like to talk about XXX, he/she was my classmate <u>back in university</u>/ is my cousin, and we've known each other for many years/ since forever.

- 之后,可以介绍两个人的交情,展开思路之一,如:

女生: <u>We were really close</u> back in the days. At that time, we spent every day together. We were <u>like twins/sisters</u>, <u>inseparable</u>. She was there when I was <u>pouring my eyes out</u> after a bad breakup. I was there for her when she was <u>going</u> <u>through the darkest time</u> in her life. We had an <u>amazingly strong connection/bond</u>.

男生: We were <u>like brothers</u>, <u>inseparable</u>, I remember we spent so much time together after school, <u>shooting some hoops</u>, <u>joking/clowning around</u> on the street, <u>playing pool</u> in bars. We really <u>enjoyed each other's company</u>.

- 如果有相识的特别故事,也可以介绍一下,尤其是能突显当事人性格的细节:

We met each other in university. The first time I saw her, I saw bright colours. <u>She's the kind of person who's not afraid of</u>

<mark>trying bold colours</mark>, even sometimes it might be a little <u>over the top</u>. I remember she was wearing <u>neon yellow, bright</u>

<u>orange and green</u>, and the <u>colour contrast</u>(撞色) really made her <u>stand out from the crowd(鹤立鸡群)</u>.

(如果是名人,还可以介绍你当时接触其作品时的感受)

The first time when I heard Billie Eilish, I was driving my car and listening to the radio. And then suddenly her song came out. It <u>captured/grabbed my attention</u>, and <u>touched my heart</u>. I liked the beautiful melody and lyrics of the song. I <u>felt that</u> I <u>could relate to her lyrics</u>. And I liked her voice as well. Her voice is very unique, a little husky(沙哑), a little sad.

③ What this person is like(这是一个什么样的人,性格特色)

*展开思路:要挑选针对主题的内容来说,而不是想哪儿说哪儿,无用信息满天飞。

(4) How you feel about this person

*展开思路:最后一问最好办了,借鉴之前说到的思维分层法展开方式。不赘述。

本季度人物题合并素材建议:

1. 受欢迎的人(新题)+ 助人为乐的人(新题) + 有趣的老人(保留题)公开课有录像,记得观看

2. 感兴趣的名人(新题) + 喜欢的演员出演的角色(保留题)

3. 聚会上遇到的人(保留题) + 有趣的老人 (保留题) + 想要一起工作或学习的人 (保留

4. 认识的人搬到新家 (新题) + 和一群人做的事(保留题)

Describe a popular person(受欢迎的人)

You should say:

Who this person is What he or she is like Why you think this person is popular How this person influences the public.

知识点:

- Well-liked and respected by people 被广泛喜欢着、尊敬着
- Charismatic and outgoing personality 有人格魅力的外向的性格
- Known for their kindness and compassion 因为他的善良慷慨而被人熟知

- A positive influence on others 对大众有积极的影响力
- Has a strong sense of community 有很强的团体感
- Be genuinely interested in people's lives and well-being 对人们的生活和身心健康有着由衷的真诚的关切。
- An inspiration/ a source of inspiration 给人带去一种启发灵感
- A breeze/breath of fresh air 一股清流
- Always have a smile on their face and a kind word for everyone they see. (是那种总是脸上挂着笑容、见到每个人都会说

好话的人)

The person I want to talk about is my neighbour, Mr. Li. He has lived in our apartment building for over 20 years and <u>is</u> <u>known AND loved by everyone</u> for his <u>kind and helpful nature</u>.

In terms of what he is like, well, he's just a very very nice and warm person. His warm and kind-hearted personality makes everyone <u>fall in love with him</u>. <u>He is the type of person who always has a smile on his face(他是那种总是脸上挂着笑容的人)</u> and a kind word for everyone he sees. <u>He is genuinely interested in the lives of others</u> and takes the time to make people <u>feel valued and appreciated</u>. <u>He's such a great listener(一个好的倾听者)</u>.

The main reasons why he's so well-liked are, firstly, Mr. Li loves performing acts of kindness and generosity to people.

Sometimes, he helps neighbours with their groceries. Sometimes, he <u>checks on those elderly neighbours</u> in the apartment building to <u>make sure they are okay</u>. He is also a very <u>handy person (会修东西)</u>. He is almost seen as the <u>handyman</u> in our building (他几乎被视为楼里的杂务工). Whenever we are having trouble with something in our apartment, such as <u>a leaky</u> faucet or a clogged drain, Mr. Li will <u>be there for us</u>, fixing things for us. He's the <u>go-to guy (首选的人)</u> in our building! And the second reason is, Mr.Li is a very sociable and fun person. He loves organizing community events, such as <u>potluck</u> <u>dinners (每个人都带一个拿手菜去吃饭)</u>, game nights, movie nights, or ping-pong competitions. <u>Thanks to him</u>, we've had so much <u>bonding time</u> together. He has definitely <u>brought us together (把我们团结在一起)</u>. No wonder why he's so <u>popular</u> <u>and well-liked</u> in our community.

So, yeh, that's Mr.Li, thank you!

Mr.Li

20 yrs, kind and helpful nature

Warm, PpI fall in luv A smile and a nice word Good listener Feel valued and appreciated

 perform acts of kindness
Groceries, checks on neighbour, handyman
organises events
Bring people together
Bond

Describe a famous person you are interested in (感兴趣的名人)

You should say:

Who he/she is When you first knew about this person What he/she was like before he/she became famous And explain why you are interested him/her

知识点:

• A good/ great/ amazing/ incredible/ talented/ the best actor(actress)

Tom Hanks is an amazing actor. I love him!

• natural 自然的/ emotive 表现情感的

He's a really natural and emotive actor.

• give a gripping performance (holds your attention completely)

呈现出扣人心弦的表演

Matt Damon can always give a gripping performance in any movie. He can always hold the audience's attention.

- put on a stunning performance
- be expressive in their facial movements/body language 在面部表情和肢体语言上非常有表现力

Jim Carrey is really expressive in his facial movements.

- articulate 口齿清晰、字正腔圆、好口才的, well-spoken 能说会道的
- be good at analyzing the script and get the most out of a scene 很善于分析剧本,最大程度利用好一个场景去发挥演技

I feel that Meryl Streep is so good at analyzing the script. She can always make the most out of the scene, and hold everyone's attention.

• do character research 做角色研究

• delve into the role 探究研究角色

Kate Winslet always delves into the role completely, and bring the character to life.

- bring the character to life 把角色演活
- put/pour his/her heart and soul into the role 全身心投入
- make you believe his/her performance 让人相信 ta 的表演(有说服力)
- screen presence 荧幕魅力、表现力、风采

Keanu Reeves has a screen presence that <u>few can match (没几个人能比)</u> and quite the unique charisma.

- range 范围,这里指的是演员的塑造里(可胜任的角色的范围)
 - a wide/ broad range; the most range

Robin Williams has blown us away with his range.

His range is small and his characters are not very complex, and yet he's captivating in those movies.

• acting skill 演技

He's the top 10 actors with the best acting skills.

• the most skilled actor 演技最强的演员

• an actor who can disappear into a role 可以消失在角色里的演员(演什么像什么)

Meryl Streep is an actress who can disappear into a role, and make you forget who she is and leave you with the character on screen.

Well, I'm going to talk about an actress that is <u>well known/ world renowned</u> whose name is Kate Winslet.

She's a British actress, an <u>Oscar winner</u>(奥斯卡获得者), a producer(制片人), a wife and a mother. She's <u>most famous for</u> <u>her role</u> as Rose in "Titanic"(她最著名的角色是泰坦尼克号里的 Rose), and that's how I knew about her, but she has <u>excelled</u> at(成功,超越) her career since playing Rose.

<u>I'm such a big fan of her</u>! She's such a <u>talented actress</u>. She <u>has the most range(戏路很宽)</u> as an actress. She could be in any type of movies, romance, comedy, suspense, drama... <u>you name it</u>. She is the kind of actress who can <u>disappear into a</u> <u>role</u>, and make you forget about who she is and just leave you with the character on screen(消失在角色中,让观众忘记她本人的存在). To me, she's one of the <u>most skilled actresses</u> in Hollywood and Europe, definitely <u>deserves her fame/ lives up to</u> her reputation(实至名归).

I love her face, not just because she has a beautiful face, but how <u>emotive(情绪表达丰富的)</u>her face is. She's <u>super</u>

expressive with her facial movements(面部表现力很强). I even love her eyebrows, because they are uneven(她的眉毛长得

不一样,很独特)! Haha! Her one eyebrow is always higher than the other. Sometimes when she raises her eyebrow, she looks

so cool, so unique! (这一段不一定要说,纯属个人小风格)

Nowadays, she seems like one of the few actresses in Hollywood and Europe who <u>don't get a ton of plastic surgery done</u> (没有大规模 do 脸). On the contrary, Kate has grown into herself (活出自己) over time and uses her own <u>charismatic</u> personality to portray herself (展现自己) without any shame. That's what <u>makes her performances so real and believable</u> (让表演真实可信).

Plus, She's also a really kind person. I've seen the way she treats her fans and even strangers in life. She's so <u>down-to-earth</u> <u>(接地气), friendly</u> and <u>gentle</u> to the world.

To sum up, I'm so into Kate Winslet because she's <u>talented</u>, <u>hard-working</u>, and <u>true to herself(真实做自己,忠于自己)</u>, also, because she <u>embraces aging gracefully(优雅地面对衰老)</u> and chooses to <u>hone her acting skills(磨练演技)</u> rather than preoccupy herself with how she looks. 【经历题】答题:

1.大结构展开思路:

①可以不用四转大法的方式来解构回答。

真实发生的故事,在脑海中按照故事的发展顺序来真实讲述就好。只要包含到四小问的关键信息点就好(who, when, where, what..)

简单开头第一段之后,可以说:<u>So, the story was</u>, many years ago...之后顺序介绍

(之后会有示范)

②依然按照四转大法来分层展开,不赘述。

2.具体每段展开思路:

①故事也可以有背景故事, back story (to set the stage 交代背景),如:

(工作学习中的建议) I was <u>in a "party mode</u>" every day(每天都是派对模式), and I didn't want to <u>put any effort into</u> my studies. I felt that I <u>had a burn-out</u> in high school when I was preparing for the <u>college entrance exam</u>(高考). So, in the first year in university, I didn't try at all, and then my <u>grades were terrible(分数都很糟糕)</u> in the second year. I <u>freaked out</u>(吓坏了), didn't know what to do. I felt very clueless(没有头绪) and helpless. Eventually, I <u>turned to(求助于)</u> my father for some

advice.

② 万能"回忆录"口吻:

I was doing...and suddenly XXXX happened.

"One day I was walking on the street, eating my ice-cream, minding my own business, and then suddenly, a man came up

to me, saying that I stole his money!"

③思维分层法里的时间分层法非常适用:

经历某事之前怎么想,之后怎么想,改变是什么。

Describe a car journey you had (汽车旅行)

You should say:

Where you went What you did Who you had the car journey with And explain how you felt about the journey

知识点:

• Road trip 汽车旅行(一般开车长途旅行)很常见实用的表达

• Long drive 很长一段汽车旅行,开车很久

We spent hours and hours <u>on the long drive</u>, but <u>it was worth it</u> to see the beautiful sights along the way.

• Take the scenic route 景观很美的路线,可能会绕远路但是风景很美很值得

We decided to take the scenic route to the national park, and the views were absolutely breathtaking.

- Breathtaking/stunning/ gorgeous/insane views(sights) 绝美的景色
- Spend quality time with XXX 和某人共度高质量时光

My family and I spent a lot of quality time on the road trip.

• Strengthen the bond between/ bond with/ a bonding experience

The trip really strengthened the bond between my parents and I. I enjoyed bonding with them. It was a great bonding experience.

• Exhilaration 充满喜悦和兴奋的感觉/ excitement/ thrill/ euphoria

Driving on the open road gives me a sense of exhilaration and freedom.

- Follow traffic rules and regulations 遵守交通法规
- Navigate 导航、穿越、驾驶、穿过

Navigating through an unfamiliar area can be challenging on a road trip, but it's also part of the adventure.

• Cherished/ beautiful/ wonderful/ unforgettable/ memorable memories 被珍藏的、美妙的、美妙的、难忘的回忆

The road trip with my best friends created cherished memories that we still talk about today. It was unforgettable.

- Iconic/famous landmarks 著名景点
- Winding roads 蜿蜒曲折的路

I love appreciating the beautiful winding road ahead of me when I'm driving on a road trip.

<mark>素材ー:</mark>

Ok, today, I'd like to share with you my experience of <u>driving on a road trip</u> for the first time(第一次汽车旅行).

A few summers ago (几个夏天以前=几年以前), my friend and I decided to <u>take a road trip</u> around the east coast of China. We <u>rented a car</u> (租了一辆车) and <u>took turns (轮流)</u> driving so that we could both enjoy the sights and avoid getting too tired. It was my first time <u>driving on a long road trip</u>. To be honest, in the beginning, I was a little nervous and <u>shaky</u> (颤抖

的), but gradually, I <u>felt more at ease(</u>感到更放松) and more excited for the adventure ahead.

Our journey started in Shanghai, and we <u>made our way up the coast</u> (一路沿着海岸线前行)towards Qingdao. We <u>stopped</u>

<u>at</u> various <u>scenic spots</u> along the way (一路上), including beaches, famous cities, and <u>quaint towns</u> (可爱的小镇). I remember

feeling a sense of freedom and exhilaration as we drove <u>along the winding roads</u> and enjoying <u>the gentle breeze</u>(清风) touching our faces and hair.

One of the most memorable moments of the trip was when we visited Mount Tai, in Shandong Province. We <u>hiked up the</u> <u>mountain (爬山)</u> and we also visited some ancient temples, and then later, we watched the stunning <u>sunrise views</u> from the top of the mountain. I remember feeling so proud of myself for successfully driving all the way from Shanghai to that point.

Overall, the road trip was a fantastic experience. It allowed me to experience <u>the thrill of driving(驾驶的乐趣和刺激感)</u> and see some of the most <u>breathtaking views</u> in China. Secondly, it was also <u>a great bonding experience</u> with my friend, as we <u>shared many laughs and memories</u> on the road.

So yeh, that was the story, thank you.

<mark>素材二:</mark>

Ok, so today I want to talk about a road trip I took with my family when I was young, which ended up with me <u>getting car</u> <u>sick (晕车)</u>.

When I was a child, my family and I went on a road trip in China during the summer. We were driving to visit my

grandparents who lived in a <u>rural area(农村)</u> in China. I remember being very excited for the trip because I loved spending time with my family and exploring new places.

However, as soon as we <u>hit the road</u>, I started to feel a bit <u>queasy</u>(想吐的) / <u>nauseous</u>(恶心想吐的) / <u>funny</u>(怪怪的). At first, I <u>thought it was just a passing feeling</u>(很快会过去), but it only got worse and worse as the trip went on. I tried to distract myself by talking to my parents, playing games, and listening to music, but nothing seemed to help. The roads were winding (蜿蜒曲折) and bumpy (凹凸不平), and also the gasoline smell of the car made me feel terrible.

As we drove further and further away from the city and into the countryside, I began to feel worse and worse. I felt <u>dizzy</u>, <u>nauseous</u>, <u>and very uncomfortable</u>. I begged my parents to stop the car and let me out, but we were <u>in the middle of</u> <u>nowhere</u> (荒无人烟的地区) and there was nowhere to go. I tried to <u>stay calm</u>, but I was struggling to <u>keep it together (保</u> 持镇定).

Eventually, I <u>threw up/vomited/puked (吐)</u> in a plastic bag in the car. It was so disgusting that my parents were even <u>gagging</u>(呕吐前的作呕状,还有很多其他意思,比如笑料、使窒息) hearing me vomiting. It was <u>contagious</u>(会传染的), I guess, haha!

Ever since then, I haven't been a big fan of road trips, especially those really long drives. I prefer to take a flight or a train

1000 times more than going on a road trip, haha! So yeah, that was the story, thank you!

Describe an adventure you would like to take in the future (想要经历的冒险)

You should say:

What the adventure is

Where you would go

Who you would be with

And explain why you would like to take this adventure

思路:还是可以讲 road trip!!只不过改成虚拟时态

知识点:

- An adventurous person: 一个爱冒险的人
- Take risks: 冒险
- A daredevil 冒险鬼
- A risktaker 爱冒险之人
- Hidden gem: 宝藏之地、之
- Hit the road 上路

Let's hit the road!!

• Go off the beaten path 离开主路,尝试一些没人去过的地方

I'm tired of the usual tourist spots. Let's go off the beaten path and explore some hidden gems.

• A breath of fresh air 一股清风,表示很清新的感觉或经历

Traveling to a new country is like a breath of fresh air. Everything is so different and exciting.

• Once in a lifetime 一生只有一次的那种难得的机会

This trip is a once in a lifetime opportunity. We can't pass it!

- Step/ get out of one's comfort zone 走出舒适区
- Live for the moment/ be present 活在当下
- YOLO: you only live once. 你只活一次

I know it's risky, but I'm going to try skydiving because YOLO!!

• FOMO: fear of missing out

I want to take a road trip because I don't want to experience FOMO. I don't want to miss out on the experience.

• Wanderlust 想要周游各国的强烈欲望

My wanderlust has taken me to many places so far.

• go where the wind blows/go where the wind takes me 即兴无计划、顺其自然

I don't have a plan. I'll just go where the wind takes me.

One adventure that I've always dreamed of taking is <u>a road trip</u> with my friends. As someone who has never <u>taken a road</u> <u>trip</u> before, I'm excited by the idea of exploring the world <u>on my own terms</u>(以我自己想要的方式) and <u>experiencing a true</u> <u>sense of independence</u>(享受独立感).

I would like to travel with <u>a couple of good friends</u>. We could rent a big RV(房车) or a SUV and <u>hit the road(上路)</u>. We could take turns(轮流) driving so that we could all enjoy the sights and avoid getting too tired.

<u>In terms of</u> where I would go, well, to be honest, **I haven't made a specific plan yet**. Basically, anywhere that's <u>worth seeing</u>, in China or outside of China. (注意,以下三个具体例子,不需要都说,挑选 1-2 个就好)

①For example, maybe a journey through the <u>Cobi Desert(戈壁滩)</u> in China. I've always been fascinated by <u>the stark beauty</u>

of the desert landscape(沙漠地貌的质朴原始之美).

②Or maybe, just stick to the east coast of China(守着海岸线玩儿), start in Shanghai and make our way up the coast (一路

沿着海岸线前行) all the way towards Qingdao. I would love to <u>stop at</u> some of the most <u>iconic landmarks</u>, famous big cities and <u>quaint towns</u>. I would also love to see Mount Tai, in Shandong Province. I heard it's amazingly beautiful. We could <u>hike up the mountain (爬山)</u> and watch the stunning <u>sunrise views</u> from the top of the mountain. (强调补充)

③Or maybe, even crazier and more <u>adventurous</u>, we could <u>take a cross-country trip(横穿整个国家的旅行)</u> in the US?! I mean,

I would love to travel from <u>the east coast</u> to <u>the west coast(东海岸到西海岸)</u> and experience all of the amazing sights that America has to offer. One of the places I would be most excited to visit is the Grand Canyon in Arizona. I've always been fascinated by the natural beauty of this <u>iconic landmark</u>, and I would love to see it <u>up close</u> and <u>with my own eyes</u>. (强调

补充)

Overall, the road trip would be a fantastic adventure. It would allow me to <u>step out of my comfort zone</u>, experience <u>a sense</u> <u>of freedom</u>, <u>the thrill of driving(驾驶的乐趣和刺激感</u>), and at the same time, see some of the most <u>breathtaking views</u> in China or other countries. Secondly, it would be also <u>a great bonding experience</u> with my friends, as we could <u>share many</u> <u>laughs and memories</u> on the road. And finally, taking road trips has been so <u>on trend(流行)</u> in the past 10 years in China. I guess, I just <u>don't want to experience FOMO</u>. I'm only 22 years old, and <u>you only live your life once</u>, right?

So yeh, that is the adventure that I would like to take. Thank you!

总结:

Part2 考点(得分点):

- 1. 切题(最忌讳半天无法切入正题,算作跑题)
- 2. 可懂性 (背景铺垫清楚了)
- 3. 结构清晰(题示语的作用)
- 4. 相应的话题语料(collocations, phrasal verbs, idiomatic expressions, natural English...)

5. 时态准确性