Robots(机器人)

1. Have you ever watched a movie about robots?

① I think so. I've definitely watched a few movies about robots. I mean, who hasn't right? That's like <u>the most popular theme</u> for Sci-Fi movies (最 受欢迎的科幻片主题). One movie that <u>comes to my mind</u>/ <u>pops into my</u> <u>head(进去脑海中)</u> is <u>Terminator(终结者)</u>. That's like the most famous movie about AI/robots <u>gaining control of</u> the earth(掌管地球). And also, Wall-E, it's a super <u>heartwarming and thought-provoking(暖心的、引人深</u> 思的)movie.(细节)

 ② I've probably seen a few, but <u>I can't think of any off the top of my head</u> (脑子里目前想不到任何). I guess it's one of those things you might forget
<u>over time(随着时间的推移)</u> with all the movies out there. I'm <u>not a big fan</u>
of <u>science fictions (科幻故事)</u> anyways (反正也不是 sci-fi 粉丝). (原因)
2. Are robots important?

Absolutely! Robots are 100% important. It's <u>the now</u> and <u>the future (是现在也是未来)</u>. They're not just something you see in Sci-Fi movies anymore; they are everywhere and <u>are being used in various industries (正在被很多</u>行业使用). They make our life easier and safer. They <u>boost efficiency (提升</u>效率), <u>increase productivity (提高产量)</u>, <u>enhance accuracy (增加精准度)</u> and can help us <u>tackle dangerous tasks (处理危险任务)</u>. For example, in factories, they help make things fast and accurately. In hospitals, they assist doctors during surgeries. <u>I can't imagine a world without robots (想</u> 象不到没有机器人的世界)_these days. (原因, 举例子)

3. Would robots affect people's lives?

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Definitely robots would totally affect people's lives. <u>They are already</u> <u>doing it now actually (现在就在发挥影响)</u>! Like I said, they're being used in all kinds of industries. In education, <u>AI-powered robots (人工智能机器人)</u> can <u>personalize learning experiences (个性设计学习体验)</u> for <u>each and</u> <u>every student (每一个学生)</u>. In agriculture, <u>robotic systems</u> can help with <u>planting and harvesting crops (种植, 收割庄稼)</u>, <u>increasing food</u> <u>production (提高产量)</u>. In our homes, we can cook with an <u>AI-powered</u> <u>cook machine (人工智能做饭机器)</u>, we can <u>vacuum and mop (吸尘+拖地)</u> all the floors with <u>a vacuum robot</u> in no time. Robots are so <u>deeply</u> <u>intertwined with our lives (紧紧缠绕在一起)</u> and <u>have a substantial impact</u> on how we live and interact with the world. <u>I can't wait to see what the</u> <u>future holds for us (未来可期)</u>. (时间分层 现在+未来,举例子)

4. What can robots do for you at home?

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5. Should we let a robot drive for us for long journeys?

In the near future(近期的未来), no, I don't see driverless cars as the predominant means of transportation(主宰的交通方式). There are still several challenges to overcome, <u>technological limitations</u>(科技限制) would be the NO.1 problem, we see Tesla <u>car accidents</u> almost every day on the news, and then, <u>legal and ethical aspects(法律和道德层面)</u>, I don't think too many people have accepted this concept. However, <u>in the distant future</u>(远期未来), it's very possible that driverless cars could

become more <u>prevalent(流行、普及)</u>.(时间分层)

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