Transportation（交通）

1. How do you go to work/school?

学生党：

① I usually <u>walk to school</u> because it's really close, and it's a healthy way to <u>start the day</u>. It gives me a chance to <u>wake up properly（好好醒来）</u> and <u>get some exercise done（做点运动）</u>. （原因）

② On sunny days, I love biking/cycling（骑自行车） to school as it's <u>fun and eco-friendly（有趣又环境友好的）</u>. I enjoy the feeling of the cool breeze touching my face and hair（清冷微风拂面和发须的感觉）. But when it's raining or I'm feeling lazy, I'll take the subway. I don't like to <u>get soaking wet（湿成落汤鸡）</u> or too tired. It's all about the mood and weather!（分情况）

③ My parents usually drive me to school every day. They <u>spoil me so much（很溺爱我）</u>, I know. It's comfortable and convenient, and we get some time to <u>catch up（聊聊天）</u> during the ride. （原因）

工作党：

① I usually drive to work. It's just more convenient for me as I can <u>set my own schedule（设定自己的日程）</u> and don't have to worry about waiting for public transportation. Plus, I enjoy the <u>privacy（隐私感）</u> of my car, where I can listen to my favorite podcasts or music, which helps me <u>mentally prepare for the day ahead（精神上准备好眼前的新一天）</u>. （原因，细节）

② I like to bike/cycle to work when the weather's nice and comfortable. It wakes me up and <u>gets me energized</u>, and meanwhile I can <u>get some exercise done</u>. But on cold or rainy days, I'll <u>hop on the subway（跳上地铁）</u>. So, it really depends on how I'm feeling and the weather. （分情况）

2. What's the most popular means of transportation in your hometown?

① Well, Guangzhou is a <u>huge metropolis（超级大都市）</u>, the most popular means of transportation is definitely the subway. It's fast, accessible, efficient and helps us avoid the <u>horrible, annoying traffic jams during the rush hours（高峰小时期间糟糕又讨人厌的堵车）</u>. There are also some people who use buses and taxis to <u>get around or commute（转悠或通勤）</u>, but I would say, the subway is still the major <u>go-to choice</u> for most people.（主流情况，特殊情况补充）

② My hometown is quite small, more like a town, really. <u>As a result（结果就是）</u>, we don't have a very <u>well-developed public transportation system（发展得很好的公交系统）</u>, like buses or a subway. That's why you'll often see a lot of people driving to work or wherever they need to go. In my town, most residents <u>rely on</u> their cars or bikes for transportation.（原因）

3. How far is it from your home to work/school?

根据自己情况来说，可以结合第一题的答案里的语料，进行简单细节补充。但是这道题，没什么可答的，短一点 10-15"，问题不大。

4. Do you think people will drive more in the future?

① Well I can't really predict the future, but <u>from what I can see now（从我目前能看到的）</u>, many people are <u>living fairly sedentary lives（过着相当久坐的生活方式）</u>, with long hours spent sitting at desks or in front of screens. That's why we have such <u>weight issues（体重问题）</u> and other <u>health concerns（健康问题）</u>. In the future, I guess the trend will probably continue, people will rely on driving as a <u>primary means of transportation（主要的交通方式）</u>. I'm not very <u>optimistic</u> in this（我对此事不是很乐观）.（时间分层，现在看未来）

② **It is true that many people are** <u>living fairly sedentary lives（过着相当久坐的生活方式）</u>**, with long hours spent sitting at desks or in front of screens. That's why we have such** <u>weight issues（体重问题）</u> **and other** <u>health concerns（健康问题）</u>**. However, I hope for the future we will become more aware of the** <u>importance of physical activities</u> **and** <u>take steps（采取措施）</u> **to** <u>make physical activities a part of our daily routines</u>**. The key is to** <u>find a balance between（找到平衡）</u> **our increasingly digital and sedentary lives and maintaining our** <u>physical and mental well-being</u>**. I'm actually pretty optimistic in this!（时间分层，现在看未来, 转折）**