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**教育类**

**Children find it difficult to concentrate on or pay attention to school. What are the reasons? How can we solve this problem?**

说明文：分析基础阶段教育孩子注意力难以集中在学习上、不爱学习的原因，并给出解决方案。

参考原因：学校教育过于应试，仅仅关注文化课考试成绩；孩子花费大量时间、精力在电脑游戏等电子产品上。

参考解决方案：培养孩子的学习兴趣，改进教学方法；鼓励孩子参加有意义的课外活动。

**Many young people leave school with a negative attitude towards study. What are the reasons? How can we encourage young people to study?**

说明文：分析基础阶段教育学生毕业后厌恶学习的原因，并给出解决方案。

参考原因：学校教育只关注文化课程，并仅凭考试成绩来衡量学生，整个学习过程完全是以考试为中心的。

参考解决方案：培养学生对学习的兴趣和能力，要完善课程设置，全面培养学生。

**Some people think that young people should be required to have full time education until they are at least 18 years old. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：支持，成年之前学生应该全日制接受教育。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段立论段：学校教育的重要性（教育的目的）。

主体段让步段：鼓励学生参加课外活动、社会实践，得到全方面的锻炼、成长。

**Some say that the purpose of education is to prepare individuals to be useful for the society. Others say that the purpose of education is to achieve personal ambitions. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.**

议论文

推荐写作观点：教育的目的既是帮助人们实现抱负理想，也是培养人们成为对社会有用的人才。

文章结构：中立结构。

主体段一：受过良好教育的人们往往有更好的职业发展、更容易实现个人理想、有更多机会过自己想要的生活。

主体段二：一个国家的科技、经济发展很大程度都取决于受过良好教育的人民。

**In some countries, secondary schools aim to provide a general education across a range of subjects. In others, children focus on a narrow range of subjects related to a particular career. Which do you think is appropriate in today's world?**

表面开放式提问，实际上是议论文：通过课程设置来讨论中学教育的目的。

推荐写作观点：中学应开设各种各样的课程，从而全面培养学生。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段立论段：中学教育的目的是教授学生各种学科知识、培养学生广泛的兴趣爱好并实现素质教育。（基础阶段教育的目的）

主体段让步段：中学教育不是以职业发展为导向的，这是vocational diploma的目的。学生可以通过参加课外活动或实践来丰富自己的阅历、锻炼自己。

**Some people think that the government should invest more money in teaching science rather than other subjects in order for a country to develop and progress. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：其他学科比如文科和理科的重要性一样。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段让步段：政府投资理科课程可以培养更多相关专业的人才有助于国家科学技术的发展。

主体段立步段：国家的全面发展及社会的安稳不仅仅取决于科技水平，文科人才的重要性不可忽略。

**Since science and technology are becoming more and more important in modern society, school should spend more time on teaching these subjects rather than on arts and humanities. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：人文学科和理科的重要性一样。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段让步段：学校侧重教授理科课程可以培养更多相关领域的人才有助于国家科学技术的发展。

主体段立步段：国家的全面发展及社会的安稳不仅仅取决于科技水平，人文学科专业人才的重要性不可忽略。

**It has been observed that in many countries many students are choosing to study science subjects and less students are majoring in arts and humanities at university. What do you think are the causes of the problem and what are the effects on society？**

说明文：分析现在大学生专业选择偏向理科而不是人文学科的原因和影响。

参考原因：理科专业的学生就业市场更好。

参考影响：人文学科专业人才的减少影响相关领域的发展。

**Some experts believe that it is better for children to begin to learn a foreign language in primary school than in secondary school. Does the advantage outweigh the disadvantage?**

议论文 参考剑9范文

推荐写作观点：从小学或中学开始学习外语各有利弊。

文章结构：中立结构。

主体段一：首先，从孩子一上学开始就学习英语可以让孩子尽早获得语言优势。其次，小学生课业压力相对较小，而且年龄越小孩子记忆力、语言模仿能力越好。

主体段二：首先，中学开始学习外语可以给孩子留出较充足的时间打好母语基础。其次，中学生有较强的自制力和语言学习能力，这更有利于外语学习。

**Some people say that it is better to teach language to students in small classes, while others think that the number of students does not matter. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.**

议论文

推荐写作观点：大班和小班结合进行语言教学。

文章结构：中立结构。

主体段一：语言基础知识的讲解和语言文化背景的介绍可以通过大班进行教学，学生人数不会影响教学效果，并且可以充分利用教学资源，比如硬件资源和优秀的师资。

主体段二：小班教学适合语言的练习、应用阶段，这样可以保证同学们有足够的练习、纠错机会。

**Some people think that painting and drawings are as important as other subjects, and they should be compulsory in high school education.** **To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：美术课程应该成为中学的必修课。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段立论段：首先，中学教育的目的是教授学生各种学科知识、培养学生广泛的兴趣爱好等，但现在中学课程的安排过于侧重语文、数学等文化课程的学习，而且老师往往以考试成绩为目标进行教学。其次，艺术类课程比如美术课可以培养孩的想象力、提高孩子的审美能力等；此外，绘画可以成为青少年表达自我的重要途径。

主体段让步段：如今中学生课业压力的确比较大，但是美术课可以帮助同学们调节学习的节奏、释放一定的压力，这反而有利于高效的学习。

**The best way to teach children to cooperate with others is through team sports at school. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：肯定题目中的观点。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段立论段：团队运动培养孩子们的团队精神。日常集体运动可以促进孩子们之间的交流、合作。比赛中的团体项目可以让孩子们学会分享成功的喜悦或共同面对、承担失败，这都有助于合作能力的培养。

主体段让步段：虽然有其他的活动给孩子们合作的机会，比如group projects，但参与的人数和效果很难超过团队运动。

**The government should spend money in promoting sport and art in school, rather than sponsoring professional sports and art events in communities. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：政府即应该投资支持学校开设艺术、体育课程，也应该资金支持专业艺术、体育赛事

文章结构：中立结构。

主体段一：体育和艺术课程在基础阶段教育的重要性。

主体段二：专业的体育赛事和艺术活动有助于在全社会提高人们对体育、艺术的关注度及相关领域活动的参与度。

**Some people think a sense of competition in children should be encouraged. Others believe that children need to be taught to cooperate rather than to compete. Discuss both these views and give your opinion.**

议论文

可侧重支持cooperation 见范文。

也可采用中立观点：合作能力和竞争意识都很重要。

**Many students are taught to push themselves to try to be better than other students rather than working together for everyone's benefits. Do the advantages outweigh the disadvantage?**

同上

**Some people think that teaching children of different abilities together benefits all of them. Others think that intelligent children should be taught separately and given special treatment. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.**

议论文

中心观点灵活，见范文。

**Some teachers argue that students learn more effectively when they study in groups while others believe it is better for them to study alone. What is your opinion?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：侧重支持以班级为单位学习。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段立论段：首先，学校现在日常教学包含很多group work，所以以班级为单位进行教学是必要的。其次，基础阶段学校教育的目的包含素质教育（teaching students how to become good members of society），而素质教育的关键是让学生在一起学习、互帮互助；此外，结合现在的情况：学生言行举止有问题，青少年犯罪率的增加，说明素质教育的重要。

主体段让步段：一对一的教学适合根据学生的需要进行针对性的补课，而不是常态化的教学方式，从教学资源上来说也不现实。

**In some countries, the parents expect children to spend long time in studying both in and after school and have less free time. Do you think it has positive or negative effects on children and the society?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：长时间学习缺少休闲时间对孩子不好，并在全社会产生负面影响。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段让步段：升学、就业压力促使父母期望甚至要求孩子无论在学校还是放学后长时间学习。可一味延长学习时间并不代表就会有好的成绩，合理安排学习时间才是提升学习效率的关键。

主体段立论段： 首先，长时间学习没有足够的休息时间会影响孩子的身心健康。此外，学生时间都花在文化课程上，少有机会参加课外活动，很多其他技能无法得到培养。全面培养学生应该鼓励他们参加丰富的社会实践，比如无偿的社区服务，有利于学生的素质教育。然后，长时间、填鸭式的学习会让孩子产生负面情绪，从而失去对学习的兴趣。如今很多学生毕业后会lead an negative attitude to learning，这不仅对学生、也会对全社会的发展产生不利影响。

**Some people believe that only students with best academic performance should be rewarded, some other people think it is more important to reward students with improvement. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.**

议论文

推荐写作观点：考试成绩最好的同学和有进步的同学都应该被奖励。

文章结构：中立结构。

主体段一：奖励成绩最好的同学可以promote a sense of competition，毕竟文化课成绩直接决定了学生的升学和文凭的获取。

主体段二：奖励有进步的同学，尤其是进步比较大的同学可以有助于fulfill their potential in academic studies as much as possible（实现自己的潜能）。

**Some people think that schools should teach students to form good behavior in addition to providing normal education. Do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

肯定的观点，论证基础阶段教育的目的，见相关范文。

**There are many problems with students' behavior today. Why is the case? How to change the situation?**

说明文

素质教育，见范文。

**Some people think that teachers should be responsible for teaching students how to judge right and wrong and how to behave well. Some say that teachers should only teach students about academic subjects. Discuss both views and give your opinion.**

议论文

论证素质教育的重要性，见范文。

**After children start school, teachers have more influence on their intelligence and social development than their parents. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

可采用中立观点：老师和父母的作用都很重要。

文章结构：中立结构。

主体段一：学校老师的作用（见课上相关范文）。

主体段二：一方面学生上学后家庭教育继续起着关键作用，并与学校教育互补；另一方面，学校老师需要照顾的同学很多，不一定能关注到每一位同学，所以需要家长在课下辅助或延续学校的教育。

也可持肯定观点，侧重、支持老师的作用。

**Some people think parents should teach children how to be good members of society. Others, however, believe that school is the place to learn this. Discuss both views and give your opinion.**

议论文

素质教育，见范文。

**In some countries, there has been an increase in the number of parents who educate their children themselves at home instead of sending them to school. Do you think the advantages of this outweigh the disadvantages?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：孩子需要接受学校的教育。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段让步段：家庭教育的确重要，毕竟父母是孩子的第一任老师，但是这远远不够。

主体段立论段：当孩子到了上学的年龄应该接受学校的教育（论证学校教育的目的）。

**It is suggested that students should undertake a period of unpaid work in the community. Does it bring more benefits or drawbacks to the community and young people?**

议论文

推荐写作观点： 鼓励学生参加无偿的社区服务。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段立论段：首先，鼓励学生参加无偿的社区服务有助于素质教育的落实，论证素质教育的重要性。其次，志愿活动对全社会产生积极的影响，比如关注弱势群体。

主体段让步段：学生课业压力可能会比较大，要注意合理安排参加课外活动的是时间。

**Some students take one year off between finishing school and going to university in order to travel or to work. Do you think the advantages outweigh disadvantages?**

议论文

论证间隔年产生的影响，见剑5范文。

**In the past, when students did a university degree, they tended to study in their own country. Nowadays, they have more opportunity to study abroad. What are the advantages and disadvantages of this development?**

议论文

写作方向灵活，可采用中立观点：在国内、国外读大学各有利弊。

文章结构：中立结构。

主体段一：去国外读书可以享受世界一流大学的教育资源；语言优势；学习不同文化，获得国际视野。

主体段二：在国内读大学往往更加经济实惠；安全性高；更熟悉国内就业市场。

**Students in school or university can learn more from classes and teachers than from other sources (e.g. the Internet or TV). To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

推荐写作观点： 肯定题目中的观点。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段让步段：学生如今有很多学习资源或方式可选择，比如可以利用网络查询相关信息等，但这些仅仅起到的是辅助作用。

主体段立论段：首先，school或大学教授学生的文化课、专业知识比其他资源更具备准确度。其次，素质教育的落实离不开老师的指引，比如the development of personality and morality等。

**What are the main tasks of universities: to offer students knowledge and skills essential for their future career, or to provide students with access to knowledge itself? What do you think university education should contain?**

议论文

大学教育的目的，见范文。

**Some people believe that studying in a college or university is the best way for students to prepare for their future career. Others think they should leave school as soon as possible to develop their career through work experience. Discuss both sides and give your own opinion.**

上一道题目的变体。

**What are the main tasks of universities: to offer students knowledge and skills essential for their future career, or to provide students with access to knowledge itself?**

同上。

**Some people believe that the country would benefit a lot from a large number of young people entering into university. However, others think that many people receiving the education of university only leads to graduate unemployment. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.**

议论文

推荐的写作观点：国家的发展需要受过高等教育的人才。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段立论段：一方面接受大学教育有助于个人的发展；另一方面，高等教育人才往往推进一个国家科技、经济等方面的发展。

主体段让步段：毕业生就业压力大不能理解为读大学无用，大学教育的目的也不是career-oriented！

**Some people think that the government should decide the subject for students to study in university. Others believe that students should be allowed to apply for the subject they prefer. Discuss both views and give your own opinion?**

议论文

推荐的写作观点：学生应该自由选择大学的课程及专业。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段立论段：大学教育在于学术自由，应该给学生提供良好的学习环境并鼓励大学生自主的选择学习方向。（可参考大学教育的目的）

主体段让步段：政府应该资金支持大学教育，比如投资公立大学建设，增设奖学金，而不是决定课程及专业设置。

**Nowadays, too much emphasis put on going to university for academic study. We should encourage people to have vocational education since there are not many qualified trades people, electricians or plumbers. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

可以肯定题目的观点，也可采用中立观点。

推荐中立观点：从个人和国家来说接受vocational education和读大学都是积极的选择。

文章结构：中立结构。

主体段一：在现在的就业市场，拥有vocational diploma的求职者可以找到很多不错的工作；在很多国家职业技术人员的收入很高，而且vocational diploma有助于移民；每个国家都需要大量的职业技术工作人员来推进社会的正常运转。

主体段二：接受大学教育有助于个人获得更多的发展机会；高等教育人才往往推进一个国家科技、经济等方面的发展。

**In many countries, more and more young people are unable to find jobs after graduation. What problems do you think youth unemployment will cause to individuals and society? What measures should be taken to reduce the unemployment rate?**

说明文：分析毕业生就业难可能产生的问题并给出解决方案。

可能产生的问题：无法经济独立及偿还学习贷款，给个人和家庭带来巨大的压力；大量的毕业生无法就业会加剧社会的不安稳。

解决方案：毕业生调整自己的预期，对大学教育的目的有着清晰的认识，多从基础性工作做起；若要选择更具竞争力的工作可以选择继续进修或从实习做起。

**Some people think that the government should pay for medical care and education. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

见范文。

**A huge amount of money goes towards children’s education. In some countries, the government pays some or all the costs. Do the advantages outweigh the disadvantages?**

议论文

讨论政府是否应该支付基础阶段教育的费用。

可参考上一道题范文。

**In dev****eloping countries, some people think the government should introduce new technology to people in order to improve the quality of life, while others believe that governments should offer free education. Discuss both views and give your opinion.**

议论文

推荐中立观点：普及教育和新的科技对人们和国家的发展都很重要。

文章结构：中立结构。

主体段一：教育对个人和国家的重要性。

主体段二：科技可以改善、提高人们的生活质量，而且普及科技可以让人们认识到科技的重要性，从而促进国家的科技发展。

**Schooling is no longer necessary since more and more information is accessible on the Internet, and students can study just as well at home. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

见范文。

**In which areas of education do you think computers are more important and in which areas do you think teachers are more important?**

上一道题目的变体。

**Some people think it is easier for adults to learn practical skills (such as computer skills) by themselves, while others believe it is better to learn with a teacher in classroom. Discuss both sides and give your own opinion.**

议论文

推荐中立观点：两种学习方式都可以。

文章结构：中立结构。

主体段一：成年人有更好的自制力、更多的学习经验，可以独立学习实际的技能。

主体段二：跟老师学习可以提高学习效率，毕竟老师有着充分的教学经验。

**人(家庭生活与弱势群体等)**

**Some people think that parents should read or tell stories to children. Others think that parents need not do that as children can read books or watch TV or movies by themselves. Discuss the both views and give your own opinion.**

议论文

见范文。

**Children can learn effectively from watching television. Therefore, children should be encouraged to watch television regularly both at home and at school. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：持否定态度。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段让步段：现在的确有越来越多适合未成年观看的电视节目，而且有的节目确实包含了不少生活常识和信息，但是家长应该限制孩子们看电视的时间。

主体段立论段： 一方面看电视不是the best way of children spending their free time ，更有意义的家庭活动比如说parents reading or telling stories to children，而且电视看多了对视力等身体的健康也不益；另一方面电视节目的娱乐性大于其教育意义，尤其是在学校，孩子们的学习生活重点应该是academic studies和更有意义的课外活动，比如学校可以组织学生参加unpaid community service。

**Reading story books is better for children than watching television or playing computer games. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：持肯定态度。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段立论段：reading story books对孩子有很多方面有好处，比如识字、读写能力的提高，培养想象力，提升注意力等，对今后的学习和生活都至关重要。

主体段让步段：现在的确有适合孩子观看的电视节目或玩的电脑游戏，但是一定要适度，否则对视力等方面会产生不良影响；而且过多或沉溺于电脑游戏可能会让孩子减少对学习的兴趣，并影响他们身心健康的发展。

**Some people think that people who prefer to read for pleasure will have better imagination and language skills than people who like watching TV. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：持肯定态度。

观点参考其他题目及范文。

**Some people say that playing computer games is bad for children in every way. Others say that playing computer games can have positive effects on the way children develop. Discuss both views and give your opinion.**

议论文

推荐写作观点：适度玩电脑游戏对孩子有好处。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段立论段：现在有越来越多适合孩子们玩的电脑游戏，对孩子们的智力开发等方面是有好处的。

主体段让步段：但是一定要适度，过多甚至沉溺于电脑游戏可能会让孩子减少对学习的兴趣，并影响他们身心健康的发展。

**Nowadays children spend a lot of time playing computer games and little time doing sports. Why is this? Do you think it is a positive or negative development?**

说明文+议论文

根据议论文的提问确定文章结构

推荐写作观点：影响弊大于利。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段让步段：先写原因，电脑游戏更刺激、更具有娱乐性，因此更吸引孩子；此外，现在的确有越来越多适合孩子们玩的电脑游戏，对孩子们的智力开发等方面是有好处的。

主体段立论段：但是过多甚至沉溺于电脑游戏可能会让孩子减少对学习的兴趣，并影响他们身心健康的发展；Conversely，经常做体育运动可以从小培养孩子健康的体魄，并且可以培养或锻炼孩子很多优秀的品质，比如团队合作精神、意志力等。

**Some people think that family has great influence on children's development. Others, however, believe that other things, such as the media, have greater effects. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.**

议论文

推荐写作观点：家庭对孩子的影响大于其他的事情，比如媒体。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段立论段：父母是孩子的第一任老师，家庭教育对孩子身心健康都有着深远的影响。（具体素材参考家庭教育对孩子的影响）

主体段让步段：媒体如今对孩子的影响很大，比如对孩子的言行等方便都有一定的作用，而且很多时候都是负面影响，这时候家庭教育的作用就很重要，一定要对孩子有着正确的指引。

**Some working parents think that child care center can provide their children the best care, while others think family members such as grandma can take better care of their children. What is your opinion?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：支持child care center提供最好的育儿教育和服务。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段立论段：现在有很多专业的child care center可以给孩子提供安全、细微的照顾；此外，高质量的child care center往往雇佣相关专业的人才，并设有适合孩子的课程或活动，对孩子心智的健康发展有很大的促进作用，也可以培养他们的兴趣爱好。

主体段让步段：祖父母对孩子的爱毋庸置疑，肯定也会尽全力照顾孩子，但是与child care center 提供的更专业的教育和服务相比确实有不足之处。所以，可以让孩子在周末和祖父母及家人一起spend quality time together，平时receive more professional care and education in child care center。

**New parents should attend parenting courses to bring up their children well. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：持肯定态度。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段立论段：现在有很多parenting courses给父母提供专业的知识，让父母可以更科学的培养孩子（强调家庭教育的重要性）。采用最佳的教育方法对孩子心智的健康发展有很大的促进作用，也可以更好的培养他们的兴趣爱好。

主体段让步段：父母对孩子的爱毋庸置疑，肯定也会尽全力照顾孩子，但是与parenting courses提供的更专业的知识和方法相比确实有不足之处。所以，当父母同孩子一起spend quality time together时，父母应该采用更科学的方法。

**Many parents these days work in other countries, taking their families with them. Do you think advantages of the development outweigh its disadvantages?**

议论文

推荐中立观点：有利有弊。

文章结构：中立结构。

主体段一：家人生活在一起有助于维系family bonding，尤其是有孩子的家庭，家庭教育对孩子的成长至关重要；此外，在国外生活，可以了解、学习外国文化，有助于开阔视野、丰富生活阅历。

主体段二：国外生活充满不确定性，对大人、尤其是孩子都可能产生未知的负面影响。

**In some countries around the world, men and women are having children late in life. What are the reasons for this development? What are the effects on society and family life?**

说明文：分析晚育的原因及影响。

主要的原因：in pursuit of personal development and career goals; more financial power and sharper brain for parenting etc.

可能的影响：Getting pregnant later in life could be less easy, and there might be health risks for women in delayed childbearing. Delaying parenthood might increase the risks of labor shortage which could aggravate the negative impacts of aging issues in many countries.

**In some countries, the difference in age between parents and children is generally greater than it was in the past. Do you think the advantages outweigh disadvantages?**

议论文

推荐中立观点：有利有弊。

文章结构：中立结构。

主体段一：Parents who have children later in life have often achieved many personal and career goals. Older parents are typically more focused on their families and the maturity and stability that often comes with age translates to more positive and patient parenting. For example, older parents tend to have more financial power and sharper brain for parenting etc.

主体段二：Getting pregnant later in life could be less easy and there might be health risks for women in delayed childbearing. Delaying parenthood might increase the risks of labor shortage which could aggravate the negative impacts of aging issues in many countries.

**In modern society, fatherhood should be emphasized as much as motherhood. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the statement?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：持肯定态度。Mothers are extremely important as far as their role in child development, but in the evaluation of parental roles, it seems common to overlook the crucial role a father figure plays.

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段让步段：Motherhood has rightly been seen as the more important of the two aspects of parenthood. Women have both the physical and emotional endowment to bring life into this world and to ensure the overall well-being of the child. Her contribution to parenting cannot be removed from her gender.

主体段立论段：Motherhood may contribute in a bigger way to the development of a child, but that does not mean that [fatherhood](http://naturalpapa.com/fatherhood/fatherhood-and-the-spirited-child-7-tips-for-parenting-a-fiery-child/%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) can be eliminated from the overall development phase of a child. There is a lot of similarity between fatherhood and motherhood in terms of the shared human nature between man and woman. However, these similarities do not negate the big differences. When the objective is to have fully-developed and healthy children, both mothers and fathers should be part of a child’s growth process. Father’s love influences a child’s development at a much deeper level than it has been believed to in the general perception. In fact, lack of it has been found to cause a wide range of developmental and psychological problems in children. This includes behavioral problems, adjustment problems, cognitive abilities, and even gender-role realization.

**Both women and men have full time job; thus, it is logical that they should share the housework tasks equally. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

见范文。

**In many countries, women are allowed to take maternity leave from their jobs during the first month after their baby is born. Do you think the advantages of maternity leave outweigh the disadvantages?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：利大于弊。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段立论段： Maternity leave is a Step Forward for Gender Equality. There are measurable health benefits for children whose parents have paid parental leave. Multiple studies have found that [maternity leave has measurable positive impact](http://www.nber.org/bah/winter04/w10206.html%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) on the mental well-being of mothers.

主体段让步段： Opponents of paid leave will might argue that the policy is too expensive to enact and it is true that small businesses in particular have a hard time shouldering the costs. However, in the long term, **p**aid leave benefits the company because it helps attract and retain talents.

**In many countries today, women can** **join the armed forces on an equal basis with men. However, some people think that only men should be members of the army, navy and air force. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

推荐写作观点：Women in the military can choose from a [variety of careers](https://www.thebalancecareers.com/military-enlisted-jobs-3354010). Although there are a set of challenges that are unique to female workers, females should be given equal access to joining the armed forces as males.

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段立论段：Candidates must first take the placement exam which tests the suitability for a military occupation; therefore, women should be given the privilege of joining the armed forces on an equal basis with men as long as they are eligible for the position. There are many positions in the military service requires no gender preference.

主体段让步段：Female soldiers and sailors still face gender discrimination, and an alarming number are victims of sexual harassment and assault; thus, more efforts should be made to protect the interest of women in the armed forces.

**Women and men are commonly seen as having different strengths and weaknesses. Some people think it is right to exclude males and females from certain professions because of their gender. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**

议论文

见范文。

**In many countries，the proportion of older people is steadily increasing. Does this trend have more positive or negative effects on society?**

议论文

推荐中立观点：弊大于利。

文章结构：有选择、有侧重的文章结构。

主体段立论段：initially, increase in the [dependency ratio](https://www.economicshelp.org/blog/glossary/dependency-ratio/). If the retirement age remains fixed, and the life expectancy increases, there will be relatively more people claiming pension benefits and fewer people working and paying income taxes. The fear is that it will require high tax rates on the current, shrinking workforce. Secondly, increased government spending on health care and pensions. Those in retirement tend to pay lower income taxes because they are not working. This combination of higher spending commitments and lower tax revenue is a source of concern for many governments – especially those with existing debt issues and unfunded pension schemes.

主体段让步段：People used to see getting old as a time for retirement but today elderly people are able to be more involved in contributing actively to their communities, whether it means working part time as mentors or doing voluntary work in different organizations.

**Some people think that getting old is entirely bad, while others believe that elderly people can lead a better life than in the past. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.**

议论文

见范文。

**Some people think that the government should be responsible for providing financial support to old people after they retire; others believe that individuals should save money for themselves. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.**

议论文

推荐中立观点：都有道理，互补。

文章结构：中立结构。

主体段一：Social security is designed to take care of people after retirement.

主体段二：Social Security may not cover all the retirement expenses. The rest will need to come from other sources, like personal savings and pension plans. More importantly, the decline in economic growth makes it harder to fund pension commitments. Therefore, households need saving to prepare for retirement.

**科技与发明类**

Technological progress in the past century has its negative effect, despite its remarkable contribution. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Modern technology gives people more free time, but actually they are busier than before. Do you agree or disagree with this statement?

Space travel has been possible for some time and some people think that the space tourism could be developed in the future. To what extent do you think it's a positive or negative development?

Some people believe that there are intelligent life forms existing on other planets and it is better to send messages to them, but others think that it is a bad idea because it is very dangerous to do this. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

Scientists believe computers will become more intelligent than human beings. Some people think the development has a positive impact; others think it is negative. Discuss both these views and give your own opinion.

Nowadays, more and more jobs and tasks are done by machines which involve hard physical work. Do these effects of this trend outweigh the negative effects?

Some people think that with the increasing use of mobile phone and computer, people are losing the ability to communicate face to face. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Some people think that the increasing use of computers and mobile phones for communication has had a negative effect on young people’s reading and writing skills. Does the advantage outweigh the disadvantage?

In most countries, with the widespread of the use of the Internet, people have more freedom to choose to work and study at home instead of travelling to work or college. Do advantages outweigh disadvantages?

Now people in many countries can live and work anywhere they choose with improved communication technology and transport. Do you think the advantages outweigh the disadvantages?

In modern society, it is possible for people to go shopping, banking and working with the Internet. But the danger is that people might become isolated and lose social skills. Do you think it is a negative or positive development?

Some people believe that air travel should be restricted because it causes serious pollution and uses up the world’s fuel resources. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Online shopping is now replacing shopping in stores. Do you think it is a negative or positive development?

Nowadays technology is increasingly being used to monitor what people are saying and doing for example through cell phone tracking and security cameras. In many cases, people being monitored are unaware that this is happening. Do you think the advantages of this development outweigh the disadvantages?

Some people think that library is a waste of money and computer technology is replacing its function. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

When a country develops its technology, the traditional skills and ways of life die out. It is pointless to try and keep them alive. To what extent do you agree or disagree with this opinion?

**媒体与广告类**

The news media have become more influential in people's lives, and some people think that this is a negative development. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

We rely on the news for our knowledge of the world but are unsure how far we can trust journalists. What is your opinion on this? What qualities do you think are important requirements for journalists?

Printed book is not necessary in digital era because books can be stored electronically. But others believe that printed books will continue to play an important part in our lives. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

**Some people say that the age of books has passed; information can be accessed via videos, computers, television, films and so forth. Other people think books and written words will still be essential for information dissemination. Discuss both sides and give your opinion.**

议论文，见范文。

People are surrounded by many kinds of advertising which can influence their life. Does the positive effect of this trend outweigh negative effect?

Some people think that advertising discourages us from being different individuals by making people do the same and look the same. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Advertising aimed at children is increasing. Some people think this has negative effects and should be controlled. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Nowadays a large number of advertising is aimed at children, and it should be banned because of its negative effects. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Research shows that overeating can be just as harmful as smoking. Thus, the advertising of certain food products should be banned, as cigarette is banned in many countries. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Many people believe that media coverage of celebrities is having a negative effect on children. To what extent do you agree or disagree with this opinion?

Some people believe famous people’s support towards international aid organizations draws the attention to problems, while others think celebrities make the problems less important. Discuss both views and give your opinions.

**职业发展与生活方式类**

An increasing number of people change their career and places of residence several times during their life. Is this a positive or negative development?

An increasing number of people are changing their careers. What are the reasons? Do you think it is positive or negative?

Some people think that we should choose job that could bring us sense of satisfaction, while others believe that we should choose the stable jobs. Discuss both sides and give your opinion.

It is better for people to be unemployed than people to be employed without a job they enjoy. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

It is said that work is the most important thing of people's life. Without the success of career, life will become meaningless. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the opinion?

As most people spend a major part of their adult life at work, job satisfaction is an important element of individual wellbeing. What factors contribute to job satisfaction? How realistic is the expectation of job satisfaction for all workers?

Some people believe that young people should be free to choose his or her job, while others think that they should be realistic and think about their future. Discuss both views and give your own opinion

Older people who need employment have to compete with younger people. What problems will be caused? And what are the solutions?

Leaders or directors of organizations are often older people. But some people say that young people can also be a leader. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Some people think that young people should hold positions of power in the government, but others disagree with this idea. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

It is a good thing for people in senior management positions to get a higher salary than other workers in the same company. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Interviews form the basic selecting procedure for most large companies. However some people think interviews is not a reliable means of choosing who to employ and there are some other better methods of selection. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Employs should give their staff at least four weeks holidays a year to make employees do better at their jobs. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Countries with a long average working time are more economically successful than those countries which do not have a long working time. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

As well as making money, businesses should have other social responsibilities. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

In some countries, more and more people choose to live by themselves. What are the causes? Is it a positive or negative trend?

City dwellers seldom socialize with their neighbors today and the sense of community has been lost. Why has this happened and how to solve this problem?

Some people think that in modern society individuals are becoming more dependent on each other, while others say that individuals are becoming more independent of each other. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

In some countries, more and more adults are continuing to live with their parents even after they have completed education and found jobs. Do the advantages outweigh the disadvantages?

It is generally accepted that families are not as close as they used to be. Give some reasons why this change has happened and suggest how families could be brought closer together.

With major cities continue growing, are there any problems to young people? How to solve these problems?

Young people are leaving their homes from rural areas to study or work in the cities. What are the reasons? Do the advantages of this development outweigh its disadvantages?

There is a gap of living in cities and countryside. What are the reasons in your country and how to reduce the difference?

It is said that today people’s life is becoming increasingly stressful. What’s the reason of it and how to solve the problem?

People have different hobbies such as collecting stamps or wood carving. Why are hobbies important to us? How can we benefit from having hobbies?

**时尚与购物**

People's shopping habits are mainly influenced by the age group of the consumer rather than other factors. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Nowadays people are encouraged to buy more and more consumer products, which is good for the economy. However, others believe that it is bad for the whole society. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

Some people get into debt by buying things they do not need and cannot afford. What are the reasons for this behavior? What actions can be taken to prevent people from having this problem?

People can buy more household products such as TV, microwave oven and rice cooker than ever before. Is that a positive or negative development?

The tendency for human beings to copy one another is shown in the popularity of fashion in clothes and other consumer goods. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Fashion trends are difficult to follow. Some people think that they primarily exist just to sell clothes so we should not follow them. To what extent do you agree or disagree with this opinion?

More and more people want to buy famous brands with clothes, cars and other items. What are the reasons? Do you think it is a positive or negative development?

Some people argue that they would have more choices if the number of TV channels increases, but others would think that it would lead to poor TV programs. Discuss both opinions and give your own idea.

**饮食与健康**

Scientists advise people to lead a healthy lifestyle, but most people continue with unhealthy activities. Why do you think it is and what can do with it?

Some people think that living in big cities is bad for people’s health. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Shops should not be allowed to sell food and drink that has been scientifically proved to be harmful to people's health. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Some people think everyone should be a vegetarian and they do not need to eat meat to stay healthy. To what extent do you agree or disagree？

The range and quality of food has been improved with the development of technology and scientific advance. Some people think that it is good and others think that it is harmful. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

Convenience foods will become increasingly prevalent and eventually replace traditional foods and traditional methods of food preparation. To what extent do you agree or disagree with this statement?

In many countries, people can eat a wide variety of food in other regions. As a result. it makes people eat more other regions food that the local one. Do you think the advantages of this development outweigh its disadvantages?

The government has the duty to ensure its citizens have a healthy diet, while others believe it is individuals’ responsibility. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

Some people believe that healthcare should be free for everyone. Others say that people should pay for their own healthcare. Discuss both these views and give your own opinion.

Some people say the government should give priority to the health care, while others believe that tax payers' money should be spent on more important things. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

Some people think governments should focus on reducing environmental pollution and housing problems to help people prevent illness and disease. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

**城市类问题**

Unlimited car use has brought us a lot of problems. What are these problems? And should we discourage people to use cars?

Some people think the best way to solve traffic congestions in cities is to provide free public transport 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

In some countries, the government has tried to reduce traffic. For instance, they imposed a congestion tax during rush hour. Do you think this development is positive or negative?

Some people think that bicycle is the best way to travel from place to place. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of the bicycle.

When designing a building, the most important thing to take into account is the intended use of the building rather than its outward appearance. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Some people think old buildings should be destroyed and replaced with modern ones. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

The reconstruction of old buildings in major cities takes numerous government expenditures. The money should be used in building new housing and roads. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Towns and cities are attractive places. Some suggest the government should more money putting in more works of arts such as paintings and statues to make them better to live in. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

It is important for all towns and cities to have large public outdoor places like squares and parks. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

When new towns are planned, it is important to build more public parks or sports facilities than shopping centers for people to spend their free time. To what extent do you agree or disagree？

The world has many towns and cities constructed in previous centuries that are suitable and livable for people in those times. What problems will this cause today and what can be done to solve these problems?

Some people think that it is more important to plant more trees in open area in towns and cities than build more housing. To what extend do agree or disagree?

Governments are encouraging industries and businesses to move from large cities to regional areas. Do the advantages outweigh the disadvantages?

As the transport and accommodation problems increase in big cities, some governments encourage businesses to move to the rural area. Do you think the advantages outweigh the disadvantages?

Some people think that vertical city is the best, where people work and live in tall buildings. Others think horizontal city is better, where there are few buildings. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

Some people think that the amount of noise people make should be controlled strictly, while other say that people are free to make as much noise as they wish. Discuss both views and give your opinion.

Some people think that the age limit for driving should be increased in order to make driving safer. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

The use of mobile phone is as antisocial as smoking. Smoking is banned in certain places so mobile should be banned like smoking. To what extend do agree or disagree?

Some people think that a rise in standard of living in a country only seems to benefit cities more than rural areas. What problems may those differences cause? How to reduce this problem?

**文化类**

Thanks to air travel and telecommunication, contacts between different parts of the world has developed quickly during the 20th century. To what extent do you think societies benefit from the contact and closer relationship with foreigners brought about by international business and tourism?

Many countries believe that international tourism has harmful effects to their countries. Why do they think so? What can be done to change their views?

International travels make people prejudiced more than broadminded. Why ? How to improve the understanding of countries they visit?

It is important to preserve both the culture and environment of the places you visit, but some people think it is impossible to be a responsible tourist. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Some people think the increasing business and cultural contact between countries is a positive development, while others believe this will lead to the loss of national identities. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

Differences between countries are becoming less evident each year, and we can see the same films , brands, advertisements and TV channels worldwide. To what extent do you think the disadvantages of this outweigh its advantages?

It is not necessary to travel to other places to learn about other cultures. We can learn as much as from the books, films and the Internet. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Some people think that cultural traditions will be destroyed as they are used as money-making attractions, while others think it is the only way so save them. Discuss both views and give your opinion.

It is possible for scientists and tourists to travel to remote natural environments, such as South Pole. Do you think the advantages of this development outweigh the disadvantages?

Many museums and historical sites are mainly visited by tourists, not local people. Why? What can be done to attract local people?

In multi-cultural societies, the mixture of different ethnic groups brings more benefits than drawbacks. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

The customs and traditional ways of behavior are no longer relevant to the modern world. So it is not worth keeping them. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Some languages are increasing in use, while many others are declining. Do you think this is a positive or negative development?

Some people believe that charity organizations should give aid to those in greatest need, wherever they live. Others believe that the charity organizations would better concentrate on helping people who live in their own country instead. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

Some people believe that countries have moral obligation to help each other. Others are worried that the aid money cannot get to the poor of this world. Discuss both sides and give your own opinion.

Some people prefer to provide help or support directly to the local community, while others think we should donate aid to national or international charitable organizations. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

Some people think that we should donate money to those poor people and nations. Others think that other forms of aid should be taken. Discuss both views and give your opinion.

Some people think that the main benefit of international cooperation is the environment. However, others believe that it is the world's business. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

**艺术与体育类**

What are the purposes of places such as museums and how should they be funded?

People still value artists in the age of advanced science and technology. Why do you think this is? Are arts as important as science and technology?

Some people think that creative artists should be financially supported by the government. Others think that these artists should look for other sources of support. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

Many people think that painting and music do not directly improve the quality of people; therefore, governments should not spend too much money on artistic projects. Do you agree or disagree with the statement?

Popular events like the football World Cup and other international sporting occasions are essential in easing international tensions and releasing patriotic emotions in a safe way. To what extent do you agree or disagree with this opinion?

Successful sports professionals can earn a great deal money than people in other important professions. Some people think that this is fully justified while others think it is unfair. Discuss both these views and give your own opinion.

Some countries achieve international sporting success by building specialized facilities only for the training of top athletes, instead of providing facilities that everyone can use. Do you think this is a positive or negative development?

Some people think governments should ban dangerous sports, but some others think it is a freedom to choose the activities we want to. Discuss both view and give your own opinion.

Some people like to risk their lives in some dangerous sports such as mountain climbing. Some say that rescuers need not risk their own lives to save those trapped on mountain peaks and that people should be responsible for their own lives. What is your opinion?

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**生态环境、自然资源与动植物保护类**

1. The natural resources such as oil, forests and water are being consumed at an alarming rate. What problems does it cause and how can we solve these problems?
2. International community should act immediately to reduce all countries consumption of fuels such as gas and oil. To what extend do you agree or disagree?
3. With the increasing demand for energy sources of oil and gas, people should look for sources of oil and gas in remote and untouched places. Do the advantages outweigh disadvantages?
4. Some people think that they have the right to use as much fresh water as they want, while others believe the government should strictly control the use of fresh water as it is limited resources. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.
5. Nuclear energy is a better choice for meeting the increasing energy demand. To what extent do you agree or disagree?
6. Some people think that instead of preventing climate change we need to find a way to live with it. Do you agree or disagree?
7. In many countries, there is not enough recycling of waste materials (e.g. paper, glass, cans). What are the reasons and solutions?
8. Now many people are living in a “throw-away society” where they tend to throw away things they have only used for a short time. What do you think are the causes and what problems it may cause?
9. The increasing consumption of consumer goods has resulted in serious damage to the natural environment. Why is the case? What can we do to solve the problem?
10. **Individual can do nothing to improve the environment, and only the government and large companies can make a difference. To what extent do you agree or disagree?**
11. Some people think that it is important to maintain biodiversity, as more and more species are under threat. What are some possible solutions?
12. Some people argue that too much attention and too many resources are given to the protection of wild animals and birds. To what extent do you agree or disagree?
13. Human activities have had a very negative effect on animal and plant species. Some people think it is too late to do anything about the problem, while others believe that some effective actions can be taken to improve this situation. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.
14. Should animals be used in medical research?
15. In modern world, it is no longer necessary to use animals for food or other products like clothing and medicines. To what extent do your agree or disagree?
16. Developments in science and technology have caused environmental problems. Some people think that a simpler way of life will protect the environment, while others believe that science and technology can solve environmental problems. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

**社会安稳与犯罪类**

Some people believe that the best way to produce a happier society is to ensure that there are only small differences between the richest and the poorest members. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

A range of technology available increases the gap between the rich and poor. Some people think that it produces the opposite effects. Discuss both views and give your opinion.

Some people think that if a police force carries a gun, it can lead to higher level of crime in that society. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

In many parts of the world, children and teenagers are committing more crimes. What are the causes? How should they be punished?

Young people who commit serious crimes, such as a robbery or a violent attack should be punished in the same way as adults. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

A recent newspaper article reports that a 14-year-old boy who seriously destroyed his school got a punishment to clean streets instead of being sent into prison. Do you think this is right or young criminals should be sent to jail?

Some people who have been in prison become good citizens later. Some people think that they are the best people to talk to school students the danger of committing a crime. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Nowadays, many people do not feel safe either when they are at home or go out. What are the reasons and what can be done to solve this problem?

People are afraid of leaving their homes for fear of crimes. Some people believe that more actions should be taken to prevent crimes, while others think that little could be done. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

In some countries, criminal trials are shown on television so that the public can watch them. Do you think the advantages outweigh the disadvantages?

The government should control the amount of violence in films and on television in order to reduce the amount of violent crimes in the society. Do you agree or disagree?

Most countries spend a large amount of money in weapons to defend themselves though they are not at war. Some people believe that these countries should spend the money to help the poor and disadvantaged countries. To what extent do you agree or disagree with this statement?

**抽象类**

Some people think success in life is based on hard work and determination, but others think there are more important factors like money and appearance. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

Some people believe that the personal happiness is directly related with the economic success. Others argue that the happiness depends on completely other factors. Discuss both of the views and give your opinion.

What is the most important element you think to make a perfect society. How do people do to achieving an ideal society?

Economic progress is the only way to measure a country's success. Other people think other factors are also important. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.

Some people think that the way to judge the success of a nation is the quality of average person’s life, while some others insist a promising economy should be most essential. Discuss both views and give your opinion.

Some people think by paying taxes they have contributed enough to their community. What is your opinion on this statement?

People today tend to value different things compared to the past. Why is the case? Is it a positive thing or a negative one?

Men are becoming more and more greedy and self-centered today. We should return to older, traditional values and show respect for family and local community. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Some people say that telling the truth is not always essential. It is necessary to tell lies sometimes. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Some people think that change is always a good thing. However, others try to avoid changes all the time. Discuss both opinions and give your own idea.