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# 前 言

《新突破大学英语综合教程》充分体现教育部即将出台的《大学外语教学指南》个性化、多样性的要求,根据我国中西部地区高职高专学校教学实际,由全国教指委英语组成员,原西南大学外国语学院院长、博士生导师李力教授担任总主编,具有丰富大学外语一线教学经验的各校教师分工编纂而成。

教育部高等学校大学外语指导委员会主任王守仁在近日召开的“高等学校大学英语教学改革与发展学术研讨会”上透露,正在研制中的《大学英语教学指南》(以下简称《指南》)以对全国范围内各类各层次高校的调研数据为依据,以研究为支撑,提出建设多层次多元化教学目标体系,满足学生个性化学习需求。

据王守仁介绍,《指南》提出,大学英语课程将与高中英语课程相衔接,各高校可以根据实际需要,自主确定起始阶段,自主选择教学目标。

在《指南》中,大学英语课程设定了三级目标体系。王守仁介绍,基础目标是英语入学水平较低的学生应达到的基本要求,提高目标是大多数大学生应达到的目标要求,发展目标是针对各高校人才培养计划的特殊需要以及学生的能力、需求和兴趣而提出的多元目标要求。

多元教学目标决定了大学英语不是一门课程,而是由多门课程组成。王守仁说,大学英语课程根据教学内容可分为通用英语(English for General Purposes)、专门用途英语(English for Specific Purposes)和通识教育类英语(English for General Education)三个类别。在课程设置中,每个类别的课程包括必修课、指定选修课与任意选修课。不同层次高校各个类别的课程所占比例应有不同,并依此设计具有特色的个性化教学模块。

在教学安排上,不同的目标体系所需课程时间也不相同。同时,各高校应控制班级规模,提高教学质量。

《新突破大学英语综合教程》一共四册,配备教师用书和学生用书,同时提供大量网络教学资源。主干教材每一册八个单元,每一单元有两篇课文,内容涉及高职高专各专业大类,且与英语学习、就业、对外交流密切相关。本教

材充分照顾我国中西部地区高职高专学校学生英语基础欠扎实、英语应用能力普遍较低的特点,既能满足上述三级目标中一、二级(第一、二、三册)的教学需要,也能适应三级目标(第四册)的要求,可以作为通用英语(English for General Purposes)课程的主干教材。部分按照《高职高专教育英语课程教学基本要求》(高等教育出版社,2000,以下简称《基本要求》)采取 A、B 两级教学的学校,可选择本教程的第一册作为 B 级教学之用,第二、三册作为 A 级教学之用,第四册则用于高年级英语基础较好学生的英语选修课教材。

考虑到各校学生实际英语水平的差异,可选用全套,也可选用一、二册或者三、四册使用;另外,随着大学外语教学改革不断推进,各校的英语教学课时可能不尽相同,教学侧重点也存在区别,故建议学校根据本校大学英语教学实际情况,以本教材作为蓝本和基础,增删教学内容。

依据《基本要求》,本门课程的教学目的是:“经过 180~220 学时的教学,使学生掌握一定的英语基础知识和技能,具有一定的听、说、读、写、译的能力,从而能借助词典阅读和翻译有关英语业务资料,在涉外交际的日常活动和业务活动中进行简单的口头和书面交流,并为今后进一步提高英语的交际能力打下基础。”因此,《新突破大学英语综合教程》参照《基本要求》中所列交际范围、语言技能、语法结构和词汇,按照由浅入深、循序渐进的方式增加词汇量和课文难度,编排了适量的听、说、读、写、译练习,供教师和学生课堂或课外进行必要的英语实践训练。

《新突破大学英语综合教程》是在教育部相关教学文件精神引领下,在关心大学英语教学的知名专家悉心指导下,广大一线教师为切实提高高职高专大学英语教学质量所做出的新尝试。由于编写时间有限,加之经验总结可能不够全面和深刻,书中难免出现疏漏甚至错误。热切期望使用本教程的同行及时提出宝贵意见,以便我们对教材进行必要的修订和完善。

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# Unit One Overseas Chinese

## Part I Listening Comprehension

**Directions:** *This part is to test your listening ability. It consists of 3 sections.*

### Section A

**Directions:** *This section is to test your ability to give proper responses. There are 5 recorded questions in it. After each question there is a pause. The questions will be spoken two times. When you hear a question, you should decide on the correct answer from the 4 choices marked A, B, C and D.*

1. A. You can take a taxi.  
    C. It's about twenty miles.
2. A. It's very far from here.  
    C. I've got a good idea.
3. A. I've got some paper.  
    C. OK, thank you.
4. A. Sure. You take the other end.  
    C. I think it's too expensive.
5. A. I'm sorry to hear that.  
    C. It's very kind of you to help me.
- B. I'll fly to New York next week.
- D. It's only six hundred *yuan*.
- B. It's very small, but nice.
- D. I've been there.
- B. That's great.
- D. Oh, no problem.
- B. Turn right at the next corner.
- D. I'm afraid it doesn't work.
- B. I like Chinese food.
- D. I'd like to, but I'll have a meeting.

### Section B

**Directions:** *This section is to test your ability to understand short dialogues. There are 5 recorded dialogues in it. After each dialogue, there is a recorded question. Both the dialogues and questions will be spoken two times. When you hear a question, you should decide on the correct answer from the 4 choices marked A, B, C and D.*

6. A. Pass a letter to Mr. Black.  
    C. See Mr. Black.
7. A. In a store.  
    C. At a restaurant.
- B. Talk to Mr. Black.
- D. Ask Mr. Black for help.
- B. In a post office.
- D. At a bus stop.



19. For the first two months, he earned nothing at all but his credit and \_\_\_\_\_ were looking better.  
A. reputation      B. honor      C. popularity      D. glory
20. —Kate is so good at music.  
—Right. She began to \_\_\_\_\_ the violin when she was six.  
A. show      B. perform      C. play      D. create
21. On April 1st they flew to Beijing \_\_\_\_\_ they stayed several days.  
A. when      B. where      C. which      D. there
22. And I \_\_\_\_\_ to him tonight to do all in my power to help him lead us through the challenges we face.  
A. admit      B. permit      C. pledge      D. plague
23. Is there any competition between China and these countries in the regional \_\_\_\_\_?  
A. committee      B. organization      C. corporation      D. cooperation
24. The meeting discussed how to \_\_\_\_\_ cooperation between the two companies.  
A. raise      B. promote      C. highlight      D. decrease
25. Don't worry. \_\_\_\_\_ you work hard, you are sure to pass the exam.  
A. As much as      B. As well as      C. As soon as      D. As long as

## Section B

**Directions:** *There are also 5 incomplete statements here. You should fill in each blank with the proper form of the word given in the brackets.*

26. The book had an extensive (popular) \_\_\_\_\_ among Chinese readers.
27. The friends with whom I sat on (graduate) \_\_\_\_\_ day have been my friends for life.
28. I'm afraid my attempt to make a cake wasn't very (success) \_\_\_\_\_.
29. Many people thought the (nominate) \_\_\_\_\_ was his for the asking, and for a good while I thought he would ask.
30. Take care of your car, because you drive the car and you need it every day. The car is (necessarily) \_\_\_\_\_ for you.

## Part III Reading Comprehension

**Directions:** *This part is to test your reading ability. There are 5 tasks for you to fulfill. You should read the reading materials carefully and do the tasks as you are instructed.*

### Task 1

**Directions:** *After reading the following passage, you will find 5 unfinished statements,*



numbered 31 to 35. For each statement, there are 4 choices marked A, B, C and D.

The London Underground (usually called “the tube”) is the biggest subway system in the world. It is also the fastest way to travel in the city. The network consists of nine major routes (路线), called “lines”.

You can buy tickets at any underground station, at a ticket office, or from a ticket machine. Some of the ticket machines require exact money. All of the machines display “Change given” or “Exact money only” signs. The price of the ticket depends on the length of the trip. The longer the trip, the higher the cost of the ticket.

Trains stop at all stations. On some trains, passengers need to press a button to open doors. Every underground train car has maps that show all the stations on the line you are traveling on. There is a map of the whole underground system in every station. Smoking is not allowed on underground trains or in stations.

31. According to the passage, the other name of the subway in London is “\_\_\_\_\_”.

- A. the subway system                      B. the underground  
C. the lines                                  D. the tube

32. The underlined phrase “Exact money only” (Para. 2) means “\_\_\_\_\_”.

- A. change if offered                      B. no change is given  
C. no coins are accepted                D. only coins are accepted

33. On some trains, if a passenger wants to get off, he has to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. inform the driver                      B. show his ticket  
C. press a button                         D. read a map

34. A map of the whole underground system can be found in \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. every train                                B. every station  
C. some train cars                        D. some ticket offices

35. This passage mainly tells readers how \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. the London Underground works      B. the London Underground develops  
C. a passenger buys subway tickets      D. a passenger travels on a subway train

## Task 2

**Directions:** This task is the same as Task 1. The 5 unfinished statements are numbered 36 to 40.

An application letter—the letter you write to apply for a job—will probably be the most important kind of letter you will ever write. Very likely, it is a letter that you will write several times, as most people change employers several times during their business careers. Your first job, as well as each of those that follow, is almost certain to involve some writing—and most employers look upon an application letter as an excellent *indicator* (标志) of an applicant’s



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Name of the book store: \_\_\_\_\_ 41 \_\_\_\_\_

Delivery period: within \_\_\_\_\_ 42 \_\_\_\_\_

Orders can be accepted by: 1) mail

2) \_\_\_\_\_ 43 \_\_\_\_\_

3) \_\_\_\_\_ 44 \_\_\_\_\_

4) online at *www.thebrainstore.com*

Guarantee period: \_\_\_\_\_ 45 \_\_\_\_\_

**Task 4**

**Directions:** *The following is a list of sign language. After reading it, you are required to find the items equivalent (与……等同) to those given in Chinese in the list below.*

A—No Turn

B—On Sale or Return

C—Please Shut the Door After You

D—Protect Public Property

E—Replace the Newspaper

F—Round-the-clock Business

G—Seat by Number

H—See to the Fire

I—Shooting Prohibited

J—Stand Clear of the Power Line

K—Ticket Good Only on the Day of Issue

L—Turn Off the Light Before You Leave

M—Wet Paint

N—No Parking

O—Drive Slowly

P—Photographs; Please Don't Bend

Q—Children and Women First

R—For Use Only in Case of Fire

S—Handle with Care

T—Keep Away from Fire

U—Keep Silence

V—Line Up for Tickets

Examples: ( K )票(证)仅当日有效 ( J )高压电线,请勿靠近

- |             |              |
|-------------|--------------|
| 46. ( )小心轻放 | ( )禁止停车      |
| 47. ( )对号入座 | ( )内有照片,请勿折叠 |
| 48. ( )昼夜营业 | ( )不准转弯      |
| 49. ( )排队购票 | ( )请随手关门     |
| 50. ( )油漆未干 | ( )爱护公物      |

## Task 5

**Directions:** *There is an advertisement below. After reading it, you are required to complete the statements that follow the questions (No. 51 to No. 55). You should write your answers in no more than 3 words.*

Experience Autoweb.com's better way to buy a car. Save time and money with our simple process. Let us guide you through the car-buying process:

1. Select your car.
2. Select your method for purchasing your car.
3. Complete a simple Contact Information Form.
4. You will be contacted within 24 hours (not including weekends and holidays) by phone or mail through either an Autoweb.com Dealer or online car selling partner who will:
  - confirm your selection
  - inform you of the vehicle's availability
5. Once your selection is confirmed, you will be given a *competitive price quote* (有竞争力的报价). If you agree with the price, you can arrange to buy or rent the vehicle right away. An Autoweb.com Customer Care *representative* (代表) will follow up within 3 days by email to make sure that you are completely satisfied with the service you received.

51. What should you do first when you decide to buy a car at Autoweb. com?  
You should \_\_\_\_\_.
52. What form will you have to fill in when buying a car at Autoweb. com?  
A simple \_\_\_\_\_.
53. What will an Autoweb. com Dealer do for you?  
He will \_\_\_\_\_ and inform you of the vehicle's availability.
54. When will the price be quoted?  
After your selection is \_\_\_\_\_.
55. Who will contact you when you accept the price and arrange to buy the car?  
An Autoweb. com \_\_\_\_\_.

## Part IV Translation—English into Chinese

**Directions:** This part, numbered 56 to 60, is to test your ability to translate English into Chinese. Each of the four sentences (No. 56 to No. 59) is followed by 3 choices of suggested Chinese translation marked A, B and C. Write your translation of the paragraph (No. 60).

56. The atmosphere is not so capable of storing heat as ocean currents.  
A. 大气不像海水那样能储存热。  
B. 海流比大气能储存更多的热量。  
C. 大气储存热量的能力不如海流强。
57. People's attitudes towards gift giving may vary from country to country.  
A. 人们的态度是国家之间要互送礼。  
B. 不同国家的人对送礼的看法各不相同。  
C. 国与国之间人们对礼物的看法不尽相同。
58. Not all the new drugs have been sufficiently tested for safety.  
A. 所有的新药都不得未进行必要的安全检查。  
B. 所有的新药都未必进行过充分的安全检查。  
C. 并非所有的新药都经过了充分的安全检测。
59. First of all, our purpose is to apply science and technology to the solution of practical problems.  
A. 首先,提供解决实际问题的科学技术是我们的目标。  
B. 首先,我们的目的是运用科学技术来解决实际问题。  
C. 首先,我们的目标是在实际问题中依靠科学技术。

60.

## Production Planner Wanted

Applicants should be college graduates with at least two years' working experience in production control. Good command of mathematics and skills in operating computers are essential. Holders of *PRETCO* (高等学校英语应用能力考试) certificates are preferred. Please send a complete resume in English with one recent photo and expected salary to Post Office Box 67809, Hong Kong.

**Part V Writing**

**Directions:** *This part is to test your ability to do practical writing. You are required to write a letter according to the information given below in Chinese.*

发信人:张玲

- 内容:1. 邀请 Jane 暑假期间到北京来度假;  
2. 陪同她浏览长城、故宫、颐和园等;  
3. 请回信告知是否能来。

写信日期:2016年4月6日

Words for reference:

长城 the Great Wall

故宫 the Imperial Palace

颐和园 the Summer Palace