

“China Speaks!” English Talent Show

Listening Part

Listening part will begin soon. In this section, each part will be read twice. Please listen carefully.

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Listening Part for Grade Three and Four

Part 1. Listen to the words and write yes or no.

Example: bee The first letter is B. Write Y.

1. umbrella 2. in 3. orange 4. three 5. vegetable

Part 2. Listen to the words and choose the right pictures.

Example: apple Choose picture A. They are all fruit.

6. sunny 7. ruler 8. frog 9. cake 10. teacher

Part 3. Listen to the phrases and choose the right picture for each.

11. take a bath 12. make a snowman 13. go skating
14. draw a picture 15. have breakfast

Part 4. Listen to the sentences and choose the right picture for each.

16. The boy wears glasses. 17. We go to school by bus. 18. The panda is so cute.
19. My mother is tall and pretty. 20. Mary gets up at seven o'clock.

Part 5. Listen to the dialogues and choose the right picture for each.

21. M: What time is it now? W: It's five o'clock.
22. M: How many crayons do you have? W: Seven.
23. M: Can you play tennis? W: Yes, I can.
24. M: What's the matter with you? W: I have a fever.
25. M: What would you like for breakfast? W: I'd like some bread.

Part 6. Listen to a song clip and finish the tasks.

Snail, snail! Where have you been? I know you like wondering.

I've been to the supermarket. I've been to the library.

Snail, snail! Where have you been? I know you like wondering.

I've been to the large park. I've been to the cinema.

Snail, snail! Where have you been? I know you like wondering.

I've been to the airport. I've been to the theatre.

This is the end of listening part. Please check your answers and write them on the answer sheet. And then move on to the next part.

现在听力部分结束，请将答案填写在答题卡上，然后继续完成其它部分。

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Listening Part for Grade Five and Six

Part 1. Listen to the words and choose the pictures that belong to the same category.

For example: milk Choose picture F

1. cow 2. eraser 3. sad 4. teacher 5. lemon

Part 2. Listen to the verbs and choose one picture for each to make a phrase.

For example: watch Choose picture F. It means “watch TV”.

6. eat 7. play 8. ride 9. fly 10. read

Part 3. Listen to the sentences and choose the proper pictures.

11. They are having a class. 12. You can do exercise in it.
13. This festival is in November. 14. You can see it in the library.
15. The man holds baggage in his hands.

Part 4. Listen to five dialogues, and choose the right picture for each question.

16. M: What can I do for you?

W: I want to buy some beef.

Q: Where are the speakers?

17. M: Mary, would you please come to my office after class?

W: All right, Mr Ford.

Q: What is the woman?

18. M: Excuse me, can you speak English?

W: Yes, I can. But I'm a French.

Q: Where does the woman come from?

19. M: What are you doing, Betty?

W: I'm making some fruit salad for dinner.

Q: What does the woman probably need?

20. M: Is your friend Grace older than you, Laura?

W: Yes, she is only one day older than me. My birthday is on May 30.

Q: When is Grace's birthday?

Part 5. Listen to a notice and choose the right answers.

Attention, please. We'll go to the nearby mountains for a school trip on Sunday. It's a good chance for us to get nearer the nature and relax ourselves.

The bus leaves at 7:30. Be sure to get to the bus station before 7:15. Put on your school uniforms. It will help us to get together. Put on your sunglasses and hats, as the weather report says it will be sunny and hot. Please take your lunch. We'll have a picnic there. We'll be back at 16:00.

Part 6. Listen to a song clip and choose the right answer to fill in each blank.

Do you ever feel like a plastic bag
Drifting through the wind
Wanting to start again?
Do you ever feel, feel so paper-thin
like a house of cards,
one blow from caving in?
Do you ever feel already buried deep?
six feet under
screams but no one seems to hear a thing
Do you know that
There's still a chance for you
Because there's a spark in you
You just gotta ignite, the light, and let it shine
Just own the night like the Fourth of July
Because baby you're a firework
Come on, show them what you're worth
Make them go Oh, oh, oh
As you shoot across the sky-y-y

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Listening Part for Senior Students

Part 1. Listen to five sentences and choose the proper responses. This part will be read only ONCE.

1. Our next door neighbor sweeps the path in front of the building every morning.
2. Look, Tracy! You and Sophia are wearing exactly the same dress.
3. This puzzle is more complicated than I imagine.
4. Tuition at the university will increase again next year.
5. Where are we going to celebrate our twentieth wedding anniversary?

Part 2. Listen to five dialogues and choose the best answers. This part will be read only ONCE.

6. W: Look! It says they want a junior sales manager, and it seems like a big company.

M: Do they say anything about experience?

7. W: But what happens if it rains? What are we going to do then?

M: We'll count on good weather, but if it does rain, the whole thing will have to be canceled.

8. M: Sorry to trouble you. But is there any possibility of borrowing a blanket? I feel cold.

W: I think we've got one. Could you wait until after take-off please?

9. W: I've been working out in the gym since January. I was a bit out of shape.

M: You look terrific! It seems that your effort has paid off.

10. W: So when are the other guys going to get here? The train is leaving in 10 minutes. We can't wait here forever.

M: It's 10:30 already. They are supposed to be here by now. I told everybody to meet here by 10:15.

Part 3. Listen to a conversation and choose the best answers. This part will be read only ONCE.

W: May I see your license, please?

M: But officer, did I do anything wrong?

W: Do you mean to say you didn't see the speed limit sign?

M: Um, no, madam, I guess I didn't.

W: In other words, you drove by too fast to read it. The sign says 35 miles per hour. A school is just nearby, you know?

M: But my speedometer didn't read much faster than that.

W: My radar showed you were going at 45 miles per hour? Let me put it another way. I'm going

to give you a ticket. Again, may I see your license, please?

M: Here it is, officer. But let me explain. I was late for an important appointment and I was worried that I wouldn't make it on time. So.....

W: Just a minute here. Your license is no longer valid. You should have renewed it two weeks ago. I have to write you up for that, too.

M: What? Really?

W: Here's the ticket for not having a valid license. But I'm only going to give you a warning about exceeding the speed limit. Be careful next time.

M: Yes, madam, I will. Thank you.

Part 4. Listen to two texts and choose the best answers. This part will be read only ONCE.

Text 1. Hello, boys and girls! Come on down to Bingo Cafe to enjoy our popular yogurt and fruit juice. There are twenty different yogurt flavors for you to choose from. This weekend, we'll give a "buy one, get one free" offer for any yogurt or fruit juice that you purchase. But you will need to come down between 9 am and 11 am to enjoy this special offer. If you come for afternoon tea between 3 pm and 5 pm, you will receive free gifts! You can choose to have an apple or a banana. We have only 50 of each to give away. So, what are you waiting for? Rush down to Bingo Cafe this instant!

Text 2. Frank and Lancy were at The Mini Safari Park to take photographs for their class project. They discussed how they should go about taking the pictures while having breakfast at Cat Cafe. Lancy suggested that they split up, so they could photograph more animals and cover a bigger area. They decided that Frank would take one route while Lancy could go another way.

Lancy said, "I think I will go back to the entrance of the park to get some shots of the colourful parrots. But before doing that, I will spend some time at Crocodile Bites. It's going to be the crocodiles' feeding time soon. After Parrot Paradise, I will drop by Zebra Stripes before making my way to Cat Cafe."

"Well, perhaps I can go directly up Everest Tower, so I can have a bird's eye view of the whole park," said Frank.

"You can't get a close shot of the animals from the tall tower. Why don't you skip the lion enclosure and go straight to Savannah Bridge where you can snap pictures of both lions and elephants?" Lancy suggested.

"Good idea. I can then visit Cheetah Leap before meeting you at Cat Cafe," said Frank.

Both of them were happy with the plan and started their day in the safari park feeling excited.

Part 5. Listen to three materials and choose the best answers. This part will be read TWICE.

Listen to an advertisement and choose the best answers.

The Sun City Community Orchestra is looking for new players for its 2018 concert performances. If you are at least 18 years old and play a wind, brass or stringed instrument, please come to the orchestra try-outs. They are scheduled for Saturday, November 10 from 1:00 to 5:00 pm at Lincoln High School, Room 100.

The orchestra was founded in 1970 and has been an important part of our community ever since. Concerts in 2018 will be held at various public schools in Sun City on the first Friday evening of each month. Mr Harold Anderson, music director at Washington High School, will be conducting. For more details, call Lillian Brand at 2588-9091.

Listen to a phone message and choose the best answers.

Hello, Mr Smith, I call for expressing my appreciations. My wife and I would like to thank you again for taking such wonderful care of our daughter last Saturday. When she fell during her ski lesson, you recognized the symptoms of brain injury right away. As a result of your actions, she was rapidly transported by helicopter to General Hospital. In case you haven't heard, a surgeon there operated on Patty successfully to relieve the pressure on her brain. She is now recovering. For this we are very thankful. If not for your quick thinking on the ski slope, the outcome could have been fatal.

I know that you were just doing your job that day and aren't expecting any reward. But I've sent you a VIP card for Broadman Jewelry. You can get a 10% discount whenever you visit Mountain View Mall.

Listen to a piece of news and choose the best answers.

After several years of falling sales, Burger King is selling again.

Burger King is a company that sells American food. Their sales problem began when a company from Britain bought their parent company. The British executives simply did not understand hamburgers. They tried things like pizza and shrimp baskets. Although the regional shop owners, who knew what sold and what didn't, expressed doubt about the new changes, unfortunately, the higher management failed to listen to them. As a result, the sales dropped noticeably.

In 1993, the unhappy shop owners finally got together to tell the management what was wrong. Since then, Burger King has returned to the basics: hamburgers, French fries and drinks. The new president of the company, an American, also brought Burger King back by offering low-priced meals and a new hamburger that is similar to the McDonald's Big Mac.

In 2006, Burger King's share of the market grew from 18% to 19%. It was a small step and Burger King was still far behind the competition, but the improvement has been continuous. The British are now letting Americans sell American food.