

Listening Transcripts

Unit 1

Listening I

Hi John! I'm Sarah. There are many different places in our school. This is ----- . There are many classrooms and all the students have classes here. After class, you can go to ----- and have lunch. There is both delicious Chinese food and western food. At noon, you can go to the ----- and take a nap. In the afternoon, we have interesting activities after school. You can go to ----- and read books, newspapers, or magazines. Also, you can join some clubs such as the painting club or film club. If you have any question, you can have a talk with me in the ----- . Hope you enjoy your new school life!

Listening II

John: Hi, Li Ming. What are you doing?

Li Ming: Hello, John. I am looking through this ticket information. There will be two concerts next month at the Zhuhai Grant Theatre. Would you like to go to a concert with me?

John: Oh! I love concerts! When will the concerts be held?

Li Ming: The first one is on October 16th. It is a piano concert. The second one is on October 20th and it is a violin concert. Which one would you like?

John: I love the piano concert.

Li Ming: Ok! Let's go to the piano concert.

John: How will we get there?

Li Ming: We can take a bus to get there.

Li Ming: It sounds great!

Unit 2

Listening I

Conversation 1:

Mom: I am too busy right now. Could you help me do the dishes?

Tom: Yes, I can.

Conversation 2:

Dad: Ok. I have to work now. Could you sweep the floor?

Tom: Sorry, dad. I have to do my homework.

Conversation 3:

-Would you help me fold the clothes?

-No, I can't. I want to watch TV.

Conversation 4:

Mom: Mike, your room is too dirty. Could you take out the rubbish?

Mike: Yes, I can.

Conversation 5:

-May I watch TV?

-No, you can't. You have to sleep now.

Conversation 6:

-Could I borrow your book?

-Yes, you can. Here you are.

Listening II

Tom, your room is so dirty. You should clean your room today.

You should make your bed.

You should sweep the floor.

You shouldn't put your computer on the ground.

You must put all your books on the shelf.

You mustn't throw rubbish on the floor.

Also, you must turn off the green lamp before leaving the room.

Unit 3

Listening I

- 1) Vatican City is the smallest country in the world.
- 2) The Cape of Good Hope is the biggest storm area in the world.
- 3) The Coral Sea is the biggest sea in the world.
- 4) The Congo Basin is the biggest basin in the world.

Listening II

b. Tom: Hi, I would like to make a reservation to New Delhi for the labor day holiday.

Jerry: When do you want to fly?

Tom: On April 30th.

Jerry: Just a moment please... We have two flights on that day, flight ND504 leaves at 10a.m. and flight

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Tom: How long is the flight?

Jerry: 6 hours.

Tom: Hmmm, I think the earlier one is better. I will take flight ND504.

Jerry: Flight ND504 to New Delhi 10 a.m. on April 30th, is that right?

Tom: Yes, thank you.

Jerry: My pleasure.

Jerry: Welcome to TESOL airline, what can I do for you?

Spike: I would like to book a ticket to Moscow on May 1st.

Jerry: We have three flight to Moscow every day, but only one is a direct flight.

Spike: How long will these flight take?

Jerry: The direct flight takes 9 hours, the flights with a stopover will take longer but are cheaper.

Spike: I prefer a faster one, when is the departure time?

Jerry: 9 in the morning.

Spike: Could you help me book the direct flight please.

Jerry: Sure.

Unit 4

Listening I

Lucy: Hi, Sandy, how was your trip to Hong Kong last weekend?

Sandy: It was amazing! I first visited Disneyland on Saturday morning, then I went shopping in the afternoon. After that, I ate some dim sum in a lovely restaurant. On Sunday, I climbed Victoria Peak. Oh, do you believe I got to the top of the mountain and I took some pictures? It was amazing! At the end of the travel, I watched a beautiful sunset on my way home.

Lucy: Wow! Next time I want to go there with my parents!

Listening II

Sally: Hey, Bill, you look like a little tired. Where did you go?

Bill: I travelled to Hong Kong with my friends.

Sally: Lucky you! Hong Kong is an amazing city. What did you do there?

Bill: I visited Disneyland and played with Mickey Mouse and other cartoon characters.

Sally: Did you eat Hong Kong dim sum?

Bill: Of course, I ordered steamed shrimp dumplings and Chickens' Feet. They were delicious!

Sally: What a wonderful experience! I definitely need to go there!

Bill: Sure, let's go together next time.

Listening for pronunciation task

1. Jason passed the exam.
2. I visited my hometown.
3. Jane helped her mother do the housework.
4. I enjoyed playing with my friends.
5. Freda wanted to climb the mountain.
6. I called the police to save me.

Unit 5

Listening I

Good evening, everyone! It's 9 p.m. now. Welcome to today's Evening Weather Report. Here is the weather forecast for tomorrow in Tokyo and Paris.

Tokyo will be foggy tomorrow. The temperature will be between 18 and 22 degrees. Because of the fog, the air will be humid. If you plan to drive a car, you should be more careful because of the heavy fog.

Now, let's look at the weather in Paris. Paris will be freezing tomorrow. The temperature will be between -10 and -2 degrees. It will snow tomorrow. If you need to go out, you'd better keep yourself warm because the weather will be cold.

That's all for today's Evening Weather Report. Thanks for listening.

Listening II

Jack's parents want him to become successful in the future so they are very strict with his study. If he watches too much TV, his parents will be unhappy. In their mind, a student's duty is studying. They said: "You can't get good at all subjects if you watch TV or play computer games." Although Jack receives good grades in school, he isn't happy.

May day is tomorrow. Lucy is going to make a plan for the vacation. If it doesn't rain tomorrow, she will go to the park with Lily. But Lily has no concept of time and she is always late. Lucy doesn't want to wait for her anymore so she will miss the trip if she sleeps late tonight.

A: Hi, Sam. How are you?

B: Fine. I have too much homework this week.

A: Where is Jack? Can he go to the cinema with us tomorrow evening?

B: He has an exam this Friday. I think he can't join us. Where will we see the film if he has time?

A: If he has time, we will meet at Wanda cinema.

B: OK, I will inform him.

Unit 6

Ben: Nice to meet you, Candy.

Candy: Nice to meet you too.

Ben: What do you usually do when you are free.

Candy: I prefer playing the violin, because my mum thought it was elegant.

Ben: Cool. I enjoy playing rugby. I have been playing rugby for three years.

Jack: What are you talking about?

Candy: Ben said he enjoyed playing rugby, and he has played it for three years.

Kitty: I don't like this sport, because it is difficult.

Ben: What is your hobby?

Kitty: I am interested in collecting stamps.

Jack: Really? I think that is so boring. I am fond of playing golf.

Ben, Candy, Kitty: Wow!

Unit 7

Li Hua: Hey, Lisa. Have you been to any good movies lately?

Lisa: Oh, yes. I really enjoyed the movie "Spirited Away" I think it has wonderful scenes.

Li Hua: Wow. Can you tell me some of the unforgettable scenes you liked?

Lisa: Of course. First, I liked the scene where the girl hugs the boy who helped her. It's very touching. And then, I liked the scene where the boy shares his food with the girl while they are sitting in the flowers. The scene of them running together in the empty street made me feel happy. Hmmm, Finally, I think the picture of the girl holding a bunch of flowers is very lovely.

Li Hua: It sounds quite interesting! I can't wait to see this movie.

Lisa: I think it is worth your time to watch.

Unit 8

S: Hi, Lihua! Happy New Year!

L: Happy New Year Susan! How was your Spring Festival Eve?

S: Oh! It was so great! My family got together and ate dinner to celebrate the New Year!

L: what did you eat for your family reunion dinner?

S: We ate some dumplings.

L: Great! It is popular for Chinese people to eat dumplings at the family reunion dinner.

S: How about you Lihua? What did you do last night?

L: My family members also got together and we watched the Spring Festival Gala.

S: Wow that's cool! Is it a tradition for people to watch the Spring Festival Gala on New Year's night?

L: Absolutely!

S: Do you know any other customs for the Spring Festival?

L: Yes, it is said that adults usually give the red envelopes to their children on Spring Festival Eve.

S: Really? What does it mean?

L: It is well known that children will receive a whole year's luck after they get the red envelopes.

