新世纪英语口语教程 第二册

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Map of the book

Unit	Warm-up	Listening	Reading		Functional devices		
Part 1 Education							
Unit 1 Why go to school	The school system in Britain	A TV interview	So that nobody has to go to school if they don't want to	2	Talking about past experiences Asking for opinions Expressing opinions		
Unit 2 Independent thinking 17	Self-reliance	I want to make my own decisions	Critical reading	2 3 4	Qualified / Partial agreement Definite agreement Confusion / Uncertainty Advising someone to accept an idea		
Unit 3 Academic culture 31	Australian students	After the lecture	East, West, teaching traditions collide	2	Expressing intentions Approving Offering opinions		
Unit 4 Examinations 43	Obtaining a balanced education	I like objective tests	Calling for an end to the "arms race" in education	2	Persuading Suggesting Accepting suggestions		
Part 2 Pleasures	of life						
Unit 5 Food preference 57	Organic food nourishes Europe	Leisurely dining	Getting the sugar and fat out	2	Ordering a meal Expressing satisfaction Talking about food		
Unit 6 Customs of eating	Tip story	A dinner party invitation	Misunderstanding at dinner tables	2	Asking for advice Dinner invitation and responses		
Unit 7 Cars 85	A big car or a small car?	Driving	Henry Ford	2	Making hypotheses Expressing agreement Expressing disagreement		
Unit 8 A love for books	A love for books	At the library	Benjamin Franklin and his Poor Richard's Almanack	2 3	Asking for information Making offers Accepting offers Declining offers		
Unit 9 Traveling 109	A word for taxis	At the travel agency	There are two Washingtons in the United States	2	Making suggestions Expressing willingness Talking about taking a bus		
Part 3 Emotions	s and sociology						
Unit 10 Loneliness 125	Do you feel lonely?	Starting a conversation with a stranger	Alone in the crowd	2	Starting a conversation Making a date Saying goodbye		

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Communication activities	Writing	Song for the unit
 Did you like your schoolteachers? A strict schoolteacher My favorite teacher What should a primary schoolteacher look like? 	How to improve compulsory education in the rural areas of China	High School Musical
 Living alone The "escaped" A hard decision to make An important decision I made by myself Reviewing a book 	1 An important decision I made by myself2 A book review	Try It on My Own
 Talking with an Australian teacher Is the Western way of education superior to the Eastern way? A seminar on the academic culture of your university 	Creating a better academic culture in my university	What Time Is It?
1 Talking with a parent2 Talking about children's education3 A TV interview	Writing a letter	No Matter What
1 Ordering a meal2 Talking about food3 A talk show4 How is your favorite food cooked?	1 How is my favorite food cooked?2 Why not try some vegetarian food?	Eat Dirt
1 A dinner party2 A dining-out invitation	The differences between Chinese and British customs of eating	Tom's Diner
1 Talking about cars2 Buying a car3 Chinese-style street crossing	Dreaming of winning a car	Drive My Car
1 A complaint about a book2 How to do research in the library3 A survey of books you like	1 Suggestions to the library 2 An interesting book	You Raise Me Up
1 At the travel agency2 Sightseeing in Beijing3 Giving directions	Discussing a travel plan with a friend by email	Sailing
1 Telling your lonely story	Replying to a friend's email	Seven Lonely Days
2 Talking with Alice 3 A cocktail party 4 A survey into loneliness	replying to a friend's chian	octon Lonery Days

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Unit	Warm-up	Listening	Reading		Functional devices
Unit 11 Courage 137	Bravery in war	Mountain climbing	Living with cancer		Questioning techniques Answering techniques Getting more information
Unit 12 Health 147	The usefulness of the alpha state	Aches and pains	How to reduce stress	3	Narrating one's illness Asking the patient about the illness Diagnosing and giving advice Visiting a patient
Unit 13 Politeness 159	Are the Chinese more polite than the Westerners?	A coincidence	Introductions and titles	3	Greetings Introductions Talking about work Leave-taking
Unit 14 Customs of festivals 171	Christmas	Thanksgiving and Halloween	The Spring Festival		Talking about time and date Talking about festivals
Unit 15 Successful women 183	American women in the economy	What's on the schedule today?	The feminization of management	1 2 3	Checking on the schedule Getting people to do things Agreeing and refusing
Part 4 The busi	ness world				
Unit 16 The computer 199	Computer bugs	Talking about the computer	When the computer is down	3	Asking for help Inquiring for information Making an appointment Keeping an appointment
Unit 17 Shopping 213	Different types of retailers	Shopping	Smart shopping	2	Exchanging goods or getting a refund Looking for certain goods Asking about prices
Unit 18 Advertisements 225	New ideas in advertising	A radio commercial	Advertisements	3	Inquiring about a product Giving instructions Asking for clarification Checking understanding
Unit 19 Career choice 235	Employment information and career counseling	Career choice	Ten reasons to pursue a teaching career	2	Expressing intentions Stating preferences Giving reasons
Unit 20 Job interviews 249	Eight ways to sidestep hidden job-hunting hazards	Interviews	Job interviews		Common interview questions Questions to ask the interviewer

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1 Behave like Americans? You can do it!2 Society, war and courage3 Advice to cancer patients	A letter of encouragement	Blowing in the Wind
1 Seeing a doctor2 Visiting a patient3 A survey into how people keep fit	Advice for a patient	Hero
1 How to be polite with strangers2 Nice to meet you3 At the English corner	Shall we do the old woman a favor?	Hello Friend
1 Sharing your favorite festival2 Talking with John3 On Thanksgiving Day	Answering a letter from your brother	Silent Night
 What a busy day! An interview with Professor Maria Mitchell Should women compete for the top positions of power? 	Should women compete for the top positions of power?	Woman
1 Interviewing Bill Gates2 A survey on the relationship between the computer and our daily life	Precautions of using a computer	New Soul
1 You sold me a piece of junk!2 A shopping plan3 A survey on people's shopping behavior	1 The report of a shopping survey2 Shopping suggestions to Tina	Shopping
1 Promoting sales2 Designing an advertisement	Shopping in a world of advertisements	1234
1 Obstacles in careers2 Career counseling3 Do you like teaching?	Writing a cover letter	When Am I Going to Make a Living
1 A job interview2 The key to success in an interview	A post-interview follow-up letter	Working Class Hero

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