

2017 考研英语一作文题目及参考范文

Section III Writing (30 points)

Part A

51. Directions:

You are to write an email to James Cook, a newly-arrived Australian professor, recommending some tourist attractions in your city. Please give reasons for your recommendation.

You should write neatly on the ANSWER SHEET.

Do not sign your own name at the end of the email. Use "Li Ming" instead.

Do not write the address.(10 points)

Dear Professor Cook,

I am glad to hear that you are willing to visit China, and I am recommending you tourist attractions of Beijing.

Beijing, as the capital city, boasts many historical relics, such as the Great Wall, the Forbidden City, Summer Palace and other tourist attractions. And I highly recommend the Forbidden City which served as the emperors' dwelling and imperial palace of both Ming Dynasty and Qing Dynasty. It is the perfect place where some millions of preserved historical relics have been collected, displayed

in a site that has kept its original splendid architecture for the pleasure of millions of tourists visiting the old city every year.

I wish my recommendation is of value to you.

Yours sincerely,

Li Ming

Part B

52. Directions:

Write an essay of 160-200 words based on the following pictures.

In your essay, you should

- 1) describe the pictures briefly
- 2) interpret the meaning, and
- 3) give your comments.

You should write neatly on the ANSWER SHEET. (20 points)



"Possessing books or reading books" —the caption accurately conveys the crucial information of the cartoon. Relaxing in a chair and leaning against backrest, the boy on the left looks satisfied with his book collection, yet he does not show any willingness to read any of them. And he says, "I have collected such an abundance of books". Apparently, his ignorance hinders him to acquire knowledge. On the contrary, the other boy sitting in front of his desk plans to read 20 books this year, which, in my view, is a feasible plan.

"Reading makes one's mind bright and clear", says Voltaire. It means the books nurture readers' mind and craft their intelligence. Without being read, untouched books are merely dried wood-pulp. The picture serves as the best revelation of people's attitudes towards books and reading: some individuals misunderstand, intentionally or unintentionally, knowledge as possession of books, leading to their vanity; on the contrary, those wise readers thirsty for knowledge, treat books as the origin of intelligence and reading as the process of getting treasure of knowledge.

As college students, when facing the fast-paced society, we definitely need the nutrients from books to build our mind and to broaden our horizon. The best and shortest way of getting knowledge is reading books not simply collecting books.