



我與英文科老師

3A 劉穎淇(紅社)

望著湯馬士老師(Mr. Errol Thomas)緩緩走進來，剛才還很熱鬧的教室頓時變得很安靜。他拿起一根粉筆，在黑板上寫著：眼神接觸、音量、英文語法。

「今天你們要作一分鐘短講，而短講的主題是——「早戀」。我會給你們五分鐘時間做準備。」老師大聲說道，他環視了全班同學後，跟我們說：「很好，現在開始計時。」

我拿著筆看著桌上的白紙發呆。只有五分鐘的時間準備，該怎麼寫才好呢？抬頭看了看黑板上那幾個字，我忽然笑了。

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「注意你的語速，朗讀的時候要提高音量，帶點感情。」

我的目光移到了甄老師的身上，看著他悠閒地坐在我面前，玩弄著手裡的筆。第六次對我說一樣的話，我開始感到有點不耐煩了，說道：「行，我知道了！」

他用冷冷的語調回覆：「冷靜思考，你自然能想到怎麼解決問題。」

對！冷靜思考，我自然會想到該如何解決眼前的問題。我閉上眼睛認真思考，然後開始把想到的都寫到紙上。

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「時間到！停筆！」湯馬士老師厲聲喊道，並快步走到課室中間，開始挑選同學。「就從你開始。」他指了指坐在窗口旁邊的同學，讓他站在全班面前進行演講。

我專心致志地聽著，腦海中再次浮現出那個畫面。

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甄老師奪過我手中的演講稿，耐心地教導我：「這篇林肯的演講稿可以說得上是這世上最優秀的演講稿之一，當你朗讀的時候，你需要帶出感情，想像當時的情景，並投入其中。音量的大小也很重要，因為這樣會影響到你給別人留下的印象，別人也能從而得知你有沒有自信。另外，眼神的接觸能使別人懂得你表達的情感，也是對別人最基本的尊重。」

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我回過神來，繼續聽著那位同學的演講。只見他雙手有點顫抖，講話也有點斷斷續續的，我記得甄老師說過，這是緊張和缺乏自信的表現。

「時間到！」

那位同學略帶驚慌地回到座位上。湯馬士老師在黑板上評分：眼神接觸——五分；音量——四分；英文語法——四分，總分為十三分。

「他的聲音很少，這樣就影響了他英文語法的得分。他說的話都聽不清，怎麼知道他的語法正不正確？下一個。」

時間過得很快，轉眼間便響起鐘聲了。下課鐘聲拯救了我們。湯馬士老師對我們的演講作出了評價，告訴我們演講的技巧，希望我們能夠做得更好。

三十分滿分，我得了二十三分，是個不錯的成績。我很感謝甄老師以往耐心的教導，同時也為自己當時不耐煩的態度感到愧疚。

評語：能以插敘把故事交叉而清晰地寫出來，配合了主題「親學習」，情感真摯。

Lunch at Fat Angelo's Italian Restaurant 2A Ma Wing Sze (Red House)

5th March was a great day for our class. We had a special and unforgettable dining experience at Fat Angelo's Italian Restaurant in Tsuen Wan. When I first arrived, I was attracted by the Italian decorations, soft lighting and the pleasant atmosphere of the restaurant.

We happily sat down around the dining tables and looked at the menu. We were a bit nervous when a waiter came to our table. But we all laughed when she spoke to us in Cantonese. We told her we were having our English lesson so we had to order our food in English.

I ordered Lasagna Napolitano which was tasty with a slight sour favour. I enjoyed it but I could not finish the whole plate. It's a pity that I had to leave some of the food there.

Before we left, we took some photos with the manager and gave her a souvenir that we made at the school. We thanked her for providing the excellent service and all the delicious food and drink that we enjoyed.

We were lucky to visit this restaurant because we had a wonderful time and an unforgettable dining experience. I hope we can go there again in the future.

Comments:

Well done. Wing Sze has given a vivid account of this special activity and her feelings. Some good phrases were used : a great day, pleasant atmosphere, an unforgettable experience..etc. Keep up your good work !



A Letter of Complaint

2B Chan Mei Po (Red House)

450 Wo Yi Hop Road
Kwai Chung
N.T.
20th December, 2012

Manager
Feel Italian Restaurant
22 Star Street
Wan Chai, Hong Kong

Dear Manager,

RE: Complaint about Feel Italian Restaurant

I am writing to complain about my dining experience at Feel Italian Restaurant last night.

We read the attractive advertisement of your restaurant and looked forward to trying the Italian food such as pizza and pancakes. However, nothing really lived up to our expectations.

Firstly, we found the service of Feel Italian very bad. When we asked the waiter for the menu, he threw the menu to me.

Secondly, the environment of the restaurant was very unpleasant. When the customers left, no waiters or waitresses cleaned the table and chairs. The dishes and leftovers were all over the place. A lot of used tissue paper was everywhere also.

Most importantly, the food we ordered was dirty. There was a cockroach in the food. It was disgusting.

My friends and I were very disappointed by your service. We demand an apology and a full refund.

Yours sincerely,

Celia Kong
Celia Kong

Comment:

This is a good piece of formal writing, with concise word choice and simple sentence structures, to convey a sense of formality and straight-forwardness.

《給媽媽的一封信》

3D 李釗碩(紅社)

親愛的媽媽：

媽媽我很愛你，我很高興可以成為你的兒子，能做你的兒子我感到很快樂，很有安全感。你養育我多年，我到現在仍沒有報答你對我的恩德。即使我曾做出許多壞事，你也原諒我、教導我，令我改過。我回想在這麼多年來，我很少時間可以看見你對我笑，我知道我之前我有多壞、多難教導，還有幾次把你氣得哭了出來，事後我感到很後悔，但是我沒有勇氣和你道歉，現在我跟你說聲對不起，媽媽。

小學六年級的時候，我在默書期間作弊。經老師調查後，發現我不是第一次在校內作弊，因此要見家長。當時我心裏很害怕，我怕你回到家裏會把我痛打一頓。見完家長後，在回家的途中，你沒有和我說一句話，令我更加害怕。回到家後，我馬上把自己鎖在房間。過了一會兒後，你叫我出來，跟我說你是我的媽媽，我一定要聽你的話，我一出來就看見你在哭。我問你為甚麼哭，你說我做出來的事太傷你的心。當時我也哭了出來，那天你沒有打我，還跟我說了很多人生道理，我當時知道母愛有多麼偉大。

我期望自己能報答你的養育之恩和偉大的母愛。媽媽，我會好好報答你。

祝你
身體健康！

兒子
釗碩敬上
二零一三年二月二十八日

評語：感情真摯，段落分明，能借事抒情，抒發了對母親的歉意和由衷的感激。



Chinese New Year in Hong Kong

1B Liang Cho Ki (Red House)

Chinese New Year is an important festival in Hong Kong. People go to flower markets, have a family reunion dinner, eat 'tong yuen' and watch firework displays during Chinese New Year.

People go to flower markets during Chinese New Year. They go to Victoria Park to buy peach blossom with friends. They think that buying flowers is fun.

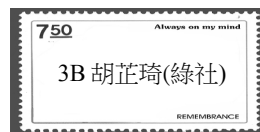
At dusk, they celebrate Chinese New Year by having a family reunion dinner and eating 'tong yuen'. At night, many people go to Victoria Harbour to watch firework displays. Some families celebrate the festival with family and friends. It is beautiful and interesting to see fireworks to celebrate Chinese New Year.

Chinese New Year is a fun festival in Hong Kong.

Comments:

Good writing of introduction and good organization. It is good that adjectives are used in the article with different sentence patterns which makes it more interesting to read.

《給姐姐的一封信》



親愛的姐姐：

你好！最近氣溫逐漸下降，你有沒有多添衣服呢？要注意保暖啊！聽大伯說，你去了外面讀幼師，那很辛苦嗎？那些小孩子會不會是像我們小時候那樣頑皮呢？

記得那時你還和我住在同一屋簷下，我們還是小黃毛丫頭時，常常把家裏的一切搞得亂七八糟，弄得家裏像世界大戰過後的殘局一樣。我們還經常打架，那時候你咬我手臂的疤痕至今仍然歷歷在目呢！你還記得嗎？有一次，我們趁爸爸媽媽不在家，想偷偷跑出去買零食，但又怕被家人發現後會得來一頓「皮肉懲罰」。經過一番掙扎之後，在受不了零食的誘惑之下，想到了一個自以為是好辦法的辦法。當時，我們用一本書來塞住門縫，那麼待會回來時我們便能偷偷溜進房間。就這樣，我們悄悄地走出了房間，去到街口的小賣部買小吃，滿足我們的口腹之欲。過了數十分鐘後，我們一臉滿足的樣子溜回家。正當我們跑到房門前，為這次行動沒有被人發現而滿心歡喜時，卻發現房門怎麼也推不開！原本用來塞門縫的書不見了。我倆變得緊張起來，過了片刻，我說：「姐姐，不如我們把門踢開吧！」你用懷疑的目光看着我，猶豫了一會兒，然後點了點頭。由於那時候的房門還是一塊木板，我們花了九牛二虎之力就在門下踢了一個不大不小的窟窿，於是我們就爬了進去。

這件事過了差不多十年了，有時候我回到舊居，看到那扇修補過的木板門，依然會想起這件難忘的往事。如今我們都漸漸長大了，我們錯失了那份童年歡樂，也失去了許多相處的時間，但從前的回憶卻留在我們各人的腦海裏。現在，我們雖然生活在同一天空下，卻不能像以往那樣朝夕相對了。姐姐，你甚麼時候才能過來探望我呢？我還想與你一起出去覓食，重拾那份童年的時光。

祝
身體健康！
學業進步！

妹妹
芷琦上

2012年12月23日

評語：文章透過回憶童年時期的美好時光，表現出姐妹相處那份溫馨、貼心、細膩的感情，與此同時，亦表達出如今姐妹兩人天各一方的境況，把妹妹對姐姐的思念表達得淋漓盡致。



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