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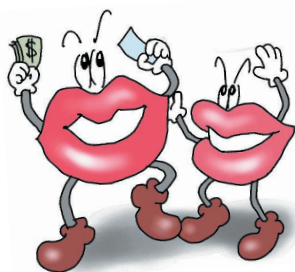
April 2005

四月份

Fashion



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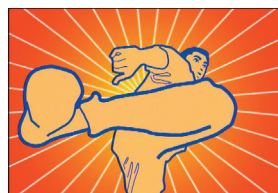
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Money



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Talkin' about... Foot Massage

Hey there! Welcome to my new column for Talk da Talk's Club News where I get to teach you a little English and a little about my life here in China.

If you've lived here for as long as I have, you know that this can be a **stressful** place to live. And if you know me, I'm always lookin' for ways to **relieve** stress after a day on the TV Set. One way I like to relax is to get a foot massage. Just look down any street in China and you're bound to find a Chinese massage shop, and I'd have to say the best masseuses in the world work in them. These guys know about your chi energy, your pressure points, and they can tell what's wrong with your body just by feeling the **knots** in your muscles. And to top it off, most of them are blind.



Recently, my friend Jon from Boston came to out to study Chinese. Since it was his first time here, I wanted to take him out to get a foot massage. You know, like, give him the real Chinese experience, so I took him to my favorite blind masseuse.

Jon had never had a foot massage before, so he kept on asking me all these questions: "Does it hurt?" "What happens if it **tickles**?" "What if I get excited when the blind guy starts to feel up my feet?"

To calm him down I started telling him about the benefits of foot massage--like, how with foot massage, or reflexology, each spot on your foot is linked to a corresponding area on your body. If you feel a sharp, **stinging** pain on a specific part of your foot, it means that there's something wrong with the corresponding part of your body. By getting a foot massage, it helps to fix those "bad parts".

By the time I'd finished with Foot Massage **101**, he was feeling better, and we reached the massage shop.

We walked inside, I introduced Jon to the owner, and I asked them to give Jon the best masseuse they had. Then, we were shown to our own private room where they sat us down in these huge **lazy-boy armchairs**, gave us a remote control for the TV, and some warm tea. Man, was it comfy!

Then, they brought in buckets of hot herbal water. I told Jon it was to soften your feet before the massage, and we both **dipped** our feet in. Ooo, feels good! Finally, we were both pretty relaxed!

After a while, two blind masseuses came into the room. They sat down in front of us and grabbed our feet. Jon looked nervously at me, and I told him everything was OK and to just relax. They started **kneading**, pressing, pushing and pulling our feet. Their hands moved like they were playing instruments. I looked over at Jon and he was lookin' like he was in pain. Then all of a sudden I screamed out, "OWWW!"

My masseuse then asked me, "Mr. Wu, you haven't been getting good sleep, have you?" I answered, "Yeah, I'm in the middle of filming, so I'm pretty **exhausted**. Can you fix me up?" Next he started working on the "poor sleep" part of my foot. It hurt, but I knew it was good for me.

Jon was pretty amazed, and he was eager to hear words of wisdom from his masseuse as well. Trying his best with his new language skills, he asked, "我那里需要进步?"

His masseuse replied with a grin, "你的中文!!!"

Vocabulary 生词

stressful	有压力的	101	最初级的
relieve	减轻	lazy-boy armchair	老爷椅
knots	结	dipped	放进
tickles	痒	kneading	按摩
stinging	刺痛的	exhausted	困乏的



Crew of the Month

本月的外籍朋友

Crew of the Month: Guy 柯进强

Hi everyone, my name is Guy Klages, and I've taught English for over 10 years. When people ask me where I'm from, I like to tell them "I am from my mother", but really, I'm from California.

After graduating in Computer Science & Economics, I worked as a software engineer for a few years, while teaching English part-time. I found that I enjoyed teaching students English and helping them understand this "universal" language more than writing computer code in "machine" language, so I started teaching full-time.



Having an interest in learning many languages myself, I have lived all over Asia (Tokyo, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Bangkok, Ho Chi Minh City, Singapore, Kuala Lumpur and Seoul) and studied some of each language. Since I also taught English to students in those countries, I have heard the common English mistakes and learned fun, easy-to-remember ways of teaching. And I look forward to opening your world with English and self-confidence!

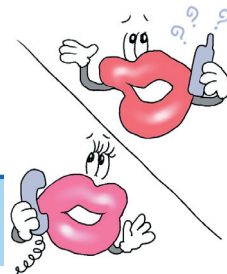
大家好,我叫柯进强。我教授英语已经10多年了。当人们问我从什么地方来时,我喜欢告诉他们“我自我妈妈”,其实,我来自加州。

我从计算机科学和经济专业毕业后,做了很多年的计算机软件工程师,同时兼职教授英语。同机械地编程相比,我发现自己更热爱教授学生英语,帮助学生去理解这门“全球通用”的语言,所以开始全职地从事英语教学。

我热爱语言学习,我走遍了全亚洲(东京、台湾、香港、曼谷、胡志明市、新加坡、吉隆坡和汉城),学习了各门语言。因为我在这些国家也教授学生英语,我遇到过许多常见的英语错误,找到了有趣易记的方法去教学,在此,我期待机会去开拓你的英语世界、帮你提高学习的自信。

Telephone English

电话美语



打电话美语很简单，请按照下面的顺序！

① 查看电话美语活动时间和主题，并做好准备。

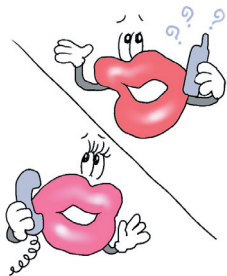
② 打电话到会员服务部 021 6253 7755

③ 听语音提示选择“电话美语”活动的代吗。

④ 告诉前台：

- 您的会员号码
- 您的英语程度
- 回电的电话号码

⑤ 外籍朋友将在 5 - 20 分钟内给你电话



Telephone English

电话美语

April - Fashion

四月份 - 流行

What is Fashion? 你是流行的追求者吗?

Week 1 第一周 April 4th, 6th, 9th

What is Fashion?

Are you a "slave to fashion" or do you buy clothes that you like regardless of brand name? Oscar Wilde said, "Fashion is a form of ugliness so intolerable that we have to change it every

Vocabulary

slave to fashion (noun phrase) outfit (noun)
regardless (adverb) wardrobe (noun)
brand (noun) accessory (noun)
intolerable (adj.) drool over (verbal phrase)

Questions

1. What percent of your wardrobe are brand names?
2. How much do you spend on clothes per month?
3. What is your favorite outfit? (explain in detail)
Accessory? (purse, sunglasses, necklace, etc)

你是流行的追求者吗?

还是属于不在乎衣服品牌的那一类? Oscar Wilde曾说过"流行是一种令人无法忍受的丑恶, 以至我们需要每六个月去更换", 你同意他的观点吗?

生词

流行的追随者 (名词短语) 衣着, 装束 (名词)
不管 (副词) 衣橱 (名词)
品牌 (名词) 附件 (名词)
无法忍受的 (形容词) 对.....流口水 (动词短语)

问题:

1. 你衣橱里的衣服有多少是名牌?
2. 你每个月会花多少钱去买衣服?
3. 你最喜欢的衣服是什么样子的? (详细描述)
配件 (手提包、眼镜、项链等等)

4 月 4 日 星期一 19:00 - 21:00 11005401
4 月 6 日 星期三 19:00 - 21:00 11004402
4 月 9 日 星期六 19:00 - 21:00 11005403



Gymnastic Words

English is a flexible language; you can alter and adjust words to fit different roles. Sometimes by adding a different prefix or suffix, you can change the form of the word in a sentence. Let's practice with the following:

Vocabulary

flexible (adjective)	role (noun)
alter (verb)	fashion (noun)
adjust (verb)	beauty (noun)
prefix (noun)	admire (verb)
suffix (noun)	comfort (noun)

Sentences

Example:

a) Lily likes to wear fashionable clothes to work.

Beauty

a) Being around ____ people is not easy.

b) They want to ____ the area with more parks.

Admire

a) The lovely girl is surrounded by many ____.

b) I'm full of ____ for her.

Comfort

a) Hearing it was on sale was ____.

b) It was too small and ____.

4 月 11 日 星期一 19:00 - 21:00 11005501

4 月 13 日 星期三 19:00 - 21:00 11005502

4 月 16 日 星期六 19:00 - 21:00 11005503

训练单词

英语是一种很灵活的语言。你可以根据不同的角色去改变、调整单词。有时你可以通过加前缀或是后缀来改变单词在句子中的结构。让我们来练习下列情况中的单词

生词

灵活的 (形容词)	角色 (名词)
改变 (动词)	流行 (名词)
调整 (动词)	美, 美好的东西 (名词)
前缀 (名词)	羡慕 (动词)
后缀 (名词)	安慰 (名词)

句子

例:

a) Lily喜欢穿流行的衣服去上班

b) Fran认为他自己不够流行, 实际上他够流行
问题

通过改变beauty, admire和comfort来完成
Beauty

a) 在____的人周围真的不容易。

b) 他们想多修建一些公园来 ____ 环境。

Admire

a) 漂亮女孩的周围有很多的 ____。

b) 我非常地 ____ 她。

Comfort

a) 听说那个东西正在热卖很 ____。

b) 东西太小, 一点都不 ____。

Fads! Easy Come, Easy Go?

Another aspect of fashion is the fad: something that is amazingly famous for a brief time and then suddenly dies a quick death. Let's talk and reminisce about the fads we've seen, how we felt about them and what makes a fad live.

Vocabulary

fad	(noun)	pop	(adjective)
amazingly	(adverb)	Pokemon	(proper noun)
reminisce	(verb)	Skater pants	(proper noun)
Hello Kitty merchandise	(proper noun)		
Robotic dogs	(proper noun)		
Stick-on Tattoos	(proper noun)		
Electronic Eggs	(proper noun)		
High Platform Shoes	(proper noun)		

Questions

1. What other fads do you remember?
2. Why were some fads so popular and die out?
3. Do you think English learning is a fad? Why?

4 月 18 日 星期一 19:00 - 21:00 11005601
 4 月 20 日 星期三 19:00 - 21:00 11005602
 4 月 23 日 星期六 19:00 - 21:00 11005603

流行的另一方面就是时尚：即什么在非常短的时间很流行，一段时间都就过时了。

我们来回忆，聊聊我们曾经目睹的流行。我们是怎么看待流行的，看看究竟是什么使时尚流行的。

生词

时尚	(名词)	流行的	(形容词)
令人惊讶地	(副词)	宠物小精灵	(专有名词)
回忆	(动词)	溜冰裤	(专有名词)
Hello Kitty 商品			(专有名词)
机器狗			(专有名词)
纹身贴纸			(专有名词)
电子蛋			(专有名词)
厚底鞋			(专有名词)

问题

1. 其它还有什么时尚你能记起的？喜欢还是不喜欢？
2. 为什么许多流行的东西只是昙花一现，很快就消失了？
3. 你认为学习英语是一种潮流吗？为什么？

What is Beauty 什么是美？

Week 4 第四周 April 25th, 27th, 30th

What is Beauty?

Many have pondered over "What is Beauty?" Scientists say it's in symmetry. Poets say it "is in the light of the heart." Pragmatists say it's anything that makes us go "Wow!" Fashion magazines say it's about make-up and hairstyles.

Vocabulary

ponder	(verb)
symmetry	(noun)
pragmatist	(noun)

Questions

1. Of these ideas, which is closest to yours?
2. Are you beautiful? If yes, why? If no, what would you need to become more beautiful?
3. What's the difference between cute and beautiful? Which would you rather be?

4 月 25 日 星期一 19:00 - 21:00 11005701
 4 月 27 日 星期三 19:00 - 21:00 11005702
 4 月 30 日 星期六 19:00 - 21:00 11005703

什么是美？

许多人都在思考“究竟什么是美？”科学家认为美是对称的。诗人认为美是心灵上的。实用主义者认为任何让人惊诧的是美。时尚杂志认为美是靠发型和化装来的，你认为呢？

生词

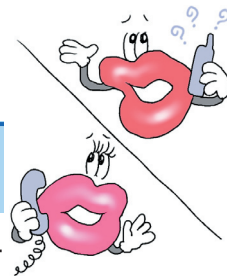
沉思	(动词)
匀称	(名词)
实用主义者	(名词)

问题

1. 这些说法中，最接近你自己的想法是哪一种？
2. 你美吗？如果你认为自己美的话，为什么？如果你说不美，你需要怎么做才能变得更美呢？
3. 可爱和美丽的区别是什么？你喜欢哪一种？

Telephone English

电话美语



May - Money
五月份 - 金钱

Money Idioms 金钱俚语

Week 1 第一周 May 2nd, 4th, 7th

Money Idioms

Let's take a look at some easy and useful idioms.

Vocabulary

in the red	(adj. phr.)
in the black	(adj. phr.)
cost an arm and a leg	(adj. phr.)
for a song	(adj. phr.)
bounce a check	(v. phr.)
rubber check	(n. phr.)
money doesn't grow on trees	(sent.)

Sentences

After I get my salary, I will be _____ again.
I have been living _____ and need to borrow.
If I _____ again, the bank will close my account.
Since she didn't know she spent all her money, she was writing _____ all day.
That new car will _____ if you buy now.
Turn off unused lights since _____.
You're lucky you got that used car _____ !

Questions

1. Have you ever been in the red?
2. Who do you usually borrow from?
3. Did you ever buy something for a song?
4. What would cost you an arm and a leg?

5月2日 星期一 19:00 - 21:00 11004401
5月4日 星期三 19:00 - 21:00 11004402
5月7日 星期六 19:00 - 21:00 11004403



金钱俚语

生词

财政赤字	(形容词短语)
赚钱; 有钱	(形容词短语)
花很多的钱	(形容词短语)
价格很实惠的, 几乎不用付钱的	(形容词短语)
被银行退回的支票	(动词 短语)
空头支票	(名词 短语)
天上不会掉馅饼	(句子)

句子

等我领到工资就会又 -----
我一直都生活在 -----, 需要借钱度日。
如果我再 -----, 银行将会封掉我的账号。
因为她不知道自己已经花光了所有的钱, 所以她成天填写的都是 -----。
如果你现在买那部车会 -----
关掉不用的灯因为 -----。
你太幸运了, 买下那部车 ----- !

问题

1. 你是否曾经遇到过经济紧张的时候?
2. 通常你会向谁借钱?
3. 你以前没有花什么钱就买到过东西吗?
4. 什么东西你会花很多钱去买?



What would you do?

You imagine things that might happen in the future and will do something about it if they come true, but they are unlikely to happen. Then you will say: If I..., I would...

Ex: If I had money, I would buy it. (If I + past)

Vocabulary

ghost (noun)	movie star (n. phr.)
U.F.O. (noun phrase)	move (v.)
angel (noun)	lottery (n.)

Sentences

1. see a ghost -> run away. _____
2. see a UFO -> not tell anyone. _____

Questions

Now finish the sentences on your own

1. If I lived to be 99 years old, _____.
2. If I went to the moon, _____.
3. If I won the lottery, _____.

5月9日 星期一 19:00 - 21:00 11004901
5月11日 星期三 19:00 - 21:00 11004902
5月14日 星期六 19:00 - 21:00 11004903



你会怎么做?

现在想象将来一些可能会发生的事情，如果有一天梦想，你会怎么办，但这些事情通常不会变成现实，所以你要使用句式If I..., I would...

例: 如果我有钱的话，我会买 (句型 I+ past)

生词

鬼, 幽灵 (名词)	影视明星 (名词短语)
不明飞行物 (名词短语)	移动 (动词)
天使 (名词)	彩票 (名词)

造句

1. 看到幽灵 -> 跑开 _____
2. 看到不明飞行物 -> 不告诉任何人 _____

问题

自己完成句子

1. 如果我活到九十九岁, _____
2. 如果我能到月球上, _____
3. 如果我彩票重奖, _____



Fair or Unfair 公平交易

Week 3 第三周 May 16th, 18th, 21th

Fair or Unfair

Bartering is the act of trading a good or service for another good or service instead of money. For example, a person trading some of his baseball cards for another person's DVDs. Now, bartering is becoming popular again on the internet.

Vocabulary

trade (verb)	internet (noun)
barter (verb)	good (noun)
popular (phrase)	service (noun)

Questions

1. In your own words, can you explain barter?
2. Why did people barter in olden times?
3. What have you ever bartered for?

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5月18日 星期三 19:00 - 21:00 11005102
5月21日 星期六 19:00 - 21:00 11005103

公平交易

实物等价交换是一种除开现金交易外另一种交易方式。比如一个人用他的棒球球票去交换另一个人的DVD，现在，这种交换的方式在因特网上越来越流行。

生词

交易 (动词)	因特网 (名词)
实物交换 (动词)	好处 (名词)
流行 (短语)	服务 (名词)

问题

1. 你用自己的话，怎么来解释实物等价交换？
2. 以前人们在等价交换时，交换什么东西？
3. 你曾经实物交换过什么东西吗？

Spending Money

Let's have a look at a few words and phrases associated with money. Try to make sentences with at least 6 of the words. See how many of these words you can use in only 1 sentence!

Vocabulary

expenditure	(noun)
sensible	(adjective)
live above (one's) means	(verbal phrase)
live within (one's) means	(verbal phrase)
extravagant	(adjective)
save for a rainy day	(verbal phrase)
splurge	(verb)
economize	(verb)
prudent	(adjective)
disposable income	(noun phrase)

Sentences

After losing his job, he had to _____ and eat out less.

He's in debt since he likes to _____ and not save anything.

I have more _____ due to my new job.

If you were a more _____ person, you'd be rich by now.

Instead of spending your bonus now, let's _____ and put it in the bank.

It's smart to keep track of all your _____ during the month.

She could afford it faster since she _____ and spends carefully.

She likes to buy _____ when shopping at that expensive mall.

She likes to buy _____ clothes.

The cheaper one would be a more _____.

Questions

1. How do you spend your paychecks? Do you splurge on extravagant items or economize on your expenditures?

2. Are you saving for anything? For what?

3. What ways do people get into trouble spending money? What advice would you give?

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5 月 28 日 星期六 19:00 - 21:00 11005203

5 月 30 日 星期一 19:00 - 21:00 11004404

花钱

让我们先来看看一些与钱有关的单词和短语。试着用这些词造一个句子（长于6个单词），看看自己究竟最多能在一个句子中使用多少个单词。

生词

支出, 花费	(名词)
明智的	(形容词)
生活费用超出实际收入	(动词短语)
量入为出	(动词短语)
奢侈的	(形容词)
为苦日子存钱	(动词短语)
挥霍	(动词)
节约, 有效利用	(动词)
谨慎的	(形容词)
可支配收入	(名词短语)

句子

自他丢掉工作后, 他需要 _____, 不能常在外边吃。

因为他喜欢 _____, 从不存钱, 他又负债了。

因为我的新工作, 我有更多的 _____。

你如果是一个 _____ 的人, 到现在你已经很富裕了。

我们 _____, 把奖金存到银行去, 而不是现在就把它花光。

很明智的做法就是把一个月里所有的 _____ 都明细化。

因为她 _____, 花钱时很小心, 所以她能很快承担得起这笔费用。

她去那个购物中心买东西时, 她喜欢 _____

她喜欢买 _____ 的衣服

买便宜的那个会是更 _____ 的选择

问题

1.你是怎么样来花自己的工资的? 你会挥霍在奢侈品上还是会节约自己的开销?

2.你会为什么存钱吗? 为什么而存?

3.人们常在开销上有哪些误区? 你的建议是什么?





How to register for Talk da Talk Activities

如何报名参加洋腔洋调活动



① 打电话到会员服务部 021 6253 7755

② 告诉前台:

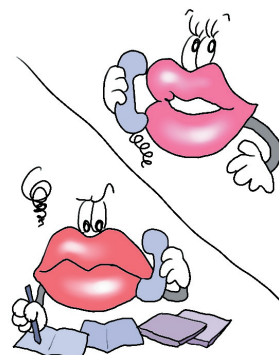
- 您的会员号码
- 活动号码

③ 7 天之内缴付活动费

④ 会员服务部会寄出活动票

⑤ 准时参加活动并带上:

- 洋腔洋调会员卡
- 活动票





迷你活动

与大课堂相比，迷你活动是一种更亲近的学习方式：在安静的咖啡厅、饭店或是其他地方由3位老师指导不超过10位会员（每组会员都在自己的桌上）。

迷你活动所包含的方面：

学术 & 职业：中式英语，同音词

体育 & 爱好：台球，疯狂保龄球

食物 & 饮料：泰国菜，印度菜

身体 & 健康：护肤秘密，自卫

娱乐 & 文化：素未谋面的约会，太阳符号



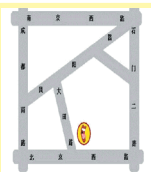
Crazy Bowling 疯狂保龄球

We've all bowled a few games and maybe even studied some techniques to bowl better, but no class could have prepared you for these fun variations of this timeless sport! Whether you're a master bowler or beginner, you'll love the "new spin" this activity puts on bowling.

我们已经玩几局，也学到了一些保龄球击球技巧。在我们的这个保龄球主题活动中，您可能从来没有在课堂中学过。不论您是保龄球的超级玩家还是入门的初学者，您都将会被我们发明的新弧线所吸引哦！想知道是怎么回事吗？快来参加我们的主题活动吧！

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5月6日 星期五 19:00 - 21:00 12005802

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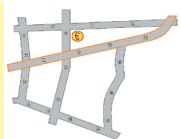
Self-defense 自卫

Ever worry about your safety while walking alone at night? Wonder if you really could defend yourself if ever attacked? Join us as our amateur Boxer & Jujitsu competitor, Niko, teaches basic moves that can save your life.

当你夜间独自行走的时候,你担心过自己的安全问题吗?如果被人真地袭击后,你能保护自己吗?加入我们的自卫主题活动,让我们的业余拳击/柔道选手Nico来教你一些基本的自卫套路吧。

5月20日 星期五 19:00 - 21:00 12000501

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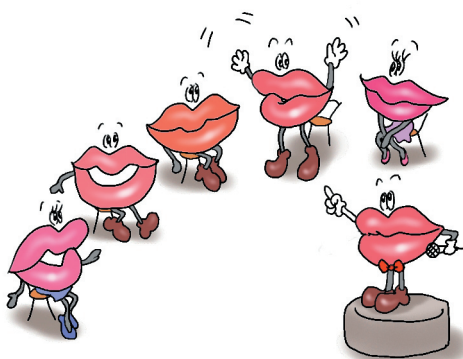
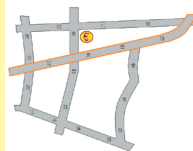
Chinglish 中式英语

How do you say "Jia You" in English? When you order a steak do you say "Wu Fen Shou"? There are many commonly used terms in Chinese if directly translated to English, makes no sense. Come join this activity to learn some Chinglish phrases and how to properly say them in Chinese and in English. After this activity, you will be able to properly tell the waiter how you want your steak cooked in China as well as in America!

用英语怎么说“加油”呢？您点牛排的时候说“五分熟”吗？如果将中文里的一些常用术语直译成英文，会不符合英语的表达习惯。想知道这些中式英语的短语吗？想知道它们恰当的中英文表达方式吗？快来参加我们的主题活动吧！您一定能在我们的活动后，无论是在中国还是在美国都能准确地告诉服务生您要的牛排几分熟了。

4月8日 星期五 19:00 - 21:00 12006001
5月13日 星期五 19:00 - 21:00 12006002

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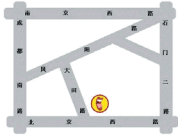
Thai Cuisine 泰国菜

Tom Yam Goon, Pad Thai, Thai Curry. Have you heard of these dishes before? Have you ever tried them? These are all delicious dishes from Thailand. At this activity you will not only taste these delicious dishes and more, you will also learn how to order the next time you are in a Thai restaurant.

Tom Yam Goon, Pad Thai, Thai Curry. 您以前有听过这些菜肴吗? 您有没有品尝过这些菜肴呢? 这些菜肴都是泰国美味哦! 快来参加我的主题活动吧! 让您不仅可以品尝到这些美味, 还会学到相关的点餐知识哦!

4月24日 星期日 19:00 - 21:00 12006701
5月8日 星期日 19:00 - 21:00 12006702

会员特价: 60积分 会员朋友价: 120积分
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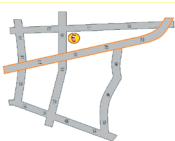
Billiards 台球

9 ball, corner pocket! These are just some of the terms you will learn at this activity. Not only will you learn all of the English related to this fun sport, you will actually get a chance to pick up a pool cue and practice your billiards skills as well. Come join us!

9球、底洞! 这些是一些在我们的主题活动中将会学到专业的术语。参加我们的台球活动,你不仅可以学到相关有趣的英语,还可以自己拿起球杆,操练你的桌球技术哦!快来参加吧!

4月22日 星期五 19:00 - 21:00 12005901
5月1日 星期日 19:00 - 21:00 12005902

会员特价: 40积分 会员朋友价: 80积分
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Blind Date 素未谋面的约会

Where do you usually go and what do you usually do when you go on a date? Is a BLIND DATE any different? What is a BLIND DATE and what would you do differently on a BLIND DATE? Dress differently? Talk differently? Act differently? Come to the activity and learn all about BLIND DATES and talk about what you would do if on a BLIND DATE.

通常约会的时候你会选择去什么地方呢?你会选择做什么呢?素未谋面的约会是什么?它究竟有什么不同?素未谋面约会我们需要做哪些不同的事情呢?需要特别着装?需要注意言谈?还是需要行为得体?想知道素未谋面约会的究竟吗?那就加入到我们的主题活动中来吧,谈谈你自己素未谋面约会时会怎么做!

4月17日 星期日 19:00 - 21:00 12006501
5月15日 星期日 19:00 - 21:00 12006502

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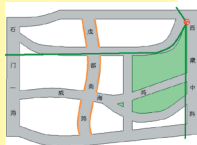
Indian Food 印度菜

We all know India's famous Curry dishes and Nan bread, but there's so much more than just those. Come taste the flavorful differences between Northern Indian and Southern Indian dishes as well as how to order them like a pro!

大家都知晓非常出名的印度咖喱菜和印度面包。事实上,除了咖喱菜和印度面包,关于印度菜还有很多的学问。快来和我们一起品尝北印度和南印度各自的菜肴,看看它们的区别再哪里,再学学怎么像个行家一样去点印度菜!

4 月 3 日 星期日 19:00 - 21:00 12006801
5 月 22 日 星期日 19:00 - 21:00 12006802

会员特价: 100积分 会员朋友价: 200积分
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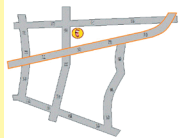
Homonyms 同音词

Homonyms are different words that sound the same but have completely different meanings. The Chinese language has different words that sound the same as well, and if used incorrectly can sometimes turn into a joke! Come learn some commonly heard homonyms and learn how they are used. Don't forget to comb your HAIR before you come, not your HARE!

同音词,顾名思义就是音同而意思完全不同的词。中文里也有很多音同而意不同的词。如果误用这些词,就会闹笑话!想知道更多的同音词及其相关用法吗?记得来之前不要忘记梳理你的“HAIR”,不是你的“HARE”噢!

4 月 10 日 星期日 19:00 - 21:00 12006301
5 月 29 日 星期日 19:00 - 21:00 12006302

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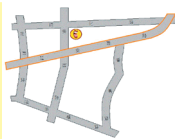
Astrology: Sun Signs 天文知识:太阳符号

The ZODIAC is made up of 12 different Sun Signs. Each sign has a different characteristic and your birthday determines what sign you are. Come to this activity to learn more about your own Sun Sign as well as those of your family and friends.

星座图是由12个不同的太阳符号组成。每一个星座都包含着不同的含义。你的生日决定你的星座。想了解更多有关自己、亲属、朋友的星座知识吗?那还犹豫什么?就赶快参加到我们的主题活动中来吧!

4 月 15 日 星期五 19:00 - 21:00 12006401
5 月 27 日 星期五 19:00 - 21:00 12006402

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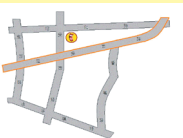
Skin Advice 护肤秘密

What are the secrets of maintaining a beautiful complexion and smooth skin? Look at all the beauty products out on the market these days. Do you know what each of them do? Come to this activity to learn about different skin products and also learn some secrets of beautiful skin.

你知道保持肌肤光滑的秘密吗?众多的护肤品中,你知道它们各自的作用吗?快来参加我们的活动吧,学习英语的同时了解更多的护肤秘密噢!

4 月 29 日 星期五 19:00 - 21:00 12006601
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- **Topic of the Day** – a guided conversation and open discussion of material related to the monthly theme, formatted like a mini-adventure
- **Media English** – after watching a Talk da Talk TV episode related to the monthly theme, the group would review the vocabulary/slang used and discuss/practice other situations that would use
- **KTV English** – after listening to a song related to the monthly theme, the group would go line-by-line through the song, learning the vocabulary/slang used; then sing it; then discuss the song in smaller groups
- **每日话题讨论** -有老师指导、公开的，围绕每月的中心议题展开讨论，与迷你活动的形式类似。
- **多媒体英语** -在观看完每月的Talk da Talk电视节目后，会员共同讨论节目中讲到的词汇或俚语以及其他情形中的类似用法。
- **KTV英语** -收听关于本月主题的英文歌曲。会员共同讨论歌曲中的词汇或俚语，会员再一起唱。然后分小组再次讨论歌曲。





English Carnival

美语嘉年华

April : Fashion

4月份：流行



In this month's "Fashion" English Carnival, we will be talking about fun activities that deal with how and why we dress the way we do, as well as how you like to look in various situations. We'll explore such things as Fashion No-No's, Beauty Tips, Fads and many more, so what are you waiting for? Put on your best clothes and show everyone your fashion savvy!-

在这个月的“流行”主题英语嘉年华活动中,我们将聊聊个人着装,针对不同场合个人如何着装等等话题。带领大家去看看着装中的忌讳与讲究,打扮小技巧,时尚等等,所以你还在等什么,犹豫什么呢?穿上你最靓的衣服,让大家瞧瞧你的流行品味!-

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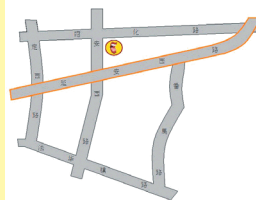
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May : Money

5月份：金钱

Welcome to this month's "Money" English Carnival! We will be talking a lot about exciting activities that make and spend money, as well as your preferences on your daily expenses. We'll explore such things as Garage Sales, spending habits, ways to save money and many more, so come on over and let us fill you with ideas to fill your wallet!

欢迎参加本月以“钱”为主题的英语嘉年华活动!我们将会聊到许许多多关于赚钱和花钱的活动,以及你个人的日常开销习惯。我们将会带大家去看看什么是清仓大甩卖,谈论消费习惯和节约开销的方法等等。所以还等什么呢?过来一起聊聊,让我们的经典点子把你的钱包装满吧!

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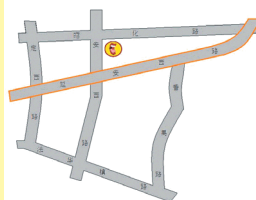
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Music Party

音乐聚会



四月 音乐聚会



Mardi Gras

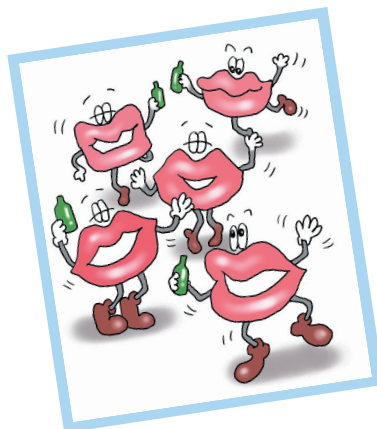
狂欢节

Many have heard of the wild fun that goes on during the famous Mardi Gras celebrations, but do you know the history behind all the colorful carnivals and costumes? Come join us at this merry event, complete with dancing, drinks, games and surprises!

狂欢节

很多人也许都听说过盛大狂欢节的疯狂。但你知道狂欢节背后的多彩历史和节日装束吗?那就同我们一起去参加这个欢乐的节日,去尽情感受舞姿、饮酒、游戏和各种惊喜带来的快乐吧!

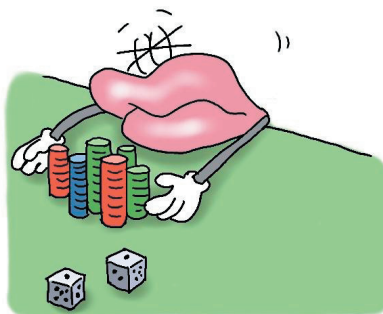
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Weekend Adventure

周末团体活动



五月 周末团体活动

Casino Night 赌场狂欢夜

Everyone wants to have that winning poker or blackjack hand and yell "I won!" But do you know all the rules and tricks to tilt the odds in your favor? Come join Talk da Talk's fun evening of game playing to learn all the do's and don'ts as well as various strategies that will enhance your skills and control the next table you play at!

娱乐场狂欢夜

每个人都想拥有一张可以获胜的扑克牌或者在玩二十一点的时候大喊一声“我赢了!”。但是你知道在赌场中的一些可以帮助自己提高获胜机率的规则和小窍门吗?快来参加我们的主题活动吧,学学赌场里一些可为与不可为的事情,以及各种各样策略、玩法,帮助提高你的个人竞技水平。

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活动地点: 官邸(皋兰路2号甲)

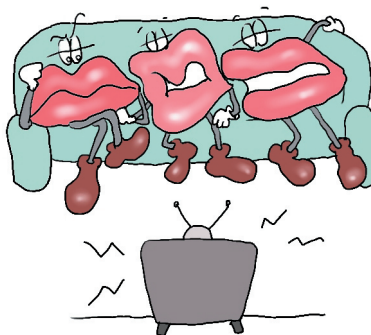
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Ever not understand a part of a movie? Ever wanted to ask about some aspect of a movie? In our Movie Club, we discuss a very funny and interesting film related to the month's topic, as well as do English activities around the movie's themes. So whether you've already seen the movie or will watch it after the club meets, you'll gain a lot more insight into it and enjoy the movie even more the next time you watch it!

你遇到过电影中看不懂的地方吗?你有时是否特别想知道电影中的某些问题?在我们的电影俱乐部里,我们将会讨论到有趣、与每月主题有关的电影,并会围绕所讨论的主题做一系列的趣味活动。不论你已看过这些将要讨论的电影还是准备在讨论会后去观看,你都将会从俱乐部的讨论会中收益不少,并会在下次观看电影时享受更多的乐趣!



April 四月份

超人特攻队

The Incredibles

In this incredibly funny movie, a family of undercover superheroes, while trying to live the quiet suburban life, are forced into action to save the world.

If you like discussing fashion, then you'll enjoy the various topics, activities and games we'll do relating to this incredibly fashionable movie!

超人特攻队

在这部超级搞笑的电影里,享受宁静生活的超级英雄被迫去拯救世界。

如果你喜欢探讨时尚,在此你将会迷上我们关于这部电影的众多话题、活动和游戏。

会员特价: 25积分 会员朋友价: 50积分
活动时间: 4月16日 19:00 - 21:00 16007401
活动地点: 上海市昭化路351号221室
TEL: (021) 5237-7105
参考公车: 127, 71
地铁站: 第2号线 中山公园站



May 五月份

偷天换日

The Italian Job

In this action-packed thriller, six thieves plan to pull off the heist of their lives by creating the biggest traffic jam Los Angeles has ever had--plus other surprises to the city.

Join us for exciting discussions and games about theft, ways of spending huge amounts of money and driving mini-cars!

偷天换日

在这部惊险的动作大片中,六个偷天大盗准备制造洛杉矶最大的一起交通堵塞。他们同时会带给这座城市什么样的惊喜呢,你想知道吗?

那就快来参加我们关于偷盗的精彩讨论和游戏,以及人们如何挥霍大笔钱财,驾驶迷你小车。

会员特价: 25积分 会员朋友价: 50积分
活动时间: 5月28日 19:00 - 21:00 16007501
活动地点: 上海市昭化路351号221室
TEL: (021) 5237-7105
参考公车: 127, 71
地铁站: 第2号线 中山公园站



Coffee Time

咖啡时间



Coffee Time

Too busy to practice English in the evenings and only have time at lunch? Then Talk da Talk's Coffee Time was created just for you! Offered everyday Monday-Saturday, our Coffee Times are informal gatherings during lunchtime that discuss recent news or anything else on your mind.

Have an afternoon presentation to give in English and want to warm-up? Heard something interesting or strange and want a western opinion? Whatever your reason, just bring your food and eat lunch with us with your fellow members!

咖啡时间

你是不是晚上太忙,没有时间来练习英语,而只有午餐的时候才有空呢?如果真的是这样的话,我们俱乐部的咖啡时间就是专门为了你而设立的。每个星期的周一到周六,会员可以自由地在俱乐部的咖啡时间里讨论自己最近的一些新鲜事情,任何所想的事情都可以讨论。

你是否下午有一个英文的讲解介绍,自己需要先练习准备?或者听到一些有趣的、奇怪的事情,想听听西方的意见?不管是出于什么目的,请带上你的午餐,来和我们的会员朋友一起享用吧!

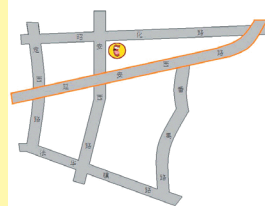
会员特价: 10积分

活动地点: 上海市昭化路351号221室

TEL: (021) 5237-7105

参考公车: 127, 71

地铁站: 第2号线 中山公园站



活动时间:

4月01日(五)	12:00 - 13:00	10050401
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Paper Correction

写作修改

Paper Correction

Want to change jobs but not sure if your resume is its best? Writing a paper for class or a report for work that needs to be perfect? Whatever the reason, one of our many professionally trained English graduates can edit your paper, regardless of topic or field.

The Talk da Talk English graduates can not translate nor write sections for you, but they are very adept at reading "Chinglish" and re-writing non-fluent English into grammatically correct English that has the tone and style you want.

Simply email or fax your paper (400 words maximum, 1 Point per 4 additional words) to our office, and the corrected version will be emailed or faxed back, depending on how you specify .

写作修改

准备跳槽,你是否觉得自己的简历不够好呢?为了自己的功课或者自己的工作,你是不是需要写一篇完美的论文或是报告呢?不管是什么原因或不论是什么主题、什么领域,我们经过专业训练的英语专家将帮助你修改你的英语作品。

我们的英语专家虽然不能帮你翻译,也不能帮助你撰写文章,但他们习惯于阅读“中式”的写作作品,可以帮助你吧不通顺的英语句子修改成符合语法规范,使其符合你个人的写作风格和所要表达的意思。

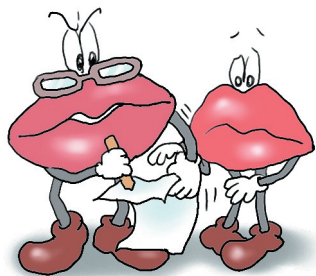
你可以直接把你写好的东西电邮或是传真给我们(最多不超过400字,超过每4字加收1积分),我们将在两个工作日内把修改好的东西以电邮或是传真的方式回传给你。

会员特价: 前400字免费, 超过400字每4字加收1积分

活动时间: 一天24小时

活动地点: Email: pc@talkdataalk.com

Fax: (021) 6253-7488



International Trips

国外旅游



International Trips

In Talk da Talk's International Trips, we teach more than English; we instill independence and self-reliance as we travel to faraway foreign cities, as well as provide you with semi-self-serviced travel packages. We give you the total freedom that you can't get from other travel agencies.

What is "semi-self-serviced"? In the overseas trip, we don't have a local guide to lead us, but we do have hospitable and knowledgeable staff, crew and logistical people. They are responsible for making all travel arrangements to fill your trip with fresh experiences, new things, fun and return you safely. Currently, there are three International Trips per year, but more will be added in the future.

国际旅游

在洋腔洋调俱乐部的国外旅游活动里, 我们不仅会教授大家英语, 而且通过国外游, 给会员灌输自立性, 提高会员的独自生存能力。我们将为您提供一个半自助旅游的方式和在一般旅行社所不能提供的自主旅游空间。

何谓半自助旅游呢? 在洋腔洋调俱乐部的国外旅游活动中, 大都没有当地的导游带领, 不过我们会有亲切可爱的工作人员、外籍朋友以及负责后勤安排的人员。他们将负责会员的所有安排, 让你感受异国的点点滴滴, 学到新东西, 玩得开心并安全地回来。现在俱乐部每年有三次国外旅游。在不久的将来会增加更多。





Bangkok 曼谷

Known for its wild bars and well-lit “red light districts”, Bangkok also has a rich history full of beautiful and ornate temples. Between the many sites we’ll visit, you will taste the wonderful local cuisine—both spicy and mild—and enjoy the nightlife’s surprises. Come join us on a tuk-tuk as we putt-putt and walk around this bustling city and serene suburbs.

曼谷因其疯狂的酒吧和“红灯区”而闻名,同时曼谷拥有历史悠久、造型美丽的寺庙。在我们所将经过的景点之间,您将有机会品尝到独特的当地美味-辣和清淡的都有-享受曼谷的夜生活。快来参加俱乐部的曼谷游吧,漫步于美丽的市中心和风景怡人的郊外。



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