

Unit 1 Know yourself

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课堂小结

What kind of person are they?



Wu Wei , artist

运用拟人的修辞手法，形象逼真，传神地表达出很多艺术家的一种特性——用作品说话。

“Wu Wei is a born artist,” said his best friend. ① “He is quiet and doesn’t like to talk much, but his work shouts!” Wu Wei, the young artist, has impressed the whole country with his creative work. His sculptures for Sunshine Town Square have won high praise from the art community. ② “I want to share the best art with people, so I’m always searching for something better or different. This in itself is great fun,” he said.

具有艺术表达和创意表现的兴趣和意识，能拓展和升华生活中的美。

work for 为……工作,
work with 和……一起工作

Su Ning , manager

Su Ning gave up her job as an accountant five years ago and started to work for the sales department in a big company. ③ “I’m active and energetic, and I love working with people. However, in my last job, I could only work with numbers day after day. ④ That made me unhappy.” Su Ning is now the general manager of the company. “Life is like a race. You either take the lead or fall behind. ⑤ I’m ready to take on new challenges any time,” she said. 承担, 承受

Liu Hao, engineer

n. 错误, 过失 *v.* 错过; 思念

Liu Hao is the chief engineer of the high-speed railway connecting Sunshine Town to Tianjin. ⑥ “To us, a miss is as good as a mile. We can’t afford to make any mistakes,” said Mr Liu. ⑦ “All of us know that it’s necessary to pay attention to every detail. ⑧” “He’s serious and well organized,” one of his team members said. “He always works to high standards, but he’s modest and easy to work with ⑨.”

细节是解决问题的关键。

Fang Yuan , doctor

can' t... too... 再……也不为过，有时也可用can never... too 来表示类似的意思。

Fang Yuan, head of Sunshine Hospital and a pioneer heart surgeon, is kind and patient. “As a doctor, you can't be too careful,” she said. ⑩
“Carelessness will be a disaster not only to ourselves but also to patients. ⑪” “She's always willing to work extra hours,” said another doctor. In fact, Doctor Fang often does operations for about ten hours a day. She has devoted most of her time to her work. All the people in the town respect her. 爱岗敬业、树立责任和担当意识。

- c** 1. A *creative* person a. has lots of energy.
- e** 2. An *active* person b. does not talk much about his/her abilities.
- a** 3. An *energetic* person c. can produce something new or a work of art.
- b** 4. A *modest* person d. can plan his/her work well.
- d** 5. An *organized* person e. enjoys taking part in different activities.
- f** 6. A *patient* person f. can wait without getting angry.

B2. Millie wants to tell her classmates about the four people. Help her check the sentences below. Write a T if a sentence is true or an F if it is false.

1. Wu Wei's friend does not think that his work is very good. **F**
2. Wu Wei's sculptures are famous all over the country. **T**
3. Su Ning was once happy with her job as an accountant. **F**
4. Su Ning changed her job five years ago. **T**
5. Liu Hao is the chief engineer of the new bridge. **F**

find it + *adj.* + to do sth. 发现做某事……

6. Liu Hao's team members find it difficult to work with him. F
7. Fang Yuan thinks doctors should be very careful. T
8. Fang Yuan spends most of her time on her work. T

B3. Millie is summarizing the newspaper article. Help her find the words on pages 8 and 9 to complete her notes below.

	Job	Personality
Wu Wei	<p>(1) an artist</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>Quiet, does not like to (2) talk much</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Creative—his work shouts</p> <p>Enjoys searching for something different</p> <p>better or (3) _____</p>

Su Ning	(4) _____ a manager	Active and (5) energetic Loves working with (6) people Ready to take on (7) new challenges _____ detail
Liu Hao	(8) _____ a doctor	Pays attention to every (9) organized _____ standards Serious and well (10) _____ patient Always works to high (11) _____ careful _____ extra hours
Fang	(12)	Kind and (13) _____ Very (14) _____ at work

C. Your personalities

C1. Write a short description of your personality. Then think about what job you want to do in the future and see if your personality matches the job requirements.

Your personality:

What job do you want to do?

Do you think your personality is suitable for the job?

C2. Work in pairs. Write a short description of your partner's personality. Then discuss with your partner whether or not you agree with each other.

Your partner's personality:

知识点

1

“Wu Wei is a born artist,” said his best friend.

考点1 **born** /bɔ:n/ *adj.* 天生的

e.g. My sister is a born singer. 我姐姐是一个天生的歌手。

点拨[®] born 的一词多义



adj. 天生的(用于名词前作定语)



v. bear 的过去分词



拓展： born 还可作动词，为bear的过去分词。be born 意为“出生”，常用于过去时。be born with“天生具有”。

e.g. a recently born idea **出生的，产生的**

一个最近产生的想法

Everyone is born with the ability to learn.

每个人生来就有学习的能力。

考题1: [青海] —Jenny was A talent of being a singer.

—You're right. She sang well when she was a little girl.

天生具有
A. born with
with

渴望……
B. thirsty for

对……满意
C. satisfied

知识点

2

His sculptures for Sunshine Town Square have won high praise from the art community.

考点2 **praise** /preɪz/ *n.* 赞扬, 表扬

e.g. His latest movie has won high praise from the critics.

他的最新影片得到了评论家们的高度赞扬。

The headmaster praised the boy for his courage.

校长赞扬这个男孩的勇气。 **praise sb. for sth.** 因某事表扬某人



praise 的常用词组



win praise (from)



赢得（来自……的）赞扬



in praise of



赞扬……



考题2: [宿迁] Wu Wei, a young artist, has received

high **B** _____ from the art community for his

sculptures. **骄傲**

赞扬

A. pride **承诺**

B. praise **进步**

C. promise

D. progress

知识点

3

Su Ning gave up her job as an accountant five years ago and started to work for the sales department in a big company.

考点3 (高频) give up 放弃 动副结构, 代词放中间。

点拨[®] 含give 的常用短语

- ① give in 屈服；让步
- ② give away 赠送；捐赠
- ③ give off 发生，放出（气味、热、光等）
- ④ give out 分发；用完

考向 **give up** 可单独使用,也可接名词、代词或动词的-ing形式作宾语。若接代词作宾语,代词要放在**give**和**up**之间。**give up doing sth.** 放弃做某事。

e.g. Don't give up. I believe you will succeed.

别放弃。我相信你会成功的。

We have already given up the plan.

我们已经放弃了那个计划。

My father gave up drinking last year.

我父亲去年戒酒了。

We can't give it up easily. 我们不能轻易放弃

它。

考题3: [益阳] My father always tells me never to _____ when I am in trouble.

A. give up

B. put on

C.

help **放弃**

穿上

帮(某人) 摆脱困境

知识点

4

... I could only work with numbers day after day.

考点4 **day after day** 一天又一天, 日复一日

e.g. Day after day, the scientists work hard in the laboratory.

科学家们日复一日地在实验室中努力工作着。

Day after day, no message arrived.

日子一天天过去了, 但仍杳无音讯。

My husband is getting well day by day.

我丈夫的健康状况一天天地好转了。

辨析：day after day与day by day

day after day	意思是“一天又一天”。深层含义是“把日子看成连续的”，有“时间长久”的含义。
day by day	意思是“一天天地”，深层含义是“把每天看成个别的，独立的”，意味着“每天都有同样的情况发生或重复”，而且含有“逐渐转变”的意思。

考题4: The man was hit by a car. And he is getting
better day by day (一天天地).

知识点

5

You either take the lead or fall behind.

考点5 either ... or... 不是.....就是....., 或者.....或者.....

考向 并列连词, 连接相同的句子成分。连接两个并列主语时, 谓语动词应与离其最近的主语在人称和数上保持一致。

e.g. Either you or he is right. 或者你对, 或者他对。

具体用法见本单元语法部分。

考题5: [随州]晚上我要么看电视要么听音乐。

In the evening, I either watch TV or
listen to music.

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