

## 2015 年 3 月 7 日托福写作真题解析（2 套全）

【第一套】Some people think that it is an important part of children's education to go on field trips (e.g. museums). Others people think a child's time is better spent in classroom at school. Which do you prefer and why?

### 【思路拓展】

一般来说，field trip 的优势较多，较好写，比如 broaden one's horizon, arouse students' interest in learning, change theory into practice 等，网络上的范文大多也是从这个角度入手的。下面，我们来看看从否定 field trip 的角度怎么分析这篇文章：

field trip 会分散学生的学习注意力，因为室外的吸引力太多，学生没有办法专注；

field trip 增加了校园生活的危险性，因为在户外，有太多不可控因素会威胁学生的安全；

field trip 增加了不必要的学习成本，为蓝领家庭增加生活负担。  
下面，我们来看正文。

### 【原创范文】

Extraordinary attention as modern education has gained, a wider assortment of education methods is thus provided in order to maximize students' potential. Field trip, such as a visit to the local museum, is believed to be a good practice of dead knowledge on textbooks and is favored by most experts in education. However, this is not a rule most schools follow, and there must be reasons.

First of all, field trip is a big distraction. Although many people, including teachers and parents, tend to believe that when students are shown of the knowledge in person, the words on textbooks will come alive, but this contradicts what exactly happens on spot. Last time when I was in the local museum, I met a group of primary school students, led by the school teachers. When the interpreter was explaining the exhibition, some, or even say the majority of students, rather than her words, were attracted by a moth confined in the light tube. Compared with the surroundings in class where everything is intentionally arranged in connection of study, there are too many distractions out in the field.

Additionally, field trip increases the possibility of accidents. It is acknowledged that the number of students enormously outweighs that of teachers in school, and guarding into every student seems impossible. However, the destination of field trip is usually located miles away from the campus and students get handful even when confined on the bus, let alone when they are scattered in every corner of the field. Therefore, in order to minimize the possible danger, few schools will arrange field

trips, however much they may contribute to study.

Moreover, field trip increases the cost of education. Cost of education, undoubtedly in every country, is high, especially when the child goes to private school, where quality of education is said to be beyond normal as well as expenses. And parents have to save up every penny to provide best education for their dear. However, a field trip requires extra money for entry and fare. Even if it costs not much, it will add up in those families with heavy loan. The problem is whether it is that necessary.

Therefore, concerning the anticipated effect, possible consequence and side effect of field trip, I, in contrast to the majority, would like to doubt the necessity of field trip.  
(389 words)

【第二套】Do you agree or disagree with the following statement: Twenty years from now, people will spend less time cooking or preparing for food.

【思路拓展】

这是一个考过多次的老题，内容十分简单，正反面都较好写，我们着重看看不同意怎么写：

cooking 能增加亲友间的联系，比如每年春节合家欢的时候，团年夜饭和家的味道是最好的表现；

cooking 与现代人健康的生活方式一致，特别是那些对卡路里十分在意的白领女性；

现代科技使 cooking 更简单方便，所以人们会更 enjoy 到 cooking 的过程。下面，我们来看原创范文的正文。

【原创范文】

No matter where modern technology has led the society, basic needs concerning survival has withstood the rapid development and followed the origin. For example, every house is facilitated with a well decorated kitchen. That is why I have the confidence of cooking at home.

To begin with, cooking is the bond between every family member. In China, it is the routine that during the New Year Eve., the whole family will come back from different places and sit together at table, having food delicately prepared by mother. When asked of the flavor, there might be varieties of answers, but one thing must be referred to by everyone questioned, which is the taste of home. That can also explain why families come all the way back home, some of which even take more than a day. And it must be the same case with the Christmas tradition in western cultures, because family connection in the form of home-made food will never wither regardless of time and distance.

Moreover, cooking at home matches the idea of healthy lifestyle. Admittedly, cuisines well prepared in those fancy restaurants are of extra attraction to those who are bored by home-made food every day. However, the public have been aware of the disadvantages of dining outside. For example, people keep concerning about the quality of ingredients, and even if food safety is not a problem under the regulation of government, the way of cooking is also a trouble. The cooks, in order to make the food tasty, tend to put extra sauces, such as those spicy and sweet, which add up the calories food takes and causes weight problem. Therefore, an increasing number of white-collar workers, health-conscious, begin to prepare food at home and take dinner to work every day.

Besides, modern technology has made cooking with less trouble but more joy. For example, in China, there is a kind of traditional food, known as Zongzi, well wrapped with a piece of palm tree leaf containing glutinous rice and pork. It is annually made during Dragon Boat Festival and can be kept for more than a year without going bad. The problem is, in the past, when people wanted to heat it, the only way was to steam it, which took about 15 minutes. But after the invention of micro-wave oven, the Chinese only need to throw the Zongzi into the cooker, and wait for 3 minutes. Admit it or not, cooking becomes much earlier.

To conclude, cooking, holding up its significance in family relationship and healthy lifestyle, will become more enjoyable and favored by more people under the help of modern technology. (437 words)