

L 4.2 Languages and Texting

Language points

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1. Words and phrases



Words and phrases



SMS (short message service) 短讯服务

seriously *ad.* 严重地，严肃地，认真地

brief *a.* 简短的； *v.* 简单介绍； *n.* 简介，概要

ban *vt.* 禁止，取缔； *n.* 禁止，禁令

text language 短信语言

literacy skills 读写能力，读写技能



Words and phrases

- **old-fashioned** *a.* 过时的
- **expert** *n.* 专家
- **comment** *n.* 评论，意见； *v.* 发表意见，评论
- **communicate** *v.* 交流，交际，沟通，通讯，传递信息
- **lecturer** *n.* 讲授者，讲演者，讲师
- **entire** *a.* 全部的，整个的；完全的，绝对的
- **essay** *n.* 短文，论说文，散论



on the increase 正在增长

have a positive effect on ... 对.....有积极影响

prevent somebody from doing something 阻止
某人做某事

as a result 结果，因此





- **means of communication** 交流方式
- **a range of** 一系列；一些；一套
- **refer to** 参考；涉及；指的是；适用于
- **instead of** 代替；而不是...
- **No way!** 决不！不可能！



seriously *ad.* 严重地，严肃地，认真地， ...

- ❖ **be seriously ill/injured** 重病； 重伤
- ❖ You're not seriously expecting me to believe that?
你不是真的以为我会相信那样的话吧？
- ❖ They are seriously concerned about security.
他们非常关注安全问题。
- ❖ Seriously though, it could be really dangerous.
不过说实在的，这事说不好真的很危险。
- ❖ They're seriously rich. 他们极为富有。



seriously *ad.* 严重地，严肃地，认真地

- ❖ **take sth./sb. seriously** 认真对待，重视
- ❖ When reports came into London Zoo that a wild puma had been spotted forty-five miles south of London, they **were not taken seriously**. (*NCE-3 L1*)
- ❖ We **take** threats of this kind **very seriously**.
我们对这类威胁非常重视。
- ❖ Why can't you ever **take** anything **seriously**?
你怎么对什么都不当回事呢？



brief *a.* 简短的; *v.* 简介, 使简洁; *n.* 简介, 概要

❖ a brief visit/meeting/conversation

短时间的访问/会议/交谈 (*a.*)

❖ a brief pause/silence 暂时停顿/沉默 (*a.*)

❖ a brief description/summary/account

简明扼要的描述/总结/叙述 (*a.*)

❖ a brief skirt 超短裙 (*a.*)

❖ I was given the **brief** of reorganizing the department.

我被分派去**改组**这个部门。 (*v.*)



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❖ to stick to your brief (= *to only do what you are asked to do*)

仅做分内的事

❖ The officer briefed her on what to expect.

长官简要向她说了下可能遇到的情况。

❖ **hold no brief for sb/sth**

(*BrE formal*) *to not support or be in favour of sb/sth* 不支持, 不赞成 (某人或某事); 不为...辩护

❖ I hold no brief for either side in this war.

这次战争的双方我都不支持。



ban *vt.* 禁止, 取缔; *n.* 禁止, 禁令

- *to decide or say officially that sth is not allowed*
- Chemical weapons are banned internationally.
- 国际上禁止使用化学武器。
- **ban sb from sth/from doing sth** 禁止（某人）做某事（或去某处等）
- He was banned from the meeting. 他被取消了出席会议的资格。
- He was banned from driving for six months. 他被禁止驾驶六个月。



text language 短信语言

text *n.*

1. （书籍或杂志的）正文，文本；文档
2. 演讲稿；剧本；文稿
3. 课文，课本，教科书
4. 短讯息，短信息

text *v.* *to send sb a written message using a mobile phone/cellphone* （用手机给某人）发短信



text v.

- ❖ *to send sb a written message using a mobile phone/cellphone*
(用手机给某人) 发短信
- ❖ **Text me when you're on your way.** 路上给我发短信吧。
- ❖ **I'll text you the final score.** 我会发短信告诉你最终的比分。
- ❖ **Kids seem to be texting non-stop these days.** 现在的孩子好像在不停地发短信。



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Test on the new words



1. Because of its wonderful e_____, COVID-19 vaccine made in China are warmly welcomed by a lot of countries all over the world.

effect

2. China has always taking fighting against the COVID-19 pandemic s_____.

seriously

3. Currently, Han Chinese costume, though o_____, is enjoying a growing popularity among college students.

old-fashioned



4. How to you c_____ on the military conflict between Russia and Ukraine?

comment

5. With China's development and prosperity, the demand for Mandarin lessons is on the i_____.

increase

A r_____ of policies have been made to promote the science and technology in our country.

range



7. Wechat is undoubtedly the most widely used means of
C_____.

communication

8. Many Cantonese r_____ to Guangzhou Tower, the
tallest one in Chines, as *Slim Waist*.

refer





9. In many countries, Chinese, i_____ of English, is learned as the most popular foreign language.

instead

10. While the US b_____ on Russian grain export severely jeopardized global food safety, the top four agribusiness unicorns, three of which are American, must be applauding for the soaring food price.

ban

