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Online lesson

B. Read the passage and answer the questions (True/False).

黄先生以前在加州工作。加州冬天不冷，夏天不热，春天和秋天更舒服。黄先生现在在纽约工作。他说纽约夏天很热，春天秋天也不太舒服，冬天天气更糟糕，不但很冷，而且常常下雪。他约夏小姐这个周末去加州玩儿，夏小姐说加州天气好是好，可是没意思。

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- () 1. Mr. Huang used to work in California.
- () 2. The four seasons were equally comfortable in New York.
- () 3. In New York, winter is the worst season.
- () 4. Mr. Huang would like to spend a weekend in California.
- () 5. Ms. Xia declined Mr. Huang's invitation because she liked the weather in her own city better.

Chinese Phrase	Pinyin	English Translation
我约了朋友	wǒ yuē le péngyou	I made an appointment with a friend
天气会怎么样?	tiānqì huì zěnmeyàng?	What will the weather be like?
会暖和一点儿	huì nuǎnhuo yīdiǎnr	It will be a little warmer
谁要去滑冰?	shéi yào qù huábing?	Who wants to go ice skating?
怎么办?	zěnmē bàn?	What to do? / What should we do?
我更喜欢	wǒ gèng xǐhuān	I prefer
办公室	bàngōngshì	Office
王先生觉得不舒服	Wáng xiānsheng juéde bù shūfu	Mr. Wang feels unwell
玩儿	wánr	To play / To have fun
好玩儿	hǎowánr	Fun / Amusing
糟糕	zāogāo	Terrible / Bad
面试	miànshì	Interview
预报	yùbào	Forecast
预习	yùxí	Preview (study in advance)
复习	fùxí	Revise (repeat study)

Translate:

- The exam is difficult
- What time does it start?
- The chicken is in the oven
- The fish is in the fridge
- Wishing you good health!
- My life is very busy (literally: my life – very busy)
- I was born in Nottingham (literally: I located Nottingham born)
- This job is very stressful (Literally: This job – stress very big)
- Chinese level examination

Translate and then practise saying the following sentences out loud in Chinese:

- I like to chat
- My life is very busy
- Stress is bad for your health (literally: towards your body not good)
- Drinking green tea is good for you
- The weather is awful
- It's started raining
- What time is it?

作业

If you haven't done the translation/speaking tasks set for homework last week and the week before, then do these now (see pages 4 and 5 above)

Read or re-read the passage on page 2 above (the T/F questions in English will help you understand it).

Revise (复习) the vocab in the table on page 3. There will be an old-fashioned vocab test next week