

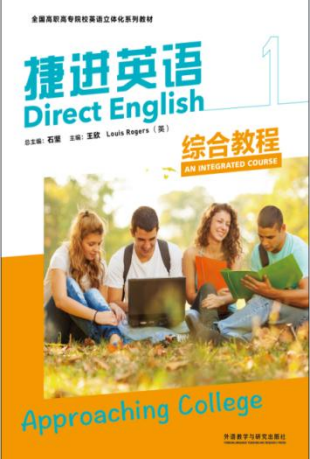
《捷进英语》

重能力，善思考，有情怀

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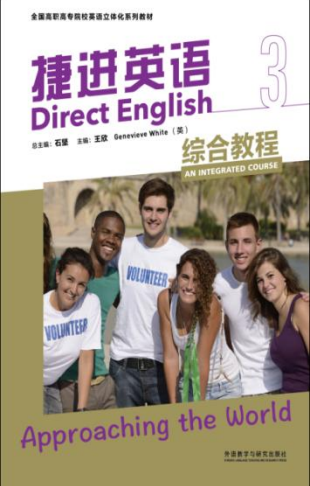
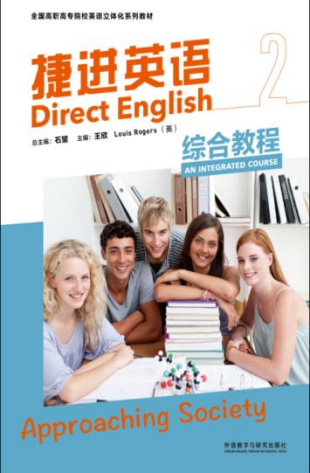
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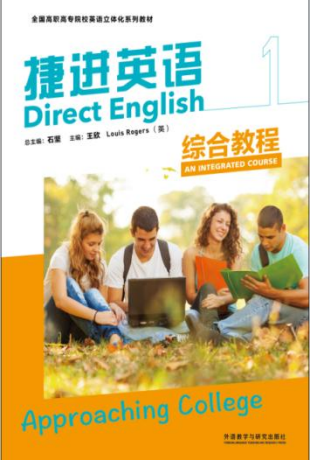


客观看待我们的学生

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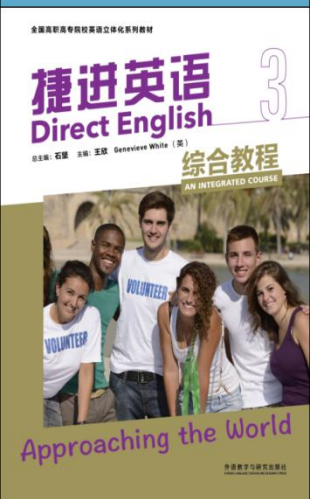
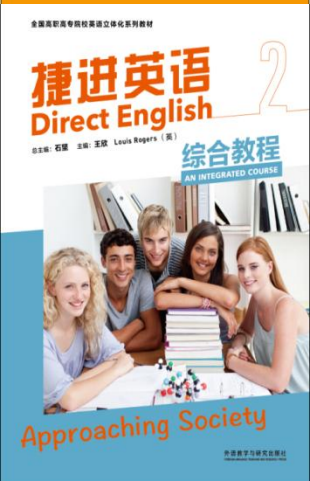
在外语的工具性需求—学习、工作和生活方面，**没有高职生和本科生的差异。**
高职生的自我认知更切合实际。

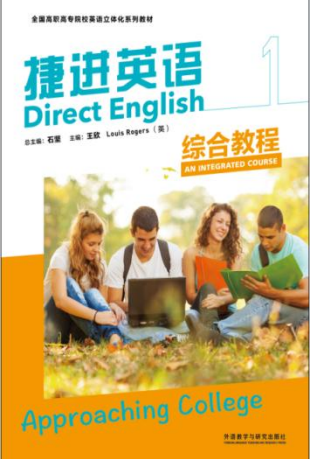




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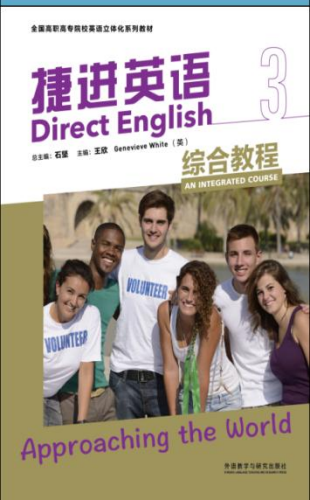
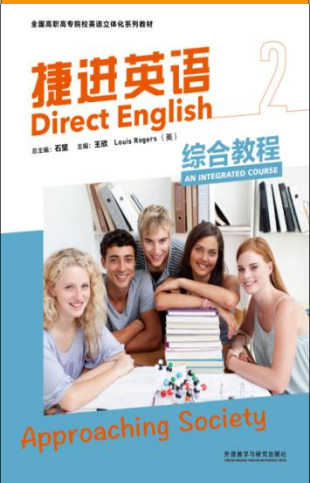
高职学生尽管入学的分数比本科生低，他们的应试能力和学习自觉性也差一些，某些课程基础相对薄弱，但是他们的情商、智商、理解能力和情感需求并不低，对于外国文化和新事物的接受能力也不差！

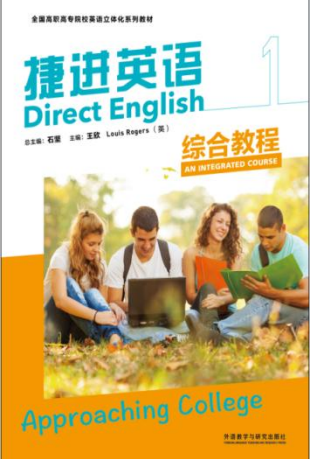




So...

鉴于上述现实，我们为高职学生编写的这套英语教材在词汇、语法和练习等的难度方面有所降低，但是在题材的选择上，比如其**思辨性、思想性、人文性和艺术性**等诸多方面与其他大学英语教材是一样的精彩！





以课文为例

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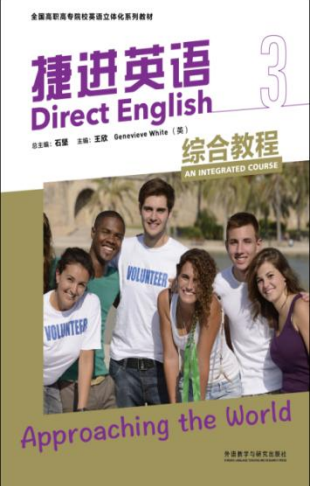
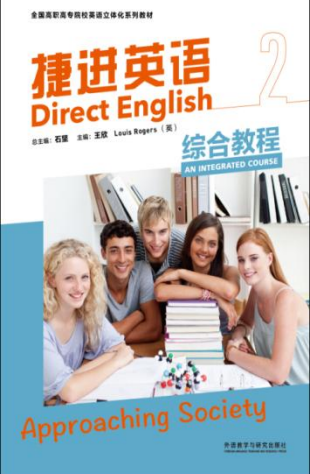
Unit 8 Steps Forward (Book 1)

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Unit 3 Love vs Money (Book 3)

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Unit 7 Judge for Yourself (Book3)



例1 Unit 8 Steps Forward (Book 1)

主题：

**关于人生选择，
关于未来规划。**



思考: To be good or be clever?

READING FOR LEARNING

STEP 1
Steps Forward

Making sense of apparently "unrelated" information
(从看似不相关的内容入手理解文章主旨)

从一些有寓意的故事或文章中，文章的开头看似常常会与题目或作者最终要表达的思想有些“相关”。读这类文章时，需要回过头来逐句每个段落的主要内容，并将这一段的主要内容与下一段相联系，并最终得出文章的主旨。

Task 1 Read the first two paragraphs. Who are mentioned in the two paragraphs? How do you think they influenced Jeff? Read the rest of the text and check your predictions.

New Words

- *caravan /'kærəvən/ n. 旅行房车; (用汽车拖拽的) 活动房屋
- smell /smel/ n. 气味
- *petrol /'petrəl/ n. 汽油
- grocery /'grəʊsəri/ n. (pl.) 食品杂货
- statistic /stə'tɪstɪk/ n. 数字; 数据
- *puff /pʌf/ n. 吸一口烟
- *shorten /'ʃɔ:tn/ v. 缩短; (使) 变短
- announce /ə'naʊns/ v. (刚建成或开业时) 告知; 通知
- impressed /ɪm'prest/ adj. 敬佩的; 印象深刻
- silence /'saɪləns/ n. 寂静; 默不作声
- calmly /'kɑ:mlɪ/ adv. 镇静地; 沉着地
- *motto /'mɒtəʊ/ n. 座右铭; 格言
- graduate /'grædʒuət/ n. 毕业生
- cleverness /'klevrəns/ n. 聪明
- *seduce /sɪ'dʒu:s/ v. 引诱; 诱惑
- *detriment /'detrɪmənt/ n. 损害; 不利

Phrases and Expressions

- help out (帮人) 分担 (工作); 帮忙
- apart from 除……之外
- work out 计算; 算出
- take off 起飞; 扣除
- teach sb a lesson 给某人上了一课
- after all 毕竟
- to the detriment of 对……不利; 有害于

Proper Names

- Jeff Bezos 杰夫·贝索斯 (亚马逊网站创始人)
- CEO (Chief Executive Officer) 首席执行官
- Amazon 亚马逊网站 (全球最大的电子商务公司)
- Princeton University 普林斯顿大学



We Are What We Choose

- 1 Jeff spent every summer with his grandparents when he was a boy. He helped out on their farm. Most summers they would go on holiday in his grandparents' caravan. Jeff loved these trips, apart from the smell of his grandmother smoking.
- 2 At that age Jeff loved doing simple maths, from working out how far the car could travel with the petrol to working out the value of groceries. While in the caravan one year, Jeff remembered a statistic about smoking: every puff on a cigarette shortens your life by two minutes. After doing some quick maths, Jeff announced to his grandmother that she had taken nine years off her life because of smoking.

- 2 Jeff had thought his grandparents would be impressed by his maths. They weren't. His grandmother started crying and his grandfather stopped the car. Jeff thought he was going to be in big trouble when his grandfather walked round and opened his door. After some silence Jeff's grandfather calmly said, "Jeff, one day you'll understand that it's harder to be kind than clever."
- 4 His Grandfather's words taught Jeff a great lesson and they became his life motto. Years later, Jeff Bezos became the CEO of Amazon, and he told this story to the graduates of Princeton University in 2010. He went on to say, "What I want to talk to you about today is the difference between gifts and choices. Cleverness is a gift, kindness is a choice. Gifts are easy—they're given after all. Choices can be hard. You can seduce yourself with your gifts if you're not careful, and if you do, it'll probably be to the detriment of your choices."



英国的大学普遍有知名校友返回母校为即将毕业的毕业生在毕业典礼上致辞的传统。本文最后一段引文来自亚马逊网站的创始人杰夫·贝索斯在普林斯顿大学毕业典礼上的演讲。

普林斯顿大学 (Princeton University) 始建于1746年，是美国常春藤盟校之一，也是全美最有名的大学之一，许多知名的政治家、诺贝尔奖获得者都是从这里毕业的。本文主人公杰夫·贝索斯也是这里的毕业生。

例2: Unit 3 Love vs Money (Book3)



主题：爱与金钱。

思考： Help strangers or not?

事件)

顺序。除了根据 *before this, meantime* 来帮助排序。如例句: *When I arrived through the house other guests were* 可以看出, 动词在“我”到来之前已经句中用过去进行时描写其他客人正在穿“之前就已经开始了, 并可能持续下去。

THE UMBRELLA MAN

by Roald Dahl

Yesterday, my mother took me up to London to see the dentist. When we came out of the dentist it was raining hard and we didn't have an umbrella. "We must get a taxi, Sarah!" my mother said. Lots of taxis came by but they all had passengers inside them.

Just then a small old man came up to us. He smiled politely and said to my mother: "Please excuse me, Madam. I've left my wallet at home and I'm not sure my old legs will be able to carry me home."

My mother had always been suspicious of strange men.

"Are you asking me to give you money?" she asked.

"Not at all!" the old man said. "I'm offering

you this beautiful silk umbrella of mine to keep you dry. It's yours, Madam, if you'll only give me the money for a taxi home."

My mother looked at the umbrella. It was made of silk and looked very expensive.

"It cost me over twenty pounds", the old man said. "But that doesn't matter. I just want to go home and rest my old legs."

My mother gave the old man a pound for his taxi fare, and accepted the silk umbrella. "You see?" she said to me as the old man walked away. "You shouldn't usually trust strange men, but I could see that he was a gentleman."

I was watching the old man who was now walking very fast indeed. "He doesn't look very tired to me," I said.

We followed the old man all the way to a pub called The Red Lion. We watched him go in and buy a large whisky with the money my mother had given him.

"What an expensive drink!" I said. "It cost him a silk umbrella!"

We watched the old man drink up his whisky and leave the pub. On the way out, he quickly took an umbrella from the stand beside the door. Within minutes he was selling the umbrella to a tall man with wet hair. Then we followed him to a different pub.

"He could be doing this all night!" I said. "Yes," said my mother. "But I'll bet he prays like mad for rainy days."



例3: Unit 7 Judge for Yourself (Book3)

主题：罪与罚



思考： The message of the story?

A dead leaf fell onto Soapy's lap where he sat, freezing, in Madison Square. He needed to move somewhere warm for winter, but unlike rich New Yorkers, he was not planning a Mediterranean cruise. No, this was not for him. Soapy was planning to spend his winter in the safety of a prison cell.

For many years now, Soapy had spent the coldest months in prison. Now the time had come for his winter visit and he was determined to achieve his goal. Soapy found an elegant café. He decided to order and eat a three course meal although he had no money to pay for it. This would surely guarantee him a three month stay in prison! However, when he went into the restaurant the waiter took one look at his shabby trousers and walked him to the door.

He would need to try plan B. Soapy picked up a stone and threw it at the window of an expensive gift shop. The window smashed and a policeman came running up.

"Who did that?" the policeman asked.
"That was me, sir," said Soapy, politely. The policeman stared at Soapy in disbelief. Men who smash windows do not admit to their crime. They run!
"You didn't break that window," the policeman said.
"I did break it!" said Soapy. "It was me, I swear!"

The policeman saw a man running to catch a bus and started to chase him. Soapy would not give up. He stopped in a quiet part of town and started yelling



THE COP and THE ANTHEM

and singing. Disorderly conduct would get him in prison for sure! A passing policeman smiled at the passers-by: "Ah, it's a Yale boy celebrating the end of a term. Noisy; but no harm."

Soapy was getting tired. He found a bench in front of an old church and sat down. Sweet organ music filled the air. Never had he heard such a beautiful sound. As he watched the moon and listened to the music something changed inside him. He felt sorry for all his crimes, and decided to make a fresh start. He would find a job tomorrow, he would go straight, he would...

No sooner than he had promised himself to start afresh, Soapy felt a hand on his arm.

"What are you doin' here?" asked a policeman.

"Nothin'," said Soapy.

"Then come along."

"Three months in prison," said the judge court the next morning.

O. Henry was the pen name of William Sydney Porter, a nineteenth century American author of hundreds of short stories. Many of these stories have surprise endings or a "twist in the tale". Porter had a difficult life and experienced problems with alcohol addiction. He also spent a brief spell in prison for embezzlement. O. Henry's most famous short stories include *The Gift of the Magi* and *The Ransom of Red Chief*.

Yale is a very prestigious university in Connecticut, USA. It is one of the most famous Ivy League universities, along with Harvard. Many American presidents, including George Bush and Bill Clinton, studied here.

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让学生感兴趣！

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