



Chinese Third Year – Self-Assessment Test

Self-assessment for those considering enrolment into the Chinese Third Year course at Professional and Continuing Education (PACE)

Ideally, this self-assessment is to be completed in 35 minutes. Please do not refer to a dictionary or any other reference material when attempting the self-assessment.

There are 3 sections in the self-assessment:

Section A	.../15 marks
Vocabulary	
Section B	.../10 marks
Grammar	
Section C	.../10 marks
Reading and writing	
Total	.../35 marks

Once you've completed the self-assessment, check your [answers](#) to determine your score.

A score of 18 marks and above would suggest that you are able to cope with content covered in PACE's Third Year course.



Section A: Vocabulary (15 Marks)

Provide Pinyin, tones and English meaning for the following characters (10 marks)

Characters	Pinyin and tones	English meaning
1. 回来	_____	_____
2. 以前	_____	_____
3. 或者	_____	_____
4. 出去	_____	_____
5. 附近	_____	_____

Match the characters with English (5 marks)

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| 1. 左面 | a) subway/underground train |
| 2. 告诉 | b) if |
| 3. 银行 | c) left side |
| 4. 地铁 | d) tell |
| 5. 要是 | e) bank |



Section B: Translating and writing (10 Marks)

Translate the following sentences from English to Chinese

1. Do you like to raise pets? _____
2. Have you been to other cities? _____
3. She is probably eating breakfast right now. _____
4. When did they arrive? _____
5. They went to Beijing first, then to Hong Kong. _____

Section C: Reading and writing (10 Marks)

Read the Chinese text and answer questions in languages asked.

Word list

yǒumíng tǐng bǐrú zhōngguótōng
有 名 famous 挺 quite 比如 for example 中 国 通 an expert on China

zhùhǎo
祝 好 wish (you) well

马克你好:

我到中国已经有半年了。我挺喜欢在北京工作的。你现在好吗? 你的工作怎么样?

我刚到中国的时候, 觉得中国很忙很拥挤, 到处都是人。在北京, 出门很方便, 因为有地铁, 出租车, 公共汽车。我最喜欢地铁因为地铁很快也很方便。

在北京有很多有名的地方, 比如, 长城, 故宫, 颐和园等等。我的中国朋友跟我一起去了这些地方。我觉得这些地方很漂亮, 很好看。我也去了别的城市, 比如, 上海, 西安和成都。我也吃了很多好吃的中国饭。我现在快成了一个“中国通”了。

祝好!

你的朋友,

杰克

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1. Why did Jack write to Mark? _____
2. How long has Jack been to China? _____
3. What transport types are mentioned in the text? _____
4. Where has he been to in Beijing? _____
5. What does he want to know about Mark? _____
6. What does “中国通” in the last sentence mean? _____
7. 杰克喜欢出租车还是地铁，为什么? _____
8. 他喜欢北京有名的地方吗？为什么? _____
9. 他去了中国的什么城市? _____
10. 你觉得他喜欢中国吗？为什么? _____

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