

Lesson 17: Dating 约会

Assignment#: 8

INSTRUCTIONS: Write an essay in traditional Chinese of more than 180 characters. Your essay should be focused on the topic provided below. Translate your essay into English on the line immediately below the character squares. Count the number of characters in your essay and enter it into the column at the end of your essay. Thank you!

TOPIC															
写信给一个你还不认识的男孩子/女孩子，告诉他/她你就是星期二（情人节那天）晚上最后一个跟他/她跳舞的那个人。告诉他/她你对他/她的印象很好，想请他/她这个周末一起去喝咖啡，看歌剧，然后去参加李友（你的大学同学）的生日晚会。虽然你不认识他/她，可是你认识他/她的中文老师王老师。王老师告诉了你他/她的名字。															
In your letter, you should touch on all of the following topics:															
1) what opera (Chinese or English) you will watch, its location (Chinatown or University Town), how to get there from campus (taxi, subway, or bus);															
2) what time and where you should meet (at the café and then the theater or vice versa), how much trouble you have taken in getting these hot tickets, how you have long wanted to watch it with him/her;															
3) flatter him/her by telling him/her how you feel (觉得)about him/her: your impression about his/her appearance: height, face, nose, eyes (refer to Dialogue 2 of Lesson 15); ask him/her if he/she would like to be your date;															
4) Give her/him your phone number (both home and mobile 手机) and ask him/her to give you his/hers;															

YOUR ESSAY

YOUR NAME _____

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