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留学澳洲英语讲座

English for Study in Australia

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Lesson 7 – Can we talk?

第七课：我能和你谈谈吗？

STUDY NOTES

课文中的人物：

Katie: 凯蒂，一位首次到澳洲留学的女学生。

Jenny: 简妮，凯蒂寄宿家庭的母亲。

故事梗概：

凯蒂向简妮谈了家中的小狗经常跑到她的床上睡觉的事情。简妮则帮助凯蒂克服她想家的情绪。

小提示 — 如何坚持自己的主张或者观点：

在澳洲文化中，那些敢于坚持己见和开诚布公的人往往最终会赢得人们的尊重。但是请记住，这样做的时候是需要一些技巧的。其中之一就是不要让对方觉得你将过错归咎于他，你只需要说明自己的态度就可以了。以下是一些在这种情况下可能会用到的句型。

When you laugh at my English mistakes, I feel embarrassed.

When you play your music loud, I find it hard to study.

I feel uncomfortable when the dog jumps up at me.

常用俚语：

To feel wobbly	感到不确定，焦急忧虑。
To be the life of the party	以滔滔不绝地讲笑话、故事，或者跳舞等方式娱乐客人。
“Grab a chair” “Grab a stool”	请坐下。
To miss someone	思念朋友或者家人。
The feeling will pass	某种情绪或者感觉最终会过去的。

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EXERCISES

1. 主要词汇

请从字典中找出下列单词的发音及意思:

(to) adapt	(to) cope	culture
entrance	hall	homesickness
(to) invite	pesky	(to) relax
traditional	understandable	yard

2. 语言练习 ---- 英语能力测试

学校在接受您入读某一项课程之前需要确定您的英语语言能力，这一考试通常是全部以英语进行的，例如：

Choose the word that best completes each sentence.

Cross one box for each number, eg:

Talking it over

The importance _____1_____ talking to someone about a problem cannot be underestimated. We have a saying, "A problem shared is a problem halved." Friends or advisors will often have a different perspective _____2_____ the problem and may be _____3_____ to offer you valuable advice.

Sometimes talking with someone who _____4_____ experienced the same thing can be enough.

If the problem _____5_____, you can always see a professional counsellor or a doctor. It is your health that is most important. If you are stressed or losing sleep, you won't be performing as well as you could be.

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1. on of as at
2. on of for to
3. can capable able expert
4. have is are has
5. persists persistent persist persisting

3. 请通过朗读下面这个句子练习辅音字母L 和 R的发音要领:

“I really like reading letters from Louis.”

4. 常用互联网网址:

有关如何适应澳大利亚文化的网址:	http://www.pacific.edu/SIS/docs/FINAL-Berardo-Forum-Handouts.doc
提示您如何保持己见的文章:	http://www.enotalone.com/article/2364.html

练习二的答案: 1) of 2) on 3) able 4) has 5) persists