



AEAS_10-11 年级口语真题之三

Describe a book like to read again/ you read when you were a child.

Speaking of a book I read in my childhood, I want to talk about the children's encyclopedia book called One Hundred Thousand Questions. The book covers many areas that children might be curious about, such as physics, chemistry, biology and geography and so on.

It was a birthday gift given by my father when I was 6 years old.

This book helped cultivate my interest in natural science and triggered me to self study and do some research. For example, as a child, I didn't fully understand why it rained sometimes. I was quite curious about where the water came from. In that book, it illustrated the formation of rain through beautiful picture and understandable words, which made me learn many things that are out of the textbook.

It really widened my mind and helped me know more about the world at that age.

Also it helped me form a habit of reading. You know, the habit of reading is a quite important way for children to learn. The more they read, the more they learn.

☆ Did you like reading books when you were little?

It depends on what book it was. For example, if books contained many colourful pictures and funny word, like cartoon book, I was quite interested in them, because they were easy for me to understand what they were talking about. However, it was a trying experience for me if I read books with some deep concept or abstract theme.

What were your favorite kinds of books?

Usually, my favorite kinds of books were children's cartoon books. I especially liked the books that taught me something true in life by a funny story. By reading those books, I can not only have fun but also actually gain some knowledge.

What kind of books do you like these days?

Well, nowadays, I prefer to read biography [bai'ɔgrəfi]. After I graduate, I am not a student any more. I have to find a job. I have to start my career life. I want to become a successful business man in the future. So I think biography can tell me some recipes of success behind those successful men and provide me some useful guidance in life. It is worth learning.