

2022内蒙古高一下学期人教版高中英语期末考试

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International Weather Forecast (January 18th, 2015)

Paris Weather

- 1 Today: Plenty of sunshine. High 59F. Winds NE at 5 to 10 mph.
- 1 Tonight: Generally clear. Low near 35F. Winds light and variable.
- 1 Tomorrow: A mainly sunny sky. High 59F. Winds ENE at 5 to 10 mph.
- 1 Tomorrow night: A mostly clear sky. Low 36F. Winds light and variable.

New York Weather

- 1 Today: Cloudy with rain and snow showers. Temps nearly steady in the mid 39s. Winds SE at 5 to 10 mph. Chance of rain 40%.
- 1 Tonight: Rain and snow showers this evening changing to rain showers overnight. Low 34F. Winds ESE at 5 to 10 mph. Chance of rain 60%.
- 1 Tomorrow: Cloudy skies early will become partly cloudy later in the day. High around 45F. Winds WNW at 10 to 20 mph.
- 1 Tomorrow night: Partly cloudy early with increasing clouds overnight. Low 29F. Winds W at 5 to 10 mph.

London Weather

- 1 Today: Cloudy and windy. High 56F. Winds WSW at 20 to 30 mph.
- 1 Tonight: Partly cloudy and windy. Low 43F. Winds W at 20 to 30 mph.
- 1 Tomorrow: Windy with occasional light rain. High 58F. Winds SW at 20 to 30 mph. Chance of rain 70%.
- 1 Tomorrow night: Cloudy and windy. Periods of light rain early. Low 54F. Winds WSW at 20 to 30 mph. Chance of rain 60%.

Sydney Weather

- 1 Today: Cloudy with periods of rain. High 73F. Winds NE at 10 to 15 mph. Chance of rain 70%. Rainfall around a quarter of an inch.
- 1 Tonight: Rain. Low near 70F. Winds NNE at 10 to 15 mph. Chance of rain 70%. Rainfall near a quarter of an inch.
- 1 Tomorrow: rain in the morning with isolated thunderstorms arriving in the afternoon. High 78F. Winds NNE at 5 to 10 mph. Chance of rain 40%.
- 1 Tomorrow night: An isolated thunderstorm possible during the evening, then occasional showers overnight. Low near 70F. Winds WNW at 5 to 10 mph. Chance of rain 40%.

1. Which city has the strongest wind on January 19th?

- A. Paris B. New York C. London. D. Sydney

2. There will be thunderstorms in Sydney on _____.

- A. the evening of January 18th B. the afternoon of January 18th
C. the morning of January 19th D. the afternoon of January 19th

3. If you go on a tour on January 18th, which of the following places of interest is the most favorable according to the weather report?

- A. The Eiffel Tower B. Statue (雕像) of Liberty
C. Big Ben D. The Sydney Opera House.

2.

With a growing number of people in San Francisco choosing not to own a car, German car - making company BMW has decided to branch out into car-sharing services with 70 cars spread around the city, first in 14 locations, with a further 100 being added gradually.

"This is not an A-to-A service — it is A-to-B," says Richard Steinberg, chief executive of the DriveNow scheme (方案), pointing out that members can pick up a car downtown for the half-hour drive to the airport for only \$12, compared with about \$40-50 for a taxi.

Whether that is possible in real life depends on traffic, of course. A midmorning drive from Union Square down Highway 101 to the airport takes just 22 minutes; however, driving back during the rush hour takes twice as long.

Most of the cars that are stuck in San Francisco's traffic jams are giving off all sorts of harmful gas. But not DriveNow's BMW ActiveE cars.

"All the cars in San Francisco are electric," Mr Steinberg says.

In San Francisco, handing back the car to DriveNow is easy — just pick one of its drop-off points, park and walk away. There are no forms to fill in, no time-consuming (耗时的) rules.