

### 1. 阅读理解

Drone X Pro is a shining star on the drone(无人机) market. Here's why it's gone viral.

How does Drone X Pro work?

Start by installing the Drone app to your smartphone (Android and iOS). It takes just minutes. After that, just install(安装)the battery in your drone and launch the app.

You're now ready to fly your Drone X Pro!

Why is this drone so special?

The drone is about the size of a large screen smartphone. It's so small that it fits in any pocket or handbag!

Here's the best part: flying is extremely easy. There's no experience required to fly this drone. You can easily control and fly this drone, even if you've never flown a drone in your life. Flying the drone is smooth and natural as riding a bike. Our friend's son came over to the office, and he figured out how to fly the drone in just minutes. You can't imagine how stable and smooth his controls are!

Once you own this drone, you can enjoy amazing HD pictures of nature, friends, and families. It's a blast!

How much does it cost?

Now, Drone X Pro sells for \$ 150 each online and two at a discount of 80%. It's a great deal! If you're not satisfied, return it and you can get your money back.

Because of the easy use, portability, low price, and small size, it's absolutely worth it!

Just imagine amazing pictures and videos you'll be taking with your new Drone X Pro. If you've never flown a drone before, this is the time to start!

Call now! 400-800-7832 or order yours from the official website www. dronexpro. com.

【1】What makes Drone X Pro different from the other drones?

- A.It is easy to carry. B.It is unnecessary to install.  
C.It is complex to control. D.It is expensive to afford.

【2】How does the advertisement prove flying Drone X Pro easy?

- A.By sharing some experience. B.By presenting a vivid picture.  
C.By stating its operating steps. D.By giving a specific example.

【3】How much should you pay to purchase two such drones online?

- A. \$ 120. B. \$ 150.  
C.\$240. D.\$ 300.

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It's a little hard to figure out the rules for sure, but the baby African buffalo( 7K牛) seems to have the upper hand. The two stand a couple feet apart, staring at each other. Behind them, their mothers look on with the kind of indifference(不关心) of mothers everywhere who see their kids playing a harmless game.

The alarm went off about half an hour ago, the second time tonight. Here, one bell means "elephant", two, "rhino" (犀牛), and three and four, I really can't remember for what, because when you're awoken by bells in the middle of the night, your first thought won't be "Animal!". But as soon as I realized it was the rhino alarm, I was running for the stairs.

Yet I'm the only one watching the animals stare-down. Either everyone else died of a heart attack when the bells went off, or I was the only one in the entire hotel who didn't turn the alarm switch to off before going to bed.

The Ark, a hotel shaped like the biblical ark(圣经的方舟), lies in the highlands of Kenya's Aberdare National Park, about 100 kilometers north of Nairobi. At the Ark's prow(船首) are huge windows overlooking a waterhole. Earlier tonight, I'd watched a pack of wolves, buffalos and elephants. And now, at three or so in the morning, I'm down for rhino bells. The first time, 2. 5 hours ago, it was a single black rhino, which came down, got a drink, and left.

I'd have been sorry for the lost sleep. I've already arranged with a guide to take me out at sunrise for the so-called "should\_never\_miss" bird-watching, where we'll get to see 30 species, but really, how many times in your life will you get to wake up and say, "Wow! Rhino!"? Isn't that the definition of a pretty good night? Last week we went from Uganda into Kenya. Before I left home, I thought I'd be happy with ten elephants and five or six giraffes on the whole trip. I didn't dare to dream the rhino.

【1】The message that the hotel's bells sent was \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. a very wise way the author had never heard of  
B. hard for the author to remember in detail  
C. a matter that all visitors had got used to  
D. like conditioned response training for animals

【2】What's the author's attitude toward the bell?

- A. It's bothering but two bells are welcome.  
B. It should be turned off whenever it rings.  
C. It lets visitors have a chance to see buffalos.  
D. It is a very bad way to wake the guests up.

【3】What can we learn from the passage?

- A. The author hates all the animals.  
B. There are lots of wild animals near the Ark.  
C. The author slept well during the whole trip.  
D. The author has no interest in rhinos.

【4】What did the author see at about 3:00 a.m. ?

- A. Two buffalos were fighting fiercely for food.  
B. A rhino and a buffalo were fighting for water.  
C. A rhino and a buffalo were staring at each other.  
D. A buffalo was teaching its baby to walk freely.

### 3. 阅读理解

"No matter where you are or what time it is there's something going on at a Hard Rock Cafe. All over the world our cafes not only serve great food, but they serve up great music." Hard Rock Cafes around the world symbolize the timeless energy, originality and unifying(团结的) spirit that have helped to shape rock music over the last century.

Founded by two Americans, the first Hard Rock Cafe (HRC) opened its doors to the public on June 14, 1971, in London. Today, HRC has become a global phenomenon with more than 180 cafes in different countries.

HRC has also become the world's leading collector and exhibitor of rock 'n' roll memorabilia. It all started when Eric Clapton, a regular at the first HRC, asked the staff