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An Incredible Opportunity 机不可失

Read the text below and do the activity that follows.

阅读下面的短文，然后完成练习：

How would you like to go **behind the scenes** on the **set** of the next Harry Potter film? What about meeting the stars of the films? And best of all actually appearing in Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows itself?

It may sound **too good to be true**, but one **fortunate** person will have the chance to do all of these things if they win an incredible competition taking place in the UK at the moment.

However, winning the competition will require a great deal of **luck**.

Last Friday, two young stars from the Harry Potter films **released** 1,000 black **balloons** from the **Millennium Bridge** in London (fans of the films will remember that bridge from the **explosive opening scene** of Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince).

Each balloon has a ticket attached that **entitles** the holder to enter a **prize draw**. The winner of the draw will visit the set of the next film and take a small **role** as a **moving portrait** on the walls of Hogwarts School.

So all you have to do is find one of the balloons, enter the draw, win it, and **Bob's your uncle**.

Matthew Lewis, who plays **student wizard** Neville Longbottom said: "The winner will be able to see all the stuff behind the scenes."

"People always assume the bigger sets are all **computer-generated**, but a lot of them are actually there," he continued.

Evanna Lynch, who plays Harry's friend Luna Lovegood, told the BBC that filming on the Deathly Hallows, which will be released in two parts, was "about half-way through".

And even though the film is the last in the series, the "**atmosphere** is electric – everybody is having such a great time" said Ms Lynch.

So if you want to be part of the fun, **keep your eyes peeled** for a black balloon. Who knows? With a little of Harry's magic, one might make it all the way to China.

Glossary 词汇表

behind the scenes – 幕后	set – 场景
too good to be true – 好的令人难以置信	fortunate – 幸运的
luck – 运气	released – 放飞
balloons – 气球	Millennium Bridge – 千禧桥
explosive opening scene – 爆炸的开场	entitles – 使...有权利
prize draw – 抽奖	role – 角色
moving portrait – 移动肖像	Bob's your uncle – 一切如意
student wizard – 学习巫术学生	computer-generated – 计算机产生的
atmosphere – 气氛	keep your eyes peeled – 小心, 谨慎

1. Reading Quiz 阅读测验

Are these sentences true or false? Circle the correct answer.

以下句子哪句是真?哪句是假? 请圈出正确答案。

1. Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince is the next film in the series. **True / False**
2. The competition prize is to appear in a Harry Potter film. **True / False**
3. 100 balloons were released from the bridge. **True / False**
4. The first person to find a balloon wins the prize. **True / False**
5. Filming is nearly complete for the film. **True / False**

2. Jumbled Sentences 打乱词序的句子

Rearrange the words in the sentences below to make correct sentences.

请将下列句子中的单词重新排列，组成一个正确的句子。

1. lucky appear will winner the chance to One next in the get film.

2. competition of the stars Two film's out to the turned launch.

3. Millennium released balloons were London The from in Bridge.

4. prize ticket A is to each attached, which will balloon go a draw into.

5. from your If is picked win the, you ticket will the prize draw.

6. final The Potter part tells next the the of story Harry film.

3. Idioms 习惯用语

Look at the idioms below. Each one is connected to magic

Match the idiom to its definition.

请看下列习惯用语，它们都与魔术有关。

请将习语与各自的定义对应起来。

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| 1. wave a magic wand | a. to work very effectively and quickly |
| 2. the magic word | b. a special ability to do something very well |
| 3. magic touch | c. please |
| 4. work like magic | d. to solve a difficult problem very easily |

Now complete the sentences below by using one of the idioms above.

现在请用以上的某个习语完成下列句子。

1. If you want me to buy you some sweets, you need to say _____.
2. These pills _____. My headache is gone already.
3. My hairdresser has a _____. She always makes my hair look fabulous.
4. It's impossible to _____ and get rid of world poverty in a day.

4. Wordsearch 单词搜索

Try to find the words associated with games and competitions in the puzzle below.

There are ten words to find. Words can be written horizontally (→), vertically (↓) or diagonally (↘)

请在下面的字谜游戏中，找出与竞赛有关的英语单词来。

共有10个单词，其组成方式可能以水平的(→) 垂直的(↓) 或对角的(↘)形式出现。

j	a	c	k	p	o	t	a	t	t	o	l
a	s	d	f	g	h	j	k	l	i	m	o
r	r	d	r	a	w	n	t	s	c	h	t
a	p	o	i	y	u	e	r	w	k	q	t
f	a	p	r	i	z	e	c	r	e	n	e
f	m	n	b	f	d	s	a	q	t	r	r
l	c	b	i	n	g	o	k	u	i	n	y
e	l	k	u	y	t	g	f	d	s	a	a
z	x	w	i	n	t	y	p	l	a	y	b
p	o	i	u	t	e	w	q	a	s	d	g
s	e	n	t	e	r	v	t	d	a	s	e
a	z	s	x	d	e	r	v	f	r	a	d

draw	raffle	prize	lottery	ticket
bingo	jackpot	win	play	enter

Answers 答案

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2. c
3. b
4. a

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4. It's impossible to **wave a magic wand** and get rid of world poverty in a day.

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1. One lucky winner will get the chance to appear in the next film.
2. Two of the film's stars turned out to launch the competition.
3. The balloons were released from Millennium Bridge in London.
4. A ticket is attached to each balloon, which will go into a prize draw.
5. If your ticket is picked from the draw, you will win the prize.
6. The next Harry Potter film tells the final part of the story.

4. Wordsearch 单词搜索

j	a	c	k	p	o	t			t		l
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r		d	r	a	w				c		t
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