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Speaking Independent Tasks 口语独立题➤ **Task 1****[Question]**

Do you agree or disagree that schools should record large lectures and upload it to the school website for students to watch?

[Response]

I agree. I think it would be a great idea for schools to record lectures and upload them somewhere where students can watch them easily

The first reason is that it would be really convenient for students that have to miss class for some reason, like maybe they get sick. I know just last semester I had a friend who got really sick and I think he missed about two weeks of class. It was really difficult for him to make up all that work because he missed all the lectures and all the information that the professor taught to us.

Also, watching lectures online would be a great study tool. If I was studying

for a test and I could just go back and watch a lecture again to remember what the professor said, that would help a ton.

Writing Independent Task 写作独立题

[Question]

Do you prefer choosing classes of the professor who is the most popular among students or another professor who recently has achieved a reward in a research?

[Response]

The scenario asks me to choose between taking a course with the school's most popular professor or with a professor who recently won an award for their research. I suspect most would say they'd prefer to study under the professor who just won the award. I understand why they might think that's the better option, but they're wrong. I'd prefer to study under the popular professor.

First off, the award-winning professor won that award for outstanding research. If the award were for outstanding teaching, then maybe I would consider taking that class. There's a chance that the award-winning professor is one of those academics who is great at research but not great at helping others understand the subject. For example, I have a friend who always gets an "A" in every class, but he doesn't have the communication skills to help

others understand assignments. When he tries to help me, I end up more confused than when I started. Teaching is a skill, and I can't be sure that the professor who is good at research has that skill.

Meanwhile, there must be a reason why students like the popular teacher more. Sure, we could be cynical and assume that students would favor a professor who gives them an easy workload. However, I like to give people more credit than that. Students are paying to learn, so they're passionate about their subjects. From my experience, students want a professor who will make class interesting by inspiring their passion and preparing them for a career. Therefore, I think it's a safe bet that the professor who won the "most popular" vote would be the teacher with the best teaching skills.

On top of that, the class with the popular teacher is likely to have the most motivated classmates. Popular classes fill up fast, and so the students who get into those classes are the students who dedicated time into researching the best professors and who made sure they were first in line to register for classes. Motivated classmates can take a good class and make it great. They make class discussions more valuable, group projects more productive, and they're always up for study groups.

In short, the most important skills for a teacher is, of course, teaching. Award-winning research is great, but it doesn't guarantee a good teacher. The popular professor has been proven to teach well and is more likely to have a

class full of motivated students. That's the class I'd choose.

【范文分析】

高分词组

There's a chance that ...	有可能...
have the communication skills	有沟通技巧
end up more confused	变得更困惑了
assume that	假设、假定...
give them an easy workload	给他们一个轻松的学习量
prepare them for a career	为他们的职业生涯做准备
fill up fast	课程满员
be first in line to register for classes	排在第一位报名上课

实用句型

1. ***If the award were for*** outstanding teaching, ***then maybe I would*** consider taking that class.

“If the award were for..., then maybe I would...” 这里是个与现在事实相反的虚拟语气，表示“如果这个奖是颁发给教学杰出的教授，那么我将会参加那些教授的课程”，事实是这个奖是颁发给研究水平杰出的教授，所以作者做出了另外一个选择。

2. ***Therefore, I think it's a safe bet that*** the professor who won the “most popular” vote would be the teacher with the best teaching skills.

“Therefore, I think it's a safe bet that ...” 表示因此，我认为可以肯定的是...

篇章结构

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作者用 first off 引出自己一个论点，先说了研究水平杰出的教授是研究水平好，并非教学水平好。接着举了我朋友的例子，是个学霸，自己会解题但是和别人讲题的时候，讲的不清楚。深刻说明了教学是种技能，那些研究水平杰出的教授不一定可以教得好。