

74 课 争 论

Lesson 74 Arguments

1. 小明：妈妈，我回来了。
2. 妈妈：小明，你怎么这么晚才放学啊？
3. 小明：嗯，今天学……做值日。
4. 妈妈：儿子，你猜今天妈妈给你做了什么好吃的？
5. 小明：妈妈，我吃什么成。我今天吃什么都没味道。
6. 妈妈：怎么了，儿子？哪儿不舒服？是不是发烧了？
7. 小明：没有，妈妈。就是有点累。
8. 小明：妈，我要去兰兰家做作业，有一份很重要的文件需要你签字，我先放桌子上了。妈，我先走了啊！
9. 妈妈：小明，小明，等等……不吃晚饭啦？人
10. 呢？这么快就没影了！这孩子，今天怎么了？奇奇怪怪的。这是什么？好啊，小明爸，你过来看看，你来签字吧，这个字，我可不签！气死我了！
11. 爸爸：来了来了，怎么了？夫人，刚才不是还挺高兴得吗？怎么突然这么生气？
12. 妈妈：你仔细看看，这卷子刚刚及格。我快被这个孩子气疯了。
13. 爸爸：61分，分数是低了点儿。哎，小明呢？
14. 妈妈：你先别找小明，这分数你也有责任。
15. 爸爸：他没考好，我有什么责任？
16. 妈妈：平时都是你惯着他，要不也不至于考得这么差。
17. 爸爸：哎，你这哪儿跟哪儿啊！成绩好不好，关键得看他自己。怎么怪到我头上了？
18. 妈妈：还不都是你，天天说要全面发展。现在他打橄榄球、踢足球都发展上去了，成绩却下来了，你说怎么办？
19. 爸爸：好了好了，夫人。别着急，小明平时挺聪明的，只要知错能改，多看看书，下次考试肯定能考好。
20. 妈妈：但愿如此。从今天开始到放假，不允许他出去玩了，都得在家复习功课。
21. 爸爸：好，好，好……小明呢？去哪儿了？
22. 妈妈：他呀，躲到兰兰家去了。
23. 爸爸：这孩子。我给兰兰家打电话，叫他回来吃饭吧。

Translation

1. Xiao Ming: Mom, I'm back.
2. Mom: Xiao Ming, how come you finished school so late today?
3. Xiao Ming: Uh... today I was on cleaning duty after school.

4. Mom: Son, guess what your Mom made you today?
5. Xiao Ming: Mom, I'll eat anything. It's all the same to me today.
6. Mom: What's wrong, son? Don't feel well? Do you have a fever?
7. Xiao Ming: No, Mom. Just a little tired.
8. Xiao Ming: Mom, I'm going to Lan Lan's house to do homework, an important document needs your signature, I've put it on the table. Mom, I'm going!
9. Mom: Xiao Ming, Xiao Ming, wait...Aren't you having dinner? Where is he? He's disappeared so fast! What's wrong with the kid today? All weird. What's this? ... Well, Xiao Ming's father, come here and have a look, you sign it, I'm not signing! I'm so angry!
10. Dad: Coming, what's wrong? Weren't you in a good mood a couple of minutes ago? Why are you suddenly so angry?
11. Mom: Look at this, he just passed the exam. The kid's driving me crazy.
12. Dad: 61 marks, the score is a little low. Hey, where's Xiao Ming?
13. Mom: Don't look for Xiao Ming, you're partly responsible for this score.
14. Dad: He didn't do well. What am I responsible for?
15. Mom: You're always spoiling him, otherwise he wouldn't perform so poorly.
16. Dad: Hey, now you're mixing your arguments! His results depend on himself. Why is it my fault?
17. Mom: It's all because you encouraging all-round development. Now his American football and soccer playing are all improving, but the results are down, what should we do?
18. Dad: OK, OK. Don't panic, Xiao Ming's a smart boy, as long as he realises his wrong ways, study more, I'm sure he'll improve on his next exam.
19. Mom: I hope so. From today till the holidays, no more outings, he's
20. staying home to revise.
21. Dad: Fine, fine...Where's Xiao Ming gone?
22. Mom: Oh him, he's hiding out at Lan Lan's house.
23. Dad: What a kid. I'll call Lan Lan's home and get him to come back for dinner.