

Grammar

---Ellipsis (省略)



- (When I am) Thinking of you ...
- Dream to stay with you ooh
- (and I) Burn memory by willow...
- My hurry (that is) falling from the branches (that are) newly-born
- ... telling (me) why (my heart thudded)
- The afterglow touched the passer's hair
- He chose to give up missing
- Beneath bridge

- Lover of pre-life
- (the lover's) Palm was carved
- I ...tears (which is) dropping from...
- Buddha said (that)
- Don't be stupid
- How can I follow all this right in peace
- ...
- ... is short and (resent love is) trapped... ooh...
- Leaves stay in vain (and) flower (is) flying ...
- Love means nothing and your swear means nothing
- Sow lots of lotuses
- They grow in all these beings
- (and they are) waiting mortal world...
- The rosary meets the sand of time
- Abandoning reading of mercy
- ...

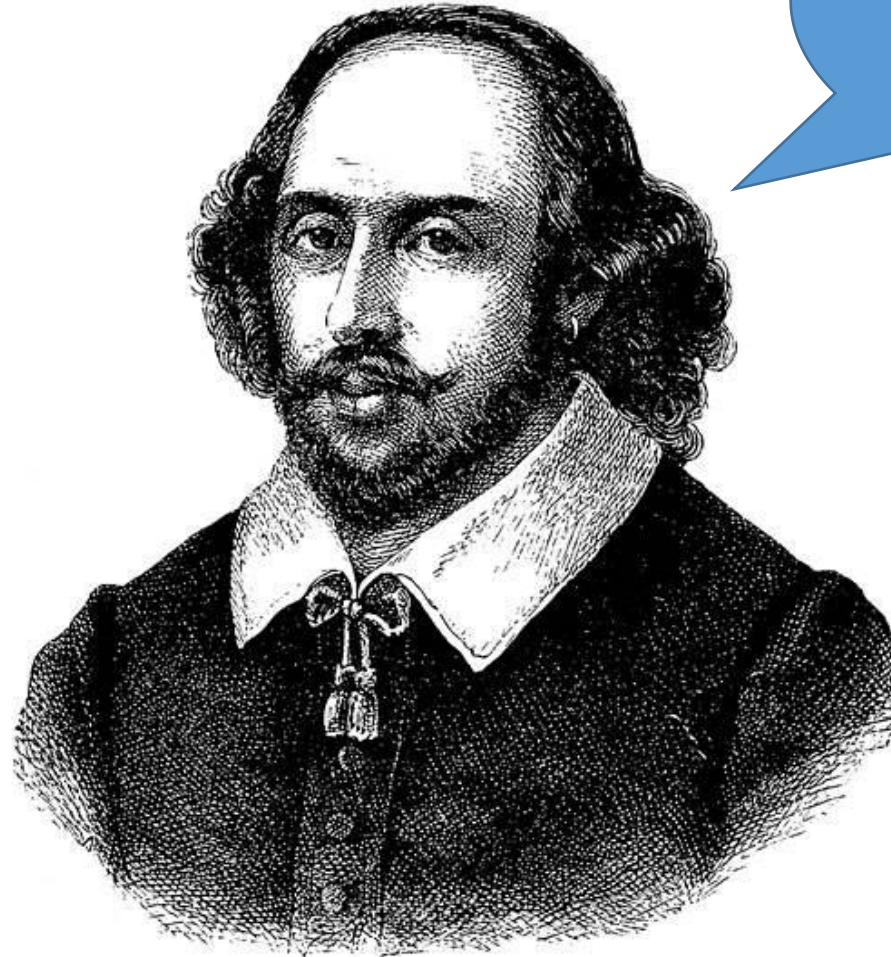
Sentences from the Reading: First Aid For Burns

1. These burns are serious and (these burns) take a few weeks to heal.
2. Often the illness or injury is not serious, but there are other times when (the illness or injury is serious and) giving first aid quickly can save lives.
3. Burns are called first (degree burns), second (degree burns) or third degree burns, ...
4. These affect both the top (layer of the skin) and the second layer of the skin.
5. If burns are on arms or legs, keep them higher than the heart, if (it is) possible.

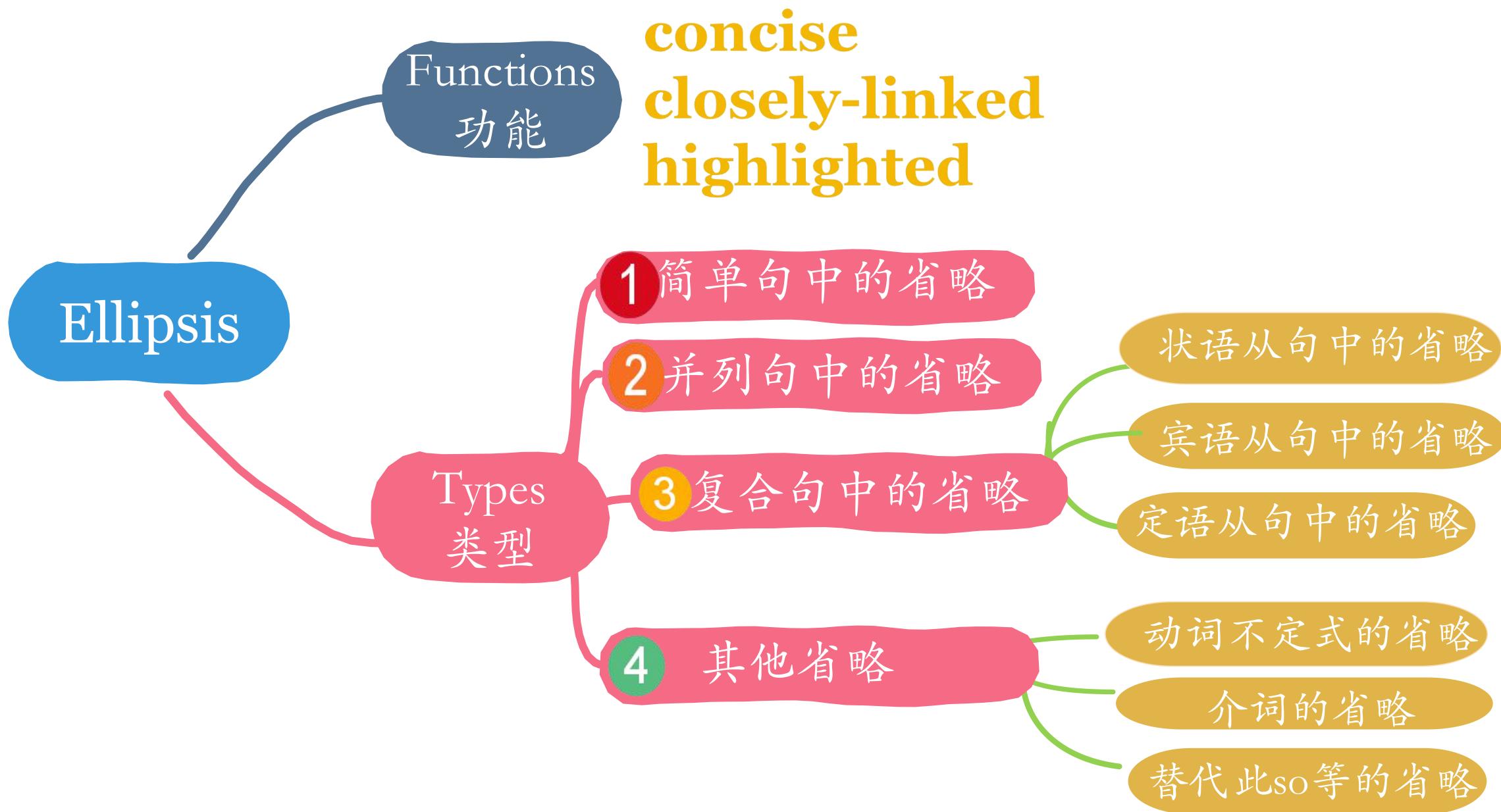
Functions
功能

Ellipsis

concise
closely-linked
highlighted



Brevity is the
soul of wit.
(言以简为贵)





It's time for you to
explore the rules!

1 简单句中的省略

(I) Thank you
for your saving
my life!



(I saved your life)
With pleasure!

主语省略: 祈使句中的主语通常被省略。
省略重复的句子成分

Don't stare at a girl
unless you are told to
(stare at her).



--- He hasn't finished the task.

--- Well, he ought to have (finished it).

省略重复的宾语: 可以省略作宾语的动词不定式, 保留to。

但如果该宾语是动词be或完成形式, 则须在to后加上be或have。

Yes, I am (hungry).



Are you hungry?

省略重复的表语

2 并列句中的省略

In the late Tang Dynasty, the Taoist (国师) plotted to enhance his power and (the Taoist) launched people to catch snakes for him. Therefore, people hunt for big (snakes) and small snakes. Only some of the snakes have survived, but most (of the snakes) have not (survived). So, the white snake was sent to end this.



两个并列分句中，后一分句常省略与前一分句中相同的部分。

3 复合句中的省略

——状语从句中的省略

Though (**she was**) armed with a magic weapon-hairpin(珠钗), she was struck with a stunning blow by the enemy and fell into the deep river. **A** (当她苏醒过来的时候, 她发现自己身在捕蛇村了。)

A. *When coming to life, she found herself was in the Snakecatcher Village.*

B. *When was coming to life, she found herself in the Snakecatcher Village.*

在though, when, if, unless, as if, as though, whether等引导的状语从句中如果主语与主句的主语一致, 同时从句中又含有动词be则通常可省去从句中的主语和动词be.



3 复合句中的省略

——状语从句中的省略

Observe the examples

Example1:

Everything went on worse than **(everything had been)** expected, for she couldn't remember anything.



Example2:

Gradually she learnt from others that she was rescued by Xuan. Hadn't he saved her from the river, she would have drowned.

Make a conclusion

以as, than引导的比较状语从句可以全部或部分省去。
虚拟条件句中有had, were, should 常省略if, 并将had, were, should提前。

3 复合句中的省略

——宾语从句中的省略

Observe the examples	<p>Example1: He told her (that) she was found lying on a rock by the waterfall half of her body in water.</p> <p>Example2: When told the fact, she restored part of her memory. She believed (that) she could remember everything but didn't know when (she could remember everything).</p>
Make conclusions	<p>1. 在say, know, think, decide, consider, suppose, believe等动词后所接宾从连接词that可省略。</p> <p>2. 由which, when, where, how和why引导的宾语从句可全部或部分省去。</p>

3 复合句中的省略

——宾语从句中的省略

Observe the examples

Example3:

He said **(that)** he could help her and **that** they should go together to find out the lost memory.

Example4:

He suggested that they **(should)** go to the Precious Jade Workshop to ask for plots.

Make conclusions

3. 多个宾语从句并列时, 通常只省略第一个that。

4. 在suggest/request/order/advise/recommend等相关的宾语从句的虚拟语气中, should可以省略

3 复合句中的省略

——定语从句中的省略



他就是那个小白决心要杀的人之一。

He is one of the men (who/that/whom)
Xiaobai made her mind to kill.



在定语从句中的that/which/who/whom
作宾语时可以省略

4 其他省略

——动词不定式的省略

Explore the differences

- ①. Awakened by her sister, Xiaobai remembered her mission was **to** kill the enemy and **(to)** return the hairpin to her master.
- ②. But she didn't know whether **to** go on or **to** stop.



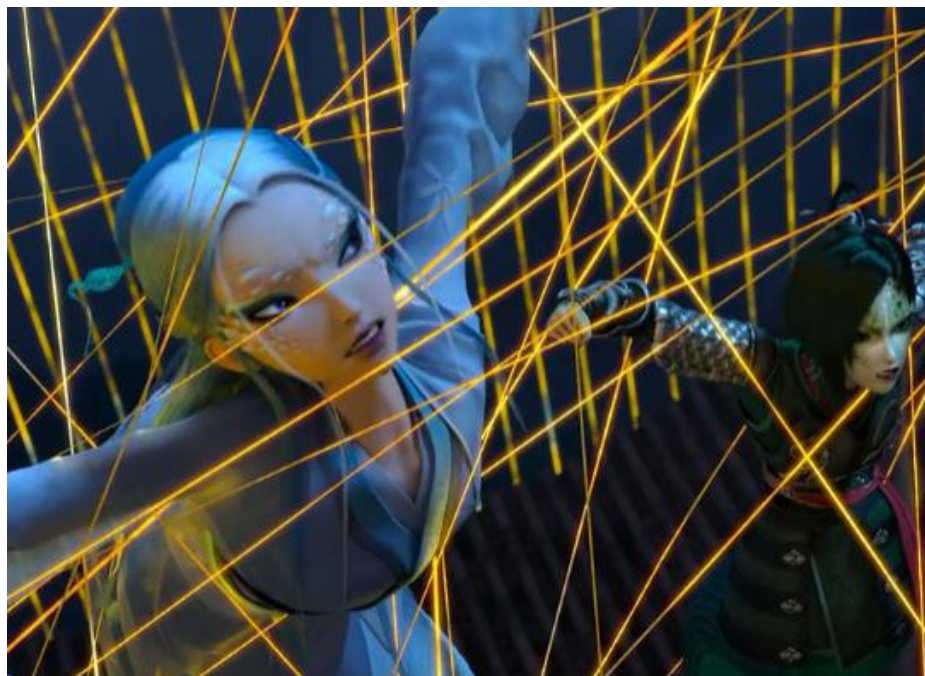
- ①. Her sister Xiaoqin made her **retake** her mission.
- ②. She was made **to retake** her mission by her sister Xiaoqin.

Make conclusions

1. 并列的不定式可省去后面的to;但表示对比关系的两个不定式to不可省。
2. 感官动词see, hear等和使役动词make, let, have等后面加省略to的不定式;但改为被动语态时to不能省。

4 其他省略

——动词不定式的省略



这场战斗打得很艰难，他们所能做的就是鼓起勇气坚持到底。

A. The battle was a tough one and all they could do was nothing but to muster up their courage and hang on.



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but前若有实义动词do, 后面不定式不带to。

4 其他省略

——介词的省略

Review

常见的介词可省的固定结构有：

have difficulty/trouble **(in)** doing sth

be busy **(in)** doing sth

spend some time **(in)** doing sth

stop/prevent sb **(from)** doing sth

There is no sense/point **(in)** doing sth

It's no good/use **(in)** doing sth

注意：表示时间的介词at,on,in在next, last, this, yesterday, tommorrow等词前，一般省略。

eg. They all fought for a new life tommorrow.

4 其他省略

——替代词so/not等的省略

Can you keep me in your mind forever?

I **don't** think **so**.

We are dying, are we?

I guess not.

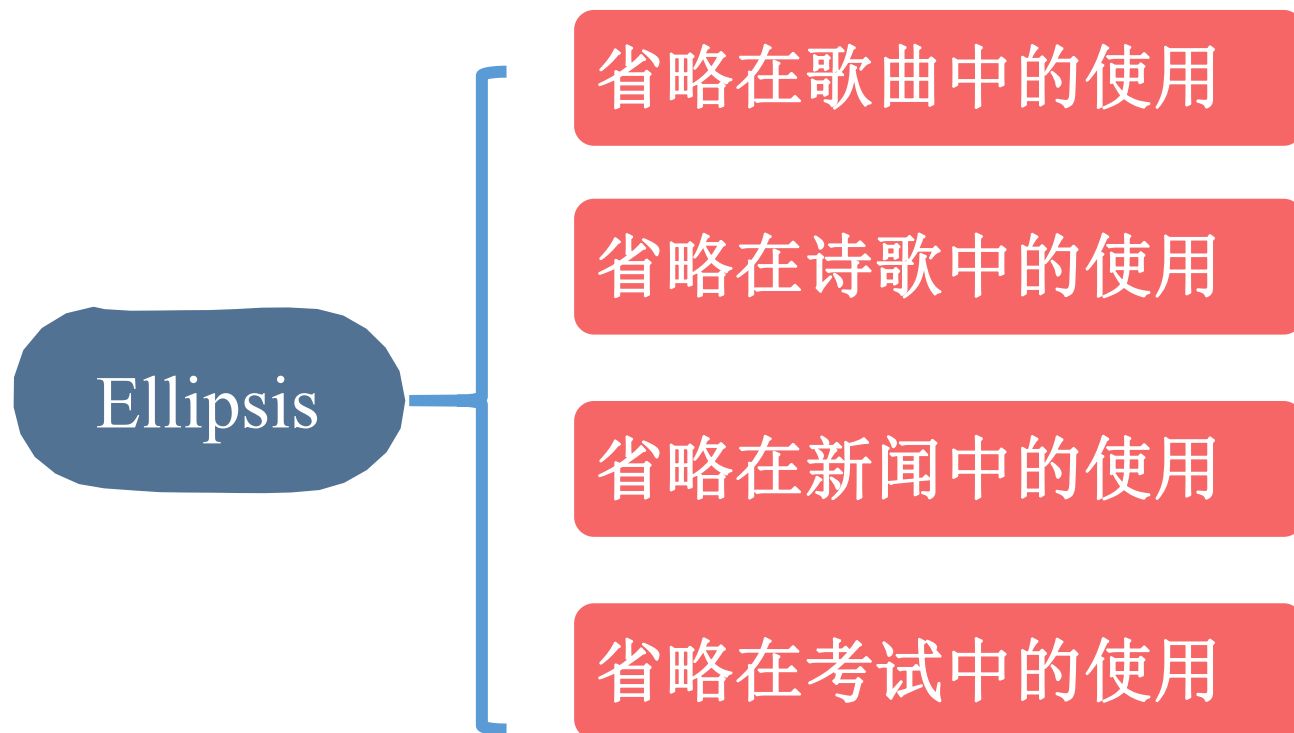


so/not可用来省略上文中的一部分或整个句子。

guess/hope/be afraid 的否定形式只能用not形式，不能用don't...so.



It's time for you to
PRACTICE!



省略在歌曲中的使用

- Thinking of you then I ooh
- Dream to stay with you ooh
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- Was the price of telling me why
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- ...

Ellipsis helps show feelings
with brief words

- Lover of pre-life
- Palm was carved
- I can see tear dropping from your eyes wow
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- Resent love is short and trapped in pain ooh...
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省略在诗歌中的使用

Little gestures of resistance
Little signs of silence
Though miles apart
Still chill a heart

Little words of care
Little gifts of share
In the darkness of the year
Help to warm lives here

Little deeds different ends



So weeny
And tiny they may be
Can make the world
A different being

Do the little good deeds
Spread the virtue seeds
May their blossoms blooming
Till the changes are looming

*Ellipsis helps show feelings
with concise words*

省略在新闻中的使用

吉宁性
Ellipsis helps show ideas
with hidden words



Find out the information left out in the news:

1. "...and the second hospital soon followed."
 2. China held a top-level meeting on the outbreak of COVID-19.
 3. ...6,000 medical workers of other provinces landed at Wuhan's airport.
 4. "...the cargo planes are carrying 1400 more medics from the army"
 5. "...and some medical workers laid down their lives to save others."
- "...while Wuhan was preparing another 70,000 beds at quarantine site....no one was left unattended in Wuhan."

省略在考试中的使用

用还原法看清观点...

- (2020•1月浙江卷语法填空) The first is declining birth rates, which means old generations are large 60 compared to younger generations,

(when old generations are) compared to younger generations

状语从句中的省略

Ellipsis helps show points
with connected words

省略在考试中的使用

□ 2019绍兴上虞高二期末测试卷

第四部分：写作(共两节，满分 40 分)

第一节：应用文写作(满分 15 分)

假如你是李华，你的英国朋友 Alex 发邮件告诉你，最近他参加足球社团面试失败了，心情很沮丧，请你给 Alex 回信，内容包括：

1. 表示难过和理解；
2. 给予鼓励和建议；
3. 表达祝愿。

明确
简练
生动



Dear Alex,

I'm sorry to hear that you didn't succeed in the interview of the football association. I know how much you love football. This news really upsets me. I can imagine the disappointed feeling you have.

As I know, you're a good football ^{player} ~~player~~. You should believe yourself that you're good enough. Apart from practicing more, you should boost your confidence which can help you perform better in the interview. The most important thing is that you should never give up. As an old saying goes, "Where there is a will, there is a way."

I sincerely hope that you can have a better performance in the next interview and achieve your goal.

Yours,
Li Hua

Dear Alex,

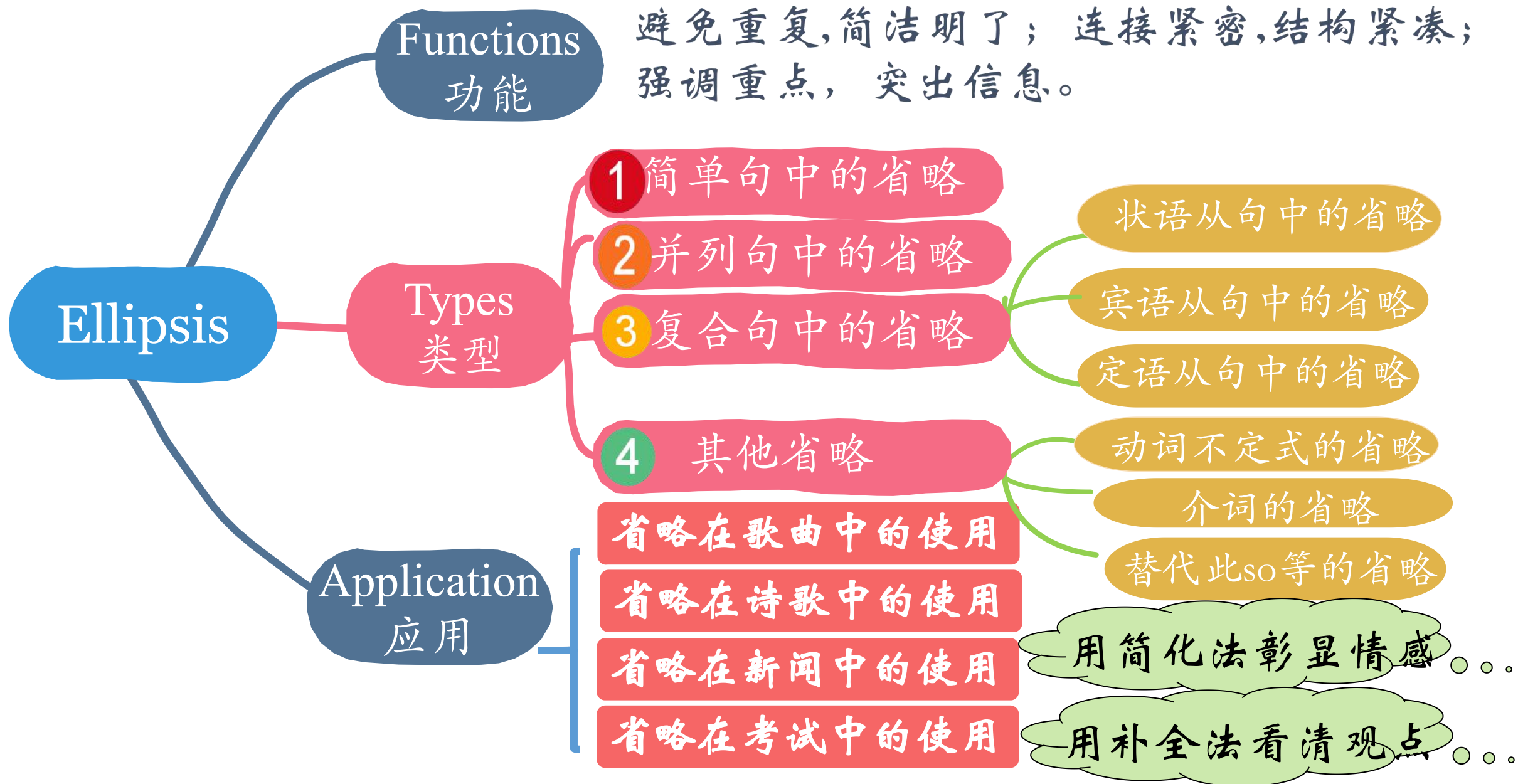
I'm sorry to hear that you failed to get the ^{admission} ~~admission~~ to the football team. Knowing how much you love football, I'm upset as well.

Such kind of things do bother us a lot, but the last thing you should do is to give up. On the contrary, you ought to think about what football means to you and regain your confidence. As your honest friend, I can tell you're truly good at playing football and one failure means nothing but a second try.

I hope you would  ^{motivation} and strength! Best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

Li Hua



Homework

1. Go over the types of ellipsis.
2. Finish the given exercise.