**Listening**

**Interviewer**：Today we are very 1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(please) to chat 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_ Mr Yang Liwei, the first Chinese astronaut.  
Welcome to the show, Mr Yang.  
**Mr Yang**：Thank you.  
**Interviewer**：Mr Yang，our ***audience*** is very curious 3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ how you succeeded in 4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(become) China's first astronaut. It must have been a very difficult thing 5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(achieve). Did you always want to be 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ astronaut?  
**Mr Yang**: Yes, I 7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_(dream) of it when I was young, 8. \_\_\_\_\_ I never thought my wish would come true. 9.\_\_\_\_\_\_ took a long time. First, I got my college degree 10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I was 22, and then I worked 11.\_\_\_\_\_ a fighter pilot for around 10 years. I 12. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(final) became China's first astronaut when I was38 years old.

**Interviewer:** Oh，so you must be a really 13. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(experience) pilot. Do you think that was one of the 14.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(reason) **why** you were chosen for the space programme?  
**Mr Yang**: Sure , I had 1350 hours of flight experience , 15.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I think really helped me.  
**Interviewer**: So 16. \_\_\_\_\_\_ difficult was it 17. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(join) the space programme?  
**Mr Yang**: There was a lot of competition. **Altogether,** 1 4 of us 18. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(choose) from among 1500 pilots 19.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(train) for space flights.  
**Interviewer**: That sounds really difficult. Did you also have to be 20.\_\_\_\_\_\_ certain size and weight?  
**Mr Yang**: Yes, at the time, you had to be 21. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(short) than 172 centimetres **in** height and weigh less than  
70 kilograms. You also had to be in perfect health 22. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ perfect shape .  
**Interviewer**: So you were the perfect 23. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(choose)! 24. \_\_\_\_\_ we all know, an astronaut needs to be 25.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(health) and calm in order to work 26. \_\_\_\_\_ space.

**Interviewer**: But you also had to study a lot, too, right?  
**Mr Yang**: Yes, I had to learn English, science, and astronomy. I also had to practise 27. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(use) space 28.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(equip), and do a lot of mental and physical 29.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(train). It was very 30.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(tire)，but I was so proud 30.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(have) the opportunity .

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4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_成功做某事
5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_梦想做某事
6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_实现
7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_大学文凭
8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_战斗机飞行员
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14. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_为了
15. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_练习做某事
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