**【文本分析】**

本文的语篇类型是记叙文，主题语境是人与自我之生活与学习。文章讲述了作者和朋友Annette一起去加州参加一个会议，由于赶上情人节，她们决定早到一天在那里度假。在暴风雨到来的这一天，由于点不到午餐，她们打车出去吃汉堡。结果因为天气原因餐馆停业，不但汉堡没有吃到，反而丢了手机。

**【写作建议】**

 1. 关注原文的细节。原文中提到暴风雨天气，学生要注意故事发生的背景是在加州的情人节期间，也就是说是在冬天，所以不建议学生把天气写成“电闪雷鸣”。文中还有两处细节暗示天气状况恶劣：第一家餐馆等不到送餐的司机；第二家餐馆临时停业，那么在这样的天气，街上“车流如织”是不合常理的。故事发生在会议的前一天，所以学生在回应原文时不应该写成“如期来到了会场，赶上了会议”。

2. 注意与原文的呼应。本文的标题是“Believe in Miracles”，其中“Miracles”为文眼，在续写时应以该词为呼应点。原文末尾的情节为：出门吃午饭，汉堡没吃到，手机遗失在车上。其中“手机”和“汉堡”就成了该故事的线索，成了“奇迹”发生的媒介，因此，在第二段的续写中“手机”、“汉堡”、“奇迹”同时登场，才显得故事情节完整。

**【附原文】**

Believe in Miracles

 My friend Annette and I had decided to go to a writer’s conference over Valentine’s Day weekend in Livermore, California. We were taking a mini vacation together and couldn’t have been more excited. We wanted to get there the day before the conference and settle into our hotel room.

 The weather forecast was predicting high winds and rain, so we decided to take an early morning train and then connect with a city bus to our hotel. We arrived early enough to enjoy breakfast in the hotel. We even had the good fortune to be able to get our room. All was going well. We were off to a perfect start.

 Once in our room, the terrible storm hit the earth! The wind and rain made staying in the only sensible option. As lunchtime approached, we decided to try a phone app that would bring almost any restaurant’s food to us. We decided on hamburgers from a well-known chain.

 The food-delivery app promised a 45-minute wait time. Forty-five minutes came and went, then an hour, and then an hour and a half. After two hours, I called the restaurant.

They explained that our hamburgers were under a heat lamp the entire time, just waiting for the driver. We canceled the order and decided to go out in an Uber car to continue our quest for hamburgers.

 The front-desk manager suggested a restaurant that had great hamburgers. So we took the Uber car and set off. But when we arrived at the restaurant, we found it was closed due to the bad weather. And our car had already left. We stood outside the building on that miserably cold and wet day, trying to decide what to do next. Of course, the solution was easy: Just order another Uber car.

 I began digging in my purse for my phone, but it wasn’t there！