**7年级英语第20课时**

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**Thinking of the future**

What will the future be like? There may be many new achievements (成就) in science and technology. Maybe our planet will become difficult to live on. Maybe human life will become very convenient (方便的).
 I think three things can sum up my imagination (想象). The first is clean energy. We will have more and more clean energy. The pollution will die down. There will be breakthroughs (突破) in the progress of the industrial field.
 The second is artificial intelligence (人工智能). Robots already play an important part in our life. In the future, robots will take the place of many workers. But everything has two sides. If robots take the place of many workers, many people will be jobless. It’s not good.
 And the third is traffic. We will have fast transportation. The traffic will move more quickly. I hope solutions (解决办法) to recent problems will be found and higher education will be available (可获得的) for every person.
 With the development of science and technology, our lives will change a lot. I am looking forward to life in the future. I think our life in the future will be more interesting and wonderful.

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