院子里的那盘蚊香

敬爱的老师们、亲爱的同学们：早上好！

今天我在国旗下演讲的题目是《让假期过得有意义》。我想先问大家：你们向往露营吗？反正我去年暑假，被一盘点子熏得终身难忘。

去年七月，爸爸带我去山里露营。傍晚我们在河滩边支起帐篷，爸爸从背包里掏出一盘蚊香，点燃放在帐篷门口。不到十分钟，奇迹发生了：围着一圈火光，蚊子尸体躺了一片，爸爸得意地说这是他的化学防线。夜里更妙，帐篷外飞来一群萤火虫，一闪一闪，像谁把星星撒进了草丛。我追出去，穿着拖鞋在草地上深一脚浅一脚，爸爸在后面喊：别跑进水边的芦苇里！我停住脚，站在原地，看那些小灯笼在黑暗里一明一灭。那一刻我想，要是整个暑假都这么过就好了。第二天早上我数了数帐篷外的露水珠，还捡了三片形状像小山的叶子，夹进随身的小本子。

可是同学们，快乐的前提是安全。今天我要代表值周的班级，郑重提醒三件事。第一，野外用火：野炊要在允许的地方，离开时火必须彻底浇灭，手摸上去不烫才算灭；帐篷里不能点蚊香、不能烧炭，一晚上的一氧化碳，比蚊子可怕一百倍。第二，防蚊防蛇：长裤扎进袜子，草丛不要乱踩，被虫咬了别抓破，告诉大人。第三，河边不贪玩：山里的水看着清，深浅看不见，再喜欢也要在浅滩玩水，不下水游泳。

同学们，一盘点子能熏跑蚊子，却熏不跑大意。我号召大家：出发露营前，和家人列一张安全清单，一项一项打勾；回来以后，把露营见闻写成一篇日记、画成一张小报。让每一次出发都有准备，让每一段假期都有收获。这样的假期，才叫有意义。

我的演讲完了，谢谢大家！

The Mosquito Coil in the Courtyard

Dear teachers, dear fellow students, good morning!

Today my topic under the national flag is Making Our Vacation Meaningful. Let me ask you first: do you long to go camping? As for me, last summer one coil of mosquito incense made me remember a thing for life.

In July last year, my father took me camping in the mountains. In the evening we pitched the tent by the river beach. My father pulled a coil of mosquito incense out of his backpack, lit it, and placed it at the door of the tent. In less than ten minutes a miracle happened: around the ring of firelight lay a whole spread of dead mosquitoes, and my father said proudly that this was his chemical defense line. The night was even better. A swarm of fireflies flew in outside the tent, blinking here and there, as if someone had scattered stars into the grass. I chased after them, wearing slippers, stepping deep and shallow in the meadow. My father shouted behind me: do not run into the reeds by the water! I stopped where I stood and watched those little lanterns shining and fading in the dark. In that moment I thought: if only the

whole summer could pass like this. The next morning I counted the dew drops outside the tent and picked up three leaves shaped like little hills, which I pressed into my pocket notebook.

But classmates, the foundation of happiness is safety. Today, on behalf of the duty class, I solemnly remind you of three things. First, fire outdoors: cook only in places where it is allowed, and when you leave the fire must be drowned completely—only when your hand can touch the ashes without burning is it truly out. Do not light mosquito coils or burn charcoal inside a tent; one night of carbon monoxide is a hundred times more terrible than mosquitoes. Second, guard against mosquitoes and snakes: tuck long trousers into your socks, do not step blindly into thick grass, and if a bug bites you do not scratch it open—tell an adult. Third, do not play too greedily by the river: mountain water looks clear, but you cannot see how deep it is; no matter how much you love it, splash only in the shallows and never swim in the water.

Classmates, one coil of incense can drive off mosquitoes, but it cannot drive off carelessness. I call on everyone: before setting out to camp, make a safety checklist with your family and tick it item by item; after coming back, write the trip into one diary entry and draw it into one little newspaper. Let every departure come with preparation, and let every part of the vacation come with harvest. Only such a vacation deserves the name meaningful.

That is all for my speech. Thank you all!