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experience is more important than learning from books. Always remember the old saying given by Einstein “ The only source of knowledge is experience. ” 100Test 下载频道开通，各类考试题目直接下载。详细请访问 [www.100test.com](http://www.100test.com)