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！对了，待会儿空姐过来你帮我拿副耳机。 L: Sure, but you know you have to pay for them. LH: 耳机还要钱？下次旅游，我不坐飞机了！ L: Well then, it sounds like the train might be right up your alley. \*\*\*\*\* LH: Larry, 我觉得好难受啊，飞机的座椅怎么这么窄，坐得真不舒服！唉，航空公司的服务越来越差了！ L: You ' re right, the airlines have really been reducing the quality of service to save money. LH: 是啊。现在飞机上吃的和饮料都要钱，托运行李也要钱，不知道以后会不会连随身行李都要交钱。 L: That would have sounded crazy a few years ago, but today it ' s not out of the question. LH: Out of the question? 这是什么意思？ L: When you think that something is totally impossible, you can say that it is out of the question. LH: 哦，out of the question, 就是绝不可能。你是说，放在几年前，没人会想到随身行李也可能收钱，可是现在，这已经不是不可能的事儿了。 L: That ' s exactly right, how about the time my friend Amy asked to borrow my new car. But since she got in three accidents in the past month, I told her it was out of the question. LH: 哦，因为Amy开车老出事，所以你绝不会把自己的车借给她开。 L: Exactly. LH: 这倒让我想起来，你什么时候把你那辆破车扔了，换辆新车开开啊？你那旧车说不定哪天在路上开着一半就散架了。 L: Well, I just spent all my money on this Hawaii vacation, so buying a new car is out of the question for right now. LH: 这样的话，你不如骑车上上班。省钱，还能锻炼身体。 L: I don ' t think so. My office is really far away, so biking there every day is out of the question. LH: 哦，对啊，你公司离家太远了，骑车要累死了。你想过换工作么？找个离家近的。 L: I have, but the company I work at now

is pretty good. LH: 可是，如果能找一个又好又离家近的工作，不是更好么？ L: Well I guess you ' re right. It ' s not totally out of the question. LH: 啊，不知不觉，已经飞过一大半的旅程了。你说这趟飞机能准点抵达，而且不弄丢乘客的行李么？ L: Now that, Lihua, is totally out of the question! 今天李华学了两个常用语。一个是right up one ' s alley, 表示正合某人的口味。另一个是out of the question, 意思是绝不可能。更多口语练习：  
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