



a /ei ə/ an /æn ən/

art. ①(非特指的)一(个) :to go to a concert 去听音乐会 / She's having lunch with an old friend of hers. 她与一老朋友共进午餐。②(同类事物中的)任何(个) :a dog chasing a cat 狗在追赶一只猫 ③每一(个) :A tiger is a cat family animal. 老虎是猫科动物。

abandon /ə'bændən/

vt. ①抛弃,舍弃 :to abandon one's wife and children 抛弃妻儿 / The order to abandon the ship was given eventually. 弃船的命令最终下达了。②放弃 :They abandoned their attempts to escape. 他们放弃了逃跑的企图。③离弃,丢弃 :The vehicle was found abandoned near the village. 有人发现那车子被扔在村子附近。

**同义** leave, desert, discard

**反义** keep, maintain, retain

**【短语】**abandon oneself to 放纵于,沉溺于 :She abandoned herself to the serene landscape. 她沉浸在宁静的景色之中。 || with abandon ①放任地,放纵地 :He wailed with complete abandon. 他号啕大哭。②纵情地 :I saw you at the party, dancing with abandon. 我见你在晚会上纵情

起舞。

▲ abbreviation /ə,bri:vɪ'eɪʃən/  
/ə,bri:vi'eɪʃ(ə)n/

n. ①[C] 缩略词,缩写词 :British Broadcasting Corporation, or BBC to give it the usual abbreviation 英国广播公司,通常也缩略为 BBC / The abbreviation UNDP stands for United Nations Development Programme. “UNDP”是“联合国开发计划署”的缩写。②[U] 缩略,缩写,缩短

▲ abide /ə'baɪd/

vt. (abode, ~; abided, ~) ①[用于否定句或疑问句]忍受,忍耐,容忍 :He could never abide her being late again and again. 他无法容忍她屡次三番地迟到。②经受住,顶住 :to abide one's fate 面对命运而不屈不挠  
vi. ①停留,等候 :We abode in the motel only for one night. 我们仅在那家汽车旅店停了一夜。②居住,逗留 :He would not return to his homeland but abide in the mountains. 他不算回到故乡,而是想在山里住下去。**【短语】**abide by :遵守(法律、纪律、诺言等)

ability /ə'biləti/ /ə'biliti/

n. ①[U] 能力,本领 :ability to pay 支付能力 ②[C, U] 才能,天才 :a man of multiple abilities 多才多艺的人

**同义** capacity, capability, competence

**反义** inability

**【短语】**to the best of one's ability 尽某人的最大努力

**【辨析】**ability, capacity

ability n. “能力, 本领, 才能, 才智”, 指做某事的能力, 这种能力可以通过学习或锻炼而获得, 后跟不定式, 其形容词结构为 to be able to do sth. I admire her simply for her ability to speak English so fluently. 我羡慕她, 只因她能那么流利地讲英语。

|| capacity n. “能力, 才能, 容量, 容积”, 指学习、理解能力, 后跟不定式或介词 for/of: Human beings were born with a capacity to learn/for learning/of learning a language. 人类生来就有学语言的能力。

able /'eɪbəl/ /'eɪbl/

a. ①[后接不定式]能够...的, 得以...的: to be able to (do sth.) 能(会)做某事 / Most children are able to walk before they are able to speak. 大多数的孩子在会说话之前就会走路。②有能力的, 能干的: an able lawyer 能干的律师 / the most able (the ablest) man I know 我认识的最能干的人

**同义** capable, competent, skillful, gifted, talented, qualified

**反义** incompetent, unable, weak

abnormal /,æb'nɔ:rməl/  
/æb'nɔ:m(ə)l/

a. 反常的, 异常的: We do not think such an abnormal phenomenon will last long. 我们认为这样的反常现象将不会持续很久。

**同义** unusual, irregular, unnatural, strange, odd, queer

**反义** normal, regular, natural, common, customary, ordinary, usual

aboard /ə'bo:rd/ /ə'bo:ɪd/

prep. 在(船、飞机、车)上, 上(船、飞机、车): She went aboard the plane. 她上了飞机。

ad. 在(船、飞机、车)上, 上(船、飞机、车): Combustible goods cannot be taken aboard. 易燃物品不可以携带上车。

abolish /ə'balɪʃ/ /ə'bo:lɪʃ/

vt. 废除, 废止: to abolish the abuses of power 铲除对权利的滥用 / The plantation slavery was legally abolished in the Civil War. 种植园蓄奴制在(美国)内战中被废除。

**同义** suppress, cease, eliminate, cancel

**反义** establish, introduce, create

**【辨析】**abolish, cancel

abolish vt. “彻底废除, 废止”, 相当于 do away with 指废除长期存在的制度、法律或习惯: It was Abraham Lincoln who abolished the American slavery. 是林肯废除了美国的奴隶制度。|| cancel vt. “取消, 废除, 抵消, 删去, 划掉”, 相当于 call off 指取消事先安排好的事情: He cancelled his order for the goods. 他取消了货物订购单。

abortion /ə'bo:ɪʃən/ /ə'bo:ɪʃ(ə)n/

n. [C, U] 流产, 堕胎: an induced abortion 人工流产 / Abortion was a crime in some countries. 堕胎过去在

一些国家是犯罪行为。

### ▲ abound /ə'baʊnd/

vi. 大量存在,富足(in): Fish abounds in the river. 这条河里鱼多。/ The river abounded in/with salmon. 那条河盛产大马哈鱼。

### about /ə'baʊt/

prep. ①关于,对于: Tell me something about your trip. 请告诉我一些关于你旅行的情况。②在...周围,在...各处: He lives somewhere right about here. 他就住在附近。

ad. ①大约,差不多: The interview lasted about an hour. 面试延续了近一个小时。/ The job is about done. 工作差不多要完成了。②在周围,到处: The old man was wandering about with no place to go. 这位老人四处漂泊,无处可去。③在附近: He must be somewhere about. 他一定就在附近。

【短语】about to (do something) 正要,即将: My son was about to leave school. 我的儿子就要毕业。

### above /ə'baʊv/ /ə'bʌv/

prep. ①在...上方: to fly above the clouds 在云层上飞行 / My bedroom is just above. 我的卧室就在上面。

②多于,大于: A soldier should value honor above life. 战士应该把荣誉看得比生命更重要。③高于,优于: He is above me in the class. 在班上他比我强。④超出,超过: Tom is above average in his lessons. 汤姆的成绩高于平均水平。

ad. ①在(或向)上面,在顶上: the clouds above 天上的云 / See the ex-

ample given above. 看前面举的例子。②[在级别、权力、数目等方面]以上: Take your complaints to the powers above. 有什么抱怨到你的上司那里说去。

a. 上述的: The above (articles) are of no interest to us at present. 目前我们对以上各项(商品)均无兴趣。

【同义】ad. over, beyond, on top of

【反义】ad. beneath, below, under

【短语】above all 首先,尤其重要的: Scientists need many things, but above all, they need belief. 科学家需要具备许多品质,而最重要的是需要具备信念。

### ▲ abreast /ə'brest/

ad. 面朝同一方向排列地,肩并肩地: walking three abreast 三人并排走 / warships lined up abreast 并排排成一行的战舰

【短语】be/keep abreast of/with: 跟上时代脚步,使齐头并进

### abroad /ə'brɔ:d/ /ə'brɔ:ɪd/

ad. ①到国外,在国外: at home and abroad 在国内/外 / to live abroad 住在海外 ②在传播,在流行: The news quickly spread abroad. 这个消息很快传开了。

【同义】overseas

【反义】domestic, home

【辨析】abroad, overseas

abroad ad. & a. “国外,海外”,指在国外或在海外,一般用作副词,也可用作形容词放在名词后: Why shouldn't we go abroad with you? 我们为什么不该和你一起出国? / On our trip abroad we visited relatives in

France. 在国外旅游时,我们看望了法国的亲戚。|| overseas ad. & a. “国外,海外”,作副词用时与 abroad 基本相同,作形容词用时放在名词前:My brother has gone to live overseas. 我的兄弟已去国外居住。/ Are you interested in an overseas job? 你对海外的工作感兴趣吗?

abrupt /ə'brʌpt/ /ə'brʌpt/

a. ① 突然的,意外的:The road was full of abrupt turns. 这条路沿途都是急转弯。② (举止、言谈等)唐突的,鲁莽的:in an abrupt manner 无礼的态度 / an abrupt entrance 闯进 ③ (山坡)陡峭的:an abrupt descent on the road 路上的陡坡

**同义** hasty, unexpected, sudden, harsh, rude

**反义** gradual, slow, polite, polished

absence /'æbsəns/ /'æbs(ə)ns/

n. ① [U] 缺席,不在:absence from school through illness 因病缺课 ② [C] 缺席的时间,外出期:after an absence of six months 在离开六个月之后 ③ [U] 缺乏,不存在:In the absence of information, we had to suspend the plan. 因为缺乏资料,我们的计划只好先搁置起来。

**同义** deficiency, lack, need, want

**反义** presence

absent /'æbsənt/

a. ① 缺席的,不在场的:He was absent from the meeting. 他开会缺席。 ② 缺乏的,不存在的:In certain fishes the ribs are entirely absent. 某

些鱼类的身上完全没有肋骨。③ 心不在焉的,出神的:She had an absent look on her face. 她看起来心不在焉。

**同义** away, lacking, missing

**反义** present

**【短语】** absent from 没有到场,缺席:How many of you were absent from yesterday's meeting? 你们当中有多少人昨天没去开会?

absolute /'æbsəlut/ /'æbsəlut/

a. ① 绝对的,完全的:absolute ignorance to modern science 对现代科学全然无知 ② 无限制的:No one can enjoy absolute liberty. 无人可以享受无限的自由。③ 十足的,道地的:an absolute fool 十足的笨蛋

**同义** perfect, complete, entire, certain, definite, sure

**反义** relative, conditional, dubious, imperfect

absorb /əb'sɔ:rb/ /əb'sɔ:ɪb/

vt. ① 吸收:Salt absorbs moisture in the air. 盐能吸收空气中的水分。 ② 使(精神)贯注:He is absorbed in study. 他专心学习。 ③ 并吞,兼并,同化:That country tried to absorb its small neighbor. 那个国家企图兼并它弱小的邻国。

**同义** consume, occupy, devour, swallow

**【短语】** be absorbed in ① 专心于:I was utterly absorbed in what I was doing. 我正专心干活。 ② (个人或集体)融入,成为...的一份子(并失去自我):She walked into the crowd

and was soon absorbed in it. 她走进人群,很快就看不见了。

▲ abstain /əb'steɪn/

vi. ①有意回避,戒绝(from) His doctor advised him to abstain from alcohol. 医生规劝他戒酒。②弃权,放弃投票(from/on): abstain from voting in the election 放弃选举

abstract /æb'strækt, 'æb,strækt/

a. ①抽象的: an abstract idea 抽象概念 ②抽象派的(艺术): an abstract painting 抽象画 / abstract theatre 抽象戏剧

n. [C] ①摘要,摘录: You need to write an abstract of your thesis in English. 你需要给你的论文写一英文摘要。

②抽象艺术品: There are two abstracts on the wall. 墙上有两副抽象派画。

vt. ①摘要,节略: He is abstracting a story for a book review. 他正在为一篇书评撰写故事梗概。②抽出,提取: Iron is abstracted from ore. 铁是从矿石中提炼出来的。

**同义** a. theoretical, unpractical, unrealistic; v. abridge, separate

**反义** a. concrete; v. mend, unite, concrete, restore, impose

**【短语】** in the abstract 抽象地说,在理论上讲: I like dogs in the abstract, but I can't bear this one. 一般说来我喜欢狗,但是无法忍受这一只。

★ absurd /əb'sɜ:d/ /əb'sɜ:d/

a. 荒谬的,荒诞的,荒唐可笑的: What an absurd request! 这个要求荒谬之极!

**同义** irrational, ridiculous, unreasonable

**反义** sensible, rational

**【辨析】** absurd, funny, ridiculous

absurd a. “荒谬的,荒唐的”,指在理性上不合情理或违反真实情况而使人感到荒唐: Today it is absurd to believe that the earth is flat. 今天认为地球是扁平的,真是荒唐可笑。/ It was absurd of him to suggest such a thing. 好荒唐,他竟提出这样的事来。|| funny a. “滑稽的,有趣的,可笑的,稀奇的,古怪的”,指因幽默而引人发笑的,中性词: What a funny story/joke/man! 真是个可笑的故事/有趣的笑话/滑稽的人! || ridiculous a. “可笑的,荒谬的”,指某事物不合常理、令人发笑,常含有贬义: It is ridiculous to dispute about such things. 争论这样的一些事是荒唐可笑的。/ You look ridiculous in that hat! 你戴那帽子显得滑稽可笑。

★ abundance /ə'bʌndəns/

/ə'bʌnd(ə)ns/

n. [U] 丰富,充足,富裕,多: a year of abundance 丰年 / food and drink in abundance 有吃的有喝的

**同义** extravagance, plenty, wealth

**反义** lack, need

**【短语】** in abundance 充足,丰富: Large-sized pine trees are found in abundance in the area. 在这个地区发现有大量的大型松树。

abundant /ə'bʌndənt/

/ə'bʌnd(ə)nt/

a. ①大量的,充足的:abundant supplies 充足的供应 / Rice is abundant in the river valleys. 江河流域有充裕的稻米。②丰富的,富裕的:abundant in 富于... ,...很丰富

【辨析】abundant, adequate, ample, enough, sufficient

abundant a. “大量的,充足的,丰富的”,文学意味较浓,固定短语有 be abundant in/with (有丰富的,有大量的):Cultural life is more varied and abundant in big cities. 大城市的文化生活更加丰富多彩。/ These trees are abundant in fruit. 这些树结的水果多。|| adequate a. “足够的”,正式用语,强调数量多、可以满足需要:The supply of computers is not adequate to the demand. 计算机供不应求。/ I'm afraid you are not adequate for the job which we offer. 恐怕你不能胜任我们提供的这份工作。|| ample a. “足够的,宽敞的,面积大的”,正式用语:There is ample room for forty desks here. 这里很宽敞,足以放下40张课桌。|| enough a. “足够的”,普通用语,含有不多不少、恰好满足需要的意义:There is room enough to spare for another 10 people in the train. 火车上即使再上10个人,也不会显得很拥挤。|| sufficient a. “足够的”,正式用语,指数量多、能满足某种特殊需求,特别是精神上的需求:He has acquired sufficient proficiency to read French literary works. 他已有足够的能力阅读法国的文学作品。

abuse /ə'byus/ /ə'bju:z/

n. ①[U,C]滥用,妄用:the abuse of privilege 滥用特权 ②[U]虐待:child abuse 虐待儿童 ③[U]辱骂,凌辱:shower sb. with abuse 破口大骂某人

vt. ①滥用,妄用:We should not abuse our privilege. 我们不应该滥用特权。②虐待:The arrested man has been physically abused. 被捕的人曾遭受肉体上摧残。③辱骂,凌辱:They abused each other. 他们相互谩骂。

【同义】v. misuse, mistreat, harm, injure, damage

academic /,ækə'demɪk/  
/,ækə'demɪk/

a. ①学院的,大学的:academic year 学年 ②学术的:academic research 学术研究 ③理论的,不切实际的:He was a sharp, academic sort of fellow. 他是那种言辞尖刻而又很学究气的人。

【同义】learned, bookish, scholastic, theoretical

academy /ə'kædəmi/

n. [C]①研究院,学会:the Royal Academy 皇家学会 ②(高等)专科学校 an academy of music 音乐学院

【同义】college, institute, school

accelerate /ɪk'selə'reɪt/  
/ək'selə'reɪt/

v. (使)加速,(使)催促:to accelerate the economic growth 加速经济发展

【同义】quicken, rush, hasten, speed up

【反义】slow, hinder, resist, delay, retard, obstruct

【辨析】accelerate, hasten, hurry, quicken

accelerate vt. & vi. “(使)加快, (使)增速”,侧重正式用语或科技用语: The car accelerated to 70 miles per hour in a few seconds. 这辆车几秒钟加速到了每小时 70 英里。/ Fertilizer will accelerate the growth of these crops. 肥料将会加快这些庄稼的生长。|| hasten vt. & vi. “赶快, 急忙, 赶紧”, 做不及物动词时常用于 hasten home/out 或 hasten to do sth, 做及物动词时侧重客观作用: She hurried / hastened away in the opposite direction. 她匆匆忙忙向相反方向走去。/ As it was getting dark, I hastened my steps. 天正在变黑, 所以我加快步伐。/ The annoyance and terror he lived in must have greatly hastened his early and unhappy death. 他生活中的烦恼和恐惧肯定大大地加快了他不幸英年早逝。|| hurry vt. & vi. “匆忙, 赶紧, 使加快, 催促, 急运, 急派”, 强调主观意愿, 多用人做主语, 可用人或物做宾语: Don't hurry the cook or she'll spoil the dinner. 不要催厨师, 否则她会把饭菜做糟了。/ They hurried the patient to the hospital. 他们赶快把病人送到医院。|| quicken vt. & vi. “加快”, 指加快动作(尤其是步伐)的频率: He quickened his steps/pace. 他加快了步伐。/ His pace quickened. 他的步子加快了。/ Fear quickened/accelerated her pulse. 害怕加快了她的脉搏的跳动。

accent /'æk,sənt/

n. ①[U, C]口音 腔调 He speaks with a strong southern accent to his English. 他说的英语带有很浓的南方口音。②[C]重音 重音符号 a primary (second) accent 主(次)重音 /'æk'sent, 'æk,sent/vt. 重读: You should accent the second syllable of the word. 你应该重读这个词的第二个音节。

accept /ɪk'sept/ /ək'sept/

vt. ①接受, 领受: I've received a gift from him, but I'm not going to accept it. 我收到了他送的礼物, 但是我不准备接受。②承认, 认可, 同意: Government accepted the whole affair to be an unfortunate accident. 政府承认这整个事件是一桩不幸的意外。③相信: Einstein's theory of relativity is now generally accepted. 爱因斯坦的相对论理论现在被普遍接受了。

【同义】acknowledge, receive, admit, agree, concede

【反义】refuse, reject

【辨析】accept, receive

accept vt. “接受”, 指经过思考后愿意接受某事物: I sent her my invitation, but she didn't accept it. 我给她发了请帖, 但她没有接受我的邀请。|| receive vt. “收到”, 指客观上收到某物, 不表示同意接受与否。在表示接受或接纳时, 要有相应的方式状语或介词短语: They did receive my invitation, but they didn't want to come. 他们确实收到我的邀请, 但他们不愿意来。/ His theory was not universally received by scien-

tists until 1889. 直到 1889 年,他的理论才为科学家所普遍接受。

▲ acceptable /ɪk'septəbəl/  
/ək'septəbəl/

a. ①可以接受的,值得接受的 a proposal acceptable to all sides 各方都能接受的建议 ②受人欢迎的,令人满意的 :an acceptable birthday gift 可意的生日礼物 / Compliments are always acceptable. 恭维话总是让人听起来舒服。

acceptance /ɪk'septəns/  
/ək'septəns/

n. [U] ①接受,接纳 :to make polite acceptance 彬彬有礼地表示接受 ②赞同,承认 :to receive wide acceptance 得到广泛承认

反义 refusal

access /'æksɪses/

n. [U] ①通道,入口 :The bathroom gives access to the corridor. 浴室通向走廊。 ②接近,进入 a man of easy access 平易近人的人 ③接近、进入、了解或使用的机会 :Only a few people have access to the full facts of the case. 只有少几个人有机会了解到案件的全部真相。

vt. 访问,存取(计算机文件) :Accumulator and index register can be accessed by the programmer. 程序员可以对累加器和变址寄存器进行存取。

【短语】gain/get/have access to 有接近(或使用)...的机会(或权利) :The graduate students in our school get access to special literatures in the faculty reading rooms. 我们学校的

研究生有在教师阅览室查阅特殊文献的权利。

★ accessory /ɪk'sesəri/  
/æk'sesəri/

n. [C] ①附件,零件 配件 the accessories of a bicycle 自行车的附件 ②(附属的)装饰品,搭配物 :handbag accessories 手提包上的小饰物 ③从犯,帮凶 :He is an accessory to the murder. 他是这件谋杀案的帮凶。

同义 component, part

accident /'æksədənt/  
/'æksɪd(ə)nt/

n. [C] ①意外事件,事故 to be killed in a car accident 在一起汽车事故中死亡 ②意外,意外因素 :an accident in loading 装货中的意外事故

【短语】by accident 偶然,意外 :You might cut yourself by accident, you would not cut yourself on purpose. 一个人可能会意外割伤自己,但不会故意割伤自己。

【辨析】accident, event, incident  
accident n. “事故”,指出乎意料之外的不幸事件 :Twenty - five people were killed in this traffic accident. 在这场交通事故中有 25 个人丧生。  
|| event n. “事件,大事,比赛项目”,指有历史意义的重大的事件(中性词) :The American Civil War is generally regarded as one of the greatest events in the American history. 美国内战通常被认为是美国历史上最重大的事件之一。 / Winning the scholarship was a great event in the boy's life. 获得奖学金是这个男孩一生中的大事。 / Which events

have you entered for? 你报名参加了哪些比赛项目? || incident n. “发生的事, 事件, 事变”, 多指涉及到暴力的重大事件: The president often troubled by ordinary incidents at school. 校长常被学校的日常琐事所困扰。 / The famous Xi an Incident took place in 1936. 著名的西安事变发生在 1936 年。

accidental /ˌæksə'dentəl/  
/ˌæksi'dent(ə)l/

a. 意外的, 偶然的: accidental death 意外死亡

**同义** casual, nonessential

**反义** designed, essential

▲ acclaim /ə'kleim/

vt. ①向...欢呼, 为...喝彩, 称赞: to acclaim the Olympic winners as heroes 把奥运会获奖者当作英雄而为他们喝彩 ②(用欢呼声)宣布, 拥立: They acclaimed him Governor. 他们拥立他当州长。

vi. 欢呼, 喝彩, 称赞: Their work was acclaimed as a breakthrough in science. 他们的工作被认为是科学上的一次突破因而受到称赞。

n. 欢呼(声), 喝彩(声), 欢迎, 称赞: He clearly enjoyed every minute of the acclaim he received. 他显然完全陶醉在对他的赞誉之中了。

★ accommodate /ə'kʌmədeɪt/  
/ə'kɒmədeɪt/

vt. ①容纳: The house can accommodate a family of five. 房子可容纳一个五口之家。 ②提供住宿: He will accommodate me with the use of his house,

while he is abroad. 他在国外期间将把他的住宅供我使用。 ③使适应, 顺应: The eye can accommodate itself to seeing objects at different distances. 眼睛能自动调节以便观看远近不同的景物。

**同义** provide, supply, lodge, suit

**【辨析】**accommodate, inhabit, lodge, reside

accommodate vt. “向...提供住宿, 容纳, 使适应, 顺应”, 意为“向...提供住宿”时基本可与 lodge 互换, 而 accommodate...to... 则意为“使适应, 顺应”: We were accommodated/lodged in a small room on the third floor. 我们被安排在三楼的一个小房间里住宿。 / You will have to accommodate yourself to the situation. 你将不得不适应形势。 || inhabit vt. “居住于, (动物)栖居于”, 其相应的名词有 inhabitant(居民, 住户): No one has inhabited that island for over 100 years. 那个岛已经有 100 多年没人居住了。 / These animals inhabit the tropical forests. 这些动物生活在热带森林。 || lodge vt. & vi. “暂住, 借宿, 供...以临时住宿”, 可用作不及物动词, 当用作及物动词时基本可与 accommodate 互换: The travelers lodge in motels every night. 这些旅行者晚上在汽车旅馆住宿。 / He lodged with friends for the night. 他当晚同朋友在一起过夜。 / The local people lodge/accommodate students in their homes. 当地人接纳学生在他们家住宿。 || reside vi. “居住, 定居”, 可指临时住宿, 相当于 lodge, 也可指长期居住, 相当于 live, 其相应的名词有 resident

(居民 定居者)和 residence(住处,住宅) 短语 reside in 意为“(性质)在于”相当于 lie in Jim resided/lodged at the Great Wall Hotel. 吉姆住在长城大酒店。/ This family reside/live in Salt Lake City for 45 years. 这一家在盐湖城已居住了 45 年。/ Her charm resides in her happy smile. 她的魅力在于她开心的微笑。

accommodation /ə,kamə'deɪʃən/  
/ə,kəmə'deɪʃ(ə)n/

n. [C,常pl.]住处,膳宿 to look for accommodations 寻找住处 / The traveling students found accommodations at moderate terms. 旅游的学生感到那儿的膳宿费是公道的。

accompany /ə'kæmp(ə)ni/  
/ə'kʌmpəni/

vt. ① 陪伴,陪同 :She accompanied me to the doctor's. 她陪我去看了医生。② 伴随,和...一起发生 :Thunder accompanies lightning. 雷声随闪电而来。③ 伴奏 :Mary sang and I accompanied her on the piano. 玛丽唱歌 我弹琴给她伴奏。

**同义** attend, go along

**反义** abandon, desert

▲ accomplice /ə'kæmplɪs/  
/ə'kɒmplɪs/

n. [C]共同犯罪者,同谋,共犯,帮凶 :A was an accomplice of/with B in murdering C. 甲在谋杀丙一案中是乙的帮凶。

accomplish /ə'kæmplɪʃ/  
/ə'kɒmplɪʃ/

vt. 达到(目的),实现(计划等),完成 :

You should accomplish the task within the allowed time. 你们必须在规定时间内完成这项任务。

**同义** achieve, complete, finish, realize

**辨析** accomplish, attain, complete, finish, fulfill

accomplish vt. “完成”强调成功地完成或做成了某事,后接名词作宾语 :I tried and tried again but accomplished nothing. 我试了又试,可一无所获。/ We need more time, money and work force to accomplish the project. 我们需要更多的时间、资金和人力方能完成这项工程。|| attain vt. “达到,获得”在指达到目标和取得成绩时与 fulfill 或 accomplish 是同义词 :I hope you will attain your object/end/objectives/ambition. 我希望你达到你的目标/实现你的抱负。/ He attained a success/a decisive victory. 他获得了成功/决定性的胜利。|| complete vt. & vi. “完成,结束,使完整,使完全”,较正式用语,指完成了指定的任务,尤其指完成工程项目 :The building will be completed in two years. 大楼两年后完工。/ He wants two volumes to complete his set. 他还要两卷书把这一整套收齐。|| finish vt. “完成”非正式用语,后跟名词或动名词 :I haven't finished my homework yet. 我家庭作业还未做完。/ Have you finished reading the book that I gave you a week ago? 你读完了我一周前给你的那本书吗? || fulfill vt. “完成,履行,实现,满足(条件等)”,用法较广,后接名词作宾语 :I'll fulfill my task/obligation/duty to the best of my ability. 我将尽我最大努力完成我的任务/职

责。/ He has fulfilled his intention/desire/ambition/dream/expectations/promise. 他实现了他的意图/愿望/抱负/梦想/期待/诺言。/ The thesis will fulfill the requirements for your M. A. 论文必须满足你攻读文学硕士的要求。

accord /ə'kɔ:d/ /ə'kɔ:d/

n. ①[U]一致,符合 :out of accord with sb. 与某人意见不一致 ②[C]和解,协议 :the American defense accords with Turkey and Greece 美国与土耳其和希腊的防卫条约

vi. (常与 with 连用)一致,符合 :His opinion accorded with mine. 他的意见与我的一致。

vt. 授予,赠与,给与 :We accorded him a hearty welcome. 我们热烈地欢迎他。

**同义** v. agree, fit, suit, reconcile

**反义** v. conflict, disagree

**【短语】**in accord with 与...一致,与...相符合 :What he has done is not in accord with your instructions. 他没有按你的指示行事。one's own accord 自愿地,主动地 :She followed him here of her own accord. 她自愿跟他来到这里。|| with one accord 一致地,一致同意地 :With one accord they stood up to cheer him. 他们起立,一致为他欢呼。

accordance /ə'kɔ:dəns/  
/ə'kɔ:d(ə)ns/

n. [U]一致,和谐,符合 :to act in accordance with the rules 根据条例行事

**【短语】**in accordance with 按照,依据,与...一致 :Act in accordance with our

wishes. 按照我们的希望行动。

according to /ə'kɔ:rdɪŋtu/  
/ə'kɔ:rdɪŋtu/

prep. ①据,按照 :according to all accounts 照大家所说的 ②根据...所说 :According to the weather forecast, it will rain tomorrow. 据天气预报,明天有雨。

accordingly /ə'kɔ:rdɪŋli/  
/ə'kɔ:rdɪŋli/

ad. ①相应地,按照 :You may arrange accordingly. 你可以权宜处理。②因此,所以,于是 :He was asked to leave the city and accordingly he went. 有人叫他离开该城市,所以他就走了。

**同义** consequently, correspondingly, hence, so, thus

account /ə'kaunt/

n. [C] ①记述,描述,报告 :an exciting account of the match 对这次比赛激动人心的报导 ②账,账户 :The accounts show we have spent more than we received. 账目表明我们支出多于收入。③解释,说明 :No satisfactory account was given of these phenomena. 对这些现象未曾提供令人满意的解释。

vi. ①(for)说明...的理由,是...的原因 :How do you account for all the accidents in series? 你怎么解释这接二连三地发生的事呢? ②(在数量、比例等方面)占 :It accounts for thirty percent of all railway accidents. 这占了整个铁路事故的百分之三十。

**同义** n. explanation, narration

**【短语】**account for 说明,解释(原因或理由) :How do you account for all

your mistakes? 你如何解释你所犯下的这些错误呢? || of no account 不重要的 :Whether or not you see him again is of no account to me. 你会不会再见到他与我无关。 || on account of 因为, 由于 :On account of his youth, he was not allowed to use the medicine. 由于他尚年幼, 所以不能用这种药。 || on no account 决不 绝对不 :On no account should we give up the plan. 我们决不放弃这个计划。 || take account of, take into account 考虑到, 顾及, 体谅 :Taking into account all the circumstances, he thought it wise not to say anything further. 考虑到所有情况, 他想还是不要再说什么为妙。

▲ accountable /ə'kauntəbəl/

a. 负有责任的, 应负责任的, 应作说明的, 可解释的 :an accountable excuse for being late 为迟到想出的恰当理由 / A mental patient is not accountable for his actions. 精神病患者对自己的行为不能负责。

**同义** responsible

accountant /ə'kauntənt/

n. [C] 会计(员), 会计师 :assistant accountant 助理会计 / chartered accountant 注册会计师, 会计师

accumulate /ə'kyumyə,leit/ /ə'kju:(j)mjleit/

vt. 堆积, 积累, 积聚 :By buying ten books every month, he soon accumulated a good library. 他每月买十本书, 不久便集成一个丰富的藏书库。

vi. 积聚, 累积 :Dust quickly accumulates if we don't sweep our room. 我们如果不打扫房间, 灰尘很快就会积聚

起厚厚的一层。

accuracy /'ækjərəsi/ /'ækju:rəsi/

n. [U] 精确性, 正确度 :firing accuracy 命中率 / with accuracy 正确地

accurate /'ækjʊrɪt/ /'ækju:(r)reit/

a. ① 准确的, 精确的 :an accurate answer 准确的答案 ② 准确无误的 :Is this watch accurate? 这只表准吗?

**同义** correct, exact

**反义** inaccurate

**【辨析】**accurate, exact, precise

accurate a. “准确的, 精确的”, 常指与标准相符合, 着眼点是误差小 :The guidance system is accurate to within a few yards. 制导系统的准确性达到误差保持在几码之内。 || exact a. “精确的, 正确的, 确切的”, 强调每个细节的确切无误 :Give me the exact words of my parents. 把我父母的话一字不差地告诉我。 || precise a. “精确的, 准确的”, 多指仪器的精密和叙述正确无误 :This instrument is capable of extremely precise measurement. 这台仪器计量极其精确。 / It is hard to give a precise definition to the word. 很难给这个词下一个精确的定义。

accuse /ə'kyuz/ /ə'kju:z/

vt. 控诉, 起诉, 指控 :The police accused him of stealing. 警方控告他犯有盗窃罪。

**同义** blame, charge

**【短语】**accuse of 指控, 谴责 :The prosecuting attorney accused him of corruption. 检查官指控他犯了贪污罪。

**【辨析】**accuse, charge, appeal, sue

accuse vt. 与 charge vt. 意为“指控 控告 指责”所不同的是它们使用于不同的句型: accuse sb of sth/doing sth, charge sb with sth/doing sth, charge that... They accused him of murder/charged him with murder. 他们控告他犯有谋杀罪。/ They accused Jack of reckless driving/charged Jack with reckless driving. 他们指责杰克玩命飙车。/ They charged that Joseph had committed murder. 他们指控约瑟夫犯了谋杀罪。|| appeal vt. & vi. “上诉, 申诉 将...上诉”后接物或事做宾语, 其句型为 appeal against sth., 一般不接人做宾语: I'll appeal to the law against your crime. 我将把你的罪行诉诸法律。/ He has appealed the case. 他已经将此案上诉。|| sue vt. & vi. “控告 起诉”, 一般接人做宾语: Are you going to sue (him)? 你要起诉(他)吗?

accustomed /ə'kʌstəmd/  
/ə'kʌstəmd/

a. ①习惯于...的 适应了 I'm not accustomed to getting up so early to do morning exercises. 我不习惯这么早起床进行晨练。②通常的, 习惯的, 按照风俗习惯的: her accustomed smile 她惯常的微笑

**【同义】**habitual, customary, used, usual

**【反义】**unaccustomed, unused

**【短语】**be/become/get accustomed to (doing sth.) 习惯于 适应了: The boy soon became accustomed to walking in the dim light. 那男孩很快就适应了昏暗走路。

▲ ace /eis/

n. [C] ①(纸牌、多米诺骨牌中的)一点, 幺点, 幺 the ace of spades (纸牌)黑桃 A ②(网球中由于击球速度快或落点好而对手接不住的)发球直接得分, “爱司”球 She served two aces that the opposing player couldn't hit them back. 她发出两次令对手无法接住的“爱司球”。③(非正式语)王牌, 老手, 专家 a WWII flying ace 二战中的王牌飞行员

ache /eik/

vi. ①疼痛 Her head ached all night. 她的头整夜都疼。②渴望 I am aching to join in the game. 我渴望参加比赛。n. [C] 疼痛 a stomach ache 胃疼

**【同义】**hurt, pain

achieve /ə'tʃi:v/ /ə'tʃi:v/

vt. 完成, 达到, 实现: The university has achieved all its goals this year. 这个大学今年已经实现了所有的奋斗目标。vi. 成功 He achieved because he was a hard worker. 他之所以取得成功是他努力的结果。

**【同义】**accomplish, get, realize, win

**【反义】**fail

achievement /ə'tʃi:vmənt/  
/ə'tʃi:vmənt/

n. ①[C]成就, 功绩: Flying across the Atlantic for the first time was a great achievement. 首次飞越大西洋是一个伟大的功绩。/ subject achievement 学科成绩 / academic achievement 学业成绩 学术成就 ②[U]完成, 达到, 实现: Such a goal was impossible of achievement. 这样的目标是不可能实

现的。

**同义** accomplishment, attainment, realization

acid /'æsid/ /'æsɪd/

n. [化] C, U 酸 酸性物质

a. ①酸味的 酸性的 acid indigestion 胃酸过多(症) ②脾气坏的 刻薄的 尖刻的 an acid wit 机智 / an acid tone of voice 尖酸的声调

acknowledge /ɪk'nɒlɪdʒ/  
/ək'nɒlədʒ/

vt. ①承认 承认...的权威(或主张) I acknowledge the truth of his statement. 我承认他说的是事实。 ②对...表示感谢 答谢 致谢 to acknowledge a favor 答谢所受到的关照 ③表明已收到, 公认: He was acknowledged to be the best player. 他被公认为是最佳选手。

**同义** admit, appreciate, confess

**【辨析】** acknowledge, admit, confess, recognize

acknowledge vt. “承认, 承认...的权威、权利、主张 确认, 对...表示感谢”: He acknowledged his complete ignorance of China. 他承认他对中国一无所知。 / Mary acknowledged the gift with a pleasant letter. 玛丽写了一封很客气的信 对礼物表示感谢。 || admit vt. & vi. “承认, 供认” 指在压力下不得不承认事实或错误 中性词 还指“准许...进入, 准许...加入”: I admit that I was wrong to do that. 我承认我那样做错了。 / She admits having seen us. 她承认见过我们。 || confess vt. & vi. “供认, 坦白, 承认”, 多用于贬义 做不及物动词用时与连词 to 连用: He admitted/acknowledged/con-

fessed his fault/guilt. 他承认了他的过错/罪行。 / Jack confessed to having robbed that bank. 杰克承认抢劫了那家银行。 || recognize vt. “承认 确认, 认可” 指承认组织、政府、党派、权利的合法存在, 也指承认成绩、功劳等 还指“认出, 识别”等: Fifty-four countries have recognized the new government. 已经有54个国家承认了这个新政府。 / His sacrifices for the country have at last been recognized. 他为国家做出的牺牲终于得到了承认。

▲ acoustic /ə'kustɪk/ /ə'ku:stɪk/

a. ①声音的, 听觉的, 声学的: an acoustic sense 听觉, acoustic waves 声波 ②(乐器等)非电子声响的, 没有电声扩大的: an electronic violin solo with acoustic piano 传统钢琴伴奏下的电声小提琴独奏曲

acquaint /ə'kweɪnt/

vt. (与 with 连用)使熟悉, 使相识 介绍: Let me acquaint you with the facts. 让我把事实告诉你。

**【短语】**acquaint with, be acquainted with 知道, 了解, 告诉: Travel will acquaint you with new customs of the country. 旅行能使你了解那个国家的新的风俗习惯。

acquaintance /ə'kweɪntəns/

n. ①[C, U]熟悉, 熟知: I have no acquaintance with this book. 我不熟悉这本书。 / I have some acquaintance with English, but I do not know it well. 我稍懂些英语, 但并不精通。 ②[U]相识的人, 熟人: a speaking acquaintance 泛泛之交 / He has

a large circle of acquaintances. 他有很多熟人。

**同义** associate, friend

**【短语】**make (somebody's) acquaintance 认识人,交朋友 :I'm pleased to make your acquaintance. 我很高兴认识你。

**acquire** /ə'kwaiə(r)/ /ə'kwaiə/

vt. ①获得,取得,习得 :Some smoking and alcoholic drinks are an acquired taste and are not in born. 抽烟喝酒往往是一种后来习得的嗜好,并不是生来就有的。②学到 :She acquired knowledge of English by careful study. 她通过认真学习精通了英语。

**同义** achieve, accomplish, attain, get, obtain

**【辨析】**acquire, derive, gain, get, obtain, reap

acquire vt. “取得,获得,学到”,指经过努力和逐渐积累而获得 :During his 10 years' stay in America, he acquired a lot of knowledge about American culture. 他在美国居住的10年里了解了很多关于美国文化的知识。|| derive vt. & vi. “取得,得到,追溯...的起源(来由)”,常与from连用,强调“从...得到”,其短语“derive from/be derived from”意为“起源于,来源于” :Thousands of English words derive from/are derived from Latin. 成千上万的英语词汇来源于拉丁语。|| gain vt. & vi. “获得,取得,增加,增添,受益,得益”,指通过努力奋斗而获得某种利益,还指“(钟、表)走快” :Their hard

work gained them a good reputation. 他们的辛勤工作给他们赢得了好声誉。/ The car gained speed as it went down the hill. 下山时,汽车加快了速度。/ The watch gained 20 seconds a day. 这表一天快20秒。

|| get vt. “得到,获得”,是最常用的一个词,搭配力极强,既可指主动获得,也可指偶然得到 :He got a book from his brother. 他从他的兄弟那里得到一本书。|| obtain vt. & vi. “获得,得到,通行,流行,存在”,指得到了渴望得到之物,含有满足愿望,达到目的之意,风格较为正式,还指“通行,流行,存在” :Anyone can obtain knowledge through his/her practice. 任何人都能通过实践而获得知识。|| reap vt. & vi. “获得,得到”,其本义为“收割,收获”,其引申义为得到回报或报偿 :The child's behavior reaped praise. 那个孩子的行为得到了表扬。

**acquisition** /,ækwə'ziʃən/  
/,ækwi'ziʃ(ə)n/

n. ①[U]获得,取得,习得 :The children progressed in the acquisition of basic skill. 孩子们在掌握基本技术方面取得了进步。②[C]获得物,得到的东西,得到的人 :This motor scooter is my latest acquisition. 这辆摩托车是我最新购置的。

▲ **acquit** /ə'kwɪt/ /ə'kwɪt/

vt. ①宣告...无罪,无罪释放 :He was acquitted of the accused crime. 他宣布曾受到指控的那桩罪行不成立。②[acquit oneself]使(自己)表现得 :You all acquitted yourselves man-

fully on it. 你们大家在这件事情上都表现出了男子汉气概。

acre /'eikər/ /'eikə/

n. ①[C] 英亩 500 acres of land 五百英亩地 ②[pl.] 地产, 大片田地: broad acres 宽广的土地

across /ə'krɑs/ /ə'krɒs/

prep. ① 横过, 越过, 穿过: a bridge across a river 横跨河两岸的桥 / drew lines across the paper 在纸上画交叉线 ② 在对面: the house across the street 街道对面的房子

ad. ① 到对面, 宽, 阔: The river is 50 meters across. 河宽 50 米。 ② 在对面, 向对面: He looked across at her. 他从对面看着她。 / We'll soon be across. 我们很快就可到达彼岸。

act /ækt/

vi. ① 行动, 做事: Think before you act! 三思而后行! ② 表现, 行为: The boys acted bravely. 男孩们的表现很勇敢。 ③ 起...作用, 产生...效果: Does the drug take long to act? 这药要很久才能起作用吗? ④ 扮演, 装作: He acted as host to visitors. 他以主人身份接待来客。

vt. 扮演, 装作: He acted his part well. 他扮演的那个角色很成功。

n. [C] ① 行为, 行动: a foolish act 愚蠢的举动 ② 法令, 条例: Parliament has passed an Act forbidding the killing of rare animals. 国会通过了一项法令, 禁止捕杀珍稀动物。 ③ (一)幕: Act 5 Scene 2. 第五幕第二景

**同义** n. deed, performance, function; v. behave, perform

**【短语】** act as 担任, 充当, 起...的作

用: She acted as a technical interpreter at the conference. 她在会议中担任技术翻译。 || act on, act upon ① 依据...行事, 奉行: Why didn't you act on my warning? 你为什么不听我的警告? ② (药物等)对...有功效/作用, 影响: Acids act on metal. 酸能对金属起作用。 || act up ① 出毛病, 运转不正常: The refrigerator is acting up again. 电冰箱又有问题了。 ② (尤指小孩)耍脾气, 捣蛋: Act up and I'll beat your ass. 你敢捣蛋, 看我不打你屁股。 || in the act of 正做...的过程中

**【辨析】** act, action, acting, activity, conduct, deed

act n. “行动, 做事, 举止, 表现”, 常指瞬间的、不可分的一个动作, 还指较为抽象的某种行为: He was caught in the act of stealing. 他偷东西时被抓住了。 / He was praised for his brave act. 他的勇敢行为受到表扬。 || action n. “行动, 行动过程”, 强调动作的过程, 还可表示抽象概念, 体现在固定搭配上: Actions speak louder than words. 空说不如行动。 / It is high time we took actions against corruption. 这是我们采取行动反腐败的时候了。 || acting n. “表演, 演出”: His acting was quite first-rate. 他的表演是第一流的。 || activity n. “活动”, 指做某项具体的活动, 常用复数, 如 social activities (社交活动): When I was attending college, there were a lot of recreational activities. 我上大学的时候文娱活动很丰富。 || conduct n. “举止, 行为”, 指从道义上和行

为准则上看正确与否的行为 :She described his conduct as disgusting. 她说他的行为是令人反感的。 || deed n. “行为,事迹”,一是指与言语相对应的行为,二是指良好的、英勇的行为 :Deeds, not words, are needed. 需要的是行动,而不是言语。 / He was praised for his heroic deeds. 他由于表现英勇而受到表彰。

### action /'æksjən/

n. ①[U]行动,动作 :The time has come for action. 行动的时间到了。

②[C]行为,举动 :Actions are more important than words. 做比说更重要。

③[C]作用 :the action of light on photographic film 光线对感光片的作用

④[C]情节 :The action took place in a village. 故事发生在一个乡村。

**同义** act, deed, gesture, movement, work

**【短语】**out of action 不(再)起作用,不(再)运转 take an action 采取行动

**【辨析】**act, action, acting, activity, conduct, deed 参见 act

### ★ activate /'æktə'veit/ /'æktiveit/

v.t. 使...活动,对...起作用 刺激 :His lofty spirit has greatly attracted and activated others. 他的崇高精神大大地吸引并且激励了别人。

### active /'æktiv/ /'æktiv/

a. ①活跃的,积极的 :He has been able to tell us more about active volcanoes than any man alive. 关于活火山的情况他给我们讲得能比任何人

都多。 ②主动的,能起作用的 :biochemically active 有生化活性的

**同义** busy, alert, working

**反义** inactive, lazy

### ▲ activist /'æktəvɪst/ /'æktivɪst/

n. [C](政治或社会运动中的)活动分子,激进分子 :Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. was an activist in 1960s American human rights movement. 小马丁·路德·金是1960年代美国民权运动中的活动家。

### activity /æk'tɪvəti/ /æk'tɪviti/

n. ①[C]活动,行动 :social activities 社会活动,社交活动

②[U]活跃,活力 :The classroom was full of activity, every child was busy. 教室里充满了活跃的气氛,每个孩子都忙个不停。

**【辨析】**act, action, acting, activity, conduct, deed 参见 act

### actor /'æktər/ /'æktə/

n. [C]男演员 a motion actor 动作片演员

### actress /'æktɪs/ /'æktɪs/

n. [C]女演员 :She's an actress. 她是个演员。

### actual /'æktʃuəl/ /'æktjuəl/

a. 实际的,真实的,现实的 the actual state 现状 / in actual life 在实际生活中

**同义** definite, real, true, sure

**反义** fake, unreal, untrue

**【辨析】**actual, authentic, genuine, real, true, virtual

actual a. “实际的,事实上的,真实的”指事物实际已发生和存在,并非谣传或假定的 :The actual result