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内 容 简 介

新托福考试内容涵盖听力、口语、阅读、写作四项内容,本书从单词单项方面通过句子帮助考生熟悉新托福词汇,并针对新托福的特点添加美国校园经常使用的学习和生活词汇。

书中增加了词汇扩展内容,帮助广大考生增强词汇的记忆及词汇的扩充,从而为新托福考试提前打下坚实基础。

本书主要是为有志参加托福考试的考生准备的,也适合有志提高自身英语应用能力的朋友。

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前 言

新托福的测试目的是考查考生对北美校园生活和学习的适应能力,是一种全方位的测试,涵盖英语听、说、读、写四个方面,考的是英语真功夫。从词汇方面来看,既要求考生有一定的词汇量,又要求熟练掌握必备词汇,以满足语言交际的需要。考前背词仍然不失为一种有效的备考方式。为了帮助考生准备新托福,我们编写了《新托福词汇速记》一书。

全书总体上分为三个部分,第一部分是考试常用词汇及其派生词 8000 余个,对其中的重要单词配备了有针对性的例句,通过例句,考生不仅记住了单词,而且掌握了用法。所有例句都不配给中文翻译,目的是给考生提供一个完全英语环境下熟悉和应用单词的机会。该部分词汇既可以完全满足托福考试的口语和写作部分需要,同时也可以基本满足听力和阅读部分的需要。第二部分是托福固定搭配词组和惯用短语,共约 1000 个,可以作为第一部分必备词汇的必要补充。第三、四部分是常用的词根和词缀,通过词根和词缀,给考生提供一个记忆、扩充词汇的方法,同时培养考生根据词根和词缀猜测陌生词汇的能力。

所有词汇全部来自托福考试真题,且考试复现率达 90% 以上,因而具有很强的科学性和针对性,有利于考生对托福词汇进行系统复习和提高应试能力。同时针对新托福的特点,添加了美国校园经常使用的生活和学习词汇。

本书由纪飞、王勋主编,参加编写的人员还有刘乃亚、沙玉新、周河、安枚、刘建平、方茂、汤华、成枫、周雄方、李汤灵、张经峰等。

由于编者水平有限,书中的不妥之处在所难免,衷心希望广大读者批评指正。

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一、词 汇

A

abandon [ə'bəndən]

vt. ①抛弃 ②放弃

The scientist has no plan to abandon his research project even though it does not look very promising so far.

//abandoned *a.* 被抛弃的, 废置的 //abandonment *n.* 抛弃, 放弃

abash [ə'beɪʃ]

vt. 使羞愧

//abashed *a.* 羞愧的, 局促不安的

In a cable to the Swedish Academy, Pasternak declared himself "immensely thankful, touched, proud, astonished, abashed."

abate [ə'beɪt]

v. (数量、程度等)减少, 减轻, 缓解

Although my father opted for medicine, his love of theater never abated, and he gave me his utmost support.

abbreviation [əbrɪvi'eɪʃən]

n. ①缩短, 缩写 ②缩写词

//abbreviate *vt.* 缩短, 缩写 //abbreviated *a.* 简短的

abdicate ['æbdɪkeɪt]

v. ①让位, 辞职 ②放弃(权利或责任)

Note that the schools are included among the institutions seen to have abdicated their responsibilities, a widespread belief among many inner-city parents.

//abdication *n.* 退位, 让位

abduct [æb'dʌkt]

vt. 绑架, 拐走

//abduction *n.* 诱拐, 诱导

abet [ə'bet]

vt. 帮助, 教唆

As long as terrorists and the countries that harbor

and abet them are allowed to continue on their murderous path, there will never be peace or true freedom.

//abetment *n.* 帮助, 教唆, 煽动 //abettor *n.* 教唆犯

abide [ə'baɪd]

vi. 坚持, 遵守, 支持 *vt.* (用于否定句)忍受, 容忍

//abiding *a.* 持久的

ability [ə'bɪlɪti]

n. ①能力, 智能 ②才能, 才干, 才识

//inability *n.* 无能, 无力 //capability *n.* (实际)能力, 性能, 容量 //viability *n.* 生存能力, 可能性 //variability *n.* 可变性

ablaze [ə'bleɪz]

a. ①着火的, 燃烧的 ②闪耀的

//blazing *a.* 炽烧的, 闪耀的

abnormal [æb'nɔrməl]

a. 反常的, 不正常的

//normal *a.* 正常的, 正规的, 标准的 //normally

ad. 正常地, 通常地

abolish [ə'bolɪʃ]

vt. 取消, 废除, 废止

Should the death penalty be abolished?

//abolition *n.* 废除, 革除 //abolitionist *n.* 废奴主义者

aboriginal [æbə'ridʒən(ə)l]

a. 土著的, 原来的

Australia's top aboriginal body was abolished on Thursday by Prime Minister John Howard who said the experiment in an elected black organization to administer aboriginal affairs had failed.

abort [ə'bo:t]

n. 中止计划(任务)

abortive [ə'bo:tɪv]

a. 失败的, 无结果的

In 1980, the United States launched an abortive attempt to free the American hostages in Iran, a mission that resulted in the deaths of eight US servicemen.

abound [ə'baʊnd]

vi. ①充满 ②富于

The Solar System abounds in comets and asteroids, some even bigger than the one which was nearing Earth on that day 65 million years ago

abrasion [ə'breɪʒ(ə)n]

n. 表面磨损

//abrasive *a.* 研磨的

abreast [ə'brest]

ad. 相并, 并肩

abridge [ə'brɪdʒ]

v. 缩短, 删节

We really want to create a politically fertile Cornell, the last thing to do is to abridge the First Amendment rights of our peers.

//abridgment *n.* 删节, 删节本

abrupt [ə'brʌpt]

a. ①突然的, 不意的 ②粗鲁的, 生硬 ③陡峭的

//abruptly *ad.* 突然地, 唐突地

absence ['æbsəns]

n. ①不在场, 缺席 ②缺乏, 没有

absent ['æbsənt]

a. ①不在的, 缺席的 ②缺乏的, 缺少的, 漫不经心的

//absenteeism *n.* 旷课, 旷工 //absentee *n.* 缺席者

absolute ['æbsəlu:t]

a. ①绝对的 ②完全的, 纯粹的

//absolutely ['æbsəlu:tli] *ad.* 完全地, 绝对地

absolution [ˌæbsə'lu:ʃən]

n. 赦免, 免罪

absolve [əb'zɒlv]

v. ①(宗教上的)宽恕 ②赦免(罪行、过失等), 解除(责任等)

These politicians should bathe in the Ganges to absolve their sins.

//absolution *n.* 免罪, 赦免

absorb [əb'sɔ:b]

vt. ①吸收 ②吸引, 使专心

Dry sand absorbs water.

Aspirin is quickly absorbed into the body.

Clever children absorb knowledge easily.

absorbing [əb'sɔ:bɪŋ]

a. 吸引人的, 引人入胜的

absorption [əb'sɔ:pʃən]

n. 吸收

His work suffered because of his total absorption in sport.

abstain [əb'steɪn]

v. 自制, 自动放弃, 戒绝

abstinence *n.* 自制, 节制(禁欲、戒酒)

abstract ['æbstrækt]

a. 抽象的 *n.* 提要, 文摘

We may talk of beautiful things, but beauty itself is abstract.

//abstraction *n.* 抽象概念

abstruse [əb'stru:s]

a. 难懂的, 深奥的

Smiley consults her, relying on her prodigious memory to tell him - and hence the reader - the abstruse background to the story.

absurd [əb'sɜ:d]

a. 荒谬的, 荒唐的, 可笑的

What an absurd suggestion! It was absurd of you to suggest such a thing.

abundance [ə'bandəns]

n. 丰富, 充裕, 富裕

There was good food in abundance at the party.

There was an abundance of good food at the party.

abundant [ə'bandənt]

a. ①丰富的, 充裕的 ②大量的, 充足的 ③充分的

We have abundant proof of his guilt.

//abundantly *ad.* 丰富地

abuse¹ [ə'bju:z]

vt. ①滥用(职权等), 妄用 ②(常用被动语态)虐待, 伤害, 辱骂

abuse² [ə'bju:s]

n. ①滥用, 虐待, 恶习 ②辱骂, 谩骂

abut [ə'bat]

vi. 邻接, 毗邻

abyss [ə'bis]

n. 深渊, 深坑

academic [ˌækə'demɪk]

a. ①(专科)学校的, 学会的, 学院的, 研究院的 ②学术的, 理论的

//academician *n.* 学会会员, 院士, 学者

accelerate [æk'seləreit]

vt. / vi. ①(使)加快, (使)加速 ②促进, 增长
//accelerated *a.* 加速的, 迅速的

acceleration [æk'selə'reiʃən]

n. 加速(度)

accentuate [æk'sentʃueit]

v. 突出, 强调

Moreover, the game is unreasonably difficult in spots, even with the aid of a strategy guide, and the imprecise camera controls accentuate the problem.

access ['ækses]

n. ①接近, 进入, 入口 ②通路 ③接近(进入)的方法

The Internet gives you access to information and entertainment.

The senator has access to the President.

accessible [æk'sesəbl]

a. 可得到的, 易接近的, 可进入的
//accessibility *n.* 易接近, 可到达

accessory [æk'sesəri]

n. ①附件, 配件 ②同谋者, 从犯 *a.* 附属的, 从犯的

accident ['æksɪdənt]

n. 事故, 意外的事, 偶然的事

//accidental [ˌæksɪ'dentl] *a.* 偶然的, 意外的//
accidentally *ad.* 偶然地, 意外地

acclaim [ə'kleim]

n. 赞誉, 赞许 *vt.* 喝彩, 欢呼, 称赞

They stayed long after the final whistle to acclaim the players and management alike—everyone savouring the sweet taste of success.

//acclaimed *a.* 受赞誉的

accommodate [ə'kɒmədeɪt]

vt. ①供应, 供给 ②使适应, 使配合 ③收容, 留宿

accommodation [ə'kɒmə'deɪʃən]

n. ①(美语用复数)(膳宿)供应, 招待设备 ②适应 ③留宿, 住宿

accompany [ə'kʌmpəni]

vt. ①陪伴, 陪同, 伴随 ②为……伴奏

//accompanying *a.* 陪伴的, 附随的//accompaniment *n.* 伴奏

accomplice [ə'kʌmplɪs]

n. 同谋者, 帮凶

accomplish [ə'kɒmplɪʃ]

vt. 完成, 实现, 达到(目的)

//accomplished *a.* 精通的, 熟练的//accomplishment *n.* 成就

accord [ə'kɔ:d]

vt. / vi. ①(with)一致, 符合 ②给予, 授予 *n.* ①一致, 符合 ②谅解, 协议

an accord between countries/with another country.

accordance [ə'kɔ:dəns]

n. ①一致, 符合 ②授予, 给予

accordion [ə'kɔ:dʒən]

n. 手风琴

accost [ə'kɒst]

v. 向人搭话

Both pets and kids should be restrained and neither should be allowed to accost the other.

account [ə'kaunt]

n. ①账目, 账户 ②记载, 报导 ③说明, 解释 *vi.* (与介词 for 连用)说明, 解释

//accounting *n.* 会计学//accountable [ə'kauntəbl] *a.* 负有责任的//accountant [ə'kauntənt] *n.* 会计, 出纳

accredit [ə'kredit]

vt. 委派官员到国外, 授权

accumulate [ə'kjʌmjuleɪt]

vt. / vi. 积累, 积聚, 积蓄, 堆积

//accumulated *a.* 积累的, 积累的//accumulation *n.* 积累

accuracy ['ækjʊrəsi]

n. 准确, 精确度

accurate ['ækjʊrɪt]

a. 准确的, 精确的

//accurately *ad.* 正确地, 精确地//inaccurate *a.* 错误的, 不准确的

accuse [ə'kju:z]

vt. ①谴责 ②控告, 告发

accusation [ˌækju(:)'zeɪʃən]

n. 告发, 控告

accustomed [ə'kʌstəmd]

a. ①惯常的, 通常的, 习惯的 ②(一般作表语, 与介词 to 连用)习惯的

achieve [ə'tʃi:v]

vt. 完成, 达到(目的), 达成, 获得

//achievement [ə'tʃi:vmənt] *n.* 成就, 功绩

acid ['æsid]

a. 酸性的, 酸的, 酸味的

//acidic **a.** 酸的, 酸性的 //acidity **n.** 酸度, 酸性

acoustic [ə'kustɪk]

a. ①听觉的, 声音的 ②(乐器)原声的

acquaint [ə'kweɪnt]

vt. ①使……认识, 使……了解 ②告知

The lawyer acquainted himself with the details of his client's business affairs.

acquaintance [ə'kweɪntəns]

n. ①相识, 感性认识 ②熟人, 相识

acquire [ə'kwaɪə]

vt. 取得, 求得, 获得, 学得

acquisition [ˌækwi'zɪʃən]

n. ①获得 ②获得物

acquisitive [ə'kwɪzɪtɪv]

a. 想获得的, 贪得无厌的

He also has the single-minded, acquisitive nature of a champion.

acquit [ə'kwɪt]

v. 宣告无罪

A Portsmouth jury, unaware of the letter, acquitted Smith of arson charges.

//acquittal **n.** 宣判无罪

acronym [ˈækrənɪm]

n. 用大写字母表示的缩写词

activate [ˈæktɪveɪt]

vt. ①使活动 ②起动

active [ˈæktɪv]

a. ①有活动力的, 敏捷的, 活动的, 活跃的 ②主动的, 积极的 ③在活动中的

Joan is an active child.

//actively [ˈæktɪvli]

ad. 活动地, 活跃地, 积极地

activity [æk'tɪvɪti]

n. 活动, 活动性, (人体器官的)正常活动, 活力

actual [ˈæktʃuəl]

a. 现实的, 实际的, 现行的

//actuate **vt.** 开动, 促使 actually [ˈæktʃuəli]

ad. ①实际上 ②竟然

acute [ə'kjʊt]

a. ①厉害的, 剧烈的 ②敏锐的, 灵敏的 ③锐, 尖
I was in danger of acute vacillation and could feel my face growing hot, the skin tingling.

Collins has an acute eye for character and is deft in showing the exigencies that mold it in boys of 20

on the cusp of true manhood.

//acumen **n.** 敏锐, 聪明

For all his business acumen and managerial expertise, Bill Gates is at core a technical guy.

adage [ˈædɪdʒ]

n. 格言, 谚语

Then there is the old adage that any plan, however brilliant, rarely survives first contact with the enemy.

adamant [ˈædəmənt]

a. 固执的, 坚定不移的

Mary was adamant in refusing to reconcile until his husband proved able to support the family. She was quite adamant that she would not come. On this point I am adamant, ie my decision will not change

adapt [ə'dæpt]

vt. ①(使)适应, 适合 ②改编, 改写

//adaptable **a.** 能适应的, 适应性强的 //adaptive

a. 适合的, 适应的

adaptation

n. ①适应 ②改编

addict [ə'dɪkt]

vt. 使成瘾, 热衷于

//addictive **a.** (使人)上瘾的

addition [ə'dɪʃən]

n. (增)加, 加法, 附加物

additional [ə'dɪʃənəl]

a. 附加的, 额外的, 另外的

//additive **a.** 加法的 **n.** 添加剂

adept [ə'dept]

a. 熟练的, 擅长的

adequate [ˈædɪkwɪt]

a. ①足够的, 充分的 ②适当的

//inadequate **a.** 不充分的, 不适应的

adhere [əd'hɪə]

vi. ①粘着, 胶着 ②忠于 ③坚持

Paste is used to make one surface adhere to another.

He will adhere to his promise.

//adhesive **n.** 粘着物 **a.** 粘着的

adjacent [ə'dʒeɪsənt]

a. 毗连的, 接近的, 邻近的

Though their apartment lacked a full-scale dining room, an enclosed space adjacent to the living room

made an adequate breakfast cook for the young couple.

adjoin [ə'dʒɔɪn]

vt. / vi. 毗连, 靠近

The playing-field adjoins the school.

//adjoining *a.* 比邻的

We heard laughter in the adjoining room.

adjourn [ə'dʒəʊn]

vt. / vi. ①(使)休会, 延期 ②到(另一个地方)

With disputes over education funding settled Tuesday, legislators appear on schedule to adjourn Friday.

adjunct ['ædʒʌŋkt]

n. ①附属物, 附件 ②助手

I've been an adjunct instructor at ODU for 14 years.

adjust [ə'dʒʌst]

vt. 调整, 调节, 校正, 使合适

//adjustment *n.* 调整

administrate, administer [əd'mɪnɪstreɪt] ,
[əd'mɪnɪstə]

vt. ①掌管, 料理……的事务 ②实施, 执行 ③给予, 投(药)

administration [əd'mɪnɪs'treɪʃən]

n. ①管理(事务等), 经营 ②行政(机关、部门), 政府

//administrative *a.* 管理的, 行政的 //administrator *n.* 管理者, 行政官

admirable ['ædmərəb(ə)l]

a. 值得称赞的, 令人钦佩的

admiral ['ædmərə(ə)l]

n. 海军将领, 舰队司令

admiration [ædmə'reɪʃən]

n. ①赞赏, 赞美, 羡慕, 钦佩 ②(the ~)令人赞赏的人或物

Her handling of the crisis fills me with admiration.

I have great admiration for his courage. They looked in silent admiration at the painting.

admire [əd'maɪə]

vt. 赞赏, 羡慕, 钦佩

//admiring *a.* 赞赏的, 钦佩的

admit [əd'mɪt]

vt. / vi. ①让……进来, 接纳, 准入, 收容 ②承认

//admittedly *ad.* 公认地, 诚然, 无可否认地

adobe [ə'dəʊbi, ə'dəʊb]

n. 泥砖, 土坯(房)

adopt [ə'dɒpt]

vt. ①采用, 采纳 ②通过(报告、决议等) ③收养(子女)

adoption [ə'dɒpʃən]

n. ①采用, 采纳 ②收养

This textbook has had adoptions (has been officially chosen for special study) in many countries.

adore [ə'dɔ:(r)]

v. ①崇拜, 崇敬 ②极喜爱

He adores his wife and children.

adorn [ə'dɔ:n]

vt. 装饰

//adornment *n.* 装饰, 装饰品 //unadorned *a.* 未装饰的, 朴实的

adroit [ə'droɪt]

a. 熟练的, 灵巧的

He soon became adroit at steering the boat.

advance [əd'vɑ:ns]

vt. / vi. ①(使)前进, 进展, 促进, 提出(建议等) 推进, 助长 ②提前, 提升, 提高

n. ①前进, 进展 ②提升, (物价、工资)上涨

//advancement *n.* 进展, 提升

advanced [əd'vɑ:nst]

a. ①前进的, 先进的 ②程度高的, 高级的

advent ['ædvənt]

n. ①来临, [常指重要的人或事] 降临 ② [Advent] 耶稣降临, 降临节

We witnessed the advent of jumbo-jets, the computer, the human genome.

adventure [əd'ventʃə]

n. ①奇遇, 冒险的经历 ②冒险, 惊险活动

//adventurous *a.* 喜欢冒险的, 敢作敢为的 //ad-

venturer *n.* 冒险家 adversary ['ædvəsəri] *n.* 对手, 敌手

adverse ['ædvəs]

a. 不利的, 有害的, 反对的, 逆

A lot of the factors that have turned the climate so adverse are beyond his control.

//adversely *ad.* 相反地, 不利地 //adversity *n.* 不幸, 灾难

advisable [əd'vaɪzəbl]

a. 可取的, 明智的

advocate ['ædvəkit]

n. ①倡导者, 鼓吹者 ②辩护人

vt. ['ædvəkeɪt] 提倡, 主张, 鼓吹

I advocate a policy of gradual reform.

Do you advocate banning cars in the city centre

aerate ['æəreɪt]

v. 充气, 让空气进入, (水、饮料等) 加气

aerial ['æəriəl] *n.* 天线

a. ①空气的, 空中的, 航空的 ②空气般的 ③空想的

aesthetic [ɪs'tetɪk]

a. 美学的, 审美的, 有审美力的

//aesthetically *ad.* 审美地 //anesthetic *ad.* 麻醉剂

affable ['æfəb(ə)l]

a. 易接近的, 和蔼可亲的

He was affable when approached, but seldom approached anybody else.

affection [ə'fekʃən]

n. ①爱, 慈爱, 感情 ②(常用复数)爱慕, 钟爱之情 ③影响

//affective *a.* 感情的, 表达感情的 //affectionate

a. 亲爱的, 挚爱的

affiliate [ə'fɪlieɪt]

vt. / *vi.* ①(使……)加入, 联合 ②(with)使隶属于

affinity [ə'fɪnɪti]

n. ①密切关系, 姻亲关系 ②吸引力 ③(化学)亲和力

He was the only friend of Max with whom I felt an affinity.

There is (a) close affinity between Italian and Spanish.

Early man shows certain affinities with the ape.

affirm [ə'fɜ:m]

vt. 肯定, 断言

She affirmed her innocence.

He affirmed that he was responsible.

affirmative

a. 肯定的

afflict [ə'fɪlɪkt]

vt. 使痛苦, 使苦恼

//affliction *n.* 痛苦, 苦恼

affluent ['æfluənt] *a.* 富裕的, 富足的

In Elk Grove, California, an affluent suburb of Sacramento, black parents were shocked, angry, and in tears when they learned of the low test

scores of their kids.

afford [ə'fɔ:d]

vt. ①担负得起, 买得起, 花得起(时间)(与 can, could, be able to 连用) ②提供, 给予

We also asked if they would be interested in doing it for free, as we couldn't afford to pay them at the time, and bless them, they were.

//affordable *a.* 负担得起的, 便宜的

aftermath ['ɑ:təmæθ]

n. 后果, 余波

Only in the aftermath of the Iraqi invasion are people becoming aware they have been misled.

agenda [ə'dʒendə]

n. 议事日程

In that sense, the real agenda of the left politicians on the 9-11 commission is to justify hating the solution.

aggravate ['ægrəveɪt]

vt. 加剧, 恶化, 加重

//aggravating *a.* 恼人的, 讨厌的

aggregate ['ægrɪgeɪt]

n. 聚集体, 聚集物

The future is the aggregate of all tenable futures of individual selves.

//aggregation *n.* 集合, 群体

aggression [ə'greɪʃ(ə)n]

n. 进攻, 侵略

aggressive [ə'gresɪv]

a. ①进攻的, 侵略的, 好斗的 ②敢作敢为的, 有进取心的

//aggressively *ad.* ①侵略地 ②强劲地 //aggressiveness *n.* 侵略, 争斗

aghast [ə'gæst]

a. 惊骇的, 吓呆的

Anchorage School Superintendent Carol Comeau was aghast when she heard about the governor's remarks.

agile [ædʒaɪl]

a. 敏捷的, 活泼轻快的

//agility *n.* 敏捷, 活泼

fragile ['frædʒaɪl]

a. 易碎的, 脆的

//fragility *n.* 脆弱

agitate ['ædʒɪteɪt]

vt. / *vi.* ①鼓动, 煽动 ②拌搅, 摇动

The washing machine agitates the load of laundry.

//agitation ['ædʒi'teɪʃən]

n. ①搅动 ②激动, 烦乱 ③鼓动, 骚动

She was in a state of great agitation.

agonize ['æɡənaɪz]

vt. ①使受苦(身体上) ②使苦闷(精神上)

agony ['æɡəni]

n. 苦恼, 痛苦

The wounded child is crying on and off in agony.

agreeable ['əɡriəbl]

a. ①令人愉快的, 惬意的 ②易相处的

Kunming is known for its agreeable climate.

//disagreeable **a.** 不令人喜欢的, 令人厌恶的

aide

[eid] **n.** 助手, 副官

ailment ['eɪlmənt]

n. 疾病(尤指轻病、小病)

aim [eɪm]

vt./vi. ①(以枪等)瞄准, 把……对准 ②旨在, 目的在于

n. 目的, 目标

It was our aim to complete the work before the end of the month.

She was aiming for a promotion

air [eə]

n. ①空气, 大气, 天空 ②神气, 架子

vt. ①(指衣服, 被褥等)风干, 晾(干) ②使(房间等)通风

There was an air of tension at the meeting.

He has a triumphant air.

//airborne **a.** 空气传播的, 空运的, 空降的

ajar [ə'dʒɑ:(r)]

a. (门、窗等)微开的

She left the door ajar.

alcoholic ['ælkə'hɒlɪk]

a. ①酒精的, 含酒精的 ②由酒精引起的

alert [ə'leɪt]

a. 提防的, 警惕的, 机灵的

n. ①警惕 ②警报

Computer users should be alert to the potential threat from viruses.

The government is on the alert and will take the necessary steps to maintain security and stability.

alien ['eɪljən]

a. ①外国的 ②不同性质的, 相异的

n. 外国人, 外侨

//salient **a.** 显著的, 突出的

alienate ['eɪliəneɪt]

v. 使疏远, 离间

This alienates the local population, providing fresh recruits for the insurgency.

alignment [ə'laɪnmənt]

n. 排成直线, 结盟

allege [ə'ledʒ]

vt. 断言, 声称

He was alleged to have passed on information to the newspapers.

allegory ['ælɪɡəri; (US) 'ælɪɡɔ:ri]

n. 寓言

My answer, my discovery, is best exemplified by way of allegory.

alleviate [ə'li:vieɪt]

vt. 减轻(痛苦等), 缓解, 缓和

The medicine alleviated his pain but did not cure his illness.

alliance [ə'laɪəns]

n. 联盟, 同盟

The two small countries entered into an alliance to defend the area against any enemy.

allied [ə'laid]

a. 联合的, 同盟的

alliteration [ə,lɪtə'reɪf(ə)n]

n. 头韵

allocate ['æləkeɪt]

vt. 分配, 配给, 拨出

For now, the city is borrowing from other parts of the budget, but it probably will allocate more money for gas in future budgets.

allot [ə'lɒt]

vt. 分配, 拨出

The city has allotted space to us. The government will allot more money for the housing project.

alloy ['ælɔɪ, ə'lɔɪ] **n.** 合金

allude [ə'lud]

v. 间接提到, 暗指

The story alluded to a mystery in his past.

allure [ə'ljʊə(r)]

v. 引诱

n. 诱惑, 吸引

ally [ə'lai]

vt. 使结盟 *n.* ①同盟国, 同盟者 ②支持者
//rally *n.* 集会

almighty [ɔl'maɪti] *a.* ①全能的, 万能的 ②很大的, 很强的

aloft [ə'lɒft]
ad. 在高空, 在空中

alongside [ə'lɒŋ'saɪd]
ad. 并排地, 并肩地 *prep.* 在……旁边, 与……并肩, 横靠(码头等)
They hitched Bettie's mare alongside Mr. Sam's mule.

aloof [ə'lʊf]
a. 远离的, 冷淡的, 漠不关心的
The results say Kerry's reputation for being aloof may be a hurdle, even among groups that traditionally support Democrats — namely unions.

alter ['ɔltə]
vt. / vi. 改变, 变更
The design of the machine must be altered to meet the new requirements.

alteration [ɔltə'reɪʃən]
n. 改变, 变更
She asked the tailor to make a few alternations to her dress.

alternate [ɔl'tənit]
a. 交替的, 轮流的
vt. / vi. ['ɔltəneɪt] 交替, 轮流
Professor Smith and Professor Brown will alternate in giving the class lectures.
The weather today will alternate between fine and cloudy.
//alternately *ad.*

alternative [ɔl'təneɪtɪv]
a. 二中选一的
n. 可供选择的事物, 抉择对象, 替换物
When traveling, you are advised to take travelers' checks, which provide a secure alternative to carrying your money in cash.
//alternately *ad.* 交替地, 隔一个地 //alternation
n. 交替, 轮流

altitude ['æltɪtjuːd]
n. 高度(尤其指海拔)
This spy plane flew at such great speeds and altitude that it was never shot down while in flight.
//latitude *n.* 纬度 //platitude *n.* 陈词滥调

altruism ['æltrʊɪz(ə)m]
n. 利他主义

altruistic [æltrʊ'ɪstɪk]
a. 利他的, 无私心的

alumnus [ə'lʌmnəs]
n. 男校友

alumna *n.* 女校友

amalgamate [ə'mælgəmeɪt]
v. 混合, 合并

amass [ə'mæs]
vt. 收集, 积聚
This would enable a candidate to amass enough votes and quash any further opposition.

amateur ['æmətəː]
a. 业余的, 外行的
n. 业余爱好者
Only amateur may compete in the Olympic Games.

amaze [ə'meɪz]
vt. 使惊愕, 使惊叹, 使惊奇
I was so amazed at the news that I didn't know what to say.
//amazement *n.* 惊愕, 惊异 //amazing *a.* 令人惊异的

ambassador
n. 大使, 专使
South Korea has recalled its ambassador to Japan in a row over a controversial history textbook.

ambient ['æmbɪənt]
a. 周围的, 包围着的, 大气的
The ambient air about the earth is called the atmosphere.
//ambience *n.* 周围环境, 气氛

ambiguous [æm'bigjuəs]
a. 含糊的, 模棱两可的
Of course, the issue of identity, a profoundly ambiguous matter for Egypt, was inescapably and deeply political.

ambition [æm'bɪʃən]
n. 雄心, 野心, 抱负
The climbers realized their ambition by reaching the summit of the mountain.
He has an ambition for power.

ambitious [æm'bɪʃəs]
a. 有雄心的, 有野心的
On the whole, ambitious students are much more

likely to succeed in their studies than are those with little ambition.

ambivalent [æm'bi:vələnt]

a. 有矛盾情绪的

He is ambivalent towards private enterprise.

//ambivalence *n.* 矛盾心理

amenable [ə'minəb(ə)l]

a. ①经得起检验的 ②顺从的,应服从的

Once his daughter was taken hostage, he would be more amenable to their demands.

amend [ə'mend]

vt. 修改,修正

The constitution has been amended several times.

//amendment [ə'mendmənt] *n.* ①改正,修正,改善 ②修正案//amendment *n.* 宪法修正案

ambulance ['æmbjuləns]

n. 救护车,救护船,救护飞机

amenity [ə'mɪnɪti]

n. ①生活福利设施,文娱康乐场所,方便设施 ②愉快,适意

Stadiums and gymnasiums are just some of the town's local amenities.

amiable ['eɪmiəb(ə)l]

a. 亲切的,和蔼可亲的

He seems to be an amiable man.

amiable ['æmikəb(ə)l]

a. 友善的,和平的,和睦的

The two neighbors came to an amiable decision about the fence.

amid [ə'mɪd]

prep. 在……中,在……当中

Both the last two winners were announced amid shouts that they represented a brave new literary generation.

amnesia [æm'nɪzjə; (US) æm'nɪzə]

n. 健忘症

amnesty ['æmnesti]

n. 大赦

The president can't blame his critics for thinking that this is an amnesty born of election-year expediency.

amount [ə'maʊnt]

vi. (与介词 to 连用) 合计,等于,相当于 *n.* 总额,数量

In what amount to a last minute stay of execu-

tion, a council announced that emergency funding would keep alive two aging satellites.

ample ['æmpl]

a. ①充分的,富裕的 ②宽敞的,宽大的

The more than 50,000 nuclear weapons in the hands of various nations today are more than ample to destroy every city in the world several times over.

//trample *vt.* 践踏,踩坏

amplify ['æmplɪfaɪ]

vt. 放大,增强

He amplified his statements with more data.

//amplification *n.* 扩大

analogy [ə'nælədʒi]

n. 类比,比拟

He often draws an analogy between the human heart and a pump.

//analogous *a.* 类似的

analysis [ə'næləsɪs]

n. 分析,分解

Upon further analysis, we concluded that the local economy would pick up soon.

analyst ['ænəlist] *n.* ①分析家,化验员 ②心理分析学家

analytic(al) [,ænə'litik(əl)]

a. 分析的,分解的

analyze, analyse ['ænəlaɪz]

vt. 分析,分解

//psychoanalysis *n.* 心理分析

anarchist ['ænəkɪst]

n. 无政府主义者

anarchy ['æneki]

n. 无政府,混乱

IRAQ would be left in a state of anarchy if coalition troops were withdrawn now, Foreign Minister Alexander Downer said today.

anatomy [ə'nætəmi]

n. 解剖,解剖学

ancestor ['ænsɪstə]

n. 祖先,祖宗

//ancestral *a.* 祖先的,祖传的//ancestry ['ænsɪstri]

n. ①祖先 ②世系

ancillary [æn'sɪləri]

a. 辅助的

Auctioning off some of the foundation's ancillary collections—some 5,200 objects and documents—could also generate cash.

anecdotal [ˌænek'dɔːtəl]

a. 轶闻的,多轶事趣闻的

anecdote *n.* 短故事,轶事

He ended it with a long anecdote about his days as a young athlete.

anesthesia [ˌænəs'tiːziə]

n. 麻醉

anesthetic *n.* 麻醉剂,麻药

anguish [ˈæŋɡwɪʃ]

n. 极度的痛苦,苦闷

She was in anguish over her father's death.

angular [ˈæŋɡjʊlə(r)]

a. 有角的,尖角的

//rectangular *a.* 矩形的,成直角的

animated [ˈænimetɪd]

a. 活泼的,有生气的

annals [ˈæn(ə)lz]

n. 编年史

The annals of the organization are kept in notebooks.

annex [æˈneks]

vt. 兼并,附加

They annexed the conquered territory to their country.

annihilation [əˈnaɪəˈleɪʃən]

n. 歼灭

//annihilate *vt.* 消灭,消减

anniversary [ˌæniˈvɜːsəri]

n. 周年(纪念日)

John's parents will celebrate their wedding anniversary in April.

annotate [ˈænəuteɪt]

v. 注解,注释

announce [əˈnaʊns]

vt. ①通告,宣布,发表 ②报告……的来到

The president of the firm announced to the employees that there would be a bonus.

announcement [əˈnaʊnsmənt]

n. ①布告,通告 ②预告,声明

announcer [əˈnaʊnsə]

n. 宣告者,广播员,报幕员

annoy [əˈnoi]

vt. ①使烦恼,使生气 ②打搅

He was annoyed with his wife because the dinner was badly cooked.

//annoying *a.* ①恼人的,讨厌的 ②使人愤怒的

annual [ˈænjʊəl]

a. ①每年的,年度的 ②一年生的

n. ①一年生植物 ②年刊,年鉴

She is planning on going to the company's annual meeting.

annually [ˈænjʊəli]

ad. 每年地,一年生地

//anomalous [əˈnɒmələs]

a. 反常的,不规则的

anomaly [əˈnɒməli]

n. 异常,不规则,异常的人或物

An industry expert called the whole affair an anomaly.

anonymous [əˈnɒnɪməs]

a. ①无名的,匿名的 ②无特色的

He agreed to speak to the Chronicle on condition that he remain anonymous.

Both diplomats asked to remain anonymous.

antagonism [ænˈtæɡənɪzəm]

n. 对抗,对抗性

The western countries have a deep-rooted antagonism to communism.

antedate [æntɪˈdeɪt]

v. 提早日期

antenna [ænˈtenə]

n. (～e [ænˈtenɪː]) ①触须,触角 ②天线

anthem [ˈæntəm]

n. 圣歌,赞美歌

anthology [ænˈθɒlədʒi]

n. 诗集,文选

A splendid anthology of 125 old master and modern prints, dating from around 1465 to 1947, with prizes not easily seen elsewhere.

anthropologist [ˌænrəˈpɒlədʒɪst]

n. 人类学家,人类学者

//anthropology [ˌænrəˈpɒlədʒi]

n. 人类学

antibiotic [ˌæntɪbaɪˈɒtɪk]

a. 抗菌的,抗生的

//antibiotics *n.* 抗生素

anticipate [æŋˈtɪsɪpeɪt]

vt. 预期, 预料, 预感, 期望
 We anticipate his winning the prize.
 Jim did not anticipate any trouble, but we considered everything carefully and expected the worst.
 //anticipation **n.** 期望, 预料

antiquated ['æntikweɪtɪd]
a. 陈旧的, 过时的

antique [æn'tɪk]
a. 古代的, 旧式的 **n.** 古物, 古董
 The old gentleman looked like a comic antique.
 //antiquity **n.** ①古迹, 古物 ②古代 ③古老

antiseptic [ˌæntɪ'septɪk]
n. 杀菌剂, 防腐剂

antonym ['æntənɪm]
n. 反义词

anxious ['æŋkʃəs]
a. ①忧虑的, 担心的, 焦急的 ②渴望的, 切盼的
 The farmers were more anxious for rain than the people in the city because they had more at stake.
 //anxiously **ad.** 忧虑地, 不安地

apathy ['æpəθi]
n. 冷漠, 无兴趣
 His apathy towards the proposal was annoying.

aperture ['æptʃʊə(r)]
n. 开口, 孔

aphorism ['æfərɪz(ə)m]
n. 警句, 格言

apologize [ə'pɒlədʒaɪz]
vi. 道歉, 认错
 You must apologize to your sister for being so rude.

apology [ə'pɒlədʒi]
n. 道歉, 认错, 歉意
 Jim made an apology to his teacher for his rude behavior.
 //apologetic **a.** 道歉的, 认错的

appall [ə'pɔːl]
vt. 使惊骇, 使恐怖
 It appalled them that no preparations had been made.
 //appalling **a.** 令人震惊的, 骇人听闻的

appeal [ə'piːl]
vi. ①要求, 呼吁 ②对……有吸引力 ③上诉, 申诉
n. ①要求, 呼吁 ②吸引力 ③上诉, 申诉

Although his lawyer felt very bad about the verdict, he advised him not to appeal the case.
 The prisoner appealed to the judge for mercy.
 //appealing **a.** 动人的, 媚人的

appease [ə'piːz]
vt. 使平静, 满足
 The angry passenger was appeased by their apologies.

appetite ['æpɪtaɪt]
n. ①欲望, 爱好, 要求 ②食欲, 胃口
 He has a great appetite for knowledge.

applaud [ə'plɔːd]
vt. / vi. 鼓掌, 欢呼, 称赞, 喝采
 We applaud you for your courage.

appliance [ə'plaiəns]
n. 用具, 装置, 设备
 Today, housework has been made much easier by electrical appliances.

applicant ['æplɪkənt] **n.** 申请人

application [ˌæpli'keɪʃən]
n. ①请求, 申请(书) ②应用, 运用 ③施用, 敷用
 This simple circuit will find many applications as a Battery eliminator for low power requirements

apply [ə'plai]
vi. / vt. ①请求, 申请 ②适用, 应用, 运用
 In this way they can better apply theory to practice.
 The rules of safe driving apply to everyone.

appoint [ə'pɔɪnt]
vt. ①安排, 指定, 约定(时间、地点) ②任命, 委派
 The manager was told when he was appointed that this was a pressure job.

appointment [ə'pɔɪntmənt]
n. ①任命, 选派 ②约会, 预约
 Now you can make an appointment to see your doctor through an online agency.
 //disappointment **n.** 失望

apportion [ə'pɔːʃ(ə)n]
vt. (按比例或计划)分配
 The funds were apportioned among the various departments.

appraisal [ə'preɪzəl]
n. 估价, 评价

appraise [ə'preɪz]
v. 估计, 评价
 The house was appraised at 250,000 dollars.

appreciable [ə'pri:ʃəbl]

a. 可以觉察的, 可估计的

appreciate [ə'pri:ʃieit]

vt. / vi. ①正确评价, 欣赏, 赏识 ②感谢, 感激

We appreciate your helping us.

//appreciation [ə'pri:ʃi'eɪʃən]

n. ①评价, 欣赏 ②珍惜, 感激 ③ [价格等] 上涨

They expressed their appreciation to their teacher for her coaching.

apprehend [æpri'hend]

v. ①逮捕 ②领会, 理解 ③忧虑, 畏惧

At last, I apprehended his meaning.

apprehension [æpri'hens(ə)n]

n. ①担心, 害怕 ②理解

apprehensive [æpri'hensiv]

a. 恐惧的, 忧虑的, 担心的

It was chilly and I felt apprehensive as I made my way across the bare floors and downstairs in my socks soles.

apprentice [ə'prentis] *n.* 学徒, 徒弟

approach [ə'prəʊtʃ]

vi. / vt. 靠近, 接近, 临近

n. 方法, 途径, 探讨

I need to change my approach to the problem because I cannot solve it like this.

//approaching *a.* 接近的, 逼近的

appropriate [ə'prəʊpriit]

a. 适当的, 恰如其分的

Plain, simple clothes are appropriate for school wear.

//appropriately *ad.* 适当地 //appropriation *n.* 拨款

approval [ə'pru:vəl]

n. ①赞成, 同意 ②批准, 认可

//disapproval *n.* 不赞成

approve [ə'pru:v]

vt. / vi. ①赞成, 满意, 同意 ②批准, 通过, 审定

The city council approved the building plan.

I don't approve of your way of looking at things.

//approver *n.* 批准者, 赞成者 //approvingly *ad.* 赞成地, 称许地

approximate [ə'prɒksɪmɪt]

a. 近似的, 大约的 *vt. / vi.* [ə'prɒksɪmeɪt] 近似, 接近

We can only give you the approximate number of

refugees crossing the border at the moment.

approximately [ə'prɒksɪmɪtli] *ad.* 近似地, 大约

apt [æpt]

a. ①(习性)易于……的, 有……倾向的 ②恰当的, 适宜的

He is a clever boy but apt to get into mischief.

//aptly *ad.* 恰当地, 得体地

aptitude [ˈæptɪtʃʊd]

n. ①才能 ②自然倾向

He shows an aptitude for languages.

aquatic [ə'kwætɪk]

a. 水生的, 水栖的, 水中或水上的

aquarium *n.* 水族馆

Arabian [ə'reɪbjən] *n.* 阿拉伯人 *a.* 阿拉伯(人)的

arable ['ærəb(ə)l]

a. 适于耕作的, 可耕的

arbitrary ['ɑ:bitrəri]

a. ①任意的, 随心所欲的 ②专断的, 专横的

I was unaware of the critical points involved, so my choice was quite arbitrary.

//arbitrarily *ad.* 任意地, 专横地

arbitration [ɑ:bi'reɪʃ(ə)n]

n. 调停, 仲裁

//arbitrator *n.* 仲裁者

arch [ɑ:tʃ]

n. 拱门, 桥洞, 弓形结构, 拱形结构

vi. / vt. 拱起, (使)变成弓形

archaeology [ˌɑ:ki'ɒlədʒi] *n.* 考古学

archaic [ɑ:'keɪɪk]

a. 古代的, 古老的, 陈旧的, 过时的

It is a critically important tool in prosecuting a crime that is underreported because archaic prejudices make many women too fearful to report attacks.

archetype ['ɑ:kɪtaɪp]

n. 原型, 典型

Portrayals of chemistry in literature often rely on the old archetype of alchemists: sinister, dangerous, secretive, and possibly mad.

architect ['ɑ:kɪtekt]

n. 建筑师

architecture ['ɑ:kɪtektʃə]

n. ①建筑学 ②建筑式样, 建筑风格

//architectural *a.* 建筑上的, 建筑学的

arctic ['ɑ:ktɪk]