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内容提要

英语中有许许多多意思相同、相近的词汇和短语。在这些同义、近义词语中,哪些在意思和用法上完全相同,可以互换?哪些在意思和用法上差别较大,不能互换?哪些又是差别微妙,需要细加分辨的?哪些在某些场合可以互换,而在另外一些场合却又不能?哪些意思虽然相同,但所要求的句型结构或搭配关系却又不同?如此等等。对于诸如此类的问题,本书不仅从意思、用法上予以简要、精确的说明,更注意提供丰富的实例,使读者掌握这些词汇的具体应用情景和用法。本书内容较新,紧跟时代步伐;辨析有的放矢,针对性强,因而极具实用性。

本书共收录常用英语同义、近义词 700 组,主要用于具有初、中级以及更高英语水平的读者,是各类应试答疑解惑的必备用书,同时也是英语自学、教学及翻译者不可缺少的工具书。

○前言

无论是中学生、大学生,还是硕士、博士研究生等更高层次的英语学习者,在英语学习中都不可避免地会遇到一个相当棘手的问题,那就是在英语语言中存在的数量众多的意思相同、相近的词汇和短语。这些同义、近义词语的存在,既给英语增辉添彩,避免枯燥、单调和乏味,也给英语学习者带来不少困难。本书编者在长期的大学英语教学过程中,发现同学们由于在这方面出错率居高不下,英语学习也往往事倍功半、举步不前,而国内出版市场又难以找到针对性较强的参考书和资料。有感于此,编者们根据自己多年的英语教学实践和英语学习的切身感受,结合学生在英语学习过程中较常出现的问题,以水滴石穿、集腋成裘的精神,历经数年寒暑,搜集、整理、精选出常用的700组英语同义、近义词汇和短语,付梓成书。

本书对于在英语学习和考试中的常见同义、近义词汇和短语,力图从意思和用法上予以简明扼要的辨析,并提供相应的实例,使读者能从具体应用的语境中感知体察其异同,进而达到准确理解,并恰当、得体、自如运用的目的。此外,本书还针对读者在使用过程中常出现、易出现和可能出现的错误,对这些词语常用的句型结构、搭配关系、使用场合等,做了适当说明。

本书特点:

- 精选常用易混词汇和短语;
- 明晰词语异同,兼及常用句型结构、搭配关系和使用场合;
- 例句丰富,内容新颖,紧跟时代步伐;
- 从词语具体应用的语境中感知、体察其异同;
- 条目清晰,书后附有索引,查阅方便。

本书编者均为在英语教学方面积累了丰富教学经验的教师,在本书编纂过程中力求简明精当,力戒牵强附会、故弄玄虚。编者竭诚希望本书能对广大英语学习者和英语使用者提供切实有效的帮助。

由于编者水平所限,心诚有余而能力不足,疏漏和错误在所难免。诚望广大读者不吝赐教,予以指正。

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274. idea, ideology, concept, conception, notion, opinion, thought, view, point of view	(202)
275. if, as/so long as, assuming that, provided (that), providing (that), supposing (that), on condition that	(205)
276. if it were not for..., if it had not been for, only for, only that	(206)
277. if so, if not	(206)
278. if you/he/it/they... will..., if I/he/it, you...should..., if I/you/he/they... would.....	(206)
279. ignorant, illiterate, unlettered, uneducated	(207)
280. illuminate, illumine, bring to light, cast/shed/throw light on/upon, give light on, light up	(208)
281. illusion, delusion	(209)
282. immediately, the moment, the minute, the instant, the second	(209)
283. immunity, impunity	(209)
284. improve in, improve on/upon	(210)
285. in, into	(210)
286. in, inside (of), within	(211)
287. in behalf of, on behalf of, on one's behalf	(211)
288. in case that, in case of, in the case of, in the event (that), in the event of	(212)

289. (in) duty bound, (in) honor bound	(213)
290. in the evening, on the evening of, towards evening, on the eve of	(214)
291. in the field, in the fields, at the field, on the field	(214)
292. in the north, on the north, to the north, at the north	(215)
293. in spite of, despite, for all, for all that, with all, notwithstanding, regardless of, without regard for/to, without distinction of, without reference to, without respect to/of	(216)
294. in the street(s), on the street(s)	(217)
295. in view of, with...in view, with a view to, with a/the view of, considering(that), on account of, seeing that, taking into account/ consideration, in hopes of, in the hope (of)	(218)
296. in (the) water, above water, on the water, on the waters, out of (the) water, over the water, under water	(220)
297. incident, accident, event	(220)
298. incline, intend, tend	(221)
299. income, revenue, earning, proceeds	(222)
300. indeed, really	(222)
301. indorse/endorse, approve, consent	(223)
302. inn, hotel, pub, restaurant	(224)
303. instead of, in one's stead, in one's place, in (the) place of, for	(224)
304. intent, intention, purpose, aim	(225)
305. It is...for sb./sth. to do sth., It is...of sb. to do sth.	(226)
306. It's nice to do sth., It's...that, It's...for + object +to do sth., It seems that, It appears that, It is...doing sth., It is as if/though, It looks as if/though, It occurred to sb. that, It is...that...should	(227)
307. It's no use doing, There's no use (in) doing, etc.	(230)
308. It is (high) time sb. did sth., It is time (for sb.) to do sth.	(231)
309. It is said (that), It says, They/People say (that), I'm told that..., I hear (that)..., the story/saying goes (that)..., hear/tell/say/speak/talk	(231)
310. job, work, position, situation, place, vocation	(232)
311. join, combine, connect, associate, link, unite	(233)
312. jump the green light, jump a stop light, pass through the red light, run the red light, go through the red light, drive through a red light	(234)
313. just, just now, a moment ago, a few moments ago, a short time ago	(234)
314. keep one's bed, keep one's/the house, take to one's bed, be laid up, be confined to bed, be (ill) in bed (with a disease), be down (with a disease), come down (with a disease), go down (with a disease)	(235)
315. kill, assassinate, murder	(236)
316. kind, sort, class, description, nature, manner, type	(236)
317. kind of, sort of	(237)
318. know, know of, know about, know from, be known to, knowing to	(237)
319. known as, known by, known for	(238)
320. lack, want, need	(238)

321. lark about/around, horse about/around, ramp about/around, romp about/around	(240)
322. last, the last, the past	(240)
323. last, latest	(241)
324. late, later, latest, latter, last	(241)
325. lately, late, of late, recently	(242)
326. later, later on	(243)
327. leave, depart, go off, set off, set out, start, start off/out	(244)
328. leave, remain, stay	(244)
329. less, lesser	(251)
330. like, as	(252)
331. like, would like	(253)
332. limit, confine, restrict	(254)
333. live, live by, live off, live on, feed off, feed on/upon, dine off, eat off ...	(255)
334. locate, find, look for, seek for, seek out, search for	(256)
335. long, for a long time	(256)
336. lose ground to, lose out (to), lose to	(257)
337. lose heart, lose hope, lose one's heart to, be/feel let down	(257)
338. make as if, make a pretence of	(258)
339. make fun of, poke fun at, make mock/sport of, make game of, make a mockery/travesty of	(258)
340. make of, make out of, make up of, make from, make into, make sth. of sb./sth.	(259)
341. make good/effective use of, make full use of, make the best of, make the most of, make the best of it/of/a bad job	(259)
342. manage to do, succeed in doing, attempt to do, try to do, was/were able to do, (be) capable of	(260)
343. many, much, a lot (of), lots (of), plenty (of), a great deal (of), a large number (of)	(261)
344. the matter (with), wrong (with)	(262)
345. mature, ripe	(263)
346. may/might well (do), may/might as well (do), may as well...as, might as well...as	(263)
347. meanwhile, meantime, in the meanwhile, in the meantime, at the same time, simultaneously	(264)
348. meet, meet with, meet up with, bump into, bang into, barge into, knock up against, run into, run up against, chance on/upon, come/run/drop across, happen on/upon, come on/upon, encounter, stumble across/on/upon/onto, tumble on/upon	(265)
349. mix, blend, mingle, merge	(267)
350. more often than not, as often as, as often as not, often as, once too often, every so often	(267)
351. much/still more, even/much/still less	(268)
352. must do, must have done	(268)
353. mustn't, don't need to, needn't, don't have to, be to	(269)

354. name after, name for, name... as..., name...to...	(270)
355. near, nearby	(270)
356. near (to), next door to, next to, not far from, close on/upon, close to/by	(271)
357. nearly, not nearly, nowhere near, far from	(273)
358. neglect, ignore, disregard, overlook	(273)
359. neglectful, negligent, negligible	(274)
360. neighborhood, vicinity	(274)
361. neither, nor	(275)
362. never...but, never/not...without, hardly... but	(276)
363. new, novel, original	(277)
364. next, the next	(277)
365. no, none	(278)
366. no, none(of), neither, no-one, not any (of), not one (of)	(278)
367. no better than, not better than	(280)
368. no...but, not ...but, nothing so...but	(280)
369. no less than, no fewer than, not less than	(280)
370. no longer, not any longer, no more, not ...any more	(281)
371. no more...than, not ...any more than, not more... than	(282)
372. no other than, no other but, none other than, no less a person than, who/what...but	(282)
373. no wonder, it's no wonder, (it's) small wonder, it's not surprising	(283)
374. not a bit, not a little, not ...in the least, not the least, not/no at all, not the less	(283)
375. not only...but (also), as well as, both...and	(284)
376. not/no...till/until, not ...before	(285)
377. not to mention, not to speak of, to say nothing of, not to say, still/even/much less, much/still more, needless to say, let alone	(286)
378. now that, seeing/considering that, since	(287)
379. nowadays, today	(288)
380. oblige, obligate, compel, force, make	(289)
381. obscure, vague, ambiguous, unclear, dim	(290)
382. often, frequently	(291)
383. old, olden	(291)
384. on to, onto	(292)
385. one, you	(292)
386. one's own, of one's own, on one's own	(293)
387. only, alone, lone, lonely	(294)
388. only(ad.), but, mere, merely	(295)
389. only that, only for, except that, except for	(295)
390. only too, all too, but too, much/far too	(296)
391. open, opened	(297)
392. opportunity, possibility, probability	(297)
393. oppose, object, be (up) against, not approve of	(298)
394. originate from, originate in, originate with	(298)