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前 言

《现代英语近义词词典》是一本供中学生、大学生、研究生、英语教学工作以及广大英语爱好者使用的实用性较强的工具书,是一本较全、较新的英语近义词词典。它是由几位有丰富教学经验的英语教师在教学之余编写而成。共收近义词 681 组, 2,194 个单词, 4,300 多个例句, 每个例句附汉语翻译, 书后附有索引, 便于查找。

我们编写这本词典的主要目的是想帮助学生、教师和英语爱好者解决学习和运用英语语言时遇到的一些语言文字方面的问题。有的时候, 我们查过一般性词典后, 会发现对一组词的区别依旧不甚了解。大学英语四、六级测试题第三部分结构与词汇也有辩义题。为了帮助读者解决学习和运用英语词汇, 避免误用近义词, 提高读者运用英语的能力, 我们编写了这本词典。相信这本词典会成为您的良师益友。

这本词典在编写上力求精简、实用; 在释义方面, 力求准确、简洁, 以提供主要信息为主, 让读者一下就能抓住并掌握其要点。这也是我们这本词典与其它同类词典的不同之处。

因为这本词典的主要服务对象是学生, 所以我们加进了一些学生易混, 但在母语是英语的国家里不列为近义词之列的词条, 如 medicine、capsule、drug、pill、tablet; 这几个词不算近义词, 但如此归类, 读者既可了解区别, 又可增加词汇量, 一举两得。

在编写过程中,我们参考了大量的中外文工具书和参考资料,其中包括:Webster's New World Dictionary、Oxford Advanced Learner's Dictionary of Current English、Family Word Finder、Cassell's Modern Guide to Synonyms and Related Words、Use the Right Word—A Modern Guide to Synonyms、the Reader's Digest、以及《新英汉辞典》、《远东英汉大辞典》、《简明英语常用同义词例解》和国家教委规定的四套现行大学英语教材等。

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