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* **abbreviation** [əbrɪˈviːʃən] n. 缩写词 :Jan is the abbreviation for January. Jan 是 January 的缩写。

考点 abbreviation for [of] :.....的缩写

* **abide** [əˈbaɪd] vt. 容忍 :I can not abide him. 我对他忍无可忍。

考点 abide by 遵守 履行

* **abnormal** [əbˈnɔːməl] a. 反常的, 异常的 :We do not think such an abnormal phenomenon will last long.

辨析 abnormal / irregular: abnormal 指超过或低于所认定的正常标准, 如: Seven feet is an abnormal height for a person. 一个人 7 英尺高是异常的。 irregular 指不合常规, 非正规的, 如: She has irregular habits. 她生活没有规律。

* **abolish** [əˈbɒlɪʃ] vt. 彻底废除, 废止 :abolish slavery 废除奴隶制

辨析 abolish / cancel / extinguish :abolish 多指废除法律, 习惯, 习俗, 制度等。如: These superstitious practices should be abolished as soon as possible. 这些迷信做法应尽早取消。cancel 指取消已经安排好的计划、预定好的事情等。如: The performances were cancelled because the leading man was ill. 因为男主角病了, 所以演出取消。extinguish 指用压服性的武力等手段使之毁灭, 如: You may extinguish a nation, but not the love of liberty. 你可以消灭一个国家, 但不能消灭对自由的热爱。

* **abortion** [əˈbɔːʃən] n. 流产 堕胎 失败 :His attempt proved

an abortion

- * **abound** [ə'baʊnd] vi. ① 大量存在: Natural resources abound in our country. ② 充满, 富于: That region abounds with rain all the year round.

考点 abound in [with] 盛产, 富于, 充满

辨析 abound / swarm / overflow: abound 指数量、数目的充分, 通常强调“丰富的”, 例: This river abounds with fish. 这条河里鱼很多。swarm 充满, 挤满, 常表示成群出现, 例: The garden was swarmed with bees. 蜜蜂在花园里成群地飞来飞去。overflow 充满, 溢出, 该词在 abound 的基础上又增加了“超出”的含义, 有时暗示过多地供应, 例: The market overflows with goods. 市场上商品过剩。

- * **abreast** [ə'brest] ad. 并列 并排: walk six abreast 6人并肩而行; keep abreast of the times in science 在科学方面与时俱进

考点 keep abreast of [with] 与……齐头并进 不落后于, 了解……的最新情况

- * **abrupt** [ə'brʌpt] a. ① 突然的, 意外的: an abrupt turn 急转弯 ② 举止、言谈等 唐突的, 鲁莽的: an abrupt manner 无礼的态度

辨析 abrupt / hasty / precipitate / sudden: abrupt 指完全缺少警告的行动, 例: an abrupt change in the weather 天气的突然变化。hasty 强调反应的迅速, 常表示缺乏考虑, 急躁而非冲动, 例: They shouldn't have made such a hasty decision. 他们本不该作出这样草率的决定。precipitate 特别强调缺乏适当的考虑, 有时表示不成熟, 从而特别用于决定或根据决定采取的行动, 例: They made a precipi-

tate decision. 他们作了一个轻率的决定。 sudden 常出人意料的含义 例 Her illness was very sudden - she was well yesterday. 她的病很突然, 她昨天好了。

- * **abstain** [əb'steɪn] vi ① 弃权 :She abstained from voting. 她弃权了。 戒除 :to abstain from smoking 戒烟

考点 abstain from 戒除 避开

辨析 abstain / refrain :abstain 指运用意志力避免去做尽管自己很想做, 但又深知是有害无益的事, 例 :For better health I have to abstain from drinking and smoking. 为了更健康, 我必须戒掉烟酒。 refrain 指克制做某事的欲望或冲动, 例 :He refrained from criticism out of regard for her feelings. 他为了顾及她的感情而克制住不去批评她。

- * **absurd** [əb'sɜ:d] a. 荒谬的, 荒唐的 :an absurd opinion 荒谬的见解

- * **abundance** [ə'bʌndəns] n. 大量, 丰富, 充足 :Maiden - hair trees grow in rich abundance in the area. 这个地区长着许多银杏树。

考点 ① in abundance 充足 丰富 ② an abundance of :丰富, 许多

- * **accessory** [æk'sesəri] n. ① 附件 零件 配件 :accessory of a bicycle 自行车的附件 ② [常 pl] 妇女手提包之类的) 装饰品 :a black dress with matching accessories 黑色女服, 并有相配的装饰品 ③ 同谋, 帮凶, 包庇犯 :an accessory to a crime 犯罪同伙

考点 be an accessory to ... :.....的同谋,的附件

- * **acclaim** [ə'kleɪm] vt. 向.....欢呼, 为.....喝彩, 称赞 :warmly acclaim the opening of the congress 热烈欢呼代表大

会的召开 n. 称赞 欢迎 :He deserves the acclaim he has received.

考点 acclaim...as... 称赞.....为.....

- * **accommodate** [ə'kɒmədeɪt] vt. ① 容纳 :Most hotel rooms accommodate two people. ② 向.....提供住处 (或膳宿) :accommodate sb. for the night 留某人住一夜 ③ 使适应, 顺应 :Wherever he goes, he readily accommodates to new circumstances.

考点 ① accommodate oneself to 使自己适应于 ② accommodate (sb.) with 向某人提供

辨析 accommodate / contain / hold ;accommodate 指方便或宽敞舒适地容纳, 例 :One flat can accommodate a family of five. 一套单元房可容纳一个五口之家. contain 表示所涉及物体往往是其组成部分或内容, 例 :Beer contains alcohol. 啤酒含有酒精. hold 经常与 contain 互换使用 但强调“能够容纳”或“有足够的容量”的含义 例 :The room can hold twenty people. 这屋子可容下 20 个人.

- * **accomplice** [ə'kɒmplɪs] n. 共犯, 从犯 :The police arrested him and his two accomplices.

- * **accountable** [ə'kauntəbl] a. 负有责任的 :Every person is accountable for his own work.

考点 ① be accountable for sth. 对(为)某事负责 ② be accountable to sb. 对某人负责

- * **ace** [eis] n. ①(纸牌等中的)幺点, “A”牌 :hold [have] the aces 手中握有 4 个王牌 (在竞争、比赛等中)占绝对优势 (网球等比赛中)发球得分 ③(在某方面的)佼佼者 :He is an ace at basketball. a. 第一流的, 杰出的 : an

ace skier 第一流的滑雪者

考点 ① an ace at ... (在某方面的)佼佼者 擅长.....的人 ② within an ace of ... : 差点, 几乎, 险些儿
place one's ace 打出 A牌 使出绝招

* **acoustic** [ə'kʊstɪk] a. ① 听觉的, 声音的: the acoustic nerve 听觉神经 (乐器)原声的: an acoustic guitar 原声吉他

* **acquaint** [ə'kweɪnt] vt. 使认识, 使了解, 使熟悉 Let me acquaint you with the facts.

考点 ① acquaint oneself with 熟悉, 了解 ② acquaint sb. with 把.....通知 告诉 某人 使某人了解 ③ be[get] acquainted with 认识(某人)熟悉(某事)

辨析 acquaint / inform / notify : acquaint 强调使某人了解他以前不了解的事实或情况, 例: My mother acquainted him with my intention. 我母亲把我的意图告诉了他。 inform 强调把事实或消息直接告诉或传递给某人, 例: The headmaster informed us that the school would be closed for one day next week. 校长告诉我们下星期学校将停一天课。 notify 指通过官方或正式的书面通知把应该或需要知道的事情告知某人, 例: The college notified him that he was awarded a scholarship. 学院正式通知他他已获得了奖学金。

* **acquit** [ə'kwɪt] vt. ① 宣判.....无罪 'acquit a person of a crime 宣判某人无罪 ② 使(自己)做出某种表现: He acquitted himself rather badly.

考点 ① acquit sb. of (a crime) 宣判某人无(罪) ② acquit oneself (well, ill): 表现得(好, 坏) ③ acquit oneself

of (one's duty) 履行(诺言等)完成(任务等)

- * **activate** ['æktiveit] vt. 使活动起来, 使开始起作用:
Treading on any part of this floor activates the alarm system. //
be activated by selfish motives 在自私动机的驱使下
- * **activist** ['æktivist] n. (政治活动的) 积极分子, 活动家:
party activist 政党积极分子
- * **addict** ['ædikt] n. ① 有瘾的人: a heroin addict 吸海洛因
上瘾的人 ② 入迷的人: a work addict 工作迷; a confirmed
television addict 十足的电视迷
- * **addict** [ə'dikt] vt. 使成瘾 使入迷: The children are addict-
ed to computer games.

考点 ① addict oneself to 沉溺于 醉心于 ② be addicted
to: 嗜好 热中

- * **additive** ['æditiv] n. 添加剂: additive-free foods 无添加
剂食品
- * **adhere** [əd'hiə] vi. ① 粘附 附着 The mud adhered to his
feet. ② 遵守, 坚持: strictly adhere to neutrality 严守中立
③ 追随 支持: adhere to the Democratic Party 拥护民主党

考点 adhere to 粘附 依附 坚持

辨析 adhere / stick 这两个词都可表示“粘着”和“坚
持”, stick 为一般用语, 例: Make sure that everyone sticks
to the agreement. 要确保大家都信守协议。 adhere 为正
式用语, 在严肃场合替代 stick 例: Churchill firmly adhered
to his announced aim of winning the war. 邱吉尔坚持他所
宣告的赢得战争的目标。

- * **adhesive** [əd'hi:siv] n. 粘合剂 quick-drying adhesives 快
干胶 a. 可粘着的 粘性的: adhesive tape 胶带

* **adjacent** [ədʒesənt] a. 邻近的, 毗连的 :the city and adjacent suburbs 城市和附近的郊区

考点 be adjacent to 邻近的 紧接着的

* **adjoin** [ə'dʒɔɪn] vt. 贴近, 与……毗连 :The playing field adjoins the school.

* **adjourn** [ə'dʒɔ:n] v. (使)休会 (使)休庭 :The meeting will be adjourned till next Wednesday.

考点 ① adjourn for an hour/for lunch 休会一小时/吃午饭

② adjourn...until/till. :将……延期至……

* **administer** [əd'mɪnɪstə] vt. ① 掌管, 料理……的事务 :administer the country 管理国家 ② 施行, 实施 :administer justice 执行法律 ③ 给予, 派给, 投(药) administer medicine to a patient 给病人吃药 administer relief to flood sufferers 赈济水灾难民

考点 administer to :有助于, 照顾……的需要

* **admiral** ['ædmərəl] n. 海军将领, 舰队司令 :fleet admiral (美国)海军五星上将 海军元帅

* **adolescent** [ˌædəu'lesnt] n. 青少年 a. 青春期的, 青少年的 :adolescent instability 青年的不稳定性

* **adore** [ə'dɔ:] vt. ① 崇拜, 敬慕, 爱慕 :He gave her an adoring look. ② 非常喜欢 :She adores going to the volleyball match.

考点 adore + n./doing 非常喜欢

* **adorn** [ə'dɔ:n] vt. 装饰, 使生色 :The platform was adorned with flowers.

考点 ① adorn + with ... :用……装饰…… ② adorn oneself with (jewels) :佩戴(宝石)

辨析 adorn / decorate / ornament : adorn 指用漂亮的装饰品进行装饰, 较为正式, 一般用于人, 例: She likes to adorn herself with jewels. 她喜欢佩戴珠宝。decorate 用法较为普通, 指给本来不美的或单调的事物增添某些东西, 使其变的赏心悦目, 例: The children decorated the house for Christmas. 孩子们装饰房屋迎接圣诞节。ornament 强调永久性地装饰某物, 尤其指利用适合于陪衬某物使之增加美感的東西来装饰, 例: ornament a hall with paintings 用画装饰大厅。

* advent ['ædvənt] n. 出现, 到来 : with the advent of spring 随着春天的到来

考点 ① at the advent of ... 在.....到来/出现时 ② since the advent of ... 自从.....问世/出现以来

辨析 advent / arrival : advent 往往指重要事件、时期或季节的出现或到来, 例 : Now, with the advent and popularity of the home computer, its advantages and disadvantages have been a subject of discussion. 现在, 随着家用电脑的再现和普及, 电脑的优缺点一直是人们讨论的话题。arrival 表示“到来 出现”时 是一般用语 无特殊意义 例 : The arrival of the train was delayed. 那列火车晚点到达。

* adversary ['ædvəsəri] n. 对手 敌手 : a well - matched adversary 旗鼓相当的对 手 ; an imaginary adversary 假想的敌人

辨析 adversary / opponent : adversary 是指公开怀有敌意的对手, 例 : Great Britain and Germany were adversaries in the Second World War. 英国与德国在第二次世界大战中曾互为敌国。opponent 指在辩论、比赛或其他竞争中的对

手或对某计划、议案、主张等持反对意见的人 但并不含有个人的恶意,例:We beat our opponents at football. 我们在足球赛中击败了对手。

* **adverse** ['ædvə:s] a. 不利的,有害的:in adverse conditions 在逆境中 // have an adverse effect on 对……有不利影响

考点 be adverse to 跟……相反 不利于 反对

* **aerial** ['eəriəl] a. ① 飞机的,航空的,由飞机进行的:an aerial attack 空袭; 空中的,架空的:aerial rope 空中索道 aerial survey 空中测量 n. 天线:communal aerial 公[共]用天线;exterior aerial 室外天线

* **aesthetic** [i:s'tetik] (同 esthetic) a. ① 美学的,审美的:aesthetic standards 美学标准;an aesthetic person 有美感的人 ② 悦目的,雅致的:aesthetic design 美观的设计

* **affiliate** [ə'filiət] vt. 使隶属(或附属)于:This hospital is affiliated with that university.

考点 ① affiliate (oneself) with 隶属于 加入 ② be affiliated with 与……有关系,隶属于

* **affiliate** [ə'filiit] n. 附属机构 分公司 affiliate members 会员

* **affirm** [ə'fɜ:m] vt. ① 断言 坚持声称 affirm one's loyalty to one's country 声言忠于祖国 ② 证实 确认:The minister affirmed the government's intention to reduce taxes.

辨析 affirm / confirm ;affirm 指断言或申明自己的话为事实,例:She affirmed that she was telling the truth. 她申明说她是在讲真话。confirm 是对已经说过的话进一步证实或认可,例:He said he would accept the job, so we asked him to confirm in writing. 他说他将接受这工作 所以我们

请他用书面加以证实。

- * **afflict** ['æfɪkt] vt. 使苦恼, 折磨: be afflicted with a conscience 受良心的指责

考点 be afflicted with 为……所折磨 苦于……

- * **affluent** ['æfluənt] a. 富裕的, 充足的: the affluent society 富裕的社会

- * **aftermath** ['æftəməθ, 'ɑ:ftəmæθ] n. 后果, 余波: the aftermath of the war 战争的后果

- * **aggravate** ['ægrəveɪt] vt. ① 加重, 加剧, 使恶化: Grief aggravated her illness. ② 激怒, 使恼火: Threats will only aggravate her.

考点 be aggravated at sth. 因某事而发怒 ② be aggravated with sb. 对某人感到恼火

- * **aggregate** ['ægrɪgɪt] n. 总数, 合计: The aggregate of all the gifts was over a hundred yuan. 礼品总值超过 100 元。a. 总计的 合计的: What were the company's aggregate earnings for the year?

考点 in (the) aggregate 总的说来 总计

- * **aggregate** ['ægrɪgeɪt] vt. ① 总计达, 合计: Her earnings from all sources aggregated \$ 100,000. 使聚集, 使积聚: aggregate riches 聚集财富

- * **agitate** ['ædʒɪteɪt] vi. 煽动, 鼓动: agitate for a strike 鼓动罢工 vt. ① 搅动 摇动: The wind agitated the trees. 使焦虑不安 She was much agitated by the bad news.

考点 ① agitate for: 煽动 鼓动 ② agitate against: 鼓动反对 ③ be agitated about sth. 对某事感到焦急

- * **agony** ['æɡəni] n. (极度的) 痛苦, 创痛: He was in an agony

of remorse.

考点 ① be in agony 痛苦不安 ② in an agony of 处在极端……状态中

- * **agreeable** [ə'grɪəbl̩] a. ① 令人愉快的, 惬意的 :agreeable weather 宜人的天气 ② (欣然)同意的 乐意的 :We are all agreeable to do what you suggest.

考点 ① do the agreeable to 热情招待 和气对待 ② make oneself agreeable to sb. 热情招待某人 和蔼地对待某人

- * **aide** [eid] n. 助手, 副官 :a presidential aide 总统助理
- * **ailment** ['eɪlmənt] n. 小病 疾病 :a miner ailment 小病 微恙
- * **air-conditioning** ['eɪkənɪdɪʃənɪŋ] n. 空调设备 空调系统
- * **aisle** [aɪl] n. 过道, 通道 :Don't stand in the aisle. 别站在过道上。
- * **album** ['ælbəm] n. 粘贴簿 集邮簿 像册 :a commemorative album 纪念册 ; a photo album 影集
- * **alcoholic** [ˌælkə'hɒlɪk] a. ① 酒精的, 含酒精的 :an alcoholic drink 含酒精的饮料 ② 由酒精引起的 alcoholic self-pity 酒后自怜 n. 酗酒者
- * **alien** ['eɪljən] a. 外国的, 外国人的 : alien religious customs 外国的宗教习惯 ② 陌生的 :an alien environment 陌生的环境 ③ 性质不同的, 不相容的 :Their ideas are quite alien to our own. n. ① 外国人 外侨 :an illegal 非法侨民 外星人

考点 ① be alien to 与……相反 与……不符合 ② be alien from ... :与……不同

- * **alienate** ['eɪljəneɪt] vt. ① 使疏远, 使不友好, 离间 :She

was alienated from her friend by her foolish behavior. ② 转
让,让渡(财产等)

考点 alienate...from... 使疏远 离间

* **allege** [ə'ledʒ] vt. 断言 宣称 硬说 :The police allege that the man was murdered but they have given no proof.

* **alleviate** [ə'li:vieit] vt. 减轻, 缓解, 缓和 :We want to help alleviate their food shortage.

* **alley** ['æli] n. 小巷 胡同 :They lived in the same alley. 他们住在同一条小巷里。

* **allot** [ə'lɒt] vt. 分配, 拨出 :They allotted us three weeks to finish the job.

考点 in the allotted time 在规定的时间内

辨析 allocate / allot / assign : allocate 指为了具体目的按计划地分派任务, 配给物资, 尤其指经费, 例 : Even though the Red Cross had allocated a large sum for the relief of the sufferers of the disaster, many people perished 尽管红十字会拨出了很大一笔钱救济灾民, 但是仍有很多人死亡了。 allot 指将定额的东西有目的地分配给特定的人, 不强调分配方式, 此词还可用于分派任务, 分配时间等, 例 :The firm allotted a parking space to each employee. 公司给每个雇员分配一个停车处。 assign 强调根据计划或原则把东西、任务等分配给某人, 例 :The monitor was assigned to take notes for the meeting. 班长被分派作会议记录。

* **alloy** ['æloi] n. 合金 :Brass is an alloy of copper and zinc.
vt. 将.....铸成合金 :

考点 ① alloy ...into ... : 把.....熔合到.....里去 ② alloy

...with ... 把.....与.....熔合

* **allude** [ə'ljʊd] vi. 暗指 提及 :I didn't allude to anybody or anything.

考点 allude to 暗示 暗指 (某人或某事)

辨析 allude / refer : allude 指间接地提及, 意为“暗指, 影射”例 :He didn't mention your name but I was sure he was alluding to you. 他没提你的名字, 但是我确信他是暗指你的。refer 指直接或特别提及某事物, 例 :In his speech he referred to newspaper accounts of the election campaign. 在讲话中他提到了报纸对竞选的报道。

* **allure** [ə'ljʊə] n. 诱惑力, 魅力 :the allure of fame 成名的诱惑 vt. 诱惑, 引诱, 吸引 :Rewards allure men to brave danger. 重赏之下, 必有勇夫。

考点 allure sb. to do sth. 引诱某人做某事

辨析 allure / induce / lure / tempt : allure 指通过取悦感官、迎合感情或给予利益以吸引, 很少用于贬意, 例 :Promises of quick profits allure the unwary investor. 能很快收得到利润的承诺吸引了心存侥幸的投资者。induce 指用自己的理由说服某人去做某事或不去做某事, 即诱导、劝说之意 不一定出于坏的动机 例 :I will induce him to join the school committee. 我会劝他参加校委会。lure 通常用作贬义词, 指通过激起某种欲望以诱人做坏事, 例 :The young man was lured into a terrorist organization. 那个年轻人被诱骗加入了恐怖组织。tempt 表示强烈的诱惑力, 被诱惑者虽然知道不该被诱惑, 但无法或难以克制受到诱惑 例 :The steaming apple pie tempted him to disregard his diet. 那热气腾腾的苹果馅饼把他诱惑得不去

顾及自己需要节食。

- * **almighty** [ɔ:l'maiti] a. ① 全能的, 万能的: I am not almighty. // Almighty God 全能的主 ② 很大的, 很强的: I heard an almighty crash.
- * **alternate** [ɔ:l'tənit] a. ① 交替的, 轮流: alternate winter and summer 冬夏交替 ② 间隔的: work on alternate days 隔日工作
- * **alternate** ['ɔltənet] v. (使) 轮流 (使) 交替: alternate between hope and fear 处于希望与恐惧之中

考点 ① alternate with 与……交替 ② alternate between : (在……之间) 交替 轮流

- * **amass** [ə'mæs] vt. 积累, 积聚: amass riches 聚积财富; amass political power 积蓄政治力量

辨析 accumulate / amass : accumulate 强调经过一段比较长的时间由少积多的积累, 使用范围较广, 似乎凡是数量方面的增长都可以表示。例: 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。amass 强调大量的聚集 常用于财富、信息、所有物等的聚集 这种积累可能一下子完成, 也可能在短期内完成, 也可能在比较长的时间内完成, 但是数量总是很大的。例: During each war the monopoly capitalists amassed fabulous wealth. 每次战争垄断资本家们都大发横财。

- * **ambiguous** [æm'bigjuəs] a. 引起歧义的 模棱两可的 含糊不清的: an ambiguous answer 模棱两可的答复
- * **ambitious** [æm'biʃəs] a. ① 有抱负的, 雄心勃勃的: They are ambitious although they are poor. ② 有野心的: be politi-

cally ambitious 有政治野心

考点 ① be ambitious for fame [power] : 热衷于获得名声 [权利] ② be ambitious of 渴望获得

* **amend** [ə'mend] vt. 修改 修订 改进 : amend the constitution 修改宪法 n. [pl. 赔罪 赔偿 : Here is a good chance for you to make amends for your mistake.

考点 make amends 赔偿 (损失) 补偿 (过失) 赔罪

* **amiable** ['eimjəbl] a. 和蔼可亲的, 友好的 : an amiable young man 一个待人亲切的年轻人

* **ammunition** [æmjʊ'niʃən] n. 弹药 军火 : The soldiers had no ammunition for their guns, so they could not fire.

* **ample** ['æmpl] a. 足够的 : We have an ample supply of water. ② 宽敞的, 面积大的 : an ample lobby 宽敞的休息室

* **amplify** ['æmplifai] vt. ① 放大(声音等)增强 : amplify sound with the use of electronic equipment 用电子设备扩音 ② 扩大, 详述, 进一步阐述 : He amplified (on) his new findings with drawings and figures.

考点 amplify on/upon 详述 进一步阐述

* **analogy** [ə'nælədʒi] n. 比拟 类比 类推 : The author draws an analogy between the way water moves in waves and the way light travels.

考点 ① bear [have] an analogy to [with] 具有与……相似之处 ② by analogy 用类比的方法 用类推法 ③ draw an analogy between : 把……与……进行类比 ④ on analogy of [by analogy with] 从……类推 根据……类推

* **analyst** ['ænəlist] n. ① 分析家, 化验员 : a food analyst 食

物化验员 // a political analyst 政治分析家 ② 心理分析学家 :The analyst certified her insane.

* **analytical** [ˌænəˈlɪtɪkəl] (同 analytic) a. 分析的 分析法的 :She has a very analytic mind.

* **anarchist** [ˈænəkɪst] n. 无政府主义者

* **ancestry** [ˈænsɪstri] n. 祖先 世系 :trace one's ancestry 追溯自己的祖先 ;a woman of noble ancestry 一位出身于贵族世家的女人

考点 ① be born of good [humble] ancestry 出身名门[寒微] ② be of (French) ancestry 具有法国血统

* **anecdote** [ˈænikdəʊt] n. 轶事 趣闻 :literary anecdote 文坛轶事

* **angel** [ˈeɪndʒəl] n. ① 天使 :a ministering angel 救死扶伤的天使 (常指心地善良的女护理人员等) 可爱的人 :She is a perfect angel.

考点 ① be on the side of the angels 在道义的一边 在善的一边 ② angel's visit 不常有的事

* **anguish** [ˈæŋɡwɪʃ] n. (精神或肉体) 极度痛苦 :She was in anguish over her missing child.

考点 in anguish 极度痛苦

* **annex** [əˈneks] vt. 兼并 吞并 附加 :The United States annexed Texas in 1845. n. 附属建筑物 附件 :an annex to the main building 主楼的附属建筑物

考点 an annex to :.....的附件,.....的附属建筑物

* **anonymous** [əˈnɒnɪməs] a. 无名的, 不具名的 :The writer of this article wishes to remain anonymous. ② 匿名的 :an anonymous letter 匿名信 ③ 无特色的 无个性特征的

* **antagonism** [æn'tæɡənɪzəm] n. 对抗, 敌对, 对立: ethnic antagonism 种族对立; their obvious antagonism towards this proposal 他们对这个建议所持的明显对抗态度

考点 ① be in direct antagonism with: 和.....直接对抗
feel a strong antagonism for/toward sb.: 对某人怀着强烈的敌意
③ come into antagonism with sb.: 和某人发生对抗
④ cause [stir up] antagonism between 引起 [激起].....之间的对抗

* **antenna** [æn'tenə] n. ① 触角 触须 ② 天线: a television antenna 电视天线

* **anthropologist** [ˌænrə'pɒlədʒɪst] n. 人类学家, 人类学者

* **antonym** ['æntənɪm] n. 反义词: "Pain" is the antonym of "pleasure". 痛苦 "是" 快乐 "的反义词。

* **ape** [eɪp] n. 猿: an anthropoid [a man-like] ape 类人猿
vt. 模仿

* **appall** [ə'pɒl 同 appal] vt. 使惊骇, 使大吃一惊: The public were appalled when they heard the president had been murdered.

考点 be appalled at 被.....吓坏

* **apparatus** [ˌæpə'reɪtəs] n. ① 器械, 器具, 仪器: chemical apparatus 化学仪器 ② 机构 组织: the government apparatus 政府机关

辨析 apparatus / machine: apparatus 表示“机械 仪器”, 一般不用复数, 指一套由若干部分构成、比较复杂的设备或装置, 也可引申为指人体器官或社会机构, 例: There is sports apparatus in the gym. 体育馆里有体育器材。 machine 表示“机器 机械”为普通用词 通常指由各种动力