

**by** [bai]

**prep.** ①(表示位置)在…旁,靠近: There is a pumping station by the river. ②在…身边,在…手头: I've got a medical handbook by me. ③(表示时间)最迟到,在…以前,在…期间: finish the task by the end of the month 在月底前完成这任务 ④由,被: The wealth of society is created by the laboring people. ⑤(表示方法、手段)靠,通过,以,用: The house was destroyed by fire. ⑥根据,按照: It is 4 o'clock by my watch. **ad.** ①在近旁: He stole the money when no one was by. ②经过: The parade has passed by.

**by** and **by** 不久,迟早**by** the way 顺便提一句**bypass** ['baipɑ:s]

**n.** ①(绕过市镇的)旁道,迂回路: Take the bypass to avoid the traffic in the center of the city. ②分流术,旁通管 **vt.** ①越过,置…于不顾,避开: These problems cannot be bypassed. ②绕过,绕…走: We managed to bypass the shopping mall by taking side streets.

**by-product** ['bai,prɒdʌkt]**n.** 副产品**bystander** ['bai,stændə]**n.** 旁观者,局外人,看热闹的人

## C

**cab** [kæb]

**n.** ①出租汽车,出租马车: Shall we walk or take a cab? ②司机室,驾驶室

**cabbage** ['kæbidʒ]

**n.** 甘蓝,洋白菜,卷心菜: The salad was made of cabbage.

**cabin** ['kæbin]

**n.** ①小(木)屋: We stayed in a cabin in the woods when we went camping. ②船舱,机舱,客舱: a passenger cabin 客舱

**cabinet** ['kæbinit]

**n.** ①橱,柜: a filing cabinet 文件柜 ②内阁,全体阁员: a cabinet member 阁员,部长

**cable** ['keɪbl]

**n.** ①钢缆,缆绳 ②电缆: lay a cable 铺设电缆 ③(海底)电报: send a cable 拍发越洋电报 **vi. / vt.** 拍电报: We cabled the news to Shanghai.

**cafe** ['kæfei]

**n.** 咖啡馆,小餐馆: There is a small cafe near our school.

**cafeteria** [ˌkæfi'tiəriə]

**n.** 自助餐馆,自助食堂: We had lunch in the school cafeteria.

**cage** [keɪdʒ]

**n.** 笼,鸟笼,槛: a bird in its cage 关在笼里的鸟

**cake** [keɪk]

**n.** ①糕,蛋糕: a sponge cake 蛋糕 ②饼: a potato cake 土豆饼

**calculate** ['kælkjuleɪt]

**vt. / vi.** ①计算,核算: It is calculated that more than thirty thousand people have visited the exhibition. ②计划,打算: The new assembly hall is calculated to hold about a thousand people. ③估计,推测: Scientists have calculated that the world's population will double by the end of the century.

**calculator** ['kælkjuleitə]

*n.* 计算者, 计算机: a pocket calculator 袖珍计算机

**calendar** ['kælində]

*n.* ① 日历, 月历: a wall calendar 挂历  
② 历法: the lunar(solar) calendar 阴(阳)历

**call** [kɔ:l]

*vt. / vi.* ① 喊, 叫, 呼喊: Call me if I don't wake up in time. ② 打电话: Call me (up) this afternoon. ③ 称...为, 把...叫做: He is called Lin hong. ④ 拜访, 访问: He called on you yesterday. *n.* ① 叫, 喊, 呼叫: Did you hear a call in the woods? ② 访问, 拜访: make a call on somebody 拜访某人 ③ 通话, 打电话: make sb. a call 打电话给某人

**call back** 回电话

**call for** 邀请, 邀约; 要求, 需要

**call forth** 唤起, 引起; 振作起, 鼓起

**call off** 放弃, 取消

**call on/upon** 访问, 拜访; 号召, 呼吁

**call up** 召集, 动员; 打电话; 使人想起

**calm** [kɑ:m]

*a.* ① 平静的, (指天气、海等) 静的: a calm sea 风平浪静的海洋 ② 镇静的, 镇定的: He spoke in a calm voice. *vt.* 使平静, 使镇静, 使安静: The sea calmed down. *n.* 平静, 风平浪静: a calm before the storm 暴风雨前的平静

**calm down** 使平静, 平息

[辨析] calm, quiet 和 silent 都可表示“平静的, 寂静的”。calm 指天空、海洋等平静无风、无声响, 指人安宁、不乱方寸; quiet 表示相对的宁静, 声音很低, 一片寂静; silent 表示“沉默的, 无声的”, 指不发出声音或不说话。

**camel** ['kæmə]

*n.* 骆驼: A camel is called the ship of desert.

**camera** ['kæmə]

*n.* 摄影机, 摄像机, 照相机: I forgot the camera when I went to the park.

**camp** [kæmp]

*n.* ① 野营, 营地: a summer camp 夏令营 ② 拘留营: a labor camp 劳改营 *vi.* ① 扎营: The herdsmen camped themselves on the grasslands. ② 露营, 宿营: Where were you camp yesterday?

**campaign** [kæm'peɪn]

*n.* ① 战役: the Huai-Hai Campaign 淮海战役 ② 运动: a campaign to increase production and practice economy 增产节约运动 *vi.* 参加运动, 参加竞选: campaign against a war of aggression 开展反侵略战争的运动

**campus** ['kæmpəs]

*n.* ( ~ es ['kæmpəsɪz]) (大学) 校园: Private automobiles are not allowed on campus.

**can**<sup>1</sup> [kæn]

*aux. v.* ① (表示能力) 能, 会: Can you drive a tractor? ② (表示可能性) 可能: Difficulties can and must be overcome. ③ (表示请求或允许, 用 could 比用 can 委婉、客气) 可以, 能够: Can I borrow two books at a time?

[惯用法] 表示将来时、完成时等语法概念, 必须由 be able to 等词组代替。

**can**<sup>2</sup> [kæn]

*n.* ① (保藏食物的) 罐头, 听头: a can of meat 一听肉 ② (盛液体的) 容器 (如罐、壶、桶等): a watering can 喷水壶 *vt.* (-nn-) 把...装罐保存: canned fruit 罐装

水果

**Canada** [ˈkænədə]

*n.* 加拿大

**Canadian** [kəˈneɪdʒən]

*a.* ①加拿大的 ②加拿大人的 *n.* 加拿大人

**canal** [kəˈnæl]

*n.* ①运河, 灌渠, 沟渠: the Panama Canal Zone 巴拿马运河区 ②〈动、植物〉导管, 管

**cancel** [ˈkænsəl]

*vt.* (-ll-) ①删去, 勾销, 注销: cancel a word 把字划掉 ②取消, 废除: The meeting has been cancelled. ③抵消: The two factors cancel each other out.

**cancer** [ˈkænsə]

*n.* 癌, 毒瘤: cancer cells 癌细胞

**candidate** [ˈkændɪdɪt]

*n.* ①候选人, 申请求职者, 候补者: The reporter asked the candidate some tough questions. ②投考者: Most candidates passed in grammar.

**candle** [ˈkændl]

*n.* 蜡烛: blow out the candle 吹灭蜡烛

**candy** [ˈkændi]

*n.* 糖果: a candy store 糖果店

**cane** [keɪn]

*n.* ①(竹、藤等的)茎: a cane chair 藤椅 ②藤料, 竹料 ③手杖: The disabled woman leaned on her cane.

**canteen** [kænˈteɪn]

*n.* ①小卖部 ②食堂, 小饭馆 ③水罐 ④餐具盒, 炊具箱

**cap** [kæp]

*n.* ①便帽, 帽子, 军帽 ②(瓶)盖, (笔)帽: the cap of a pen 笔帽 *vt.* 覆盖于…顶端: Snow capped the mountains.

**capable** [ˈkeɪpəbl]

*a.* ①(指人)有能力的, 有本领的, 能干的: a capable group leader 能干的小组长 ②(指事物)有可能的, 能…的, 可以…的: Some airplanes are capable of going 1,000 miles an hour.

**capable of** 有…能力的; 能…的, 可以…的

[辨析] able 和 capable 都有“能够”的意思。able 意思比较单一, 表示“能够”、“有能力”、“能干”等, 多用于褒义, 而且修饰的对象多局限于人; capable 在表示同样意思时, 除了可以修饰人外, 还可修饰动物和事物, 并可用于贬义。

**capacity** [kəˈpæsɪti]

*n.* ①(a ~) 容量, 容积: The assembly hall was filled to capacity. ②才能, 能力: The cotton mill is running at full capacity. ③身份, 职位: I'm speaking in my capacity as chairman.

**cape**<sup>1</sup> [keɪp]

*n.* 披肩, 斗篷: a coat with a cape collar 一件有斗篷式领口的大衣

**cape**<sup>2</sup> [keɪp]

*n.* 岬, 海角: the Cape of Good Hope 好望角

**capital** [ˈkæpɪtl]

*n.* ①首都, 首府: Beijing is the capital of China. ②大写字母: write in capitals 用大写字母写 ③资本, 资金: You need a lot of capital to start up a newspaper. *a.* 主要的, 首要的: a capital city 首都, 首府

**captain** [ˈkæptɪn]

*n.* ①机长, 船长: The captain announced that the plane would take off soon. ②(陆军)上尉, 队长, 领队: The mayor

hired a new police captain to help combat crime. ③(空军、海军)上校 **vt.** 做…的首领,指挥

### **caption** ['kæpfən]

**n.** ①标题: under the caption of 在…的标题下,以…为标题 ②(图片的)说明文字,解说词,(电影)字幕: A short caption gave the names of the people in the picture.

### **captive** ['kæptiv]

**n.** 俘虏,捕获物: The pirates took many captives as sold them as slaves. **a.** 被俘虏的,被俘获的: The captive fliers were released after war.

### **capture** ['kæptʃə]

**vt.** ①俘获,捕获,捉拿: capture many invaders 俘获许多入侵者 ②夺取,攻占: capture a city 攻占城市 **n.** ①捕获,俘虏: He was released six weeks after his capture by the terrorists. ②战利品,虏获物

[辨析] capture, catch, arrest 和 seize 都有“抓住”的意思。capture 是指经过查找,用武力、技巧或手段经战斗而捕获;catch 是普通用语,指经过追捕、诱捕或用惊吓的方法抓住逃走或躲藏的人或东西;arrest 多指官方的“拘捕”,指依法拘留、逮捕犯法的人;seize 是指突然地、用力地抓住,强调抓住的动作。

### **car** [kɑ:]

**n.** ①汽车,轿车 ②电车 ③(铁路)火车车厢

### **carbon** ['kɑ:bən]

**n.** 〈化学〉碳: carbon dioxide 二氧化碳

### **card** [kɑ:d]

**n.** ①卡片,名片: a New-Year card 贺年卡 ②纸牌: a pack of cards 一副纸牌 ③明信片: David sent us a card from America.

### **cardinal** ['kɑ:dɪnl]

**a.** 极其重要的,主要的,基本的: a cardinal principle 一条基本原理 **n.** ①红衣主教 ②基数词: Cardinals are used when adding figures.

### **care** [keə]

**n.** ①注意,小心,谨慎: Take care there's no mistake. ②看护,照应,照管: That will be your care. **vi.** ①关心,顾虑,介意: He doesn't care about his clothes. ②喜欢: Would you care for a game of table tennis? ③愿意: I don't care to go there.

**care for** 照顾,照料;(用于否定、疑问句)喜欢

take **care** 当心,注意

take **care of** 爱护,照料;承担,处理,负担

### **career** [kə'riə]

**n.** ①经历,生涯: He entered upon a diplomatic career. ②专业,职业: Bill trained for years for his career.

[辨析] career, job, occupation 和 profession 都用来指“工作,职业”等。career 指终身为之奋斗的事业或长期从事的职业;job 多用于口语,可指一切技术性或非技术性的工作,包括杂活等;occupation 为中性词,包括各种“职业”,各种表格中“职业”栏就用此词;profession 专指受过相当高的教育或特殊训练的人才能从事的职业。

### **careful** ['keəfʊl]

**a.** ①小心的,仔细的: Be careful not to misuse this word. ②细致的,精心的: careful reading 细心阅读

[辨析] careful, cautious 和 wary 都有“小心的”、“谨慎的”的意思。careful 指对工作、言行、饮食等非常谨慎、周密,以免出错,尤指态度积极、在细节

上不出差错; cautious 指小心、谨慎地从事, 强调十分注意潜在的危險, 绝不冒险行事, 含有“提防”之意; wary 指某人随时随地怀疑和提防危險的存在, 因而时刻保持警觉。

**carefully** [ˈkeəfʊli]

*ad.* 小心地, 仔细地

**careless** [ˈkeəlis]

*a.* ①不小心的, 粗心的, 疏忽的: It was careless of you to forget to invite Bill to the party. ②漫不经心的, 不介意的: be careless about one's speech 讲话随便 ③无忧无虑的

**cargo** [ˈkɑ:gəʊ]

*n.* ( ~es/ ~s) (船、飞机等装载的) 货, 货物: a cargo ship 货船

**carpenter** [ˈkɑ:pɪntə]

*n.* 木匠, 工匠: I hired a carpenter to build my bookshelves.

**carpet** [ˈkɑ:pɪt]

*n.* ①地毯: lay a carpet 铺地毯 ②毯状物: a carpet of grass 一片绿茵

**carriage** [ˈkæridʒ]

*n.* ①(四轮) 马车: a carriage and pair 双马车 ②(火车) 客车车厢: The engine was pulling ten carriages.

**carrier** [ˈkæriə]

*n.* ①运输工具, 运输公司: This airline is one of America's biggest international carriers. ②带菌者: Mosquitoes are carriers of malaria. ③置物架, 载重架: strap a parcel to the carrier 把包裹绑在行李架上

**carrot** [ˈkærət]

*n.* 胡萝卜

**carry** [ˈkæri]

*vt. / vi.* ①提, 挑, 背: He was carrying a box on his shoulder. ②运送, 运载: This ship

could carry seventy passengers. ③输送, 传送, 传播: That pipe carries water. ④携带, 怀着: How many kilogrammes of luggage can I carry with me? ⑤具有, 附有, 包含: Does the loan carry any interest? ⑥支撑: These pillars are too thin to carry the roof.

**carry forward** 推进

**carry off** 夺走, 拿走

**carry on** 继续下去, 坚持下去; 从事, 经营

**carry out** 贯彻, 执行; 实现, 完成

**carry over** (使) 继续下去, 将... 延后

**carry through** 实现, 完成, 坚持下去; 使渡过困难(麻烦等)

**cart** [kɑ:t]

*n.* ①(二轮运货) 马(牛)车 ②手推车

**cartoon** [kɑ:'tu:n]

*n.* ①漫画, 幽默画: a newspaper cartoon 报刊漫画 ②动画片: Many children's movies are cartoons.

**carve** [kɑ:v]

*vt. / vi.* ①雕刻: This statue was carved out of marble. ②切开, 切(熟肉、鸡等): Mother began to carve the chicken. ③努力取得: He carved out a name for himself as a reporter.

**case** [keis]

*n.* ①情况, 状况: in good case 状况良好 ②事实, 情况: That is often the case with him. ③病例: a burn case 烧伤病例 ④〈法律〉案件: a civil case 民事案 ⑤箱(子), 盒(子): the case of a watch 表壳 ⑥框子, 架子: a window case 窗框

a **case in point** 有关的事例, 例证

in any **case** 无论如何, 不管怎样, 总之

in **case** 假如, 以防万一, 免得

in **case of** 假使, 万一

in no **case** 无论如何不, 绝不

**cash** [kæʃ]

*n.* 现金, 现款: I haven't any cash on me, can I pay by check? *vt.* 付现, 兑现: Can you cash these traveler's checks for me?

**cash down** 用现金支付

**cash in on** 靠…挣钱, 从…中捞到好处

**cashier** [kæʃiə]

*n.* 收银员, 出纳员: The incompetent cashier gave me the incorrect change.

**cassette** [kɑ:'set]

*n.* ① 盒子, 匣子 ② 盒式录音带: He put his favourite cassette into the tape recorder.

**cast** [kɑ:st]

*vt. / vi.* ( ~, ~ ) ① 投, 抛, 掷: cast a net 撒网 ② 投射: His words cast a new light on the problem. ③ 铸造, 浇铸: cast a stainless steel bust 铸一座不锈钢的胸像 *n.* 一掷, 一撒: make a cast with a fishing-line 抛钓鱼线

**cast about/around (for)** 到处寻找, 试图找到

**cast aside** 把…丢一边, 去掉

**cast off** 抛弃, 丢弃

**cast out** 赶出, 驱逐

**castle** ['kɑ:sl]

*n.* 城堡

**casual** ['kæʒjuəl]

*a.* ① 偶然的, 碰巧的: a casual meeting 巧遇 ② 随便的, 非正式的: clothes for casual wear 便服 ③ 临时的, 不定期的: casual expenses 临时费用

**cat** [kæt]

*n.* 猫

**catalog (ue)** ['kætələg]

*n.* 目录(册), (商品)价目表: a card catalog 卡片目录 *vt.* 将…编入目录, 将(书籍, 资料等)编目: The librarian cataloged the new books.

**catastrophe** [kə'tæstrəfi]

*n.* 大灾难, 灾祸: The earthquake was a catastrophe.

**catch** [kætʃ]

*vt. / vi.* ① 捕捉, 捕获, 拦截: I was caught in the downpour. ② 及时赶上(火车等): If you don't hurry, you won't catch your bus. ③ 发觉, 当场破获: He was caught cheating in the exam. ④ 受感染, 患病: catch a cold 感冒 ⑤ 理解, 听到: I didn't catch the last two words.

**catch at** 试图抓住, 拼命抓

**catch on** 理解, 明白; 流行起来

**catch out** 发觉…有错误(做坏事)

**catch up with** 追上, 赶上

**category** ['kætigəri]

*n.* ① 种类, 类, 类别: Science can be grouped into two categories: social science and natural science. ② 部属, 范畴

**cater** ['keɪtə]

*vi.* ① 提供饮食及服务, 承办酒席: cater for a wedding 为婚礼筹办宴席 ② 满足需要(欲望), 迎合: Popular newspapers try to cater for all tastes.

**cathedral** [kə'thi:drəl]

*n.* 大教堂: St. Paul's Cathedral 圣保罗大教堂

**Catholic** ['kæθəlik]

*a.* ① 天主教的 ② 普遍的, 广泛的: Her musical tastes were catholic and ranged from classics to jazz. *n.* 天主教徒

**cattle** ['kætl]

*n.* ① (总称)牛: Our team has five head of cattle. ② 牲口, 家畜

**cause** [kɔ:z]

*n.* ① 原因: the root cause of war 战争的根源 ② 理由, 缘故: There is no cause for anxiety. ③ 事业, 奋斗目标, 理想: Her life

was devoted to the cause of justice. **vt.** 引起,促成,使发生: What caused the accident?

**[惯用法]** 1. cause 后接 of 与接 for 的意思完全不同。cause of sth. 指某事的原因(根源)。cause for sth. 指做某事的理由,for 后的宾语通常是表示行为或感觉的词。2. cause 作使役动词用时,宾语后不能接形容词作补语,但可以接不定式。

**[辨析]** cause 和 reason 都有“原因”、“理由”的意思。cause 指“原因”,着重指产生某种结果的,由环境、条件、事件或外力等引起的原因;reason 指“理由”、“缘故”,着重说明某种行为的动机。

### caution ['kɔːʃən]

**n.** ①小心,谨慎: When operating a machine, we must use caution. ②警告,告诫: The teacher gave the students a caution against talking to strangers. **vt.** 警告,告诫: I cautioned him against being late.

### cautious ['kɔːʃəs]

**a.** 小心的,谨慎的: The students are cautious not to make any mistakes in spelling.

### cave [keiv]

**n.** 穴,洞,窑洞: Drawings of wild animals were found inside the cave.

### cavity ['kæviti]

**n.** ①洞,窝,凹处: A brick fell out, leaving a dark cavity in the wall. ②(人体)腔: abdominal cavity 腹腔

### cease [si:s]

**vt./vi.** 停止,中止,停息: The rain has ceased.

**[惯用法]** cease 后面可以接不定式或动名词。cease from doing sth. 与 cease

doing sth. 意义基本上相同,但后者更常用。

### ceiling ['si:liŋ]

**n.** ①天花板: The ceiling was leaking water. ②(价格、工资等)最高限度,最大限度: The president ordered a ceiling on prices to hold down inflation.

### celebrate ['selibreit]

**vt.** ①庆祝,祝贺: celebrate Christmas 庆祝圣诞节 ②颂扬,赞美: People celebrated his brave deed. **vi.** 庆祝,过节: We celebrated with champagne.

**[惯用法]** celebrate 作“庆祝”解释时,只能用名词或代词作宾语,不能用名词从句作宾语。

### cell [sel]

**n.** ①细胞: red blood cells 血红细胞 ②电池: dry cells 干电池 ③单人牢房,小房间: The prison had hundreds of cells. ④基层组织,小组: from the central committee down to the cell 从中央委员到基层组织

### cellar ['selə]

**n.** ①地窖,地下室: The box of papers was stored in a cellar at the family house. ②酒窖

### cement ['si:ment]

**n.** 水泥,黏结剂: cement flour 水泥粉 **vt.** ①黏结,胶合: I cemented the broken glass together with glue. ②巩固: cement a friendship 巩固友谊

### census ['sensəs]

**n.** 人口普查,统计: take a census 调查人口

### cent [sent]

**n.** ①(货币单位)分 ②分币 ③百

**center, centre** ['sentə]

*n.* ①中心, 中央: the centre of a circle 圆心 ②中心地区: Beijing is the political, economic and cultural centre of China. *vt.* / *vi.* 集中: His interests are centered around his family.

**centigrade** ['sentigreɪd]

*a.* / *n.* ①百分度(的) ②摄氏温度计(的): Centigrade scale is used in most countries except the United States.

**centimeter, centimetre** ['sentɪ,mi:tə]

*n.* 厘米

**central** ['sentrəl]

*a.* ①核心的, 中央的: We live in central London. ②主要的, 起支配作用的: the central idea of an article 文章的主题思想

**century** ['sentʃuri]

*n.* ①世纪, 百年: in the seventies of the twentieth century 在二十世纪七十年代 ②百个: a century of poems 一百首诗

**cereal** ['siəriəl]

*n.* (常用复数) ①谷类, 谷物: A number of cereals are grown in our province. ②谷类制食物, 米花: I have a glass of milk and a bowl of cereal every morning.

**ceremony** ['seriməni]

*n.* ①典礼, 仪式: The wedding ceremony took place in a garden. ②礼节, 礼仪: There's no need for ceremony between friends.

**certain** ['sə:tən]

*a.* ①(只作表语)确实的, 肯定的, 无疑的: The evidence is certain. ②(只作定语)某种, 某些: on certain conditions 在某种情况下 ③一定的, 必然的, 确信的: We are certain to be victorious.  
for **certain** 肯定地, 确切地

[辨析] certain 和 sure 都有“肯定的”、“有把握的”的意思。certain 表示有理由和证据来支持对某事的确信无疑; sure 则强调心中没有疑虑, 完全确信。

**certainly** ['sə:tənli]

*ad.* ①确实, 必定, 无疑: Victory certainly belongs to the people! ②(口语答话)当然, 行, 好: A: Are you going with us? B: Certainly!

**certainty** ['sə:tənti]

*n.* 确实, 必然, 必然的事: It's an absolute certainty that she will get the job.

**certificate** [sə'tɪfɪkɪt]

*n.* 证(明)书, 证件, 执照: He has a certificate that he's a member of the committee.

**certify** ['sə:tɪfaɪ]

*vt.* / *vi.* ①证明, 证实: The accounts were certified correct. ②发证书(或执照): He has been certified as a mechanic.

**chain** [tʃeɪn]

*n.* ①链, 链条, 表链: a bicycle chain 自行车链条 ②(常用复数)枷锁, 镣铐: a chain on sb.'s mind 某人思想上的束缚 ③一连串, 一系列, 连锁: a chain of events 一连串的事件 *vt.* 用链拴住, 束缚: chain a boat to a tree 用链条把船拴在树上

**chair** [tʃeə]

*n.* ①椅子 ②主席(位): The chair is calling for order.

**chairman** ['tʃeəmən]

*n.* 主席, 议长, 会长, 董事长: The chairman asked that the meeting begin.

**chalk** [tʃɔ:k]

*n.* 白垩, 粉笔: some coloured chalks 几支彩色粉笔

**challenge** ['tʃælɪndʒ]

*n.* ①挑战(书), 邀请比赛: a challenge



tennis match 网球邀请赛 ②艰巨的任务: Bringing up a child is the toughest challenge most people will face. ③怀疑, 质问: The whole social system of capitalism is under greater and greater challenge. **vt.** ①向…挑战: He challenged me to a race. ②对…质疑, 对…怀疑: challenge sb. 's right to vote 对某人的投票权表示异议

[惯用法] challenge 作“向…挑战”解时, 宾语后可接不定式或 to 介词短语, 但不能接动名词或从句。

### chamber [ˈtʃeɪmbə]

**n.** ①腔, 室: The human heart consists of four chambers. ②(有特殊用途的) 房间: a death chamber 太平间 ③ 会议室, 会议厅: a chamber of commerce 商会

### champagne [ʃæmˈpeɪn]

**n.** 香槟酒: We always celebrate our wedding anniversary with a bottle of champagne.

### champion [ˈtʃæmpjən]

**n.** ①捍卫者, 拥护者: a champion of reform 主张改革者 ②优胜者, 冠军: table tennis world champions in men's and women's singles 男女乒乓球单打世界冠军

### chance [tʃɑːns]

**n.** ①机会, 机遇, 运气: It's the chance of a lifetime. ②(常用复数) 偶然性, 可能性: The chances are ten to one that we will win. **vi.** 碰巧, 偶然发生: I chanced to see your father in the street.

by **chance** 偶然, 碰巧

by any **chance** 万一, 也许

**chance** on/upon 偶然找到, 偶然遇到  
stand a **chance** of 有…的希望, 有…的可能

take a **chance** 冒险, 投机

[辨析] chance, occur 和 happen 均表示“发生, 出现”。chance 表示“偶然发生”, 指事情的发生、出现是由于偶然, 没有明显的理由; occur 与 happen 同义, 但指事情突然出现在脑海中, 特别指非计划中事件的发生; happen 一般指事情按人的意志有计划地出现, 也指出乎意料地偶然出现。

### change [tʃeɪndʒ]

**vt. /vi.** ①转变, 改变: change one's mind 改变主意 ②换, 兑换: change one's clothes 换衣服 ③变, 变化: The village has changed a great deal since we last visited it. **n.** ①变化, 改变: After a long winter, a change of weather is welcome. ②零钱, 找头: I have on change about me.

[辨析] change, vary, alter, shift, convert, transform 和 modify 均可表示“改变, 变化”。change 可表示任何形式的全部、完全的改变; vary 指事物在形式、外表、本质上的不规则的或断续的改变, 如生长引起的变化等; alter 指局部、表面的改变, 强调特点不变; shift 指改变方向, 变换处所等; convert 意为“改变, 转变”, 指事物从一种状态或情况转变成另一种状态或情况, 以加强事物的功能或改变其用途, 如把水变成气等; transform 指深刻的变化, 表示人或物在性质或形态上发生彻底或基本的变化; modify 指“变更”, 指“部分地改变”, 通常指变更计划、方法、意见、条款等。

### channel [ˈtʃænl]

**n.** ①频道, 信道, 波道: Remember to change channels at eight o'clock; I want to watch the film. ②渠道, 途径: They solved

the problem through diplomatic channels.

③沟渠: There's a channel in the middle of the old street to help rainwater flow away.

④海峡,水道,航道: The English Channel separates Britain from France.

### chaos [ˈkeɪɔs]

*n.* ①混沌状态: The failure of the electricity supplies created complete chaos in the city. ②混乱,无秩序: After the earthquake, the city was in chaos.

### chaotic [keɪˈɒtɪk]

*a.* 混沌的,一片混乱的,一团糟的,无秩序的

### chap<sup>1</sup> [tʃæp]

*n.* 小伙子,男人,家伙: Hullo, old chap! 喂,老朋友!

### chap<sup>2</sup> [tʃæp]

*vt. / vi.* (-pp-) (使)破裂

### chapel [ˈtʃæpəl]

*n.* (学校,医院等处的)小礼拜堂,小教堂: a college chapel 学院的小礼拜堂

### chapter [ˈtʃæptə]

*n.* (书籍)章,篇,回: the first chapter of a book 书的第一章

### character [ˈkærɪktə]

*n.* ①个性,性格: Hard work builds character. ②(事物的)特色,特性: the general character 共性 ③人物,角色: That actress plays my favorite character on the television show. ④文字,字母: The envelope was written in Chinese characters.

in **character** (与自身特征)相符

out of **character** (与自身特征)不相符

[辨析] character, personality 和 nature 都有“品质”、“性格”的意思。character 表示“品质”、“性格”时,往往指决定人的思想和行为方式的道德品质,与是非原则紧密相关;personality 指私

下和社交场合所体现的性情、举止等,会影响到他人对自己的印象或看法;nature 指“本性”,即天生的,无法改变的品质或性格,有时也指脾气。

### characteristic [ˌkærɪktəˈrɪstɪk]

*a.* 特有的,独特的,典型的: the characteristic flavor of bananas 香蕉所特有的味道

*n.* 特性,特征,特色: Good planning is one of the characteristics of a successful business.

### characterize, characterise [ˈkærɪktəraɪz]

*vt.* ①表现…的特性,刻画…的性格: The giraffe is characterized by its very long neck. ②描绘(人或物)的特征,描述: He was characterized as lazy and selfish.

### charge [tʃɑːdʒ]

*n.* ①指控,控告,指责: Lack of evidence forced the police to drop the charges against him. ②价钱,费用: These books are free of charge. ③负荷,电荷: a shell with a large powder charge 装药量大的炮弹

*vt. / vi.* ①控告,指控: charge sb. with negligence 指责某人疏忽 ②索价,收费: He charged me 1.5 dollars for mending the watch. ③装填,充电: The air is charged with vapour.

in **charge** (of) 负责,主管

take **charge** 开始管理,负责,接管

[辨析] charge, cost 和 price 都有“价钱”的意思。charge 主要指“索价”,尤指服务性行业的收费;cost 指“成本”,进而表示为购买的东西或享受的服务所付出的代价;price 指商品的价钱,尤指卖主所定的价格。

### charity [ˈtʃærɪti]

*n.* ①慈善团体,慈善事业: The charity's goal is to help people help themselves.