

11-4 (a)

1. claustrophobia 幽閉恐懼症 fear of being in enclosed spaces

ex. He is suffering from claustrophobia, and that's what he never takes an elevator.

他患有幽閉恐懼症，所以他從不搭電梯

2. acrophobia 懼高症 fear of high altitude

ex. Helen is suffering from acrophobia, so she never goes to the top floor.

海倫有懼高症，所以她從不去天台。

3. mellow out 放鬆 to relax

ex. I want to mellow out a little bit. 我想放鬆一下。

4. frontal cortex 額葉皮質層 the outer layer of the front of the head

ex. The frontal cortex is in charge of assessing tasks. 額葉皮質層主管身體活動的評估。

5. evoke 喚起 to cause something to be thought of

ex. The smell of Italian sausage evoked my first trip to Europe.

義大利香腸的味道讓我想起第一次到歐洲旅遊。

6. pummel 不斷打擊 to heat repeatedly

ex. Several bullies pummeled the boy in white with hard strokes.

幾位壞學生用力反覆猛擊那位身著白衣的學生。

7. akin 同性質的 having similar qualities

ex. They speak a language akin to German. 他們說著一種類似德文的語言。

8. ditto 同前 a symbol which means "the same"

ex. Sing your name on the right corner on this page. Ditto for pages four and five.

9. purport 聲稱 to claim, not in a way that is reliable

ex. It is purported that the her child left her. 據說她兒子離開她了。

10. play down 減輕程度 to make something less noticeable, less important and so on

ex. Jack tried to play down his responsibility in the failure of the promotion strategy.

傑克試圖淡化他在行銷策略失敗中所應負的責任

11-4(b)

1. Tweeny 女傭: He hired a new tweeny to help the housework. 他顧了一個女傭來幫她做家事

2. Facade 正面: The facade of the building looks like a palace. 建築物的正面看起來像座宮殿

3. Saber 軍刀: The knight is holding a saber in his hand and ready to fight. 騎士拿好軍刀準備作戰

4. Nacarat 鮮豔橘色: He is wearing a big nacarat suit which is totally unfit into the occasion. 他穿了一件完全不合時宜的鮮豔橘色套裝
5. Vaccination 種痘: Vaccination is a major to against smallpox. 種痘是主要對抗天花的手段
6. Gabber 嘮叨的人: Bill is a big gabber that even his wife can't stands him. Bill 是個超囉嗦的人,連他的太太都沒辦法忍受
7. Yaffle 綠色啄木鳥: My friend told me he just saw a yaffle in the tree.我同學跟我說他看到樹上有一隻綠色啄木鳥
8. Ice-lolly 冰棒: My favorite dessert in the summer is ice-lolly. 我最愛的夏天甜點是冰棒
9. Earflap 連帽子或獨立的禦寒耳罩: Girls always wear cute earflap in the winter. 女生總是在冬天穿很可愛的禦寒耳罩
10. ulcerate 形成潰瘍: If you ignore your wound too long, it will be ulcerated in the end. 如果你不管你的傷口太久,它就會潰爛

11-11 (a)

1. paradigm 典範 a model of something

Ex. Stinky tou-fu is always seen as a paradigm of Taiwanese food. 臭豆腐總被當作台灣食物的代表。

2. staunch 制止, 停止液體流動 to stop, to stop the flowing of something

Ex. He tried to staunch the flow of blood by pressing on the cut. 他試圖以緊壓傷口來止血。

3. installment 分期付款 one part of the amount of money, which you would pay for something

Ex. I have to pay for my new computer in installments. 我得以分期付款買車。

4. vestige 殘留 a remaining small part of something

Ex. If the child could not be rescued in the next forty eight critical hours, the vestige of hope would be thus eradicated.

如果一小時內那小孩不能獲救,存活的希望將極為渺茫。

5. choppy 巔簸的 full of little rough waves

Ex. I felt dizzy as the see became choppy fifteen minutes after we set out.

啓程十五分鐘後,海浪起伏變大,我感到暈眩。

6. grouchy 抱怨的 be complaining about sth

Ex. Calm down and try not to be grouchy when things go out of control.

7. insidious 有害的

Ex. Staying up late has an insidious influence on health. 熬夜對身體將產生有害的影響。

8. sap 使虛弱 to weaken

Ex. The car accident sapped her mentally though she was unscathed physically. 那場車禍雖然她沒有受傷，卻使她精神虛弱。

9. warrant 值得 to deserve sth

Ex. Though punctuality should be encouraged, I do not think being late for merely one minute warrants such a cruel punishment.

雖然守時的習慣得受到鼓勵，我仍不認為遲到一分鐘有必要受如此嚴厲的處罰。

10. condescend 屈尊 to put aside one's dignity

Ex. "We are so honored to dine with you, a student who has already made it into graduate school," he joked.

「能和一位已考上研究所的學生共進晚餐，我們感到相當榮幸。」他開玩笑地說。

11-11 (b)

1. fecula 澱粉: Ex. Rice contain a lot of fecula. 米含有很多澱粉

2. gall 膽汁: Ex. The medicine is as bitter as gall. 這藥像膽汁一樣苦

3. yakitori 日式燒雞: Ex. Yakitori is one of my favorite foods. 日式燒雞是我最喜歡的食物中的一種

4. yap 狂吠: Ex. The dog yapped at the stranger. 狗對著陌生人狂吠

5. abdicate 放棄: Ex. He abdicates the job. 他放棄了那份工作

6. bachelor 單身男子: Ex. After forty years, he is still a bachelor. 經過了 40 年,他依舊是個單身漢

7. eclogue 田園詩: Ex. I study some eclogue in my first year. 我在一年級的時候讀過一些田園詩

8. pachyderm 厚臉皮的人: Ex. Jack is really a pachyderm. 傑克真的是一個厚臉皮的人

9. malarkey 故意歪曲的話: Ex. Stop saying this malarkey! 停止說這些歪七扭八的話!

10. quagmire 沼澤地: Ex. Try to avoid quagmire when you are driving. 開車時要避免沼澤地.

11-11 (c)

1. vivacious- lively or high-spirited (sep of a woman) 活潑的、快活的

She gave a vivacious laugh after hearing the joke. 聽完這個笑話後她爽朗地笑了起來。

2. rectify- put (sth) right; correct 改正、糾正

This mistake cannot be rectified. 這個錯誤是不可改正的。

3. immutable- that cannot be changed; that will never change 不可改變的、永恆不變的

Joe has made an immutable decision. 喬已作出了不可改變的決定。

4. atrophy- wasting away of the body or part of it through lack of nourishment or use (身體或身體某部因缺乏營養或不常使用而) 萎縮

The cultural life of the country will sink into atrophy unless more writers and artists emerge.

除非能湧現出一些作家和藝術家，否則這個國家的文化生活將枯萎衰退。

5. amorphous- having no definite shape or form; not organized 無定型的；無組織的；雜亂的

He has an amorphous collection of jumpers and socks. 他有一堆套頭毛衣和襪子。

6. malicious- intended to harm others 惡毒的；蓄意的

That is a malicious lie! 那是個惡毒的謊言！

7. preposterous- completely contrary to reason or common sense; absurd or outrageous 荒謬的；反常的；無法容忍的

That is a preposterous accusation! 那樣的指責簡直荒謬可笑！

8. surmount- deal with; overcome 克服；戰勝

We had many problems to surmount before we could start the project. 我們得克服許多困難才能著手做這項工作

9. perplex- make (sb) feel puzzled or confused; bewilder 使某人困惑或迷惑

The question perplexed me. 那問題把我難住了。

10. consensus- agreement in opinion; collective opinion 意見一致；共同看法

The two parties have reached a consensus. 這兩個政黨達成了一致意見。