

【例】These two triangles are congruent. 这两个三角形是全等的

【近】identical, exact

【反】disparate 迥异的

【派】congruity n. 和谐一致

conjecture [kən'dʒektʃə]

【考法 1】n. 揣测的结果: a **conclusion** deduced **by surmise** or guesswork

【例】That was only a conjecture, not a fact. 那只是猜测而非事实

【近】speculation, supposition, surmise, theory

【反】fact 事实; axiom 公理

【考法 2】v. 猜测, 估计(大小、数量等): to **decide** the size, amount, number, or distance of (something) **without actual measurement**

【近】calculate, estimate, guess, gauge

【反】prove 证明

【考法 3】v. (没有依据地)认为: to **form an opinion** from little or no evidence

【例】conjecture that this disease is caused by a defective gene 揣测这种疾病是由基因缺陷导致的

【近】assume, imagine, presume, speculate, suppose

connive [kə'naɪv]

【考法 1】vi. 暗中合作: to **cooperate secretly** or have a secret understanding; collude

【例】They connived to take over the throne. 他们密谋篡位

【近】conspire, intrigue, plot, collude, intrigue, machinate, put up

【考法 2】v. 纵容: 假装忽视或并未采取措施阻止错误: to **pretend ignorance** of or fail to take action against something one **ought to oppose**

【例】The guards were suspected of conniving at the prisoner's escape. 警卫人员有纵容犯人越狱的嫌疑

【近】blink, disregard, overlook, wink

【反】disapprove 反对

【派】conniver n. 共谋者

connoisseur [kɒnə'sɜ:]

【考法 1】n. 鉴赏家(尤其艺术领域): a person who enjoys **with discrimination** and appreciation of subtleties and details especially in matters of culture or art

【例】a connoisseur of wine and cigarette 烟酒鉴赏的行家

【近】aesthete, cognoscente

【考法 2】n. 专家: a person with a **high level of knowledge** or skill in a field

【例】works that are highly prized by connoisseurs of art glass 被玻璃艺术制品专家高度赞誉的作品

【近】adept, artist, authority, maestro, master, maven, proficient, virtuoso

【反】amateur, inexpert, nonexpert 业余者, 非专业者; tyro, neophyte 新手

Unit 4

CONSCIENTIOUS	CONSENSUS	CONSEQUENCE	CONSERVATIVE	CONSERVATORY
CONSERVE	CONSIDERABLE	CONSOLE	CONSOLIDATE	CONSONANT

conscientious [kənʃiˈenʃəs]

【考法 1】adj. 仔细的，一丝不苟的：taking, showing, or involving great care and effort

【例】a conscientious researcher 一丝不苟的研究者

【近】careful, exact, heedful, meticulous, painstaking, scrupulous

【反】careless, remiss 粗心大意的

【考法 1】adj. 有良心的，正直的：governed by or conforming to the dictates of conscience

【例】a conscientious police officer 一名有良心的警察

【近】conscionable, ethical, honest, moral, upright, principled, scrupulous

【反】unscrupulous 不正直的

【派】conscience n. 良心

consensus [kənˈsensəs]

【考法 1】n. 一致同意：general agreement; unanimity

【例】The board has finally reached a consensus. 董事会最终达成了一致

【近】accord, assent, agreement, harmony, unanimity, unison

【反】disagreement 不同意见

consequence [ˈkɒnsɪkwəns]

【考法 1】n. 结果：something produced by a cause or necessarily following from a set of conditions

【例】negative consequences of the war 战争带来的负面后果

【近】aftermath, effect, outcome, result

【反】source, origin, cause, antecedent 根源、原因

【考法 2】n. 重要性，价值：significance; importance

【例】a mistake of no consequence 不重要的错误

【近】moment, magnitude, weight

【反】triviality 琐碎的事

【派】consequential adj. 重要的

conservative [kənˈsɜːvətɪv]

【考法 1】adj. 守旧的，不愿改变的：favoring traditional views and values; tending to oppose change

【例】a conservative political stance 一个守旧的政治立场

【近】hidebound, reactionary, die-hard

【反】radical, aggressive 激进的

【考法 2】adj. 不招摇的，低调的：not excessively showy

【例】dressing in conservative outfits so as to make a good impression at job interviews 身着低调得体的套装以期待在面试时留下一个好印象

【近】muted, repressed, low-key, understated, unpretentious

【反】flamboyant, ostentatious, splashy 浮夸的，张扬的

【考法 3】adj. 谨慎小心的：having or showing a close attentiveness to avoiding danger or trouble

【例】He made conservative investments, and so he wasn't ruined when the market went into a free fall. 他只做了一份谨慎保守的投资，以防市场崩盘时不至于破产

【近】alert, heedful, cautious, circumspect, gingerly, guarded, wary, vigilant

【反】heedless 不谨慎的，莽撞的

conservatory [kən'sɜ:vətɹɪ]

【考法 1】 n. 温室: a **greenhouse** for growing or displaying plants

【例】 The college's conservatory is entirely devoted to cultivating and displaying orchids. 学校的温室几乎全部用于兰花的种植和观赏了

【近】 greenhouse, hothouse

【考法 2】 n. 艺术学院: a **school** specializing in one of the fine **arts**

【例】 an opera conservatory 歌剧学院

conserve ['kɒnsɜ:v]

【考法 1】 vt. 保存, 避免浪费: to **keep** in a safe or sound state, especially to **avoid wasteful** or destructive use

【例】 conserve natural resources 保护自然资源

【近】 husband, preserve, save

【反】 dissipate, lavish, waste, squander 浪费

【派】 conservation n. 保护

considerable [kən'sɪdəəbl]

【考法 1】 adj. (数量上) 可观 (而值得注意) 的: sufficiently **large** in size, amount, or number to merit attention

【例】 a considerable amount of fortune 一笔可观的财富

【近】 extensive, substantial, large-scale

【考法 2】 adj. 值得考虑的, 重要的: worth consideration; **significant**

【例】 a considerable artist 一位举足轻重的艺术家

【近】 important, significant, consequential, momentous, weighty

【反】 trivial 不值一提的; insubstantial, negligible, nominal, trifling 不要重的, 可忽视的

console ['kɒnsəʊl]

【考法 1】 vt. 安慰, 慰藉: to **alleviate** the grief, sense of loss, or trouble of; **comfort**

【例】 Only her children could console her when her husband died. 只有她的孩子们才能安抚她失去丈夫的悲痛

【近】 comfort, solace, soothe, calm

【反】 distress, torment, torture 使痛苦

【派】 consolation n. 安慰

consolidate [kən'sɒlɪdeɪt]

【考法 1】 vt. 使联合, 统一: to **join together** into one whole; unite

【例】 consolidate several small school districts 合并了几个小的校区

【近】 unify, combine, amalgamate

【反】 dissolve, sunder, fragment 解散

【考法 2】 vt. 加固, 使安全: to **make firm** or secure; strengthen

【例】 consolidate the defense line 加固防线

【近】 enhance, strengthen, fortify, reinforce

【反】 abate, attenuate, undermine, weaken 削弱

【派】 consolidation n. 合并; 加固

consonant ['kɒnsənənt]

【考法 1】 adj. 和谐一致的: being **in agreement** or harmony; free from elements making for discord

【例】 His performance was rarely consonant with his reputation. 他的表现与名气大不相符

【近】 harmonious, compatible, congenial, consistent, congruous, correspondent

【反】 conflicting, dissonant, discrepant, inconsistent 不和谐的，不一致的

【派】 consonance n. 和谐，一致

Unit 5

CONSPICUOUS
CONSTRUCT

CONSPIRE
CONSUMMATE

CONSTITUTE
CONTAGIOUS

CONSTRAIN
CONTAMINATE

CONSTRINGE
CONTENT

conspicuous [kən'spɪkjʊəs]

【考法 1】 adj. 显而易见的，吸引人的： **obvious** to the eye or mind, attracting attention

【例】 a conspicuous change in her appearance 她外貌的明显改变

【近】 apparent, clear, distinct, evident, manifest, plain, patent, noticeable

【反】 hidden, concealed 隐藏的

【派】 conspicuousness n. 显然性

conspire [kən'spaɪr]

【考法 1】 v. 合谋，秘谋： to **plan** together **secretly** to commit an illegal or wrongful act or accomplish a legal purpose through illegal action

【例】 A group of POWs conspired to abscond. 一批战俘密谋潜逃

【近】 plot, contrive, connive, cogitate, intrigue, put up

【派】 conspiracy n. 密谋

constitute ['kɒnstɪtju:t]

【考法 1】 vt. 指派，任命： to **appoint** to an office, function, or dignity

【例】 He was constituted manager. 他被任命为经理

【近】 nominate, designate, authorize

【反】 discharge, dismiss 撤除职务；abdicate, resign 退位，辞职

【考法 2】 v. 构成： **make up**, form, compose

【例】 Water constitutes the greater part of the human body. 人体中包含着大量的水分

【近】 compose, comprise, form

【派】 constitution n. 构成；宪法；体格

constrain [kən'streɪn]

【考法 1】 v. 限制： to force by imposed stricture, **restriction**, or limitation

【例】 Low temperature constrains the chemical reactivity. 低温降低了化学反应活性

【近】 bridle, check, confine, imprison, restrain, trammel

【反】 release 释放

【考法 2】 v. 使人屈服于（压力、感情等）： to cause (a person) to **give in to pressure**

【例】 constrained by his conscience to tell the truth 受他良心的驱使而说实话

【近】 coerce, compel, oblige, sandbag

【派】 constrained adj. 受限的