

【反】opaque 不透明的

transparent [træns'pærənt]

【考法 1】adj. 透明的: **capable of transmitting light**

【近】translucent, limpid, pellucid, lucent, lucid, transpicious

【反】cloudy, opaque 不透明的

【考法 2】adj. 没有歧义, 清晰易懂的: **not subject to misinterpretation** or more than one interpretation

【例】His meaning in leaving the conversation is transparent: he doesn't want to talk about his combat experiences. 他结束这个话题的意图很明显: 不想谈论当年参战的事。

【近】obvious, clear, apparent, patent, understandable, apprehensible, comprehensible, fathomable

【反】ambiguous, clouded, cryptic, enigmatic, equivocal, indistinct, mysterious, obfuscated, obscure, unapparent, unclarified, unclear, unclouded 难以理解的

travail ['træveɪl]

【考法 1】n./v. 辛苦劳动: work, especially when **arduous** or involving painful effort

【例】writer's literary travail 作家辛勤的文学创作 || Labor Day is the day on which we recognize those men and women who daily travail with little appreciation or compensation. 劳动节是我们向那些平日辛勤劳作但是很少受到大家关注和补偿的工人致敬的日子。

【近】drudgery, fatigue, grind

traverse ['trævɜ:s]

【考法 1】vt. 横穿: to travel or **pass across**, over, or through

【例】The spider traversed the wall from end to end. 蜘蛛侠攀岩走壁。

【近】course, cover, cross, cut across, navigate, pass over, perambulate, peregrinate, proceed along, transit, travel

travesty ['trævɪstɪ]

【考法 1】n./v. 拙劣的、嘲弄性模仿: an **exaggerated** or grotesque **imitation**, such as a parody of a literary work

【例】a travesty of his classmate's manner 滑稽的模仿其他同学的举止

【近】caricature, burlesque, parody, spoof, mock

【反】paragon 完美的模范

Unit 3

TREACHEROUS
TRICKLE

TRENCHANT
TRITE

TREPIDATION
TRIVIAL

TRESPASS
TRUANT

TRIBUTE
TRUCE

treacherous ['tretʃərəs]

【考法 1】adj. 背叛的: marked by **betrayal** of fidelity, confidence, or trust

【例】a treacherous ally 不忠的盟友

【近】faithless, disloyal, perfidious, recreant, traitorous, unfaithful, unloyal, betraying

【反】 constant, dedicated, devoted, staunch, down-the-line, faithful, fast, loyal, steadfast, steady, true 忠诚的

trenchant ['trentʃənt]

【考法 1】 adj. 锐利的: keen, **sharp**

【例】 Even the most trenchant sword could not sever the bonds of loyalty between them. 即使最锋利的刀剑也不能切断他们的忠诚。

【近】 keen, sharp

【反】 blunt, blunted, dull, obtuse 钝的

【考法 2】 adj. (言辞) 一针见血的: vigorously effective and **articulate**

【例】 trenchant criticisms 一针见血的批评

【近】 incisive

【反】 vague 含糊的

trepidation [treprɪ'deɪʃən]

【考法 1】 n. 恐惧, 战栗: the emotion experienced in the presence or threat of danger; **apprehension**

【例】 trepidation about starting a new career 对开创一项新事业而感到恐惧

【近】 fear, fright, horror, apprehension

【反】 boldness, bravery, dauntlessness, intrepidity 大胆

trespass ['trespəs]

【考法 1】 vi. 非法侵入, 违反: to commit an **offense**

【例】 I consider him to be trespassing against all of us when he trespasses against any one of us. 当他冒犯我们当中一个人的时候, 他就冒犯了我们全部

【近】 transgress, invade, intrude

【反】 withdraw, retreat 撤退

tribute ['trɪbjʊ:t]

【考法 1】 n. 颂词: a gift, payment, **declaration**, or other acknowledgment of **gratitude**, respect, or admiration

【例】 pay a high tribute to... 赞颂

【近】 accolade, eulogy, encomium, panegyric, tribute 颂词

【反】 denunciation, condemnation, criticism, censure, reproof, reprobation 批评, 指责

trickle ['trɪkl]

【考法 1】 vi. 一滴滴地流, 徐徐地流: to issue or **fall in drops**

【例】 Tears trickled down her cheeks. 眼泪从她的脸上一滴一滴地流下。

【反】 pour, roll, stream, gush 喷涌

trite [traɪt]

【考法 1】 adj. 陈腐的, 陈词滥调的: **hackneyed** or boring from much use, not fresh or original

【例】 “You win some, you lose some” is a trite expression. “有得必有失”是老生常谈了。

【近】 bathetic, cliché, hackneyed, threadbare, timeworn, banal

【反】 fresh, new, novel, original, unclichéd, unhackneyed 新鲜的

trivial ['trɪvɪəl]

【考法 1】 adj. 琐碎的, 无足轻重的: of **little** worth or **importance**

【例】 why spend so much time on trivial decisions, like whether the cola should be regular or diet? 为什么

花这么多时间在这种琐碎的决定上，比如可乐要喝一般的还是健怡？

【近】inconsiderable, insignificant, minor, petty, inconsequential, paltry, trifling

【反】consequential, material, momentous, weighty, indispensable, substantive, grandiose, massive 重要的

truant ['tru:ənt]

【考法 1】adj./ n./ vi. 逃避责任的: shirking responsibility; one who shirks duty

【例】play truant 逃学

【近】shirk, malingering, goldbrick, avoid, escape, evade, parry, sidestep, circumvent, fence, hedge, avert, elude, shun, skirt, dodge, balk, eschew

【反】dutiful 尽职尽责的

truce [tru:s]

【考法 1】n. 休战，休战协定: a suspension of fighting especially of considerable duration by agreement of opposing forces

【例】truce agreement 休战协议

【近】armistice, cease-fire, peace

Unit 4

TRUCULENT
TUMULT

TRUDGE
TURBID

TRUMPET
TURBULENT

TRUNCATE
TURGID

TRUSS
TURMOIL

truculent ['trʌkjʊlənt]

【考法 1】adj. 尖酸刻薄的: marked by harsh insulting language

【例】a theater critic who was notorious for his titanically truculent reviews 一个以超大量尖酸刻薄言论著称的话剧评论家

【近】contumelious, invective, opprobrious, scurrilous, vitriolic, vituperative

【考法 2】adj. 好战的: feeling or displaying eagerness to fight

【例】in an aggressively truculent manner 以好战的，进攻性的方式

【近】belligerent, bellicose, combative, militant, aggressive, feisty

【反】nonaggressive, nonbelligerent, pacific, peaceable, peaceful, uncombative, uncontentious 好和平的

trudge [trʌdʒ]

【考法 1】vi. 吃力而笨拙地走: to move heavily or clumsily

【例】trudge over hill 翻山越岭

【近】plod, lug, slog, flounder

【反】breeze, glide, slide, waltz, whisk, flit 快速通过

trumpet ['trʌmpɪt]

【考法 1】v. 大声说出或宣告: to make known openly or publicly