- 【例】 hopefully this vacation won't dent our bank account too much 但愿这次旅行不会让我们银行存款缩水 太多
- 【近】 abate, downscale, downsize, dwindle
- 【反】 aggrandize, amplify, augment, boost, enlarge, escalate 增大, 增强

#### denude [dɪˈnuːd]

【考法 1】 vt. 脱去,使赤裸: to divest of **covering**; make bare

- 【例】 Drought has completely denuded the hills of grass. 干旱脱去了山上的草使山变得光秃秃的。
- 【反】 cover遮盖

## Unit 9

DEPLETE DEPLORE DEPLOY DEPORTATION DEPOSE DEPOSIT DEPRAVITY DEPRECATE DEPRECIATE DEPRESSED

#### deplete [dɪ'pliːt]

【考法 1】 vt. 耗尽,使衰竭: to decrease the fullness of; to make complete use of

- 【例】 miners depleted the vein of copper ore after only a few months 矿工们在短短几个月内就把一整片铜矿开采完了
- 【近】 consume, devour, drain, exhaust, draw down, play out, use up
- 【反】 enrich, renew, replace 使富有, 更新

#### deplore [dɪˈplɔː]

【考法 1】 vt. 哀悼: to feel or express sorrow for

- 【例】 a statement from the bishops deploring the loss of life in the war overseas 一份来自大主教的声明,对海外战争中遇难的生命表示沉痛哀悼
- 【近】 mourn, bewail, grieve for, wail for
- 【反】 delight, exult in, glory in, rejoice in 高兴

## deploy [di'ploi]

【考法 1】 v. (有目的地)展开;调度: to <u>spread out</u>, utilize, or arrange for a deliberate purpose

- 【例】 deploy a sales force 展开部署销售力量
- 【反】 concentrate 集中

## deportation [di:po:'ter[en]

- 【考法 1】 n. 放逐: the <u>removal from a country</u> of an alien whose presence is unlawful or prejudicial
- 【例】 deport all illegal immigrants 驱逐所有非法移民
- 【近】 banishment, displacement, expatriation, expulsion, relegation

## depose [dɪˈpəuz]

- 【考法 1】 vt. 发誓作证: to <u>testify</u> to under oath or by affidavit
- 【例】 he was nervous when the time to depose before the jury finally arrived 他很紧张,在陪审团面前作证的

#### 时刻终于到来了

- 【近】 attest, swear
- 【反】 perjure 作伪证

#### 【考法 2】 v. 废黜,罢免: to <u>remove from a throne</u> or other high position

- 【例】 a military junta deposed the dictator after he had bankrupted the country 军阀罢黜了将国家分崩离析的独裁者
- 【近】 defrock, deprive, oust, uncrown
- 【反】 crown, enthrone 授予王权
- 【考法 3】 v. 摆放: to <u>arrange</u> something in a certain spot or position
- 【例】 deposed her fan and gloves on the dressing table 把她的扇子和手套放在梳妆台上
- 【近】 deposit, dispose, emplace, situate

## deposit [dɪˈpɔzɪt]

### 【考法 1】 n. 自然积累, 沉积: a natural accumulation (as of iron ore, coal, or gas)

- 【例】 rich deposits of oil and natural gas 丰富的石油、天然气
- 【近】 dregs, precipitate, sediment, settlings, hoard, reserve
- 【反】 process of eroding 腐蚀过程

#### 【考法 2】 v. 存钱: to <u>put in</u> an account

- 【例】 we quickly deposited the check in a bank account 我们火速把支票存入银行账户
- 【反】 withdraw 取款

#### **depravity** [dɪˈprævɪtɪ]

## 【考法 1】 n. 道德败坏: immoral conduct or practices harmful or offensive to society

- 【例】 He was sinking into a life of utter depravity. 他自甘堕落。
- 【近】 debauchery, iniquitousness, licentiousness, perversion, turpitude, dissoluteness
- 【反】 morality, virtue美德

## deprecate ['deprikeit]

#### 【考法 1】 vt. 表达不喜欢: to hold an <u>unfavorable opinion</u> of

- 【例】 deprecates TV sitcoms as childish and simpleminded 批评电视情景喜剧既幼稚又脑残
- 【近】 deprecate, discountenance, disesteem, disfavor, frown (on or upon)
- 【反】 approve, favor 喜欢

## 【考法 2】 vt. 贬低,轻视: to <u>express</u> <u>scornfully</u> one's low opinion of

- 【例】 deprecate the comedy as the stupidest movie of the year 认为这部喜剧是年度最傻逼电影
- 【近】 belittle, denigrate, dismiss, disparage, cry down
- 【反】 acclaim, applaud, exalt, extol, glorify 赞扬

## 【考法 3】 vt. 降低重要性,低调: play down, to make little of

- 【例】 She deprecated her facility for languages 她不炫耀自己对于语言的天赋。
- 【反】 vaunt自夸

#### depreciate [dɪ'priː[ɪeɪt]

# 【考法 1】 vt. 贬低价值: to <u>lower</u> the price or estimated <u>value</u> of

- 【例】 New cars start to depreciate as soon as they are on the road. 新车一上路便开始贬值。
- 【近】 cheapen, depress, devalue, downgrade, mark down
- 【反】 appreciate, enhance, upgrade, mark up 提价, 升值

#### 【考法 2】 vt. 轻视: to lower in estimation or esteem

【例】 dared to depreciate Shakespeare, saying his works have no relevance for modern audiences 胆 敢 贬

#### 低莎大人, 说他的作品对于现代观众来说没有意义

- 【近】 denigrate, disparage, play down, talk down
- 【反】 acclaim, exalt, extol, glorify, magnify 赞扬

## depressed [di'prest]

- 【考法 1】 adj. 不开心,情绪不高的: feeling unhappiness
- 【例】 I was depressed and didn't feel much like going to the party
- 【近】 crestfallen, dejected, despondent, gloomy, low-spirited, wretched
- 【反】 blissful, buoyant, gleeful, joyous, jubilant 情绪高的
- 【考法 2】 adj. 生活境况悲催的: kept from having the necessities of life or a healthful environment
- 【例】 a depressed class of people whose living conditions are abominable even by third world standards 境况悲惨的一群人,即使用第三世界标准来看他们的生存条件也是很糟的
- 【近】 disadvantaged, underprivileged
- 【反】 advantaged, privileged 具有优势的、特权的

# Unit 10

DEPRIVATION	DERACINATE	DERELICT	DERIDE	DERIVATIVE
DESCEND	DESCENDANT	DESECRATE	DESICCATE	DESIGNATE

#### deprivation [.depri'vei[ən]

【考法 1】 n. 匮乏: the condition of being deprived; privation

- 【例】 serious sleep deprivation caused by long work hours 由长时间工作导致的严重睡眠不足
- 【反】 fecundity 丰饶

#### deracinate [,diː'ræsineit]

【考法 1】 vt. 根除: to pull out by the roots; uproot

【反】 plant 种植

#### derelict ['derɪlɪkt]

【考法 1】 adj. 玩忽职守的, 不认真的: lacking a sense of duty; marked by a carelessly easy manner

- 【例】 the guards were judged derelict in their duty 守卫们被判玩忽职守罪
- 【近】 disregardful, lax, neglectful, neglecting, remiss, slack
- 【反】 extremely careful, attentive, conscientious, nonnegligent 特别仔细的

### 【考法 2】 n. 被社会遗弃的人: a destitute homeless <u>social</u> <u>misfit</u>

- 【例】 a section of the city that seemed to be frequented mostly by derelicts流浪汉的集中区
- 【近】 deserted, desolate, disused, forgotten, forsaken, rejected
- 【反】 pillar of society 社会的栋梁

## deride [dɪ'raɪd]

【考法 1】 vt. 嘲弄,嘲笑: to speak of or treat with contemptuous mirth

【例】 my brothers derided our efforts, but were forced to eat their words when we won first place 我的兄弟嘲