

【近】 comment, editorialize, note, observe, reflect, weigh in

**opportune** ['ɒpətju:n]

【考法 1】 adj. 合适的，适当的: suitable or **convenient** for a particular occurrence

【例】 an opportune moment 方便的时机

【近】 seasonable, well-timed

【反】 inconvenient, untimely, inappropriate, unseasonable 不合适的

**opprobrious** [ə'prəubriəs]

【考法 1】 adj. 辱骂的: expressing contemptuous **reproach**; scornful or abusive

【例】 opprobrious language 脏话

【近】 scurrilous, vitriolic, vituperative, contumelious

【考法 2】 adj. 臭名昭著的，令人鄙视的: bringing disgrace; shameful or **infamous**

【例】 opprobrious conduct 令人鄙视的行为

【近】 discreditable, disgraceful, dishonorable, ignominious, infamous, notorious, shameful, unrespectable

【反】 irreproachable, honorable, reputable, respectable 无可指责的，受人尊敬的

【派】 opprobrium 恶名

【反】 good repute 好名声

**oration** [ə'reiʃən]

【考法 1】 n. (颇有野心、自高自大的) 演说: a speech delivered in a **high-flown or pompous manner**

【近】 address, declamation, harangue, peroration

**orient** ['ɔ:riənt]

【考法 1】 vt. 确定方向，使熟悉或适应: to set or arrange in any **determinate position** especially in relation to the points of the compass; to **make familiar** with or adjusted to facts, principles, or a situation

【例】 orient students toward a career in medicine 指导学生从事医学的职业道路

【近】 accustom, familiarize, initiate, introduce, orientate

【反】 confuse 使迷惑

**original** [ə'ridʒənəl]

【考法 1】 adj. 创新的: independent and **creative** in thought or action :**inventive**

【例】 The car has a highly original design. 这车的设计很新颖

【近】 ingenious, innovative, inventive

【反】 commonplace, banal, trite, familiar, hackneyed, time-honored, tired, warmed-over 陈腐的

【考法 2】 adj. 最初的，最早的: coming **before** all others **in time or order**

【例】 the original plan had to be discarded when the situation changed drastically 当环境发生剧烈变化时，最初的计划就该被放弃

【近】 earliest, foremost, headmost, inaugural, initial, leadoff, maiden, pioneer, premier, virgin

【反】 final, last, latter, terminal, ultimate 最终的

## Unit 5

ORTHODOX	OSCILLATE	OSSIFY	OSTENTATIOUS	OSTRACIZE
OUST	OUTGOING	OUTLANDISH	OUTMANEUVER	OUTSET

**orthodox** ['ɔ:θədɒks]

【考法 1】 adj. 传统的: following or agreeing with **established form, custom, or rules**

【例】 He believes in the benefits of both orthodox medicine and alternative medicine. 他既相信传统药物又相信替代药物的效用。

【近】 ceremonial, conventional, regular, routine

【反】 casual, freewheeling, informal, irregular, unceremonious, unconventional, unorthodox 不常见的

**oscillate** ['ɒsileɪt]

【考法 1】 vi. 振动, 摇晃: to **swing** backward and forward like a pendulum

【反】 remain static 静止

【考法 2】 v. 犹豫, 变化: **vary** between opposing beliefs, feelings, or theories

**ossify** ['ɒsɪfaɪ]

【考法 1】 vi. 硬化, 僵化: to become **hardened** or **conventional** and **opposed to change**

【例】 a disease that ossifies the joints 一种会使关节僵化的疾病

【反】 make pliant, transcend conventions, amenable to change 使柔软, 超越传统

**ostentatious** [ɒsten'teɪʃəs]

【考法 1】 adj. 炫耀卖弄的: marked by or fond of **conspicuous** or vainglorious and sometimes **pretentious** display

【例】 wears an ostentatious diamond ring on her finger 她手指上戴着一枚巨大的钻戒

【近】 flamboyant, flaring, flashy, splashy

【反】 modest, artless, austere, unpretentious, conservative, quiet, understated, unflamboyant, unflashy 谦让的, 朴素的, 保守地

**ostracize** [ˈɒstrəsaɪz]

【考法 1】 vt. 驱逐: to **exclude** from a group

【例】 He was ostracized from the scientific community for many years because of his radical political beliefs. 他因激进的政治理想被驱逐出了科学界很多年。

【近】 banish, bounce, chase, dismiss, expel, extrude, oust, boot out, cast out, run off, drum out, kick out, throw out, turf out

【反】 take in, include, embrace, welcome 接纳

**oust** [aʊst]

【考法 1】 vt. 免职: to **remove from** a position of prominence or power (as a throne)

【例】 be ousted from power 被赶下台

【近】 deprive, displace, uncrown, unthroned

【反】 instate, crown, enthrone, throne 任命

【考法 2】 v. 驱逐: to **drive** or force **out**

【例】 she was ousted from her job after it was proven she'd been pilfering company supplies 她贪污公司财物这事被证实后, 她被驱逐了

【近】 banish, boot out, cast out, chase, dismiss, drum out, expel, extrude, kick out, throw out, turf out, turn out

**outgoing** ['autgəʊɪŋ]

【考法 1】 adj. 友好的，外向的： openly friendly and responsive: **extroverted**

【例】 a salesman whose aggressively outgoing personality could sometimes be overbearing 一个销售员如果过于热情会让人不能忍

【近】 companionable, extroverted, gregarious, sociable

【反】 antisocial, introverted, nongregarious, reclusive, unsociable, unsocial 不合群的，不善交际的

**outlandish** [aut'lændɪʃ]

【考法 1】 adj. 古怪的，奇异的： strikingly **out of the ordinary**: **bizarre**

【例】 an outlandish costume 奇装异服

【近】 bizarre, cranky, eccentric, erratic, offbeat, peculiar, remarkable

【反】 conventional, familiar, nonexotic, nonglamorous, plain-Jane, unglamorous, unromantic 常规的，平凡的

**outmaneuver** [autmə'nu:və]

【考法 1】 vt. 以策略取胜： to **overcome** (an opponent) by artful, clever maneuvering

【例】 outmaneuvered his congressional opponent 以计谋战胜了国会的对手

【近】 outfox, outslick, outsmart, outthink, outwit

【反】 yield 屈服

**outset** ['autset]

【考法 1】 n. 开端，开始： **beginning**, start

【例】 I wish you'd mentioned this problem at the outset. 我希望你开门见山就提到这个问题。

【近】 alpha, commencement, genesis, inception, incipience, nascence

【反】 termination, close, conclusion, end, ending, omega 终止

## Unit 6

OUTWIT	OVERBEARING	OVERLAP	OVERT	OVERTURE
OXYMORON	PACIFY	PADDING	PAEAN	PAINSTAKING

**outwit** [aut'wit]

【考法 1】 v. 瞒骗，以智取胜： to **surpass** in cleverness or **cunning**; outsmart

【例】 a plan to outwit their opponents at their own game 在擅长的领域智取对手的计划

【近】 outfox, outmaneuver, outslick, outsmart, outthink

**overbearing** [ˌəʊvə'bɛəriŋ]

【考法 1】 adj. 专横傲慢的： domineering in manner; **arrogant**

【例】 Her husband's overbearing manner made her miserable. 她的丈夫专横傲慢，让她痛不欲生。

【近】 authoritative, despotic, dictatorial, imperious, masterful, peremptory