- 【近】 balk, foil, thwart, baffle, checkmate
- 【反】 advance, forward, foster, further, promote 推进, 促进; encourage 鼓励

Unit 6

DISCOMMODE DISCOMPOSE DISCONCERT DISCORD DISCREDIT DISCREPANCY DISCRETE DISCRETION DISCRETIONARY DISCRIMINATE

discommode [dɪskəˈməʊd]

【考法 1】 v. 打扰,使不便: to cause inconvenience to: trouble

- 【例】 The breakdown of her car didn't discommode her seriously. 车的故障没有给他带来很大麻烦。
- 【近】 disturb, trouble, incommode, put out
- 【反】 accommodate, assist, oblige, favor 帮忙

discompose [dɪskəmˈpəuz]

【考法 1】 vt. 使不安: to <u>disturb</u> the <u>composure</u> or calm of; <u>perturb</u>

- 【例】 GRE does not seem to discompose Jason; on the contrary, he looked rather relaxed. GRE 没有使 Jason 感到慌乱,正相反,他看上去很轻松。
- 【近】 agitate, bother, discomfort, disquiet, distemper, disconcert, disturb, perturb, upset, weird out
- 【反】 calm, compose, quiet, settle, soothe, tranquilize 平息抚慰

【考法 2】 v. 使混乱: to <u>undo</u> the proper <u>order</u> or <u>arrangement</u> of

- 【例】 The wind ruffled her hair and discomposed her carefully arranged papers. 风凌乱了她的头发,吹乱了她细心整理的纸张。
- 【近】 disarrange, disarray, disorganize
- 【反】 arrange, array, order, organize, range 使有序

disconcert [disken'sait]

【考法 1】 vt. 使不安: to disturb the composure of

- 【例】We were disconcerted by the unexpected changes to the program. 我们对项目未预料到的变化感到不安。
- 【近】 abash, discomfit, disconcert, discountenance, mortify, rattle
- 【反】 calm, compose, quiet, settle, soothe, tranquilize 平息抚慰

discord ['dɪskɔːd]

【考法 1】 n. 意见不一致,不和谐: lack of agreement or harmony (as between persons, things, or ideas)

- 【例】 No discord, no concord. 不打不成交。
- 【近】 conflict, disaccord, discordance, disharmony, dissension, dissidence, dissonance, disunion, disunity, division, friction, inharmony, schism, strife
- 【反】 accord, agreement, concord, harmony, peace 和谐
- 【派】 discordant adj. 不和谐的,刺耳的: <u>disagreeable</u> in sound; <u>harsh</u> or <u>dissonant</u>
- 【近】 dissonant, cacophonous, disharmonic, disharmonious
- 【反】 concordant. harmonious 和谐的

discredit [diskredit]

【考法 1】 v. 羞辱,使丧失名誉: to <u>damage</u> in <u>reputation</u>; <u>disgrace</u>.

- 【例】 discredit his opponents 羞辱他的对手
- 【近】 abase, debase, degrade, demean, disgrace, dishonor, humiliate, shame, sink, smirch, take down
- 【反】 aggrandize 提高名誉; canonize, deify 神化; elevate 提升; exalt 赞扬

【考法 2】 v. 怀疑,不相信: to think not to be true or real

- 【例】 I discredit the story that the old house is haunted. 我怀疑那个房子闹鬼不是真的。
- 【近】 negate, doubt, distrust
- 【反】 accept, believe, credit 接受,相信; confirm, prove, validate, verify 证实

discrepancy [dɪ'skrepənsɪ]

【考法 1】 n. (在事实和宣称之间的)差异或矛盾: <u>divergence</u> or <u>disagreement</u>, as between facts or claims

- 【例】 a large discrepancy between the ideal image and the reality 理想与现实之间的巨大差距
- 【近】 contrast, disagreement, disparity, dissimilarity, distance, distinction, diversity
- 【反】 converge concord consonant 一致,和谐; analogousness, community, resemblance, similarity 相似

discrete [dɪ'skriːt]

【考法 1】 adj. 离散的,不连续的: constituting a <u>separate</u> entity

- 【例】 a discrete variable 离散变量
- 【近】 detached, disconnected, unattached, unconnected, separate
- 【反】 continuous 连续的; attached, connected, joined, linked 连接的

discretion [dɪ'skre[ən]

【考法 1】 n. 谨慎: the quality of being discreet; circumspection

- 【例】 You must show discretion in choosing your teammates. 你选择队友时必须慎重。
- 【近】 discreetness, prudence
- 【反】 imprudence, indiscretion
- 【派】indiscretion n. 不谨慎,不符合社会道德规范: an act at <u>variance with</u> the accepted <u>morality of a society</u>
- 【例】 resign because of financial indiscretions 因为财政方面的不检点而辞职

【考法 2】 n. 自制, 节制: the **checking** of one's true feelings and impulses when dealing with others

- 【例】 In that job you'll be expected to show discretion and act like a professional at all times. 那项工作要求你时刻自制节制,表现得像一个专业人士。
- 【近】 continence, discipline, inhibition, refrainment, restraint, self-control, self-restraint
- 【反】 disinhibition, incontinence, unconstraint 不自制,不节制

discretionary [dɪ'skre[ənəri]

【考法 1】 adj. 自主决定的: left to discretion: exercised at one's own discretion

- 【例】 In many restaurants, discretionary tipping is being replaced by a standard service charge. 在很多饭店,标准的服务价格取代了随意支付的小费。
- 【近】 elective, voluntary
- 【反】 compulsory, mandatory, nonelective, nonvoluntary, obligatory, required 强制性的,非自愿的

discriminate [dɪ'skrɪmɪneɪt]

【考法 1】 vt. 区分: to <u>perceive</u> the <u>distinguishing</u> features of; <u>recognize</u> as distinct

【例】 discriminate different kinds of animals 区分不同的动物

- 【近】 differentiate, discern, distinguish
- 【反】 confuse, mistake, mix up 混淆

【考法 2】 vi. 歧视: to make a difference in treatment or favor on a basis other than individual merit

- 【例】 The new law discriminated against lower-paid workers. 这条新法律歧视低工资的工人。
- 【派】 discriminatory adj. 差别对待的: marked by or showing prejudice; biased
- 【近】 prejudiced, biased
- 【反】 equitable, impartial, unbiased, impersonal, unprejudiced 公平的

Unit 7

DISCURSIVE DISDAIN DISENGAGE DISGORGE DISGRUNTLE DISGUISE DISINCLINATION DISINFECT DISJOINTED DISINTER

discursive [dɪˈskɜːsɪv]

【考法 1】 adj. (谈话内容)杂乱的: moving from topic to topic without order

- 【例】 a long, discursive article 冗长杂乱的文章 || The speaker's discursive style made it difficult to understand his point. 演讲者讲话杂乱,很难让人理解他的观点。
- 【近】 desultory, digressional, excursive, meandering, rambling, wandering
- 【反】 keen on title, concentrated 关注主题的,集中的

disdain [dis'dein]

【考法 1】 v. 轻视,鄙视: to look on with **scorn**

- 【例】 disdain that man for snobbishness 鄙视那个势利小人
- 【近】 contemn, disrespect, slight, sniff, snub, look down
- 【反】 honor, respect 尊敬; treat favorably 亲切地对待

disengage [disin'geid3]

【考法 1】 vt. 分开: to set free from entanglement or difficulty

- 【例】 Disengage the gears when you park the car. 当你停车的时候要把(传动)齿轮分开。|| seek to disengage myself from the embarrassing situation 试图把我自己从尴尬的气氛中解救出来
- 【近】 disengage, disentangle, untangle
- 【反】 embroil, entangle 卷入; mesh 啮合

disgorge [dɪs'gɔ:dʒ]

【考法 1】 v. 呕吐出: to discharge by the throat and mouth; vomit

- 【例】 He cannot disgorge a fish bone without the doctor's assistant. 没有医生的帮助他吐不出鱼刺来。|| The volcano disgorged lava. 火山喷出岩浆。
- 【近】 belch, disgorge, eject, eruct, expel, jet, spew, spout
- 【反】 swallow, ingest 吞下,咽下

【考法 2】 v. 放弃: to give up on request or under pressure

【例】 The corrupt officials refused to disgorge his ill-gotten gains. 贪官们拒绝放弃赃款。