

3.06 defend

defend

我们已经学过de-表示向下，但是这里de-意义不同。

de- 使成...、作成...(仅作强调)

delimit 划定界限

denude 使裸露

depicture 描绘，描述 depict 描画

design 计划，设计

fend: 抵挡，推开，击退

She tried all means to **fend off** her admirers.

她想方设法来打发那些仰慕者。

n. fence 篱笆

Good fences make good neighbors. 好篱笆就会有好邻居（亲兄弟明算账！）

defend: 1. protect from attack or harm 防御

I held a stick to **defend** myself from the attack of the dog.

我拿根棍保护自己免受狗的袭击。

2. 为...辩护

The lawyer had **defended** five dissidents.

该律师曾为五位持不同政见者辩护。

3.(论文)答辩

thesis defense 论文答辩

defense: n. 防御, 为...辩护

注意拼写: defense 为美式拼法, defence 为英式拼法

National defense 国防;

defense lawyer 辩护律师

defendant 防御者, 被告; 被告人

拓展单词: **offend** → of- fend

of- 是ob- 的变体。

ob- against, towards, in the way of 向, 对, 阻碍

objection (反对), obstruct (阻挡), obstacle (障碍)

ob-变体的情况: oc- before c: occlude闭合, 阻塞(口、孔、通道等);

op- before p: oppose(反对); [-clude-: to shut]

of- before f: offend; (省力原则!!)

offend of-fend : to strike against 冒犯

I think she was **offended** that she hadn't been invited to the party.

没有邀请她参加聚会, 我觉得她有点生气。

Obviously if a police officer **offends**, it's a fairly serious matter.

显然, 警察如果犯罪那可是件相当严重的事情。

offense n. 犯规; 犯法, 冒犯

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weapons of **offense** rather than **defense** 攻击型的而不是防御型的武器

commit an **offense** 犯过错, 犯罪

I'm sorry; I intended no **offense** when I said that. 对不起, 我说那事并无恶意.

He went out, making it clear he'd **taken offense**.

他走了出去, 表示他生气了。

She's quick to **take offense**. 她动不动就生气. (因感觉到伤害, 冒犯等)

offensive adj. 冒犯的, 令人反感的

She finds it **offensive** to smoke in the room. 她对在室内抽烟反感.

offensive n. attack

The general **launched an offensive** against the enemy.

将军向敌人发起攻击.

总结

1. defend 的讲解
2. 前缀de-的意义以及词根fend的意义
3. 拓展词汇offend 的意义
4. 前缀ob-的变体