**紅色單字；綠色發音；藍色例句、片語跟翻譯；紫色超連結**

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Hi guys welecome to [today's Pronunciation Challenge](https://tw.voicetube.com/everyday/20160913), and my name is Kristi. So maybe some of you have seen a cartoon and it's about [Atlantis](https://www.google.com.tw/webhp?sourceid=chrome-instant&ion=1&espv=2&ie=UTF-8#q=atlantis), the sunken city. And today we have a TED-ED video and it's about [real life sunken cities](https://tw.voicetube.com/videos/41387?ref=everyday).

And... so let's take a look at today's sentence, I think this is rather interesting.

**Water is essential for life, food sources, and transport, so many cities have been built along coastlines and river banks. However, these benefits also come with risks because natural forces that can sink a city are at their doorstep.**

那我們首先要來看的呢是

Essential (adj.) 必要的；不可或缺的[uh-**sen**-shuh l]

像是可能有些人在找工作的時候啊他們就會看到  
[Job discription]=[工作描述]

[Near-native English is essential.]=  
[需要具備相近母語人士的英文能力。]

那他的副詞則是  
Essentially (adv.) 實質上[uh-**sen**-shuh lee]

那我們有時候把它放在句子裡面也會把它當作是「實際上」或著是「基本上」。

[The David Statue is essentially one of the greatest work of all time.]=

[大衛像基本上可以說是有史以來最偉大的傑作之一。]

那他的名詞則是   
Essence (n.) 精髓；某個東西的精華 [**es**-uh ns]

那這邊要記得重音在第一個音節"E"，音發"ɛ"。

那可能有看過"[How I met your mother](http://www.imdb.com/title/tt0460649/)"'的人呢，就會知道

["Barny" is the essence of that TV series.]=

[「巴尼」這個腳色就是全劇的精隨。]  
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再來我們來看

Transport (n.) 運輸[**trans**-pawrt]

那它還有另外一個名詞是  
Transportation (n.) 交通工具[trans-per-**tey**-shuh n]

那其實兩個都是運輸的意思可是

Transport指的是運輸的過程  
Transportation 則是指運輸用的工具

[Buses and MRTs are the most common transportation in Taipei city.]=

[台北最常見的交通工具是公車和捷運。]  
[Emergency parcels are transported by Air.]=

[急件全由空運的方式運輸。]

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再來我們來看

Coastline (n.) 海岸線[**kohst**-lahyn]   
Coast (n.) 海岸[kohst]

它的"oa"發"oh"的音。

那有時候你會聽到一個用法叫做

[From coast to coast]=

[舉國上下](美國的東岸到西岸)

[On the fourth of July, everyone from coast to coast is celebrating.]=

[在國慶日這天，舉國上下所有人都在慶祝。]

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再來我們來看

Benefit (n.) 利益、好處[**ben**-uh-fit]

它的重音在第一個音節，"Be"發"bɛ"；"ne"發"nə"。

[One of the benefit of working at a cloth retail is that you get discount from that store.]=

[在服裝店有個好處就是在那邊買東西可以打折。]

那他的形容詞呢就是  
Beneficial (adj.) 有益地[ben-uh-**fish**-uh l]

[Exercising not only gives you a nice figure but it is also beneficial to your health.]=

[運動除了能帶給你好身材，對健康也是有益的。]  
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再來我們來看

Sink (v.) 下沉；(n.) 洗手槽 [singk]

[Don't put your dirty dishes in the sink, wash them right away!]=

[不要把髒碗盤堆在水槽裡，要馬上洗起來！]

動詞三態為sink-sank,sunk-sunken

[Sunken cities]=

[已經沉沒的城市]

[Sunken ship, e.g. Titanic]=

[已沉沒的船舉例，鐵達尼]

Sink的發音不要跟THink搞錯

Think (v.) 想、思索[thingk]

"Th"記得把舌頭放在上下門牙的中間發"θ"的音。

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Alright, so let's take a look at today's sentence one more time :

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Alright, so that's it for today's Pronunciation Challenge, remember to leave your recordings below, and I'll Challenge you guys tomorrow, Pie~(X) Bye~(O)

今天的Kristi好像有點燒聲OAQ