**Elementary Vocabulary S08**

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| 1 | **take action** | phrv | 采取行动，采取措施； |
| 2 | **harmony** | n | 和谐，协调；融洽，和睦； |
| 3 | **wipe out** | phrv | 把...擦干净；除去，去掉，消除，忘掉；摧毁； |
| 4 | **at stake** | phr | 濒临险境，处于危险境地，处于成败关头； |
| 5 | **on end** | phr | 竖直，竖立；连续地，持续地； |
| 6 | **draw attention to** | phrv | 促使…注意； |
| 7 | **distance** | n | 距离；遥远，远处，远方； |
| 8 | **at hand** | adv | 在手边，在附近，即将来临； |
| 9 | **way out** | phr | 出口，解决办法； |
| 10 | **start out** | phrv | 开始做...，从...出发； |
| 11 | **turn back** | phrv | 沿原路返回；无法改变；中途放弃； |
| 12 | **on board** | phr | 在车、船、飞机上； |
| 13 | **knock about** | phrv | 流浪；交往，暧昧，厮混；粗暴地对待； |
| 14 | **come on** | phrv | 催促；到来，开始；改善，进步； |
| 15 | **do for** | phrv | 毁灭，破坏；设法获得；做家务；改善外貌； |
| 16 | **live through** | phrv | 经历...而幸存，经过， 活过； |
| 17 | **at once** | adv | 立刻，突然；同时，一起； |
| 18 | **fall on** | phrv | 猛攻，猛烈攻击，扑向；由某人承担； |
| 19 | **support** | v | 支持，鼓励；帮助，赞助；抚养，维持； |
| 20 | **achieve** | v | 达到，完成，成功； |

**▲ take action**

phrv. 采取行动，采取措施；

eg. I felt that it was time for me to take action. 我觉得是时候采取行动了。

▷ into action 付诸实施，开始行动

eg. We must put the plan into action as quickly as possible.

我们必须尽快将计划付诸行动。

▷ in action 在活动中，在行动中，在运转

▷ out of action 不能工作，不能运转

**▲ harmony**

n. 和谐，协调；融洽，和睦；

eg. to live together in perfect harmony. 十分和睦地一同生活。

eg. John and I were in harmony for years. 约翰和我相处了好几年。

▷ in (out of) harmony with 与...一致，与...和睦相处

eg. His tastes are in harmony with mine. 他的口味和我的很协调。

**▲ wipe out**

phrv. 把...擦干净（内面）；除去，去掉，消除，忘掉；摧毁，彻底消灭；

eg. Please wipe out the bath after using it. 用完浴缸后请把它擦干净。

eg. This year's losses have wiped out last year's profits.

今年的亏损抵消了去年的利润。

eg. You must try to wipe out the memory of these terrible events.

你必须设法忘掉这些可怕的事件。

eg. The earthquake wiped out the town. 地震摧毁了这个城镇。

eg. The army factory has been wiped out by out bombs. 军工厂已被炸弹摧毁。

**▲ at stake**

phr. 处于危险之中，濒临险境，处于危险境地，处于成败关头；

eg. The peace of the country is at stake. 国家的和平岌岌可危。

eg. The prize at stake is a place in the final. 这次如果获胜，便能进入决赛。

**▲ on end**

phr. 竖直，竖立；连续地，持续地；

eg. He put the box on end and sat on it. 他把盒子竖起来并坐在上面。

eg. The sight of the dead man made her hair stand on end.

看到那个死人，她毛骨悚然

eg. It rained for 3 days on end. 雨连续下了三天。

**▲ draw attention to**

phrv. 促使…注意；= pay attention to

eg. He drew my attention to the error in the report. 他提请我注意报告中的错误。

▷ give/devote/hold attention to 专心于，致力于；

▷ catch/attract/get sb's attention 引起某人的注意

▷ keep/hold one's attention (to) 保持某人的注意力

▷ turn one's attention 转移某人的注意力

**▲ distance**

n. 距离；遥远，远处，远方；

eg. In the USA, distance is measured in miles/by the mile.

在美国，距离以英里为单位。

eg. Things look different at a distance of 10 years. 十年后，事情看起来就不一样了

eg. There has been a great distance between us since our quarrel.

自从我们吵架以来，我们之间一直有很大的距离。

▷ at/from a distance 从远处，在远处 ( + 数字表多远)

eg. The picture looks nicer from/at a distance. 从远处看，这幅画看起来更好。

eg. The sound of the waterfull may be heared at a distance of 2 miles.

瀑布的声音可以在2英里外听到。

▷ in the distance 在远处，在远方

eg. The hills in the distance were purple. 远处的小山是紫色的。

▷ keep sb at a distance 与某人保持一定的距离

▷ keep one's distance from 不愿于人接近

**▲ at hand**

adv. 在手边，在附近，即将来临；

eg. He lives close at hand. 他住在附近。

eg. When he writes, he often keeps a dictionary at hand.

当他写作时，他经常在手边放一本字典。

eg. Christmas is at hand / will be at hand. 圣诞节即将到来。

▷ in hand 在手头，拥有，在控制之下，在掌握中

eg. We have the situation well in hand. 我们控制住了局势。

▷ on hand 在手头，在近处，现有；= at hand

▷ in/at sb's hand 在某人手中，在某人控制之下（受折磨），照料监护等

**▲ way out**

phr. （道路的）出口，（问题的）解决办法；

eg. She was trying to think of a way out. 她正在想办法摆脱困境。

eg. This is the only way out of all this. 这是摆脱这一切的唯一办法。

**▲ start out**

phrv. 开始做...，从...出发；

eg. He started out for school on his bike. 他骑自行车出发去上学。

eg. We all start out in life as helpless infants. 我们一开始都是无助的婴儿。

eg. She started out to make a cake, but it ended up as a fudge.

她开始做蛋糕，但最后成了一块软糖。

**▲ turn back**

phrv. 沿原路返回，折回；无法改变，无法收回成命；中途放弃，打退堂鼓；

eg. The weather became so bad, we must turn back.

天气变得如此糟糕，我们必须回头。

eg. The project must go ahead, there can be no turning back.

这个项目必须继续下去，不能中途放弃。

**▲ on board**

phr. 在车、船、飞机上；

eg. The ship had 500 passengers on board. 这艘船上有500名乘客。

eg. Go on board the ship, please. 请上船。

**▲ knock about**

phrv. 流浪；交往，暧昧，厮混；粗暴地对待（某人，某物）；

eg. He has knocked about in Africa for years. 他在非洲流浪多年了。

eg. Selly has been knocking about with Tom for years.

塞利多年来一直与汤姆交往。

eg. It is said that he knocks his wife about. 据说他对待他的妻子很粗暴。

eg. The car has been knocked about a bit but it still goes.

这辆汽车被撞坏了一点，但仍能行驶。

**▲ come on**

phrv. （鼓励）催促；到来，开始；改善，进步；

eg. Come on Doreen, let's dance. 来吧，多琳，我们跳舞吧。

eg. Hamlet is coming on next week. 《哈姆雷特》下周上映。

eg. The night is coming on. 夜晚即将来临。

eg. How are you coming on with your study of English? 你的英语学习进展如何？

**▲ do for**

phrv. 毁灭，完蛋，破坏（杀死）；设法获得；做家务；改善外貌；

eg. Last night's gale did for my greenhouse. 昨晚的大风吹坏了我的温室。

eg. I'm afraid these shoes are done for, throw them away.

恐怕这双鞋用不着了，把它们扔掉。

eg. How did you do for coal during the miners's strike?

在矿工罢工期间，你要怎样获取煤炭？

eg. The new hairstyle really does something for her. 新发型确实对她有改善。

**▲ live through**

phrv. 经历...而幸存，经过， 活过；

eg. They lived through a long famine. 他们经历了长期的饥荒。

**▲ at once**

adv. 立刻，突然；同时，一起；

eg. All at once, she lost her temper. 她突然发了脾气。

eg. Don't all speak at once. 不要一下子都说话。

eg. The film is at once humorous and moving. 这部电影既幽默又感人。

**▲ fall on**

phrv. 猛攻，猛烈攻击，扑向；(义务，责任，费用)由某人承担；

eg. The soldiers fell on the enemy. 士兵们向敌人扑去

eg. The starving men fell on the food. 饥饿的人扑向了食物。

eg. The responsibility fell on me. 责任落在我身上。

eg. All the expenses fell on me. 所有费用都由我承担。

**▲ support**

v. 支持，鼓励；帮助，援助，赞助；养活，抚养，维持；

eg. The atmosphere of Mars could not support life.

生命无法在火星的大气环境下生存。

▷ come to sb's support 前去支持某人 ▷ in support of 以支持...

▷ supportor 支持者

**▲ achieve**

v.（凭长期努力）达到（某目标、地位、标准），完成，成功；

eg. He had finally achieved success. 他终于获得了成功。

eg. I haven't achieved very much today. 我今天没做成多少事。

eg. Their background gives them little chance of achieving at school.

他们的家庭背景使他们很难有机会在学校学有所成。

▷ achievement n. 成就，成绩，功绩；达到，完成；