

12. Western countries remained divided over whether to militarily in the conflict.

(A) impose (B) interview (C) intervene (D) introduce

答案 (C) intervene v. 干涉，介入

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contravene v 違反 (contra+ven+e→反著來→違反)

Some portions of the bill may contravene state law.

intervene v 干涉，介入 (inter 中間+ven+e→走到中間來→干涉)

The police don't usually like to intervene in disputes between husbands and wives.

inventory n 存貨清單 (in 進+vent+ory→進來的[全部貨物]清單)

The store was closed for inventory all week.

45. sid, sed = sit, 表示“坐”

拉丁文 sedere

dissidence n 意見不同 (dis 分開+sid+ence→分開坐→意見不同)

dissident a 持不同意見的 (dis+sid+ent) n 異議分子

In a totalitarian state, there is no room for dissidence.

reside v 居住 (re 再+side→再坐[之地]→居住)

residence n 居住，住宅 / resident n 居民

Her charm resides in her naive attitude to life.

preside v 主持 (pre 前面+side→在前面坐→主持)

president n 總統，校長 (pre+sid+ent 人→在前面坐的人→總統)

The conference was presided over by the chairman.

subside v 下沈，退卻 (sub 下+side→坐下去→下沈)

The pains in his head had subsided, but he still felt dizzy and sick.

subsidy n 補助金 (sub+sid+y)

European farmers are planning a massive demonstration against farm subsidy cuts.

consider v 考慮 (con 一起+sider 坐→坐在一起思考→考慮)

considerate a 考慮周到的，體貼的 (consider+ate)

She is considerate of other people's feelings.

residue n 殘餘物 (re 回+sidue→[不能用]重新坐回來→殘餘物)

Residues of pesticides can build up in the soil.

sedate a 沈靜的 v 施予鎮靜劑 (sed+ate→坐著的→沈靜的) / sedation n

sedative n 鎮靜劑

We continued our walk at a sedate pace.

18. Fear sometimes ruins my public performance, but it also ___ me to practice more frequently and patiently.

(A) prevents (B) motivates (C) inhibits (D) memorizes

答案 (B) motivate v. 激勵

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automobile n 汽車 (auto 自己+mobile 動→自己動的[車]→汽車)

Henry Ford was an automobile baron.

mob n 一群暴民

mobbish a 暴亂的

The police faced a mob throwing bricks and petrol bombs.

mobster n 歹徒 (mob+ster 人→暴民之人)

The mobster stormed in and broke all the glasses of the window.

remove v 移除 / removal n

Can these ink stains be removed from the clothes?

motor n 馬達

To general employees, promotions and raises are the motor of greater efforts and devotion.

motion n 運動、動作

v 做手勢或點頭示意

The rocking motion of the boat made passengers feel sick.

He motioned me in to a seat.

motive n 動機 (mot+ive)

The police have ruled out robbery as a motive for the killing.

motivate v 激勵 (motive+ate→使有動機→激勵)

The profit-sharing plan is designed to motivate the staff to work hard.

promote v 促進、提升、宣傳 (pro 向前+mote→向前動→促進) / promotion n

A vast array of advertising tactics have been employed to promote the company's most representative products.

remote a 遙遠的 (re 回+mote→動回去→退回去→遙遠的)

Poor access to health care remains a central issue to most remote rural areas.

demote v 使降級 (de 向下+mote→向下動→降級) / demotion n

He was demoted for his poor performance and lack of devotion.

commotion n 騷動 (com 一起+mot+ion→大家一起動→騷亂)

Everyone looked out to see what was causing the commotion.

locomotive n 火車頭 (loco 地方+mot+ive→從一地移動到另一地→火車頭)

The steam locomotive has been superseded by the diesel locomotive.

emotion n 感情 (e 出+motion→動出[感情]→感情)

Kim received the news without showing any visible sign of emotion.