

Unit 12. Life is full of the unexpected.

单词精讲

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1. unexpected/ ,ʌnik'spektɪd/ a. 出乎意料的; 始料不及的

*expect v 期待, 预期 expect sb to do sth

*expected adj 期待的, 预期的

an expected result

*expectedly adv 预期地

unexpected adj 出乎意料的, 始料不及的

The result is unexpected

Life is full of the unexpected

*unexpectedly adv 意外地, 出人意料地

*expectation n 期待 预料

according to the expectations

正如所期待的

2. by the time

在---以前（引导时间状语从句）

*从句用一般过去时态，主句用过去完成时

By the time I got there, she had left

.

*从句用一般现在时态，主句用将来时

By the time you get home, I will finish
my homework

3. backpack /'bækpæk/ n. 背包；旅行包

back+pack -----backpack

4. oversleep v 睡过头 (overslept, overslept)

He overslept this morning and was late for school

*over- 前缀 : 太---, 过于---, 超出---

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overconfident 过分自信的

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5. give ... a lift 捎（某人）一程

lift v 举起，扶起

lift sb up

n 电梯

***give sb a lift**

=give/offer sb a ride 让某人搭车，捎某人一程

***give sb a hand**

=help sb

*** give sb a ring /call**

= ring/call sb

6. block /blɒk / n *街区

There are three blocks from here

*块，立方体

a block of ice

*大楼

an office block

办公大楼

*阻碍，阻塞

Laziness is the block on the way of success

7. in line with 成---一排

* wait in line (with) 排队等

* cut in line 插队

* stand in line with 站成一排

* Your plan is in line with mine
与----一致

8. worker /'wɜ:(r)kə(r)/ n. 工作者; 工人

work n 工作 (cn: 作品)

9. stare /steə/ v 盯着看，凝视

*stare at sb

It's impolite to stare at others

n 凝视，注视

He looked at me with a cold stare (冷漠)

10. disbelief /,disbi'li:f/ n. 不信；怀疑

believe v 相信

believable adj 相信的

unbelievable adj 难以置信的

belief n 相信，信心，信念，信仰

disbelief n 不信 怀疑

*in disbelief 不相信地，怀疑地 (状语)

He stared at me in disbelief

=He stared in disbelief at me

11. above / əbʌv/ prep 在---上面 (不接触, 不强调 正上方)

The bird is flying above the water

*反义词: below

*可指海拔, 温度等

There is a bridge over the river

12. burn/bɜ:(r)n/ v 燃烧, 着火 (burnt/burnt, burned/burned)

Wood burns easily

All the lights were burning

n 燃烧, 灼伤

There are some burns on the arms

*burning adj 着火的, 燃烧的 (定语)

Look at that burning building/house

*burned adj 烧焦的 烧糊的 the burned beef

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