

Lesson 40 Food and talk



Words and expressions hostess, unsmiling, tight

Grammar



Introduce the word

• T: Today we'll listen t a story about a man who goes to a dinner party.

Understand the situation

T: What do you think is happening in the picture?



Listening objective

- T : Was Mrs. Rumbold a good companion at dinner?
- Answer : No, she wasn't.

- Did you go to a dinner party last week?
- Yes, I did.

- ho did your hostess ask you to sit next to?
- Mrs. Rumbold.

- Was she large or small?
- Large.

- She didn't smile. did she?
- No, she didn't.

- What was she wearing?
- A tight black dress.

- What was she looking at?
- Her plate.

- What was she soon busy doing?
- Eating.

- What did you try to do?
- To make conversation.

- You told her a new play was coming to 'the Globe' soon, didn't you?
- Yes, I did.

- Did you ask her if she'd be seeing it?
- Yes, I did.

- What did she reply?
- 'No.'

- What did you ask her next?
- Whether she would be spending her holidays abroad this year.

WORDS

hostess (1.1) /'həʊstɪs/ n. 女主人 unsmiling (1.2) /ʌn'smaɪlɪŋ/ adj. 不笑的, 严肃的 tight (1.2) /taɪt/ adj. 紧身的 fix (1.4) /fiks/ v. 凝视 globe (1.6) /gləʊb/ n. 地球 despair (1.13) /dɪ'speə/ n. 绝望

hostess n.

- a woman at a party, meal etc who has invited all the guests and provides them with food, drink etc
- 女主人
- Host 男主人

• The hostess introduced them.



unsmiling adj.

- looking serious and unfriendly
- 不笑的,严肃的

• He was unsmiling and silent.



tight adj.

- tight clothes fit your body very closely, especially in a way that is uncomfortable
- 紧身的

My shoes were so tight that I could hardly walk.



- The bandage(绷带) must be tight enough
- to stop the bleeding.



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