

Words for Production

1 **brilliant** [ˈbrɪljənt] *adj.* 聰穎的，技藝優秀的

- ▶ The **brilliant** pianist has made a name for herself as one of the best modern performers.

這位才華洋溢的鋼琴家讓自己躋身當代最優秀的表演者之一。

brilliant [ˈbrɪljənt] *adj.* 明亮的

- ▶ According to research, **brilliant** colors can help raise people's spirits and give them an appetite.

根據研究，明亮的顏色有助於振奮人們的精神，並增進食慾。

2 **keen** [kin] *adj.* 敏銳的，靈敏的

- ▶ The magazine editor has a **keen** eye for fashion. It's not surprising that almost every piece of clothing in that magazine sells so well. 這位雜誌編輯對流行有敏銳的觀察力。

那本雜誌裡幾乎每套服裝都熱賣，這件事一點都不讓人吃驚。

3 **detail** [ˈdi:teɪl] *n.* [U] 詳情

- ▶ We will discuss the business plans in **detail** at tomorrow's annual meeting.

我們會在明天的年度會議上詳細討論商業計畫。

detail [ˈdɪtəl] *n.* [C] 細節，枝節

- ▶ In order to understand how the fire broke out, the firefighters examined every inch of the scene of the fire, right down to the smallest **detail**. 為了解火災發生的原因，消防員檢查火場的每一個地方，不放過任何細節。

detail [dɪˈtel] *vt.* 詳細敘述，詳細說明

- ▶ The teacher gave each group a sheet **detailing** the steps in the process, so the students could do the experiment safely. 老師發給每組一張詳細說明過程步驟的資料，所以學生們可以安全地做實驗。

4 remarkable [rɪˈmɑ:kəbl̩] *adj.* 非凡的，卓越的

- ▶ It is **remarkable** that the athlete won three Olympic gold medals at such a young age.
這位運動員年紀輕輕就得到三面奧運金牌，真是卓越。

remark [rɪˈmɑ:k] *n.* [C] 言論，評論

- ▶ The expert made a **remark** about the city's air pollution, hoping to increase the public's environmental awareness.
專家對這城市的空氣汙染發表評論，希望能提升大眾的環保意識。

remark [rɪˈmɑ:k] *vt.* 評論，談論

- ▶ The critic **remarked** that the new science fiction was quite exciting, and he thought it was worth reading.
這位評論家表示這本新的科幻小說非常刺激，他認為值得一讀。

5 **detective** [dɪˈtɛktɪv] *n.* [C] 偵探，警探

- ▶ No matter how hard the **detectives** tried to make her talk, the murderer simply remained silent.

不管探員們如何努力要她講話，這名殺人犯只是保持沉默。

detect [dɪˈtɛkt] *vt.* 察覺，發現

- ▶ I could **detect** a note of criticism when Paul talked about Sara's performance at work.

我可以察覺到 Paul 在談論 Sara 的工作表現時語帶批評。

6 **wonder** [ˈwʌndə] *vt.* 想知道，感到納悶

- ▶ The teacher **wondered** where Samantha was because she had skipped class again.

老師想知道 Samantha 在哪裡，因為她又蹺課了。

wonder [ˈwʌndə] *vi.* 對…感到驚訝

- ▶ The audience **wondered** at the magician's tricks, especially when he made a car disappear right in front of their eyes. 觀眾對魔術師的戲法感到驚訝，尤其是當他讓車子在他們眼前消失的時候。

wonder [ˈwʌndə] *n.* [U] 驚嘆，驚奇

- ▶ The mountain climbers looked at the beautiful sky in **wonder** when they saw the sun rise.

看到太陽升起時，登山客們讚嘆地望著美麗的天空。

7 **publish** [ˈpʌblɪʃ] *vt.* 出版

- ▶ As soon as my favorite writer's new book is

published, I am going to buy a copy of it.

我最愛的作家的新書一出版，我就會去買一本。

publish [ˈpʌblɪʃ] *vt.* 刊登

- ▶ Mr. Baker's story will be **published** in tomorrow's newspaper. Soon, everyone will know how he runs a successful business. Baker 先生的故事會被刊登在明天的報紙上。很快地，每個人都會知道他如何經營成功的事業。

publisher [ˈpʌblɪʃə] *n.* [C] 出版商

- ▶ Betty was quite confident about her writing talent, so she sent her work to several well-known **publishers**. Betty 對自己的寫作天分相當有信心，所以她把她的作品寄給好幾家知名的出版商。

8 eventually [ɪˈventʃʊəli] *adv.* 最後，最終

- ▶ After a long search, the rescue team **eventually** found the lost climber in a cave.
在漫長的搜索後，救援小組最終在山洞中找到失蹤的登山客。

eventual [ɪˈventʃʊəl] *adj.* 最後的，最終的

- ▶ The **eventual** aim of our company is to become the industry leader in Asia.
我們公司的最終目標就是成為亞洲業界的龍頭。

9 exist [ɪgˈzɪst] *vi.* 存在

- ▶ Jane hasn't slept well for weeks. If her sleep problems still **exist**, she should go to a doctor. Jane 已經好幾個禮拜

都睡不好。如果她的睡眠問題依然存在，她應該去看醫生。

existence [ɪg`zɪstəns] *n.* [U] 存在

▶ Some people doubt the **existence** of life on other planets, while others strongly believe in it.

有些人質疑其他星球上生物的存在，然而其他人則深信不疑。

10 personality [ˌpɜːsnə`æləti] *n.* [U] 人格，性格

▶ Everyone loves Evelyn because of her pleasant **personality**. 大家都喜歡 Evelyn，因為她的性格開朗。

personal [ˈpɜːsnəl] *adj.* 個人的，私人的

▶ Visitors are welcome to use the lockers to store their **personal** belongings. 歡迎遊客使用置物櫃放置個人物品。

11 analyze [ˈænəˌlaɪz] *vt.* 分析

▶ After the researcher **analyzed** the data on the new drug, she found that the drug might have harmful side effects.

研究員分析新藥品的資料後，發現該藥品可能會含有有害的副作用。

analysis [ə`næləsis] *n.* [C] (pl. analyses) 分析

▶ To make sure that the medicine is effective, the expert carried out a chemical **analysis** of some blood samples.

為了確定藥物是有效的，這位專家對一些血液樣本進行化學分析。

12 significant [sɪg`nɪfɪkənt] *adj.* 重大的，顯著的

▶ Over the last ten years, there have been **significant** changes to the country's educational policies, such as the college application process. 在過去十年間，這個國家的

教育政策有重大的改變，如大學入學申請過程。

significance [sɪɡ`nɪfɪkəns] *n.* [U] 重要性，意義

- ▶ The decrease in the number of flu patients is of great **significance**. It means that the spread of the flu is now under control.

流感病患人數的減少有重大的意義。這表示疫情現在得到控制。

13 lecture [ˈlɛktʃə] *n.* [C] (尤指大學裡的) 講課，講座

- ▶ After the professor's **lecture** on English poetry, I had a better understanding of the poem.

在教授的英詩講座後，我更能理解這首詩。

14 musician [mju`zɪʃən] *n.* [C] 音樂家

- ▶ After signing with the record label, the talented young **musician** started to record his first album. 在跟唱片公司簽約後，這名才華洋溢的年輕音樂家開始錄製他的首張專輯。

15 deny [dɪ`naɪ] *vt.* (denied | denied | denying) 否認，否定

- ▶ The inventor **denied** copying the idea from another person. He insisted that his invention was based on his own original idea. 這位發明家否認抄襲他人的點子。他堅持他的發明都是基於自己原有的構想。

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16 accent [ˈæksənt] *n.* [C] 口音，腔調

- ▶ Chloe speaks English with such a strong French **accent** that it is sometimes hard to understand what she says.

Chloe 講英文有很重的法國腔，讓人有時難以明白她在說什麼。

17 flee [fli] *vi.* (fled | fled | fleeing) 迅速逃離

- ▶ When the people in the town felt the earthquake, many of them immediately **fled** to the open fields nearby. 當鎮上的人們感覺到地震時，很多人立刻逃到附近的空地。

18 clever [ˈklevə] *adj.* 機靈的，聰穎的

- ▶ How **clever** you are to think of such a useful solution to our problems!

你能想到這麼有用的方法來解決我們的問題，真是機靈！

clever [ˈklevə] *adj.* 好用的，巧妙的

- ▶ This is a **clever** idea! I believe it will help us complete the project one week in advance.

這是個巧妙的主意！我認為這將幫我們提早一週完成這項企劃。

19 mystery [ˈmɪstəri] *n.* [C] 神祕，不可思議的事物

- ▶ It was a complete **mystery** to the control tower that the airplane suddenly disappeared without a trace.

對塔臺來說，這架飛機突然消失無蹤，完全不可思議。

mysterious [mɪsˈtɪriəs] *adj.* 神祕的

- ▶ The scientists have been investigating the **mysterious** deaths of a herd of deer. They all went mad before they died.

科學家們在調查鹿群的神祕之死。牠們在死亡前全都發狂了。

20 emotion [ɪˈmoʃən] *n.* [U] 感情，情緒

- ▶ Don't make any important decision when you are overcome with **emotion**. It's likely that you will

regret it later.

當你情緒激動時，別做任何重要的決定。之後你可能會後悔。

emotional [ɪˈmoʃənl] *adj.* 情感上的

▶ **Emotional** stress such as anxiety and depression can have a negative effect on your health.

情緒壓力像是焦慮和憂鬱對你的健康有不良影響。

21 **adventure** [ədˈventʃə] *n.* [C] 冒險，奇遇

▶ Dr. Jones shared his **adventure** stories with us. He once found an ancient city and some buried treasure in a faraway place. Jones 博士跟我們分享他的冒險故事。他曾在一個遙遠的地方發現古城和被埋起來的寶物。

22 **attractive** [əˈtræktɪv] *adj.* 有吸引力的，誘人的

▶ The job offer was too **attractive** to refuse: The hours were short, and the pay was good.

這份工作太誘人，讓人無法拒絕：工時短且高薪。

23 **admire** [ədˈmaɪr] *vt.* 欣賞，欽佩

▶ I **admire** Millicent's determination to realize her dream even though her parents don't support her.

我欣賞 Millicent 實現自己夢想的毅力，即使父母都不支持她。

admiration [ˌædməˈreɪʃən] *n.* [U] 讚賞，欽佩

▶ Everyone in the sales department truly has great **admiration** for the manager's ability to handle every crisis. 在銷售部的每個人對經理的危機處理能力都深感欽佩。

Words for Recognition

- 1 Sherlock Holmes** [ˈʃɜːlək ˈhəʊmz] *n.* 夏洛克·福爾摩斯
- 2 fictional** [ˈfɪkʃənəl] *adj.* 虛構的
- 3 Sir Arthur Conan Doyle** [ˌsɜː ˈɑːrθə ˈkɒnən ˈdɔɪl] *n.* 亞瑟·柯南·道爾爵士
- 4 Dr. Joseph Bell** [ˈdaktə ˈdʒɒzəf ˈbeɪl] *n.* 約瑟·貝爾醫生
- 5 Dr. John Watson** [ˈdaktə ˈdʒɒn ˈwɒtsən] *n.* 約翰·華生醫生
- 6 A Study in Scarlet** [ˌə ˈstʌdi ˌɪn ˈskɑːrlət] *n.* 《血字的研究》
scarlet [ˈskɑːrlət] *n.* [U] 鮮紅色
scarlet [ˈskɑːrlət] *adj.* 鮮紅的
- 7 University of Edinburgh** [ˌjuːnəˈvɜːsəti ˌɒv ˈedɪnbə] *n.* (the ~) 愛丁堡大學
- 8 reasoning** [ˈriːznɪŋ] *n.* [U] 推理，推論
- 9 Scotland** [ˈskɒtlənd] *n.* 蘇格蘭
Scottish [ˈskɒtɪʃ] *adj.* 蘇格蘭的
- 10 tattoo** [təˈtu] *n.* [C] 刺青
- 11 narrate** [nəˈret] *vt.* (fml.) 敘述，講(故事)
- 12 221B Baker Street** [ˈtu ˈtu ˈwʌn ˈbi ˈbeɪkə ˈstriːt] *n.* 貝克街 221 號 B

Idioms and Phrases

1 of all time 有史以來，自古以來

- ▶ Without a doubt, Meryl Streep is one of the best actresses **of all time**.

無疑地，梅莉·史翠普是有史以來最好的女演員之一。

2 put pen to paper 動筆

- ▶ The writer only has a half-baked idea about her new novel, so she hasn't **put pen to paper** yet.

這作家對新小說只有初步構思，所以她尚未動筆。

3 take off something 脫下(衣物)

- ▶ After the basketball game, Jerome **took off** his sweaty clothes and put on the clean ones.

在籃球比賽後，Jerome 脫掉他滿是汗水的衣物，並換上乾淨的。

4 all along 一直，始終

- ▶ Brian complained that he couldn't find his glasses. However, they were right on top of his head **all along**.

Brian 抱怨說他找不到自己的眼鏡。然而，那副眼鏡一直都在他的頭上。